



Tradewinds

The activities of the World Trade Center of New Orleans and the Plimsoll Club

February 2009

The Plimsoll Club Cordially Invites You to a Lobster Dinner Dance on Saturday, March 21

Join us for a romantic evening of dinner and dancing at our popular Lobster Dinner Dance on Saturday, March 21, 2009. Make reservations by calling Linda Hamilton at 529-1701. The cost of this delicious four-course feast is only \$59.95 per person (plus tax and service charge). We offer a choice of two appetizers, a refreshing salad, a boiled one and three-quarter pound Maine Lobster that has been cracked and loosened from its shell, Saffron rice pilaf, french bread and butter, and a buffet of splendid desserts. Enjoy dancing from 7:00pm until 11:00pm. If you must cancel, please do so by Wednesday, March 18 by noon and ask for your cancellation number to avoid billing your WTC account. As always, complimentary parking is available in the WTC garage.

St. Patrick's Day Buffet on March 13

Irish eyes will be smiling at the Plimsoll Club on Friday, March 13 for our St. Patrick's Day luncheon buffet, beginning at 11:45am. From County Mayo in the North to Cork County in the South, we offer you a sampling of the very best in Irish cuisine. Our bar will feature Irish beer. **Join us for a bit o' blarney at a cost of \$25.95** per person. Get in on the "Luck of the Irish" - if you attend the St. Patrick's Day buffet drop your business card in to win a complimentary lunch for four at the Club. Remember our special lunch events are always a sellout so please contact Linda Hamilton at 529-1701 to make your reservations. Cancellations and changes must be received by noon on Wednesday, March 11 or full billing will apply. Complimentary validated parking is available in the WTC.

Menu:

Basket Plimsoll
Medley of Wild Mushrooms in Cognac Green
Peppercorn Sauce, served in a puff pastry basket
Or
Shrimp Cocktail
Cocktail and Remoulade Sauces
Salad Antebellum
Mixed greens, crumbled bleu cheese and pecans
with raspberry Vinaigrette
Boiled One and 1/2 pound
Fresh Maine Lobster With Drawn Butter
Lemon and Lime Wedges
Saffron Rice Pilaf
French Bread and Butter
Dessert Buffet Extravaganza
Bananas Foster
Café Brulot

Drinks and Dinner at the Plimsoll Club March 18

Our Drinks and Dinner event at the Plimsoll Club continues in 2009 on March 18th with the sounds of Philip Melancon. As always, the bar will open at 5:30pm for happy hour. ½ priced drinks will be offered on house brand cocktails. A dinner buffet will be open at 7:00pm for those wishing to stay for dinner. The price for the dinner buffet is \$26.95 per person. Call Linda Hamilton at 529-1701 to reserve a table. Cancellations or changes must be made by noon on Tuesday, March 17 or full billing will apply. Remember to ask for your cancellation number. As always, complimentary validated parking is available in the WTC garage.

Reciprocal Club *Spotlight*

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15 <i>CLUB CLOSED</i>	16	17	18 <i>MARDI GRAS BUFFET</i>	19	20	21
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Reservation Reminder

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- Saturday, February 14 - Valentines Day Dinner Dance
- February 16-20 - Mardi Gras Buffet
- Friday, March 13 - St. Patrick Day Buffet
- Wednesday, March 18 - Drinks & Dinner Event at the Club
- Saturday, March 21 - Lobster Dinner Dance
- April 12 - Easter Jazz Brunch
- April 15 - Dinner & Drinks at the Club
- April 20-24 - Secretaries Buffet
- Friday, May 8 - South of the Border Luncheon
- Sunday, May 10 - Mother's Day Buffet

Check out our website at www.plimsoll.com for Upcoming Club Functions