

# THE Crunkleton

## Tip the Kitchen 15

Wondering about the cowbell? Our Tip The Kitchen program is a completely optional way for guests to show appreciation directly to the chefs that prepared your food. Just like the tip you give your server, 100% of this money goes directly to the kitchen staff. If you've had an especially delicious meal, let your server know you'd like to tip the kitchen. We'll bring you the bell to ring and give them a round of applause!

## cocktails

### The Old Fashioned Cocktail *Origin Unknown* 15

*High Proof Bourbon, Sugar, Bitters, Orange Peel Swath*

This is the one that started it all way back in the 19th century. Some historians claim the drink originated in Louisville while others stick by the opinion of "I don't know."

### Bourbon Bramble *by Gary Crunkleton* 15

*High Proof Bourbon, Orange Blossom, Marasca Cherry Paste, Fresh Squeezed Lemon*

The bramble is a cocktail from London that uses gin and fresh fruit. We take their idea and Americanize it with bourbon and cherries. It's served in a julep cup which keeps it cold when the weather is not.

### Dark & Stormy *Origin Unknown* 15

*Goslings 151 High Proof Dark Rum, Ginger, Fresh Lime, Demerara*

In the early 19th century England's Royal Navy opened a ginger beer plant in Colonial Bermuda. The drink was originally made with a dark demerara rum and ginger beer which were both part of the sailors' daily rations. Lime was also given to the sailors as it helped to stave off Scurvy and was long kept as a military secret by the British Navy. Today, it is the national drink of Bermuda and a small slice of Caribbean history in a glass.

### The Painkiller Cocktail *by Daphne Henderson* 16

*Aged Rum, Coconut Cream, Fresh Squeezed Orange, Pineapple, Lime, Nutmeg*

This 1970's Tiki style drink is about as delicious as a Tiki drink can get. We make it without using Pusser's because we think it is lame that a liquor company would own the rights to a way of making a particular drink. So, please allow our boycott to exist without concern and enjoy the drink.

### The Gin Gin Mule *by Audrey Saunders* 15

*Tanqueray London Dry Gin, Ginger, Mint, Angostura, Fresh Squeezed Lime*

This tippie is two drinks in one. It takes the ingredients in the Mojito and melds it with the ingredients of a Moscow Mule. The twist is we use gin to bring them together. We love this 2005 drink at The Crunkleton and we applaud Audrey Saunders for creating it.

### Hemingway Daiquiri *by Constantino Ribalagüa Vert* 15

*Aged Rum, Fresh Lime, Fresh Grapefruit, Luxardo Maraschino, Demerara*

Originally created by the Head Bartender at La Floridita in Havana, Cuba for the famed writer of the same name. The drink in its inception had no sugar due to Hemingway being afflicted with a rare hereditary disease that leads to diabetes. It has, thankfully, since been balanced with sugar. Join Ernest on the patio of his favorite bar in Havana for one of its famed sunsets with each sip.

### Saturn *by J. "Popo" Galsini* 16

*Tanqueray London Dry Gin, Amaro Montenegro, Passion Fruit, Orgeat, Falernum, Fresh Squeezed Lemon Juice*

The Saturn cocktail is one of the most famous gin-based recipes—a fruity combo of gin, passion fruit, orgeat, falernum and lemon juice. Invented in 1967, the drink still appears on menus at bars around the world today.

### Jungle Bird *by Jeffrey Ong* 16

*High Proof Rum, Campari, Fresh Lime, Fresh Pineapple, Simple Syrup*

The Jungle Bird made its recipe-book debut in 1989, when it appeared in "The New American Bartender's Guide" by John J. Poister. The Jungle Bird is a fixture on Tiki bar menus and cocktail bar menus, and it has even inspired the names of bars in multiple cities, including New York and Sacramento.

### Elderflower Sour *by Gary Crunkleton* 15

*Tanqueray London Dry Gin, Ginger, Elderflower, Fresh Squeezed Lime*

This floral concoction gets its due from the botanicals of the gin, pepper from the ginger, and tartness from the lime. This drink is one of our most popular and the neighborhood loves it.

### A Dusty Cactus *by Nathaniel Wescott* 16

*Tequila Reposado, Fresh Squeezed Lime, Habanero Sbrub, Champagne, Mole Bitters*

The Dusty is a relatively new drink that turns twelve years old this year. It's popularity transcends its relatively young age and is sure to be on its way to becoming a classic. Cheers to its longevity at The Crunkleton.

### A Mezcal Sour *by Jonab Gibbs* 17

*Mezcal, Amaro Montenegro, Ginger, Sugar, Egg Whites, Mole Bitters, Fresh Squeezed Lime*

Since Mezcal and Pisco are two of the three worlds oldest spirits, we decided the two are interchangeable in drink making. Enjoy this sour! It will be one of our more popular drinks this Spring and Summer.

### Penicillin *by Sam Ross* 15

*Smoky Blended Scotch, Ginger, Local Wildflower Honey, Fresh Squeezed Lemon*

Warm and soothing flavors offered by all of the ingredients in a balanced effort make this drink a true delight. Its flavors will be admired by the sagacious drinker that appreciates quality. Is that you?

### Bee's Knees *by Ms Margaret Brown* 15

*Tanqueray London Dry Gin, Local Wildflower Honey, Fresh Lemon*

A simple drink created by a complex woman in the early 20th Century. Ms Margaret Brown was partying to a millionaire miner from Denver but made the drink popular while partying in the womens-only bars of Paris. She was also known as the "Unsinkable Molly Brown" after dramatically surviving the sinking of the Titanic.

### The Page Turner *by John "JP" Peer* 15

*Bonded Rye, Cherry Syrup, Black Walnut Bitters*

This riff softly changes the characteristic notes of the Old Fashioned and calms the spice of Rye Whiskey into an easy-drinking iteration of the beloved classic.

### The Paper Plane *by Sam Ross* 15

*High Proof Bourbon, Aperol, Amaro Montenegro, Fresh Lemon Juice*

A riff on the classic Last Word created in 2007 by Sam Ross at the Violet Hour in Chicago. He first made this drink with Amaro and Campari but swapped out the Campari for the less bitter Aperol soon after creating the drink. Sam says "This cocktail is named after the M.I.A. track that was blasting on repeat the summer we worked on the drink."

## NON-ALCOHOLIC COCKTAILS 13

Here at The Crunkleton, we care deeply about inclusivity and using only the highest quality ingredients when making drinks for our guests. It is to that end that we are proud to present this thoughtfully crafted list of Non-Alcoholic Cocktails. These drinks feature the same Fresh Juices, Syrups and Hand-Carved Ice you've grown to love but made with Non-Alcoholic Spirits. The use of Non-Alcoholic Spirits creates the same level of flavor and complexity one would expect from our cocktails, simply without the booze.

### N/A Sour

*Seedlip Grove 42 N/A Spirit, Elderflower Syrup, Lime Juice, Fresh Ginger*

### Painlesskiller

*Lyre's Dark Cane N/A Spirit, Fresh Pineapple, Coconut Cream, Lime Juice, Orange Juice, Demerara Syrup*

## BARREL AGED COCKTAILS 18

Cocktails that already possess a certain depth of flavor are carefully selected to be further enhanced by the charred oak barrel. Aging the drink in the barrel allows the various ingredients to meld together and round out the flavor towards a new expression all together. We learned this amazing approach from its innovator, Jeffrey Morgenthaler.

### Barrel Aged Kentucky Colonel

*High Proof Bourbon, Benedictine, Orange Bitters*

### Barrel Aged Rye Manhattan

*Rittenhouse "The Crunkleton" Single Barrel Rye, Carpano Antica, Regan's Bitters*

### Barrel Aged Vieux Carre

*Rittenhouse "The Crunkleton" Single Barrel Rye, Benedictine, Cognac, Peychaud's, Carpano Antica*

## DRAFT BEERS 9

### WEIHENSTEPHANER

HELLES LAGER

*Freising, Germany*

5.1% ABV • 16oz.

### EDMUND'S OAST BREWING CO.

SEASONAL FLAVOR • Sour

*Charleston, SC*

6.5% ABV • 16oz.

### ALLAGASH

WHITE • Belgian Style Wheat Beer

*Portland, ME*

5.2% ABV • 16oz.

### RESIDENT CULTURE BREWING

LIGHTNING DROPS • Hazy IPA

*Charlotte, NC*

6.5% ABV • 16oz.

### MAINE

LUNCH • IPA

*Portland, ME*

7% ABV • 16oz.

### PROTAGONIST BEER

GALILEO • Barleywine

Aged in Old Forester Crunkleton's Pick Barrel

*Charlotte, NC*

13% ABV • 10oz.

### BLACKBERRY FARMS

CLASSIC • Saison

*Maryville, TN*

6.3% ABV • 16oz.

### DEVIL'S LOGIC BREWING

UNDER THE WATER TOWER • New England Pale Ale

*Charlotte, NC*

5.5% ABV • 16oz.

### WISE ACRE BREWING CO.

TINY BOMB • American Pilsner

*Memphis, TN*

4.5% ABV • 16oz.

### RADEBERGER BREWERY

SION KÖLSCH

*Cologne, Germany*

4.8% ABV • 16oz.

### FOUNDERS BREWING

KBS • Bourbon Barrel Aged Stout

*Grand Rapids, MI*

12% ABV • 10oz.

### MUNKLE BREWING CO.

BRUGGE CITY BRUNE • Brown Ale

*Charleston, SC*

6.2% ABV • 16oz.

## BOTTLED BEERS 4

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## wine

SPARKLING	GLASS / BOTTLE
LOVO Prosecco 2021 Veneto, Italy	14 / 48
PIERRE SPARR Rose Alsace, France	15 / 58
M. BONNAMY Cremant Brut Loire Valley, France	13 / 48
VEUVE CLICQUOT Champagne France	125

WHITE	GLASS / BOTTLE
TALLEY ESTATE Chardonnay 2020 Central Coast, CA	18 / 68
DOMAINE GÉRARD FIOU Sancerre 2021 Loire Valley, France	19 / 72
HUIA Sauvignon Blanc 2021 Marlborough, NZ	14 / 48
JERMANN Pinot Grigio 2020 Friuli, Italy	16 / 60
LICIA Albariño 2022 Rias Baixas, Spain	15 / 58
CHÂTEAU PARADIS Rosé 2020 Provence, France	15 / 58
DOMAINE SPECHT Riesling Mandelberg 2018 Alsace Grand Cru, France	17 / 65
CURRAN Grenache Blanc 2022 Santa Barbara County, CA	14 / 48
LONG SHADOWS Cymbal Sauvignon Blanc 2021 Columbia Valley, WA	80
DOMAINE GABRIEL ET PAUL JOUARD Chardonnay 2020 Bourgogne, France	75

RED	GLASS / BOTTLE
VIOLIN Pinot Noir Willamette, OR	18 / 68
BEDROCK Old Vine Zinfandel 2020 Sonoma, CA	16 / 60
TRIG POINT "Diamond Dust" Cabernet 2020 Alexander Valley, CA	17 / 65
EL ENIMIGO Cabernet Franc 2019 Mendoza, Argentina	19 / 72
CHÂTEAU HAUT-PEZAT Saint-Émilion Grand Cru 2018 Bordeaux, France	20 / 97
COTO DE IMAZ Rioja Reserva 2017 Rioja, Spain	16 / 60
J.L. CHAVE "Mon Coeur" Côtes-Du-Rhône 2020 Rhône Valley, France	16 / 60
SUSANA BALBO Malbec 2019 Mendoza, Argentina	15 / 58
LE VOLTE Super Tuscan 2020 Tuscany, Italy	17 / 65
SELVAPIANA Chianti 2021 Chianti Rufina, Italy	15 / 58

AFTER DINNER	GLASS
CHATEAU SAINT-VINCENT Sauternes Bordeaux, France	13
RATAFIA CHAMPENOIS Champagne Dumangin France	8
SANDEMAN ARMADA Cream Sherry Jerez, Spain	10
DOMECQ I730 Pedro Ximenez Sherry Jerez, Spain	13
DOW'S Tawny Colheita 2007 Portugal	13
GRAHAM'S 6 Grapes Reserve Port Special River Quintas Edition Douro, Portugal	12

## WINE BY THE BOTTLE

NEW WORLD RED	
J PHELPS "Insignia" Red Blend 2018 Napa Valley, CA	425
CATENA ZAPATA "Argentino" Malbec 2020 Mendoza, Argentina	200
KRUPP BROTHERS "Contollo" Cabernet Sauvignon 2020 Napa Valley, CA	170
REYNOLDS ESTATE Cabernet Sauvignon 2019 Napa Valley, CA	155
FEL Savoy Vineyard Pinot Noir 2019 Anderson Valley, CA	150
SHAFFER "TD-9" Red Blend 2018 Napa Valley, CA	135
LUCIENNE "Doctor's Vineyard" Pinot Noir 2018 Saint Lucia Highlands, CA	130
MY FAVORITE NEIGHBOR Cabernet Sauvignon 2019 Pasa Robles, CA	120
DAVIS FAMILY VINEYARD "Soul Patch" Pinot Noir 2019 Russian River Valley, CA	105
CARAVAN Cabernet Red Blend 2018 Napa Valley, CA	95
GHOST BLOCK "Pelissa Vineyard" Zinfandel 2021 Napa Valley, CA	85
PAUL HOBBS - VIÑA COBOS "Cocodrilo" Red Blend 2020 Mendoza, Argentina	80

OLD WORLD RED	
SEGLA Margaux 2015 Bordeaux, France	170
CERETTO Barolo 2017 Piedmont, Italy	145
MARCHESI BISCARDO Amarone Della Valpolicella 2016 Valpolicella, Italy	135
POLIZIANO "Le Stanze" Super Tuscan 2018 Tuscany, Italy	135
MAISON CHANZY Mercuray Premier Cru 2019 Burgundy, France	112
LA RIOJA ALTA "Viña Arana" Gran Reserva 2015 Rioja, Spain	110
ALTO MONCAYO Garnacha 2020 Campo de Borja, Spain	105
DOMAINE JEAN ROYER "Tradition" GSM, 2020 Châteauneuf-du-Pape, France	100
MURIEL VIÑAS VIEJAS Gran Reserva Rioja 2011 Rioja, Spain	90
DAMILANO "Lecinevigne" Barolo 2018 Piedmont, Italy	85

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ALL CREDIT CARD TABS LEFT UNSIGNED WILL BE CLOSED WITH A 20 PERCENT GRATUITY ADDED TO THE TOTAL