T he Kempenaar Family welcomes you to Kempenaar’s Clambake Club and our world famous clambakes. Since 1943 we have introduced clambakes to guests from all over the world.

In the early part of the 1900s, the late Esau Kempenaar came to the United States from the Netherlands and started one of the biggest nursery businesses on the east coast; Boulevard Nurseries. After a few years went by he really wanted a place for his fellow workers, family and friends to relax and take part in an old fashioned clambake, so he built Kempenaar’s Clambake Club.

Year after year the facility became more popular to guests from all over and everyone wanted to experience a true “Rhode Island” clambake. Now over 50 years later, the legacy lives on.

Located in a valley grove of evergreens, our facility easily serves a small intimate group but can expand to accommodate a gathering of 700 or more. We’re just a few minutes from the beaches and the popular Newport waterfront, yet we’re sheltered from blowing sands and the damp night winds. And Kempenaar’s has plenty of FREE parking, which comes at a premium in this area.

Compete in a game of horseshoes, volleyball, or bocce, or just sit back and enjoy our attractive grounds before the “bake’s ready” bell rings.

Look over our menus. Each one can be specifically tailored to fit your individual tastes or you can choose one of our “tried and true” standards. Whichever you select, and whether this is your first or 21st clambake at Kempenaar’s, we look forward to welcoming you. Our Bakemaster and staff have only pleasing you on their minds.

**MENU**

**PRESIDENT’S “BULLY!” BAKE**

Teddy Roosevelt, a president who loved the great outdoors and good food, was known for his direct manner and enthusiasm. “Bully!” was his highest accolade. We think you will agree that our President’s Bake is indeed “Bully!”

- **Pre-Bake**
  - Shrimp Cocktail - Iced Littlenecks
  - Variety of Cheeses - Fresh Fruit

- **“BULLY!” Bake**
  - RI Clam Chowder - Steamed Clams w/drawn butter & broth
  - Mussels steamed in wine and garlic
  - TWO POUND NEW ENGLAND LOBSTER*
  - Corn-on-the-Cob - Potatoes - Green Salad - Brown Bread
  - Dessert
  - Select one from list on back (included)

- **GOVERNOR’S CLAMBAKE**

  Governor Arnold, Rhode Island’s first, might have chosen this menu to impress visiting dignitaries in 1663. Today it is still a wonderful choice to leave lasting memories with guests and friends.

  - **Pre-Bake**
    - Clams on the Half Shell - Corn Chips & Salsa
    - Crudites - Variety of Cheeses

  - **The Bake**
    - Rhode Island Clam Chowder
    - Steamed Clams w/drawn butter & broth
    - Coleslaw - Hot Brown Bread/Chourico
    - 1/½ lb. New England Lobster* with mussels steamed in wine & garlic
    - Potato - Corn-on-the-Cob
    - Dessert
    - Select one from list on back (included)

  - **NOR’ EASTER**

    1¼ Pound Lobster - Marinated Filet Tips - Steamers - Mussels
    - Sausage - Chourico - Potatoes - Corn on the Cob - Fish
    - Chicken Drum - Coleslaw - Brown Bread

    $81.00 per adult • Chicken = $80.00 Steak = $90.00

  - **STEAK ‘N BAKE**

    Steiners w/Drawn Butter and Broth
    - 1-1¼ lb. Lobster w/Marinated Filet Tips
    - Potato - Corn-on-the-Cob
    - Coleslaw - Brown Bread

    $71.00 per adult • Chicken = $61.00

  - **R.I. LOBSTER CLAMBAKE**

    Steiners w/drawn butter & broth
    - Mussels steamed in wine & garlic
    - 1-1¼ lb. New England Lobster* with drawn butter
    - Sausage - Fresh Fish
    - Potato - Onion - Corn-on-the-Cob
    - Coleslaw - Brown Bread

    Dessert: Chocolate Crunch Bars

    $71.00 per adult • Chicken = $61.00 Steak = $71.00

- **AQUIDNECK LOBSTER BAKE**

  1¼ lb. Lobster with drawn butter*
  - Corn-on-the-Cob - Potatoes
  - Sausage - Hot Dog - Chourico
  - Onion - Coleslaw - Hot Brown Bread

  $50.00 Lobster or Steak • $40.00 Chicken

- **LOBSTER IN THE ROUGH**

  1-1¼ lb. Lobster with drawn butter*
  - Corn-on-the-Cob - Potatoes
  - Coleslaw - Brown Bread

  $41.00 per adult

  Chicken = $27.00 Steak = $41.00

- **CHICKEN BARBECUE**

  Chicken from our Open Barbecue Pit
  - Corn-on-the-Cob - Potatoes
  - Coleslaw - Hot Brown Bread

  $27.00 per adult • $13.00 under 13 years

- **KEMPENAAR PICNIC**

  Hot Dogs, 6oz Steak Burgers, BBQ Chicken
  - with all the fixings
  - Macaroni and Potato Salads
  - Coleslaw - Corn-on-the-Cob - Potato Chips

  $25.00 per adult • $12.00 under 13 years

  Add Steak Tips = $40.00

Vegetarian meals available on request $18.00

All of the menus above include cold watermelon, coffee, decaf, tea and lemonade at meal time.

See over for additional menu add-ons and beverage plans.

Children under 13 years can get KCC Picnic or Chicken Barbecue option $12.00

**N.E. LOBSTER CLAMBAKE**

- Steamers w/drawn butter & broth
- Mussels steamed in wine & garlic
- 1-1¼ lb. Lobster*
- Corn-on-the-Cob - Brown Bread
- Potatoes - Chourico & Slaw

$66.00 per adult

Chicken = $56.00 Steak = $66.00

**DOWN EAST CLAMBAKE**

- Steamer w/Drawn Butter and Broth
- 1-1¼ lb. Lobster*/Chourico
- Potato - Corn-on-the-Cob
- Coleslaw - Brown Bread

$61.00 per adult

Chicken = $51.00 Steak = $61.00

See over for additional menu add-ons and beverage plans.
**BEFORE THE BAKE**

(quotes are for up to 2 hours)

**Fresh Seafood Bar**
- select 1 or more
  - Littlenecks on Ice • $7.50 per person
  - Shrimp • $6.00 per person

**Other Appetizers**
- Cheese and Crackers • $4.00
- Melon Boats and Fresh Fruit • $4.00
- Veggies and Garden Dips • $4.00
- Clam Cakes • $5.00
- Corn Chips and Salsa • $2.50
- Chowder and Clam Cakes • $9.50

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Julia Collins, New York Times

**PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE. ADD (MINIMUM) GRATUITY OF 20% AND 8% RI SALES/MEALS TAX.**

**BEVERAGES**

**PLAN A**
- Cash bar at popular prices.
- No charge for bartender(s).

**PLAN B**
- Charge Bar
  - Bartender(s) required, hourly $9.00
  - Draught Beer:
    - Domestic - $4.00-$5.00
    - Imported - $5.00-$6.00
  - Wine - $7.00
  - Soda (includes diet) - $2.00
  - Mixed drinks: $7.00-$11.00

**PLAN C**
- Ask for details on combinations of A and B.

**IMPORTANT: NO alcoholic or other beverages may be carried on or off the grounds. We provide ALL beverages for consumption. Only persons of legal drinking age will be served alcoholic beverages. We reserve the right to refuse service to anyone who appears to be intoxicated. We care about our guests and their families.**

**DINNER ADDITIONS**

**Rhode Island Clam Chowder** • $6.00
**Platters of BBQ Chicken (with lobster menus only)** • $3.50
**Extra Lobsters**
- 1½ lb. = $30.00
- 2 lb. = $50.00
**Steamed Clams** • $20.00
**Mussels - garlic/wine sauce** • $7.00
**Chourico or Sausage** • $3.50
**Garden Green Salad** • $4.00
**Lemonade all day** • $2.00 per person
**Champagne toast** • $4.00 per person

**DESSERTS**

**Fresh Fruit Shortcake** • $6.00
**How Sweet It Is!** • $6.00
**Kahlua Sundae** • $5.00

**KEMPENAAR’S CLAMBAKE CLUB**

Our clam chowder is made from scratch – at least one day before we serve it, so the flavor is at its peak. (Like a good spaghetti sauce, always better on the second day!) We cut our own steaks daily – a generous 12 oz. US Choice boneless sirloin strip steak fresh – never frozen. You can taste the difference. The same is true with our chicken – purchased fresh and broiled with a barbecue sauce developed by Cornell University without sugar, so it doesn’t burn. Of course, all our seafood is purchased fresh locally. You get the idea – we do it right!

Our wedding business is growing by leaps and bounds. The green lawns, flowering shrubs, colorful flower beds and open-air pavilions and tents are perfect settings for receptions, rehearsal dinners and chill-outs, the day-after-the-wedding parties when the pressure is off and the celebration continues! Now couples are planning the marriage ceremony at KCC, convenient and exciting. That’s why we also attract reunions, corporate functions, company outings, anniversaries, graduations, sales meetings, etc.

**KEMPENAAR’S**

Clambake Club

**SINCE 1945**

We do it all... so let the celebration begin!

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