

The Abbey of Talloires, has over a thousand years of history, and a thousand stories to tell...

Which story to retell first?

One thousand years ago, there was a king who commissioned this beautiful abbey in honour of the love he had for his queen?

Or the one of the famous American writer, Mark Twain, who was lost for words to describe the beauty of this place?

Paul Cézanne, whom even in sickness, found inspiration to paint his magnificent "Lake Annecy" whilst staying at the Abbey.

Did you know, the famous French film actor, Jean Reno fell in love with this site and became its shareholder...?

Our Head Chef, **Yohei Hosaka**, writes his story by transfusing his most beautiful memories through his cooking, a little thought from each place he had visited all along his long professional journey.

For our Pastry Chef **Isabelle Mottier** this profession was evident since he was a kid. Rigor, structure and taste are elegantly transcribed on his plates.

**Charly**, our Head Sommelier, has been sharing for years, his passion for the wine and the little stories bound to each bottle of our historical wine cellar.

There are always others but, we prefer the stories of our everyday guests: Welcome to the Abbey to write yours!

Mrs. Isabelle Chauvris General Manager

ASSOCIATION FRANÇAISE DES MAÎTRES RESTAURATEURS



# Menu Les Racines de nos Terroirs\* 79 euros

Lake Annecy fera tartare Kohlrabi, strawberry condiment

Meagre fillet Confited leek, smoked eel, blueberry condiment, citrus fruits emulsion

**Cheeses from our region (supplement of 18€)** Matured by Alain Michel and Pochat

The chocolate Almond and cocoa biscuit, almond milk and Sulawesi red pepper, almond ice cream

## Menu

### L'INSPIRATION VÉGÉTALE\* 79 EUROS

**The carrot variation** Sesame and herbs condiment

**Eggplant candied with miso** Pesto, spelt risotto

**Cheeses from our region (supplement of 18€)** Matured by Alain Michel and Pochat

### The chocolate

Almond and cocoa biscuit, almond milk and Sulawesi red pepper, almond ice cream

# Menu Couleurs de Cézanne

#### 118 EUROS

### Compose your menu in 6 impressions according to your inspirations\*\*

### Lake Annecy fera tartare

Kohlrabi, strawberry condiment

#### or

**Poached royal oyster** Tomato and ponzu condiment, lemon caviar

### Pike-perch quenelle

Lake Annecy crayfish, carrot

#### or

Red mullet fillet

Fennel, fish bone jus

### "The Grolle" revisited by the Abbey

### **Meagre fillet**

Confited leek, smoked eel, blueberry condiment, citrus fruits emulsion or

#### Lamb rack Smoked eggplant, broccoletti, geranium sauce

### Cheeses from our region

Matured by Alain Michel and Pochat

#### Pre-dessert

#### The chocolate

Almond and cocoa biscuit, almond milk and Sulawesi red pepper, almond ice cream

#### or

#### Around the rosacea

White peach, jasmine yogurt, milk foam infused with rice, honey and jasmine ice cream

#### or

### The shiso and cucumber

Kiwi gel, cucumber water, lime and shiso sorbet

# Degustation Menu Excellence\*\*\*

149 EUROS

Let our chefs Yohei Hosaka and Isabelle Mottier exhilarated and surprised you by the flavors of their cuisine

**Poached royal oyster** Tomato and ponzu condiment, lemon caviar

Lake Annecy fera tartare Kohlrabi, strawberry condiment

**Pike-perch quenelle** Lake Annecy crayfish, carrot

**Meagre fillet** Confited leek, smoked eel, blueberry condiment, citrus fruits emulsion

The Grolle revisited by the Abbey

Matured beef fillet Grilled vegetables condiment, sage jus

# Cheeses from our region

Matured by Alain Michel and Pochat

### Pre-dessert

#### The chocolate

Almond and cocoa biscuit, almond milk and Sulawesi red pepper, almond ice cream

Around the rosacea

White peach, jasmine yogurt, milk foam infused with rice, honey and jasmine ice cream

**The shiso and cucumber** Kiwi gel, cucumber water, lime and shiso sorbet

> \*\*\*This menu is only served for the entire table and can be ordered until 9:00 pm for dinner

# À LA CARTE

# To Begin

	<b>Lake Annecy fera tartare</b> Kohlrabi, strawberry condiment	28€	
	<b>Poached royal oyster</b> (3 pieces) Tomato and ponzu condiment, lemon caviar	26€	
	<b>Red mullet fillet</b> Fennel, fish bone jus	33€	
	The carrot variation Sesame and herbs condiment	24€	
Land & Sea			
	Meagre fillet Confited leek, smoked eel, blueberry condiment, citrus fruits emulsion	44€	
	Lamb rack Smoked eggplant, broccoletti, geranium sauce	51€	
	Matured beef fillet Grilled vegetables condiment, sage jus	58€	
	<b>Eggplant candied with miso</b> Pesto, spelt risotto	38€	
Cheese Cellar			
	<b>Cheeses from our region</b> Matured by Alain Michel and Pochat	23€	
Dessert			
	<b>The chocolate</b> Almond and cocoa biscuit, almond milk and Sulawesi red pepper, almond ice cream	19€	
	<b>Around the rosacea</b> White peach, jasmine yogurt, milk foam infused with rice, honey and jasmine ice cream	19€	
	<b>The shiso and cucumber</b> Kiwi gel, cucumber water, lime and shiso sorbet	19€	

VAT 10% - Service included

Our sommeliers can recomme Service in 7 glasses Service in 5 glasses	end you a wine pairing	90€ 65€		
Non-Alcoholic Pairing Service in 7 glasses Service in 5 glasses		60€ 40€		
The Aperities.				
Terroir sweet wine glass Terroir white or red wine glass Champagne Brut glass Champagne Rosé glass		15€ 12€ 20€ 20€		
Coffee, Tea & Infusion				
Expresso coffee « Perle Noire » Arabica - suave and scented, balanced and subtle				
I Tea or infusion		6€		
Mineral Water				
Thonon Châteldon	75 cl 75 cl	8€ 9€		
THE DIGESTIFS.				
Pastis, Distillerie Saint-Esprit	4 cl	7.5€		
Liqueur Bio, Granier	4 cl	14€		
Gin, Distillerie Saint-Esprit	4 cl	14€		
Malt Fleur de Bière, Distillerie St-Es	•	16€		
Eau de Vie de Poire, Distillerie St-Es	prit 4 cl	22€		

\* Please ask our Sommelier for the wine menu

### INFORMATION

# About Ours Product

### OUR DISHES

All our dishes are prepared in house according to our recipes from high quality products selected with care.

The Abbey of Talloires has for many years held the title of « Maître Restaurateur » which is attributed only to the restaurants that are practicing homemade cuisine by confirmed professionals.

### OUR MEATS

All our dishes on this menu, based or proposed with beef and poultry are guaranteed exclusively of French origin.

### OUR GARDEN

The legacy of the monks, the Abbey herb garden is still cultivated with love and a lot of care and produces – according to the seasons – all the herbs for our menu dishes

### Allergies

A list of allergens present in our menus is available upon request at the restaurant entrance.

# Acknowledgements

## To Our Producers

THE MEATS

Alp'viandes JA Gastronomie Savoie Mont-Blanc

### The Fishes

Terrazur Our fisherman, Florent Capretti at Saint-Jorioz

### THE FRUITS & VEGETABLES

From the local markets Les champs des possibles Côté Frais

THE CHEESES The lake creamery Alain MICHEL The creamery POCHAT

THE BREAD Bakery « Pan et Gâto » at Annecy-le-Vieux

# HAUTE-SAVOIE ARTISANAL SALTING

Maison BAUD in Villaz

# OENOLOGY CLASS

## OUR HISTORICAL WINE CELLAR

Revealing the oenological heritage of all regions of France and its renowned wines, the historic cellar of the Abbaye de Talloires conceals unsuspected treasures. Under the guidance of Charly, the alchemist sommelier, historian and geographer of wine terroirs, select a wine: Grand Cru or small producer, for all budgets.... You have the choice.

The two Savoies region is naturally in the spotlight with more than 80 references!

Come and discover our menu voted "Meilleure carte de vin de France" for gourmet restaurants in 2017.

Private oenological course including a tasting of 5 different wines selected by our Master Sommelier Charly, accompanied by an assortment of regional products (cold cut and local cheeses)

On your theme choice (grape variety, region, discovery...)

Price up to 6 guests Fees per person more than 6 guests

360€

60€