

## Love Letters

1310 Kitchen & Bar has guests eat their words – Pasta Shaped in Envelopes and Hearts

Geoffrey Chaucer was the first to record St. Valentine's Day as a day of romantic celebration in his 1375 poem, "Parliament of Foules," writing, "For this is what sent on Seynt Valentyne's Day, Whan every foul cometh ther to choose his mate." During the Middle Ages, it was believed in France and England that **February 14** was the beginning of the birds' mating season and declared that this day should be a day of *Romance*.

At 1310 Kitchen & Bar, lovers will flock to the bright and cheery neighborhood spot in Georgetown for Valentine's Day weekend – Friday, February 11 and through Valentine's Day, Monday, February 14, 2022, where diners can, literally, eat their words! Owner and Chef Jenn Crovato is exchanging hand-written for hand-made valentines - pasta shaped in edible envelopes with a gastronomic love letter and "beet'ing" hearts stuffed with delectable flavors that will seduce the palate. It's a picture perfect (Instagramable) dish.

Everything on the menu encourages lovers to explore and share with that one special person. Sensual textures on the mouth are for starters like *Tuna Carpaccio & Toast* or the *Burrata & Caponata*. Main courses are indulging and clever from the *Lobster Pot Pie* with *Peas*, *Potato*, and *Cognac Cream* to the deep, *Red Wine Braised Veal Cheeks* enriched with *Polenta*, *Mushrooms*, and Spinach.

The Piece de Resistance is the LOVE LETTER RAVIOLI & HEARTBEAT PASTA with Truffle *Ricotta* and *Champagne Beurre Blanc.* The Three-Course Pre-Fix Dinner with multiple choices is \$65 per person + tax and 20% gratuity.

Stay tuned for us to share the finale - from velvety rich desserts to edible lovers' games. In the essence of Valentine's Day – surprises will have the heart yearning for more!

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