

RESTAURANT

THAI ORCHID

Menu

Rosengartenstrasse 2 / 8706 Meilen
www.thai-orchid.ch



Thai cuisine offers some of the most wonderful dishes in the world. What makes Thai food so appealing and interesting is the great diversity of its dishes, the freshest of ingredients and the highly imaginative use of herbs and spices.

This diversity is due to Thailand's geographical location, sandwiched between Indian and Chinese cuisine. Thai food has adopted many of the traits of these cuisines, refining or altering recipes with its own herbs and spices. Chillies made a late appearance in the Thai kitchen when Portuguese dealers introduced them to Siam in the 16th century. Today, Thai rice too is known throughout the world as fragrant rice. The Thais call this «Khau Hom Mali», which means «Jasmine-scented rice».

Here at the Thai Orchid restaurant, we can guarantee that the ingredients we use are fresh because our spices and vegetables are flown in twice a week direct from Thailand.

Thais traditionally order several dishes and help themselves from the selection served. Meals are eaten with a spoon. Forks are merely for assistance.

Here at the restaurant, our entire team wishes you a pleasant meal. If you enjoy your food, you can always show your appreciation by saying «Aroi Maak», which - roughly translated - means «It tastes wonderful».

If you want to make the dishes you have ordered even more delicious, why not order «Prik Nam Pla». This is a selection of herbs and spices, together with fish sauce (used in the same way as salt), dried hot chillies, vinegar with sweet chilli and sugar.



Starters and salads

1 Som Tam *//* CHF 16.50

Salad of fresh papaya with tomatoes, limes, peanuts, Thai beans, carrots and chillies

2 Satai Gai (serves 4) CHF 18.50

Satay chicken pieces marinated in a peanut and coconut sauce

3 Gung Hoh Pah CHF 20.00

6 prawns baked in a wonton coating

4 Giau Thot CHF 18.50

8 deep-fried wontons filled with chicken and lightly seasoned with garlic

5 Spring rolls* CHF 18.50

4 deep-fried wontons filled with pork, carrots, onions, bean sprouts, pepper and glass noodles

* if desired with vegetables instead of pork

Tom Yam *//*

Delicious soup with the meat of your choice, with Thai spices, mushrooms, lemon grass, tomatoes, lime leaves, coriander and galangal

- 6** | Prawns CHF 18.50
- 7** | Pangasius fillet of fish... CHF 16.50
- 8** | Chicken CHF 17.50
- 9** | Vegetables..... CHF 14.50

Tom Kha

Light soup with the meat of your choice, cooked in coconut milk and lemon grass, lime leaves, coriander mushrooms and galangal

- 10** | Prawns CHF 18.50
- 11** | Chicken CHF 17.50
- 12** | Tofu..... CHF 15.50
- 13** | Vegetables..... CHF 14.50

Yam Wun Sen *//*

Cellophane noodle salad with the meat of your choice, tomatoes, onions, chillies, coriander, celeriac and lime

- 14** | Prawns CHF 21.50
- 15** | Beef CHF 19.50
- 16** | Pork CHF 17.00
- 17** | Chicken CHF 16.50

Yam *//*

Salad with the meat of your choice, together with onions, chilli, tomatoes, garlic, cucumber, paprika, celeriac and lime

- 18** | 4 King prawns CHF 21.50
- 19** | Beef CHF 19.50
- 20** | Pork CHF 17.00
- 21** | Chicken CHF 16.50

Laab *//*

Fragrant minced beef or chicken with coriander, mint leaves, spring onions, chillies, lime leaves, lemon grass and lime

- 22** | Beef CHF 20.00
- 23** | Chicken CHF 19.00

28 Mixed Starters per person CHF 20.00

1 Satai chicken piece, 1 king prawn, 2 Giau Thot, 1 Spring roll, 1 Thot Man Plaa



Soups (main course)

Massaman Soup

Coconut soup with massaman curry, potatoes, fried onions and cashew nuts

- 24** | Potatoes CHF 15.50
- 25** | Tofu CHF 18.50
- 26** | Chicken CHF 18.50

27 Thot Man Plaa CHF 20.00

6 delicious fish fritters baked with eggs, red curry, lemon grass and many other ingredients

Tom Yam //

Delicious soup with the meat of your choice, tomatoes, seasoned with Thai spices and served with mushrooms, lemon grass, lime leaves, coriander and galangal

- 29** | Prawns CHF 31.50
- 30** | Pangasius fillet of fish... CHF 30.50
- 31** | Chicken CHF 31.00
- 32** | Vegetables..... CHF 26.50

Tom Kha

Light soup with the meat of your choice in coconut milk and lemon grass, lime leaves, coriander, mushrooms and galangal

- 33** | Prawns CHF 32.50
- 34** | Chicken CHF 32.00
- 35** | Tofu..... CHF 29.50
- 36** | Vegetables..... CHF 27.50



6



22



28

- 6 Tom Yam
- 22 Laab
- 28 Mixed Startes



14



1



10

- 14 Yam Wun Sen
- 1 Som Tam
- 10 Tom Kha



Rice dishes

Fried Rice

Fried rice with the meat of your choice, carrots, Thai broccoli, served with onions, chives, garlic and egg

- 37** | Prawns CHF 30.50
- 38** | Beef CHF 29.50
- 39** | Pork CHF 26.50
- 40** | Chicken CHF 27.50
- 41** | Fried egg (optional topping) .. CHF 4.00

42 Thai Orchid Rice CHF 38.50

Fried rice with onions, carrots, coriander and pineapple chunks served on half a pineapple. It is served together with 4 Satay chicken pieces marinated in a peanut and coconut sauce

Noodle dishes

Pat Si Ju

Rice noodles with Thai broccoli, eggs, garlic, onions and the meat of your choice

- 43** | Prawns CHF 31.50
- 44** | Beef CHF 29.50
- 45** | Pork CHF 27.50
- 46** | Chicken CHF 29.00
- 47** | Tofu CHF 27.50
- 48** | Vegetables CHF 27.00

Pat Thai

Rice noodles with the meat of your choice served with bean sprouts, chives, carrots, onions, garlic, eggs, leeks and peanuts

- 49** | Prawns CHF 31.50
- 50** | Beef CHF 29.50
- 51** | Pork CHF 27.50
- 52** | Chicken CHF 29.00
- 53** | Tofu CHF 27.50
- 54** | Vegetables CHF 27.00

Mi Sua

Fried wheat-tapioca noodles with the meat of your choice and served with carrots, onions, bean sprouts, garlic and Chinese leaves

- 55** | Prawns CHF 31.50
- 56** | Beef CHF 29.50
- 57** | Pork CHF 27.50
- 58** | Chicken CHF 29.00
- 59** | Vegetables CHF 27.00

Pat Boisian

Fried glass noodles with an assortment of vegetables, served with the meat of your choice or with vegetables

- 60** | Prawns CHF 31.50
- 61** | Beef CHF 29.50
- 62** | Pork CHF 27.50
- 63** | Chicken CHF 29.00
- 64** | Tofu CHF 27.50
- 65** | Vegetables CHF 27.00



Thai Curries



42



49

Thai Orchid Reis **42**
Pat Thai **49**

Gäng Kiau Wan *///*

Green curry with the meat of your choice cooked in lime leaves, Thai basil, babycorns, Thai aubergines, Thai basil and coconut milk

- 66** █ Prawns CHF 36.50
- 67** █ Beef CHF 36.00
- 68** █ Pork CHF 33.50
- 69** █ Tofu..... CHF 35.50
- 70** █ Chicken CHF 35.00

Gäng Phet *///*

Red curry with the meat of your choice cooked in lime leaves bamboo shoots, Thai aubergines, Thai basil and coconut milk

- 71** █ Prawns CHF 36.50
- 72** █ Beef CHF 36.00
- 73** █ Pork CHF 33.50
- 74** █ Tofu..... CHF 35.50
- 75** █ Chicken CHF 35.00

Gäng Panäng *//*

Panäng curry with the meat of your choice cooked in lime leaves, peanuts and coconut milk

- 76** █ Prawns CHF 36.50
- 77** █ Beef CHF 36.00
- 78** █ Pork CHF 33.50
- 79** █ Chicken CHF 35.00



Gäng Paa *///*

Paa curry with the meat of your choice cooked in lime leaves, bamboo shoots, Thai aubergines, green pepper, baby-corns, Thai basil, Thai beans, onions and ginger

- 80** | Beef CHF 34.50
- 81** | Pork CHF 32.00
- 82** | Chicken CHF 33.00

Pat Pong Garri */*

Yellow curry with eggs, onions, shallots and celery, with or without vegetables

- 129** | Prawns CHF 35.50
- 130** | Pegasus fillet of fish CHF 34.00
- 131** | Chicken CHF 33.50

Gäng Massaman *//*

Massaman curry with the meat of your choice cooked in coconut milk, onions, lime leaves and cashew nuts in a tamarind sauce

- 83** | Beef CHF 36.50
- 84** | Pork CHF 34.50
- 85** | Chicken CHF 35.50

Gäng Shu Shi *//*

Pangasius fillet of fish cooked in a red curry sauce with lime leaves, onions and coconut mil

- 127** | Prawns CHF 36.50
- 86** | Pegasus fillet of fish CHF 35.50



Gäng Kur Saparot *///*

Red curry with the meat of your choice, cooked with lime leaves, coconut milk, Thai basil and pineapple

- 87** | Beef CHF 36.00
- 88** | Pork CHF 34.50
- 89** | Chicken CHF 35.50
- 90** | Tofu..... CHF 35.50

Pat Phet *///*

Red curry with the meat of your choice cooked with lime leaves, bamboo shoots, babycorns, Thai basil, Thai aubergines and coconut milk

- 91** | Prawns CHF 36.50
- 92** | Beef CHF 36.00
- 93** | Pork CHF 34.50
- 94** | Chicken CHF 35.50
- 95** | Tofu..... CHF 35.50

96 Gäng Phet Pet Yaang *///* CHF 38.50

Fried duck breast with red curry, pineapple pieces, aubergines, long beans, babycorns, green pepper, little ginger, tomatoes, Thai basil and coconut milk



66-70



71-75



83-85



87-90

Gäng Kiau Wan **66-70**
 Gäng Phet **71-75**
 Gäng Kur Sapatrot **87-90**

76-79



96



91-95



129-131

Pat Phet **91-95**
 Gäng Panäng **77-79**
 Gäng Massaman **83-85**
 Gäng Phet Pat Yaang **96**
 Pat Pong Garri **129-131**



Main courses

97 Gai Thai Orchid CHF 38.50

house speciality

Tender pieces of chicken marinated in pepper, garlic, sesame and a selection of Thai spices, stir-fried in palm leaves

Sweet & Sour

The meat of your choice cooked in a freshly prepared sweet and sour sauce and peperoni, onions, leeks, cucumber, tomatoes and pineapple

- 98** █ Prawns CHF 33.50
- 99** █ Pork CHF 29.00
- 100** █ Chicken CHF 31.50
- 101** █ Tofu CHF 31.50
- 128** █ Pegasus fillet of fish CHF 30.00

Pat Met Mamuang

house speciality

The meat of your choice served with leeks, babycorns, leeks, onions, carrots and cashew nuts in a tamarind sauce

- 102** █ Prawns CHF 38.00
- 103** █ Beef CHF 36.50
- 104** █ Pork CHF 33.00
- 105** █ Chicken CHF 35.50
- 106** █ Tofu CHF 35.50

Pat Gra Pau *!!!*

Meat dish with Thai chillies, garlic, Thai basil, onions and Thai beans

- 107** █ Prawns CHF 36.50
- 108** █ Beef CHF 36.00
- 109** █ Pork CHF 34.00
- 110** █ Chicken CHF 35.50
- 111** █ Tofu CHF 35.50

Pat Pak Ruam

A selection of vegetables served with soya sauce, mushrooms, Thai broccoli, babycorns and tomatoes in an oyster sauce

- 112** █ Prawns CHF 34.50
- 113** █ Pangasius fillet of fish... CHF 32.50
- 114** █ Pork CHF 30.00
- 115** █ Chicken CHF 31.50
- 116** █ Tofu CHF 31.50
- 117** █ Vegetables CHF 29.50

Pat Khing */*

Fish or meat of your choice cooked with ginger, leeks, onions, broccoli, carrots, Chinese leaves and soy sauce

- 118** █ Prawns CHF 35.50
- 119** █ Pangasius fillet of fish... CHF 33.50
- 120** █ Pork CHF 32.00
- 121** █ Chicken CHF 32.50
- 122** █ Tofu CHF 32.50



Thot Grathiam Prik Thai

Meat of your choice in a fine soy sauce with carrots, broccoli, pepper and garlic

- 123** | Prawns CHF 35.50
- 124** | Pork CHF 32.50
- 125** | Chicken CHF 33.50

126 Plaa Thai Orchid *///* CHF 42.50

house speciality

Fried gilthead seabream filet of fish served with chillies, Thai basil, onions and garlic in a tamarind sauce

All dishes include jasmine-rice (except noodle and rice dishes).

Additional portion of rice CHF 4.-.

Fried rice or noodles as side dish CHF 12.-

/ a little hot *//* hot *///* very hot

Beef - CH, Pork - CH, Chicken - Switzerland, duck - Germany/Poland
Prawns - Vietnam, Pangasius fish - Vietnam.

Ask for the allergen list.



97



126

97 Gai Thai Orchid
102-106 Pat Met Mamuang



102-106



107-111

Ask for the wine card

Sitios de Bodega, Rueda, Spain
 V3 Verdejo Viñas Viejas



Brancaia, Radda in Chianti (SI), Italy
 Brancaia TRE



Donnafugata, Marsala, Italy
 Mille e una Notte



Donnafugata, Sicily, Italy
 Lumera IGT Terre Siciliane



Champagne Drappier, Reims, France
 Champagne Carte d'Or Brut



