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To keep employees dining in,
make them feel like they're dining out.



Offer restaurant-quality food and ambience
from TLcafe.



Today's Company Café, in many ways has become a company centerpiece. That's because executives of all levels can see the positive effect it has on *morale*, cost controls, and *productivity*. When TLcafe is part of your food management team, your employees will have the opportunity to boost all of these major success factors.

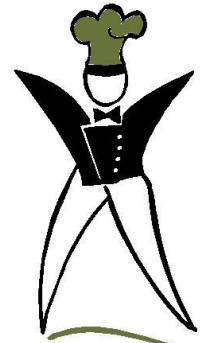
TLcafe is focused on only one thing: providing unsurpassed food and *superior service quality*. The result is a company that is small and extremely attentive, where owners work everyday and are visible from all management levels. Innovation, Kaizen, and excellence help us exceed expectations...every time and all the time!

*T*asteful
*L*ively
*C*ontemporary

Let TLcafe:

- Provide employees and guests with a restaurant quality experience
- Improve level of employee and guest participation
- Maximize your revenue and improve bottom-line results
- Become part of your family and entertain your guests with the highest levels of integrity

TLCAFE CONCEPT



Our Concept, is simple...provide restaurant style food with restaurant style. We'll work with you to give your cafeteria the style of a TLcafé. Our unique design is like none other and we take pride and devote numerous hours into cultivating our concept within your café.

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Our concept is a total dining experience that will make your company café the first choice destination for employees and guests alike.

A café isn't just a place to eat anymore. It's a business tool that can dramatically enhance the overall performance of your company.

The TLcafé concept is unique in every way to the dining services industry, from our food to our superior service. But our most unique trait is that we do not seek contracts with **subsidies.**

Our approach to Business Dining is simple, yet highly effective....we assume all dining service operations including complete on site catering, require no subsidy and make your company a better place to work for employees while helping you drive your bottom line higher.

No service within the industry has this unique approach. In such a competitive industry, we have carved a niche out of providing small to mid sized companies the service and food they deserve but overlooked by large corporate conglomerates. Our small, local approach allows us to better understand what it is that your company is looking for. Great food, exceptional service, and the ability to speak to owners on a daily basis.

In a market filled with national powerhouses driven by stock prices, and low end contract subsidy driven companies offering sub-par capabilities, we are right in the middle. Our goal is to stay small, and stay in Connecticut.

TLcafé offers it's clients the ability to do what you do best,

“FOCUS ON YOUR BUSINESS.”

We take care of your dining service and you take care of your business. It's a genuine partnership that can make a difference in boosting employee satisfaction levels and increasing your bottom line.

The TLcafé concept is a sole independent entity working hand in hand with you day to day. Through our design, menus, structure and procedures, we have created a concept that lets you sit back and enjoy the show.

ABOUT TLCAFE

We are food service professionals

TLCafe's owners have numerous years of experience in business ownership, investments, franchises, and catering, with degrees from business schools and culinary institutions. We can make your food service worry free, plus make it a place you will view as an asset to your business.



TLCafe is devoted to Superior Service Quality, and has rigorous training programs ensuring that every TLCafe employee is capable of serving your employees of the highest levels. Whatever it is, consider it done.

Operational Dedication

TLCafe standards are maintained through a number of programs including a safety inspection and reward program, a sanitation review program, and daily/weekly operational checklists as well as quarterly audits that cover everything from food temperatures to customer service.

We are a service company

Why should you choose TLCafe

An Ownership Approach

TLCafe has ambitious plans on making your dining operation its most important asset. We are centrally located to service all clients throughout Connecticut.

We are a privately held company, with a focus on delivering service that cannot be guaranteed by large food service companies. Others tell you that top management can always be reached, but how many can actually say that top management will be at your facility almost all the time. Only that of TLCafe.

Our unique approach creates an ease of mind with clients because they know that we are always around for them no matter what.

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We are your Partner

At a time when the marketplace is being dominated by mega food service companies unwieldy, depersonalized and bottom line driven– TLCafe stands out as a local, independent committed to quality customer service and affordability.

We are with you from day one, every step!

Our focus clients are mid-sized companies with employees ranging from three-hundred to one thousand. We seek companies that are tired of the same thing year after year from big conglomerates and small no care companies, and look to revitalize and cultivate a new dining program to turn things around. We specialize in Industrial Plants, but have accommodated venues such as Community Colleges and Assisted Living Communities.

There are important advantages for a business to outsource its foodservice to TLCafe;

- You the company can maintain focus on your core mission and avoid the business of directly managing its food service
- TLCafe brings programs and trained staffing to business dining, which would otherwise be unavailable to individual businesses or companies
- TLCafe is responsive and attentive to identifying changing food trends and tastes, and allows for a more rapid response to those changes
- TLCafe provides a professional approach to the management of what is usually one of the largest line items in an institutions budget, with our unique concept, you can eliminate this right away.

TLCafe is more than just good food at reasonable prices, we are a friend, a partner and most importantly an eliminator of high expense ridden dining programs.

Employees of all levels enjoy our service because we do “whatever it takes” to create superior service quality. We roll up our sleeves and see that the job not only gets done right but done right the first time.



TLCAFE FOOD



Good Morning BREWS and energizers.

Gourmet Tea or Coffee

A fresh brew in the morning made from gourmet finely ground beans..mmm!!

The perfect way to begin a productive day. We also offer a variety of popular and seasonal flavored brews and international teas.



Kitchen to Counter Bakery Program

The aroma of fresh baked goods, savory scones, puff pastries, brownies, cakes, and cookies. We make all of our own baked goods each and every morning...available fresh in your café. Enjoy with an early morning brew or afternoon snack.

Not a typical cafeteria lunch break meal

Hot Panini's, Savory Soups, and Hand Tossed Salads.

Home made soups every day that hit the spot no matter what time of year. Hot freshly made Panini's like our *Milazzo Chicken* feature gourmet ingredients like sun-dried tomato spinach spread, all natural citrus herb chicken and fresh baked foccacia.

A guaranteed hit....

Hand Tossed Salads. We prepare salads to order. From a classic Chicken Caesar to our *Bombay Chicken*, all feature all natural citrus herb chicken, fresh crisp greens and low fat dressings enabling your guests to make healthy choices.

Signature Sandwiches from the deli

The deli is traditionally one of the most popular areas of any café. Our deli is no exception.

Our classic **Café** sandwiches are made with lean and low fat meats and are sure to satisfy.

Our **Signature** sandwiches are all the rave. From our *Tuscan Chicken Salad* on a fresh baked croissant, to our *Rio Grande Grilled Chicken*, these have employees and guests returning every time with ear to ear smiles.

Nutrition is Important

We understand the high level of importance that nutrition plays and have developed all of our menus around the goal of providing only the freshest high quality foods offering the best of nutritional values.

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Hot Entrees everyday made fresh

TLCafe has developed an extensive high caliber menu available to you everyday. Our chefs are always hard at work creating new dishes to add to the menu. From ocean-fresh seafood, *Tex-Mex fajita bars*, or country-style comfort food, only the freshest ingredients are used.

Hot off the Grill

Whether it's breakfast or lunch, there's nothing more tantalizing than the sizzle of food on a hot grill. Grilled Items are always a hit at any café, but at TLCafe we have created some sure fire winning recipes that delight everyone.

- Grilled Chicken Sandwiches
- 1/2 lb Angus Burgers
- Breakfast Sandwiches
- Omelets
- French Fries
- Onion Rings

Fresh Food Menu's

Our daily specials are created from *scratch, hand made* and cooked to perfection. TLCafe offers you and your guests a menu that not only changes with the seasons, but with each location that we are a part of. Customized to **individualized** needs, our menus create flexibility, **responsiveness** and comfort. Take a look at a sample of the fine foods we offer and then dive into our Café Menu that we are currently using!!

- **Chicken Piccata**
- **Beef, Red Bean and Rice Burritos**
- **Country Style Macaroni and Cheese**
- **Chicken Champagne**
- **Our Famous "TLCafe Chicken Caesar Salad"**
- **Penne a la Vodka**
- **BBQ Chicken**
- **Herb Grilled Salmon**
- **Garlic Encrusted Roast Loin of Pork**
- **Garlic glazed shrimp and vegetable grilled skewers**
- **Stuffed Filet of Sole**
- **Half rack Baby Back Ribs**





TLCafe's fresh Café Menu is comprised of delicious made to order sandwiches, Panini's and Hand Tossed Salads. Served on freshly baked breads with All Natural Citrus Herb chicken, it is a highlight to any café.

TLCafe prides itself on innovation, therefore we introduce new Café Menu items every quarter.

Café Menu

To see our entire menu please log onto www.tlcafe.com and click Menu.

TLCAFE SIGNATURE SANDWICHES

Tuscan Chicken Salad

All white meat chicken salad tossed with grapes, and walnuts, topped with tomato and crisp romaine served on a fresh baked Croissant.

Colorado Turkey Club

Oven-roasted turkey breast between layers of Applewood smoked bacon, Swiss, crisp romaine, tomatoes, Bermuda onions and tasty Dijon herb mayo served on fresh baked Ciabatta.

Rio Grande Grilled Chicken

Chicken breast grilled to perfection, topped with provolone, crisp romaine leaf, Applewood smoked chopped bacon, and slathered with Dijon herb mayonnaise served on fresh baked Artisan Bread.

Palermo Tuna Salad

Albacore Tuna salad topped with herb roasted red peppers, Muenster and crisp romaine served on 12 grain bread.

Grilled Chicken Caesar

All-natural citrus-herb chicken, romaine lettuce, Asiago-Parmesan cheese & our Caesar dressing served in a 9 grain wheat wrap.

TLCAFE HOT PANINI SANDWICHES

Bacon Chicken Duo

All-natural citrus-herb chicken, Applewood smoked bacon, Swiss and Muenster cheese & bacon-Dijon spread, grilled hot on our fresh baked Focaccia.

Honey Chipotle Turkey

Smoked Turkey grilled with melted Muenster Cheese, Caramelized onions, and tomatoes with Ancho Chipotle Honey spread grilled hot on our fresh baked Focaccia.

Milazzo Chicken

All-natural citrus-herb chicken, Provolone cheese, tomatoes & caramelized onions with spinach sun-dried tomato spread, grilled hot on our fresh baked Focaccia.



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TLCAFE CAFE SANDWICHES

All sandwiches served on your choice of 12 grain, stone milled rye, white, or a fresh baked hard roll

Tuna Salad

TLCAfe recipe tuna salad, leaf lettuce, tomatoes and red onions with mayonnaise, salt and pepper.

Chicken Salad

Chicken salad made with all white meat, leaf lettuce, tomatoes and red onions with mayonnaise, salt and pepper.

Oven roasted Turkey breast

99% fat-free smoked turkey breast, leaf lettuce, tomatoes and red onions with mayonnaise, spicy mustard, salt and pepper.

Black Forest Ham

96% fat-free smoked ham, leaf lettuce, tomatoes and red onions with mayonnaise, spicy mustard, salt and pepper.

TLCAFE HAND-TOSSED SALADS

Grilled Chicken Caesar

All-natural citrus-herb chicken, crisp romaine lettuce, Asiago-Parmesan cheese, homemade croutons & our Caesar dressing

TLCAfe Signature

All-natural citrus-herb chicken, Applewood smoked chopped bacon, Asiago-Parmesan cheese, vine-ripened cherry tomatoes & walnuts over our fresh field green mix with our shallot champagne vinaigrette.

Bombay Chicken

All-natural citrus-herb chicken, herb roasted red peppers, vine ripened cherry tomatoes, cucumbers, Bermuda onions over our fresh field green mix with our peppercorn ranch dressing.

Asian Sesame Chicken

All-natural citrus-herb chicken, sliced almonds, sesame seeds, vine ripened cherry tomatoes, crispy wonton strips, fresh homemade ginger croutons over our fresh field green mix with our soy-sesame vinaigrette.

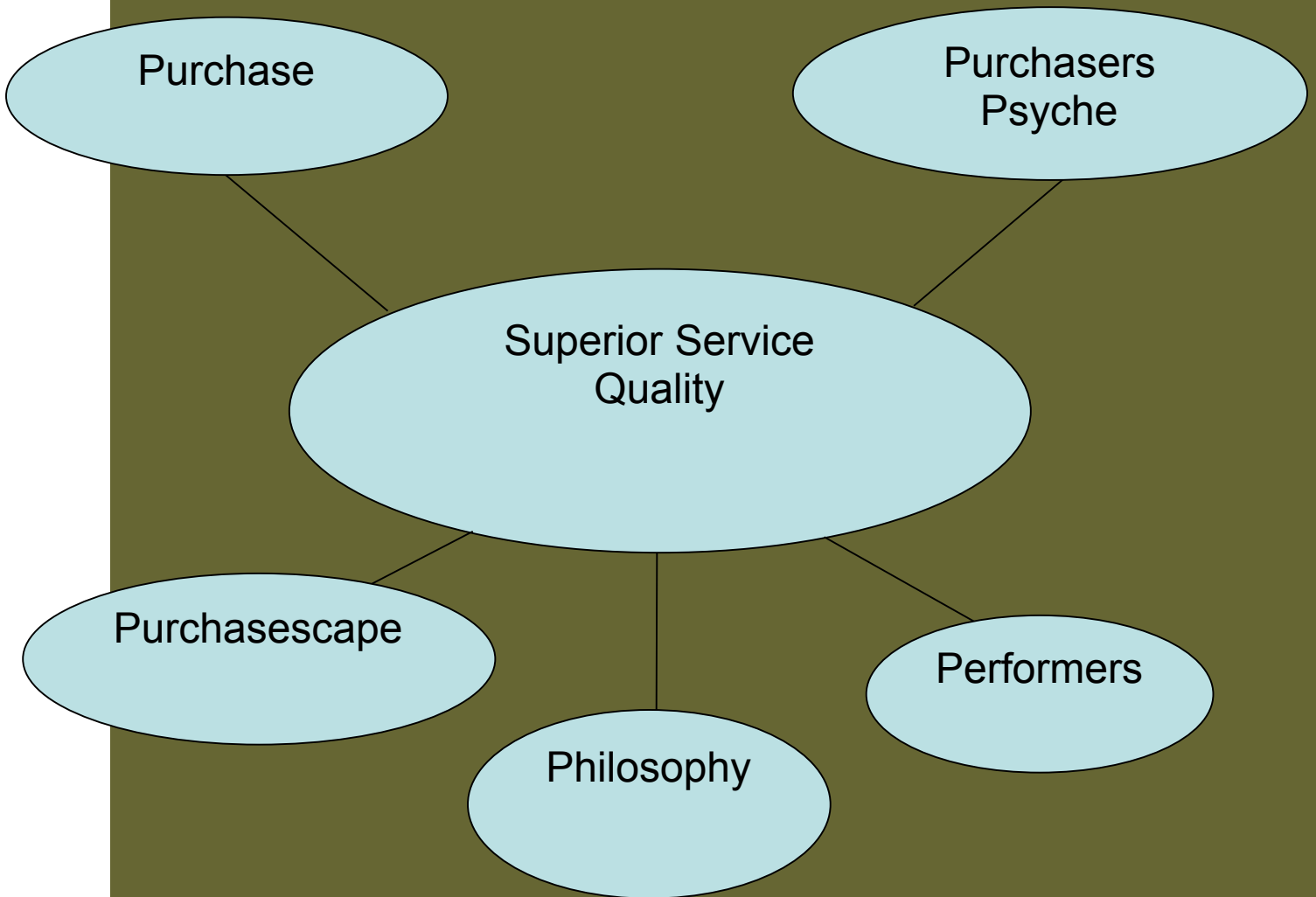
Napa Valley Turkey

Savory slices of julienne smoked turkey, Bermuda onions, Applewood smoked chopped bacon, walnuts, cucumbers & vine ripened cherry tomatoes over our fresh field green mix with our Shallot champagne vinaigrette.



TL Cafe Operational Dedication

Superior Service Quality is a strategy of management tools implemented by TL Cafe to ensure absolute system wide service policies guaranteeing the highest levels of customer service. With an underlying policy known as the 5-P Web, TL Cafe strives to execute everyday, while improving always.





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Ready for a change in your dining program?

Then give us a call to schedule an appointment at our Flagship Café and see what we're really all about.

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