THE WESTIN KĀ‘ANAPALI OCEAN RESORT VILLAS SERVES UP NEW RESTAURANT

THE WESTIN KĀ‘ANAPALI UNVEILS AUNTIE’S KITCHEN AT OCT. 28 GRAND OPENING EVENT

Kā'anapali, Hawai‘i, Oct. 20, 2016 – The Westin Kā‘anapali Ocean Resort Villas is cooking up something new this season. On Friday, Oct. 28, the resort will introduce its new poolside restaurant, Auntie’s Kitchen, which will replace Ocean Pool Bar & Grill in the same venue near the resort’s south lobby. Auntie’s Kitchen was designed to celebrate the melting pot of flavors and cuisine that make up Hawai‘i’s culinary culture.

“At Auntie’s Kitchen, we aim to deliver a food and beverage experience that highlights the best that local Maui cuisine has to offer in a setting that is relaxed, approachable and evokes a sense of comforting familiarity and a welcoming ‘ohana,” said Brandon Maeda, Director of Food & Beverage at The Westin Kā‘anapali Ocean Resort Villas. “We are committed to serving quality food and drinks prepared with care and the best ingredients.”

Auntie’s Kitchen will officially open on Friday, Oct. 28. Its grand opening will begin with a traditional Hawaiian blessing at 5:30PM, followed by the first dinner seating. Guests will enjoy a specially priced three-course menu for $25 per guest, featuring a family-style assortment of the restaurant’s signature dishes, accompanied by live music and entertainment. The last seating will be at 8PM. Reservations are recommended and can be made by calling +1 808.667.3254.

While a special family-style tasting menu will be offered at the grand opening, Auntie’s Kitchens will serve its regular breakfast, lunch and dinner menus daily — including à la carte selections — beginning Oct. 29. Prepared under the leadership of Chef Tanya Doyle and Chef Brian Murphy, the dishes are inspired by local favorites and include the Dynamite ‘Ahi Poke Bowl, local plate lunches, Seafood Stew and Uncle’s Prime Rib. Additionally, à la carte offerings such as Haupia French Toast, Banana Bread Waffle and Auntie’s Fried Rice, as well as a daily buffet table, are among the restaurant’s breakfast offerings.

Auntie’s Kitchen is open daily from 7AM–9PM, with breakfast served until 10:30AM. Happy Hour is offered daily from 3PM–5PM (excluding holidays and special events). The soothing sounds of live music can be enjoyed Mondays and Fridays 4PM–7PM (schedule subject to change). Self-parking is complimentary. For more information or to make a reservation, please visit westinkaanapali.com/dining.

ABOUT THE WESTIN KĀ‘ANAPALI OCEAN RESORT VILLAS

Located on 26 oceanfront acres of North Kā‘anapali Beach, The Westin Kā‘anapali Ocean Resort Villas provides stylish villa accommodations with Westin® amenities such as the Heavenly® Bed, whirlpool tubs, fully equipped kitchens and washers/dryers. The resort also offers convenient outdoor grilling areas, general stores and a deli, excellent restaurants and bars, outdoor pools, Westin® Family Kids Club, full-service Spa Helani, a Heavenly Spa by Westin® and golf and resort activities for all ages. Other fun pursuits such as whale watching (December to April), catamaran sailing adventures, hiking, horseback riding and championship golfing are easily accessible. The resort also offers a multitude of watersport activities, as well as complimentary shuttle services to Lāhainā Town. Visit westinkaanapali.com.