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NOSTALGIA MONTH



1980's Menu

27st August - 1st September 2018

Fabulous 80's Food Facts

1980s New Asian food choices The arrival of refugees from Vietnam saw Vietnamese restaurants opening in Melbourne, the first being the Kinh Do in Hartwell. Although the first teppanyaki restaurant in Australia opened in Melbourne in 1975, and Kuni's in the city opened in 1978, it wasn't until the mid '80s that Japanese food became mainstream.

1980 The term 'foodie' invented Although the term foodie, for someone who is keenly interested in all things food, was first used by Gael Greene of *New York* magazine on June 2 1980, it is often attributed to Paul Levy and Ann Barr.

1983 First home-delivered pizza The first Australian Domino's store opens in Springwood, Queensland, becoming the first in Australia to offer home-delivered pizza.

1984 Year of the Sticky Date Pudding Sydney Morning Herald writer, David Dale, nominated Sticky Date Pudding as the signature dish of 1984. The invention of the dish, known in the UK as Sticky Toffee Pudding, is generally attributed to Francis Coulson of the Sharrow Bay Country House Hotel in England's Lake District in 1967.

1988 First Australian 'Subway' opens in Perth Founded by Fred de Luca in Connecticut in 1965, the first "Subway" franchise in Australia opened in Perth in 1988. Australia is the brand's largest market outside North America.

1988 The Bush Tucker Man TV series In the TV series, *The Bush Tucker Man*, first screened in 1988, Army major Les Hiddins cruised around northern Australia discovering the kakadu plum and waxing lyrical about lemon myrtle, pepper leaf, wattleseed, bush tomatoes and quandongs. 'Bush tucker' became a talking point for the first time.

1989 food trends. French fries hot, crocodile steaks cold According to *Mode* Australia, a now defunct magazine published by ACP, French fries, fresh crab cakes and mesculun (sic) salads were very 'hot' at the end of the '80s. On the other hand, crocodile steaks, doner kebabs and char-grilled anything were 'cold'

Please enjoy our tribute to old time flavours
Room with Roses' style!

1980's Celebration Menu

Enjoy 2 courses for \$40 or 3 courses for \$50

Entree

Pumpkin Soup

served with Sizzler-style parmesan bread

OR

Stuffed Mushrooms

mushroom caps filled with onion, bacon and balsamic vinegar, topped with cheese, and served with steamed rice (gf)

Main Course

Barramundi with a macadamia herb crust

served with potato gratin and side salad (gf)

OR

Camembert Chicken

crumbed chicken breast filled with camembert and pan fried, served with cranberry sauce, potato gratin and side salad

Dessert

Sticky Date Pudding

served warm with ice cream and butterscotch sauce

OR

Crème Brûlée of the Day

rich custard topped with a crisp toffee lid, served with berries & ice cream (gf)