

Wednesday, 9th 2023

Dear Guests,

Beginning Wednesday, August 9th an optional Kitchen Appreciation Fee of 2% will be added to your total bill.

The fee will be applied to each in-house dining bill and every cent goes straight to the kitchen staff, similar to how a gratuity benefits the serving staff. This appreciation fee does not represent a tip, gratuity, or service charge for our front of house staff, which includes servers, runners, bussers, hosts and bartenders. Above all, the fee is voluntary. If you wish to not pay it, or, would like to add more please let your server or bartender know and we will be happy to oblige.

We are taking this step as we feel strongly that it is our best way - given the current realities of the restaurant industry - at addressing the numerous challenges we face. One of the biggest being the recruitment, retainment and development of talented and dedicated kitchen help.

We greatly appreciate your support in recognizing our back of house employees' hard work, and their commitment to quality every day, every shift. And certainly, we hope you will feel the positive impact.

Thank you for your continued patronage and for supporting Ristorante Lombardo.

Sincerely, The Lombardo Family