

PRESS RELEASE

AT LE MEURICE, CÉDRIC GROLET SERVES UP A DELIGHTFULLY HEART-WARMING END TO THE YEAR!

Paris, September 2023 They're always eagerly awaited, the Yuletide Log and the Galette des Rois (or Twelfth-night cake), the stars of our festive tables. This year, Cédric Grolet and his executive pastry chef François Deshayes have come up with some irresistibly nostalgic desserts. Thanks to the design of the "Sweet Wrapper" Yuletide Log or the sweetness of the "Vanilla" Log and the "Hazelnut" twelfth-night cake, the festive season will be filled with warmth and comfort.

Sweet wrapper Yuletide Log

With the "Sweet Wrapper" Yuletide Log, you'll be whisked back to your childhood! The chefs have taken inspiration from the famous chocolate sweets, one of Santa's classics, and combined them with the timeless *chocolate / orange* duo. Under a delicate shell, a creamy dark chocolate mousse envelops a sultry mandarin centre, adding a subtle touch of acidity and bitterness. A velvety chocolate biscuit and a chocolate praline infused with Christmas spices round off this festive dessert with a sophisticated marriage of textures and flavours.



Vanilla Yuletide Log

For many of us, vanilla is a reminder of our childhood. The chefs have explored all the different facets of vanilla, even going so far as to reproduce the vanilla pod to create a trompe-l'oeil effect. Vanilla praline, creamy vanilla centre and vanilla mousse: fans of this sweet spice will be enchanted.



Practical information:

The “Sweet Wrapper” Yuletide Log is available for pre-order from the 29th of November on the [Le Meurice website](#).

Available for collection from Wednesday 13th of December to Monday 25th of December 2023 only.

“Sweet Wrapper” Yuletide Log: €130 for 8 people (limited edition, pre-order only)

“Vanilla” Yuletide Log €150 for 8 people (limited edition, pre-order only)

“Hazelnut” twelfth-night cake

Cédric Grolet and François Deshayes drew their inspiration for Le Meurice’s twelfth-night cake from the feature film *Ice Age*. The chefs conjured up a twelfth-night cake that is evocative of *the Hazelnut* from the cult film. In terms of flavour, a perfectly crisp puff pastry brioche envelops a luscious hazelnut cream - nothing could be simpler than this exquisite start to the new year.



Practical information:

The “Galette Noisette” hazelnut twelfth-night cake is available for pre-order from the 27th of December on the [Le Meurice website](#).

Available for collection from Wednesday 3rd to Sunday 14th of January only.

“Galette Noisette” hazelnut twelfth-night cake: €55 for 6 people (limited edition, pre-order only)

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