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THE GILARMI LOUNGE: THE BEST OF THE NEW AND THE OLD

In the 60's, many citizens of Makati would associate the 6749 Ayala Avenue address with the Gilarmi Apartments, the first serviced apartment building in the country. Established in 1962 by Virgilio Hilario, he named the building after his son Gil, and his Miss Universe beauty pageant winning wife, Armi Kuusela. Their level of service was famous all throughout the city, and arguably Asia.

Today, Discovery Primea stands in the same spot as the Gilarmi Apartments once rose, and upholds its name and legacy of fine service in Makati at The Gilarmi Lounge. The hotel's lobby lounge offers various styles and brews of coffee, high tea, cocktails, draught beer, and Filipino-inspired bar fare.

An ideal venue for intimate groups, the lounge presents patrons with an unparalleled experience of Ayala Avenue, through floor to ceiling windows and live piano music, while enjoying a wide variety of Coffee, or TWG loose leaf teas from 7 am to 11 pm, daily.

For a limited time only, the lounge will offer the "The Gilarmi Sunset" promotion, from 5 pm to 8 pm, Mondays through Sundays. For only Php 595 ++, guests will enjoy two glasses of Stella Artois Draught beer and their choice of Modern Filipino bar chow, among Grilled Chicken Wings Inasal, Smoked Bangus Spring Rolls, "Sisig Riles" with Chili-Soy, Calamansi and Soft-Poached Egg, and Grilled Tuna Brochettes with Crispy Chili Garlic.

Those who are looking for a unique tea experience must try TWG's Double Happiness, a handcrafted bouquet of white tea leaves and jasmine flowers that blossoms when warm water is poured. To complete the tea drinking experience, The Gilarmi Lounge offers High Tea, from two to five in the afternoon. For only 750++, enjoy a selection of savory mini sandwiches, sweet pastries, tea cakes and scones, along with a pot of perfectly brewed tea of your choice, good for two persons.

While the bar is fully stocked to cater to almost any drink request, what sets Gilarmi apart are its upgraded twists to many classic favorites, like the Guyabano-Tarragon Mojito, or the Blue Caipirinha which gilds a classic Brazilian Caipirinha with a dash almond syrup and organic with blue pea flowers.

Matching the innovative cocktails is the food selection, with Chef Luis Chikiamco placing a top spin on favorites like the Chicken Wings "Inasal", a "Binondo Cua Pao" that can rival the best in Chinatown, or the Filipino "Ceviche", flavored with infused coconut vinegar and coconut milk for a refreshing roll on the palate, as well as the "Pinoy Rockefeller" Oysters, featuring Asian water spinach and a hollandaise sauce infused with calamansi and artisanal vinegar.

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