# YAYAS HELLENIC KITCHEN & BAR

### Yaya (viavia) is Grandma in Greek.

And we have dedicated this to them for all their love & inspiration of food that was passed on to us, and for teaching us to be grateful for the food on our table every day. This is why we have been restauranteurs for over 35 years in Melbourne & Cairns. If you dropped by to see Yaya, hungry or not, there was no leaving her place without a full stomach,

"Eat! Eat! Why you no wanna eat sum sumthing!" she'd say. It was Yaya's kitchen - full of vegies, herbs & fruit from her & Papou's garden where most Greek kids grew up, sitting at her table — Watching, Learning, Eating! To all our Yiayia's - S'agapo poli (Love you very much).

## Vaya's Homemade Dips

\$11 (7) GREEK YOGHURT, GARLIC, CUCUMBER & DILL \$11 TARAMOSALATA RED CAVIAR DIE \$12 (1) **MELITZANOSALATA** EGGPLANT DIP

\$12 (7) TIROKAFTERI FETA CHEESE W/ FRESH CHILLI

A COMBINATION OF THE ABOVE 4 DIPS

ALL DIPS COME WITH BREAD MADE IN YAYA'S KITCHEN! \*ADDITIONAL BREAD \$2 EACH

### Mezeder (Small sharing plater)

VINE LEAVES STUFFED W/ RICE & HERBS

KOLOKITHOKEFTEDES - 3

**ELIES** MARINATED OLIVES \$15 ( ) DOLMADAKIA - 4

ZUCCHINI CHIPS LIGHTLY FRIED ZUCCHINI SLICES TOPPED W/ KEFALOGRAVIERA CHEESE, SERVED W/ MINT YOGHURT

MELITZANA FRIED EGGPLANT CHIPS TOPPED WITH FETA CHEESE & FRESH

\$15 ( ) GREEK STYLE PEA AND POTATO STEW WITH A LIGHT TOMATO SALSA

ZUCCHINI, FETA & HERB FRITTERS W/ TZATZIKI SAGANAKI PAN FRIED KEFALOGRAVIERA CHEESE

GRILLED HALOUMI CHEESE FETA PASTELI FETA IN FILO W/ SESAME AND HONEY

OCTOPUS CHARGRILLED OCTOPUS

GRILLED CALAMARI FRESH LOCAL CHARGRILLED CALAMARI W/ LADOLEMONO

LAMB CIGARS - 3 \$18 MINCED LAMB, ONIONS, HERBS IN FILO PASTRY W/ MINT YOGHURT

CALAMARI \$23 LIGHTLY FRIED W/ LEMON & OLIVE OIL DRESSING

MIDIA AXNISTA MUSSELS COOKED IN SHALLOTS, WHITE WINE & LEMON JUICE

SPANAKOPITA YAYA'S HOME MADE MAIN (W/ SALAD) \$30 SPINACH & FETA PIE IN FILO PASTRY

\$15 (7) PIPERIES FLORINIS CHARGRILLED RED PEPPERS WITH FETA CHEESE

\$13 (13)

\$12 PATATES TIGANITES

PATATES LEMONATES OVEN BAKED POTATOES W/ HERBS & LEMON

#### Tou Fournou (From the oven)

TRADITIONAL GREEK CUISINE DISHES

ARNI LEMONATO -YAYA'S SPECIALITY- \$38 TENDER LAMB, SLOW BAKED W/ LEMON & HERBS. SERVED W OVEN BAKED POTATOES, CARROTS AND CELERY

YEMISTA A CAPSICUM AND A TOMATO STUFFED WITH RICE AND HERBS SLOW COOKED IN THE OVEN, SERVED WITH SALAD & BAKED POTATOES

Moussaka LAYERS OF EGGPLANT, POTATOES, ZUCCHINI & SEASONED

GROUND BEEF W/ BÉCHAMEL SAUCE

VEGETERIAN MOUSAKA LAYERS OF EGGPLANT, POTATOES, ZUCCHINI AND BÉCHAMEL



### Apo Tin Skara (Chargrilled) 3

POTATOES, TZATZIKI & PITA BREAD.

LAMB SOUVLAKI - 3 \$40 MARINATED LAMB FILLET SKEWERS

CHICKEN SOUVLAKI - 3 \$35

PAIDAKIA - 4 \$40

LAMB CUTLETS

LAMB CUTLET, ARNI LEMONATO

MARINATED CHICKEN FILLET SKEWERS

#### Thalassina (From the sea)

A HOT PAN OF FISH FILLETS, PRAWNS, MUSSELS, CALAMARI & SCALLOPS COOKED IN OUR FRESH TOMATO SALSA WITH PIPERIES FLORINIS, GARLIC, CHILLI, WINE &TOPPED WITH FETA

GARIDES SAGANAKI - 5

KING PRAWNS COOKED IN TOMATO SALSA WITH GARLIC, CHILLI, HERBS & WHITE WINE SERVED IN A HOT PAN, TOPPED WITH FETA

GARIDES STI SKARA - 5

\$40

CHARGRILLED KING PRAWNS & MIXED SALAD WITH LATHOLEMONO OIL & LEMON DRESSING

Mixed Seafood Plate \$42 GRILLED FISH, 2 PRAWNS, CALAMARI, CHIPS & SALAD

#### Salates (Salads)



AUTHENTIC GREEK SALAD WITH TOMATOES, CUCUMBERS, ONIONS, CAPSICUM, OLIVES, FETA CHEESE & OLIVE OIL DRESSING

## Vaya's Greek Feast

\$55 PER PERSON (MIN. 2 PEOPLE) A VARIETY OF 11 DIFFERENT DISHES TO SHARE.

#### ENTREES:

SELECTION OF DIPS, HOME MADE BREAD, 2 MEZEDES

SEAFOOD COURSE: FRIED CALAMARI, CHARGRILLED PRAWNS

MEAT COURSE:

GREEK SALAD & OVEN BAKED POTATOES

DESSERT:







#### Glyka Yaya's Homemade Desserts

ALL YAYA'S DESSERTS ARE MADE FRESH IN THE HOUSE, FOLLOWING GREEK TRADITIONAL RECIPES.

\$13 BAKLAVA LAYERS OF FILO FILLED WITH A MIXTURE OF NUTS, & HONEY SYRUP GALAKTOBOUREKO SEMOLINA CUSTARD IN FILO, SWEETENED WITH HONEY SYRUP \$13

Kids Menu Children 12 years and under

CALAMARI LIGHTLY FRIED AND CHIPS

BAKLAVA ICE CREAM A YAYA'S DELICIOUS ORIGINAL HOUSE MADE FAVORITE

CHICKEN SKEWERS (2) AND CHIPS \$20

GREEK STYLE BOLOGNESE

#### FUNCTIONS AVAILABLE

YAYAS'S IS THE PERFECT PLACE TO HOST YOUR NEXT SOCIAL OR BUSINESS GET TOGETHER. FOR BIRTHDAYS, ENGAGEMENTS, WORK SEMINARS, ETC, PLEASE CONTACT MANAGEMENT.

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