



Hello,

Thank you for contacting us regarding our Mother of the Month (M.O.M.) program. The M.O.M. menu has been an important part of Mother's since we opened in 2000. This allows our guests to experience both new flavors and dishes from around the world and meals prepared with love by mothers cooking for their families. Our past M.O.M.'s include a wide variety of individuals- mothers, sisters, grandmothers, daughters, friends, and wives- and we've even had a few honorary male M.O.M.'s!

If you would like to nominate somebody (or yourself) to be a future M.O.M. at Mother's, please fill out the attached form and return it to the host at Mother's or [info@mothersbistro.com](mailto:info@mothersbistro.com). Once we receive your form, we will contact the nominee (if possible), or you, (if it's you or if you'd like to be the intermediary) to discuss potential dishes for the M.O.M. menu.

When making menu suggestions, please keep in mind that our M.O.M. menu typically includes an appetizer, salad and/or lunch item, 2-3 entrees (usually a meat, poultry, and/or vegetarian/fish dish) and a dessert. When making suggestions, feel free to make your list as long as you'd like, but don't suggest dishes that replicate those on our main menu (even if yours is the best meatloaf in the world, meatloaf is on our regular menu, so couldn't be offered on our M.O.M. menu).

It's likely we'll have a bit of back and forth where I may ask you to list ingredients in a dish to gain a clearer idea of how it might taste, but keep in mind that we won't need any recipes until after we finalize the menu. Attached for your reference is our regular menu (to help you avoid duplication) and a few M.O.M. menus to give you an idea of what we're looking for.

Thanks again for your interest in the M.O.M. program. Please fill out the form and either mail it to us at 121 SW Third Avenue, Portland, Oregon, 97204, fax it to 503-525-5877, or scan and email it to us at [mothersinfo@gmail.com](mailto:mothersinfo@gmail.com). Feel free to contact us with any questions you have at 503-464-1122!

Sincerely,

Lisa Schroeder  
Executive Chef and Owner



## M.O.M. Nomination Sheet

*Please fill out the following form and return to Mother's either in person, by regular mail to 121 SW Third Avenue, or by e-mail to [info@mothersbistro.com](mailto:info@mothersbistro.com).*

### **Your Contact Info:**

Name:
E-Mail Address:
Phone Number:

### **M.O.M. Nominee's Contact Info:**

Name:
E-Mail Address:
Phone Number:

### **Your Relation to the Nominee:**

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**Would you like us to contact the M.O.M. directly, or should we work through you?**

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**Why have you chosen to nominate this person as a M.O.M.? What makes her (or him!) a good cook?**

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**Type of Food the Nominee is Known For/Favorite Dishes:**

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**Ideas for Dishes (no recipes, please- just include names & a brief description of each dish):**

**Appetizers:**

**Entrées (include both vegetarian and non-vegetarian options):**

**Dessert:**