

# Liquor Concept Committee Pre-Application Form (#W301597-111125)

## ▼ Liquor Concept Committee Pre-Application Form Details

Complete this application and return to Shebnem Ozkaptan. If you have questions, contact Shebnem Ozkaptan, at (630) 420-4110, or via email at [ozkaptans@naperville.il.us](mailto:ozkaptans@naperville.il.us).

### Applicant Contact Information

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|-----------------------|---|----------------------|
| Applicant Title:      | Owner   |                      |
| Name of Applicant:    | Jackie Burton   | FIRST NAME LAST NAME |
| Address:              |  |                      |
| City:                 |   |                      |
| State:                |   |                      |
| Zip:                  |   |                      |
| Contact Phone Number: |   |                      |
| Email Address:        | jackie.burton@tastebudskitchen.com  |                      |

### Business/Owner Information

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| Owner(s) name:                                  | Jackie Burton                         | FIRST NAME LAST NAME                       |
| Business Phone Number:                          | (630)470-3873                         | (###)###-####                              |
| Business Email:                                 | jackie.burton@tastebudskitchen.com    |  |
| Corporate Name:                                 | Bloom By Iris LLC                     |  |
| Doing Business as Name:                         | Taste Buds Kitchen Naperville         |  |
| Business Website:                               | www.tastebudskitchen.com              |  |
| Proposed Business Address:                      | 620 N. River Rd. Unit 108, Naperville | *Please include unit number, if applicable |
| Has the Owner Ever Been Convicted of a Felony?: | No                                    |  |

### General Concept/Other Locations

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| Briefly Explain the Proposed Concept:     | Taste Buds Kitchen is a Culinary Entertainment business offering cooking workshops and parties for kids and adults. Our offerings range from private lessons for 1 person to a group of 15+ where students come to learn how to prepare their own food including pasta, cupcakes, pretzels and more. The Taste Buds Kitchen concept is similar to how you would think of an art class where instead of paint, we use food ingredients. We do not prepare food for sale or service but instead offer an entertaining culinary experience and environment. |
| Business Type:                            | Franchise  |
| Does this Business Have Other Locations?: | Yes  |

Please list the number of other locations and cities of operation: 15 existing locations with 4 opening within the next 2-4 months

1. Bannockburn, IL
2. Palo Alto, CA
3. San Jose, CA
4. Centennial, CO
5. Miami, FL
6. Leawood, KS
7. Overland Park, KS
8. Chester, MD
9. Beverly, MA
10. North Andover, MA
11. St. Louis, MO
12. Winston Salem, NC
13. New York, NY
14. State College, PA
15. East Greenwich, RI
16. Wellesley, MA (opening soon)
17. Providence, RI (opening soon)
18. Atlanta, GA (opening soon)
19. Indian Land, SC (opening soon)

Liquor

Is obtaining a liquor license critical to your business model?: Yes

Please explain why: Taste Buds Kitchen is a kids kitchen by day and an adult kitchen by night. For adult cooking classes, private, and corporate events, the option to have BYOB is a critical component to support our business concept. For the Taste Buds Kitchen franchise, BYOB is the preferred option across locations. If a license to sell is required, then we would sell beer and wine only and charge a corkage fee if BYOB can also be supported.

Do you currently have a liquor license?: No

What type of Liquor do you Intend to Sell?: Beer | Wine |

Class B Only: Is obtaining a late-night permit critical to your business model? (A late-night permit is required for a restaurant/tavern to sell liquor after 11 P.M.): No

Anticipated opening date?: 10/1/2026

Approximate square footage of the proposed concept?: 2190 UNIVERSITY DR

Proposed hours of operation?: Hours of operation to support events are Monday through Sunday, 9 am - 9 pm. Taste Buds Kitchen only hosts scheduled events in which clients must sign up beforehand, we do not service walk in clients. Classes will be regularly scheduled for each week and have options for clients to schedule private events. Monday-Thursday, Friday - Saturday and Sunday:

Attach the following documents to this application:

- 1.Floor Layout of the Business
- 2.Menus and Product Offering Lists

Message History

#### Date

On 11/11/2025 4:58:26 PM, System Generated Message:

**Subject:** City of Naperville Liquor Concept Pre-Application :: W301597-111125

**Body:**

Greetings,

Thank you for completing the liquor license pre-application form. Following submission of your materials, the Mayor's Office will notify you if supplemental materials are necessary. Please bring five copies of any supplemental materials to the Liquor Concept Committee Meeting.

Thank you

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Track the issue status and respond at: <https://napervilleil.mycusthelp.com/WEBAPP//rs/RequestEdit.aspx?rid=301597>

On 11/11/2025 4:58:26 PM, jackie.burton@tastebudskitchen.com wrote:

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Assigned Dept: Community Services

Assigned Staff: Shebnem Ozkaptan

Customer Name:

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Source: Web