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**ALDEN'S a+ BAR & GRILLE OFFERS MANY HAPPY RETURNS THIS MONTH  
Take a break from April's "taxing" month with half-price happy hours,  
\$10 burger and beer lunches, Tax Day celebration, complimentary parking  
on Sundays**

Houston - You know what they say about death and taxes... you just can't avoid 'em. So, it's time to gather those tax papers, search for some deductions and figure out how much Uncle Sam will be plucking from your pocket. You deserve a break... a TAX BREAK!

During the month of April, Alden-Houston Hotel's a+ bar and grille is offering some tax relief with daily happy hours featuring special prices, half-price bites (from the NEW a+ bar & grille menu) and a signature "Taxtini" cocktail. Plus, try out new outdoor seating with a \$10 tax-included burger and beer lunch. Join us for an April 15<sup>th</sup> Tax Day celebration with complimentary bites, happy hour drink prices and shuttle to the downtown post office to drop off your tax return. Then, throughout the month, end the weekend in style with Sunday Texas Tea & Tacos, featuring drink specials, Alden's popular \$2 shrimp tacos and complimentary valet parking!

April "Tax Break" specials at a+ bar and grille include:

**Tax Relief Happy Hours:**

- 4pm - 7pm daily
- 50% off bar food menu
- \$3 domestic beer, \$5 house wine, \$7 "Taxtini" cocktail

**Many Happy Returns:**

- a+ bar and grille lunch special
- Plain Jane burger and a beer for \$10 (including tax!)
- "Many Happy Returns" beer voucher for those who prefer to return during happy hour (4pm-7pm) to enjoy their beer
- Indoor and outdoor seating available

**Time's Up! Tax Day Celebration:**

- April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009 from 4pm - 7pm
- Finish your tax return then celebrate with happy hour drink prices: \$3 domestic beer, \$5 house wine, \$7 "Taxtini" cocktail
- Complimentary bar bites
- Complimentary shuttle to the post office to mail your tax return

**Sunday Texas Tea & Tacos:**

- Every Sunday in April from 4pm-7pm
- \$3 domestic beer, \$5 house wine, \$7 Texas Tea cocktail
- \$2 shrimp tacos

- Complimentary valet parking

Alden, \*17 and a+ bar & grille are located at 1117 Prairie Street at San Jacinto, Houston, TX. For more information visit [www.aldenhotels.com](http://www.aldenhotels.com) or call 832-200-8800.

*The five-star Alden-Houston is home to the award-winning restaurant, \*17, offering an enticing variety of New American cuisine, paired with an extensive international wine list. The hotel's lounge, a+ bar & grille, provides breakfast buffet, lunch and handcrafted signature cocktails, beer and wine.*

*Alden-Houston is located just minutes from Houston's Theatre District and provides special pre-theatre menus and transportation to and from theatre events. It is also conveniently located to the George R. Brown Convention Center and sports arenas, including Minute Maid Ballpark, Toyota Center and Reliant Stadium, homes of the Houston Astros, Rockets and Texans.*

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