

## *Christmas Menu*

Available from Monday 26th of November – Monday 24th December. The Christmas Menu is not available on Sundays (carvery served as usual 12-5pm).

Sunday the 24th of December we will be serving an à la carte menu, the carvery will not be available.

## *Bookings*

Online bookings will not be available throughout the month of December, please call 0191 548 6004 to book your table. Please note tables of 8 and over are allocated 2 hours for their booking at which point your party is more than welcome to move into the bar area to continue their celebrations.

## *Opening Times*

**Christmas Eve** – The kitchen will be open until 8.00pm.

**Boxing Day** – Restaurant closed.

**New Year's Eve** – 12 till late (family hour offer only available till 4.30pm)

**New Year's Day** – Restaurant closed.

## *Deposits*

A £5 per head deposit will be required to confirm all bookings of 8 and over throughout December. We require 72 hours notice for any changes to the number of diners, otherwise deposits may be forfeited. A pre-order is required for tables booked of 8 and over. If you are booking a table to dine in the restaurant, every diner will be expected to order a main course. There are tables available for informal/shared dining in the bar.

## *Family Hour Offer*

The family hour offer is available as normal throughout December excluding the 17th until the 24th December. On the 31st of December this offer will finish at 4.30pm.

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## Lunch & Dinner

3 courses £16.95

26th November till  
24th December



### To Begin

#### Golden Potato Skins (v)

Served with bbq dip and garlic mayo

#### Minestrone soup (v)

Served with homemade Italian bread

#### Stuffed Pepper

Oven cooked roasted peppers, filled with pan-fried vegetable risotto, topped with melted goats' cheese

#### Black Pudding

On a bed of creamy mash, served with peppercorn sauce

#### Thai Salmon Fishcake

With spring onion, served on a bed of salad with sweet chilli sauce

#### Crab Ravioli

Served in a spicy cream and tomato sauce with baby prawns



### The Main Event

#### Traditional Roast Turkey

Served with all the festive trimmings

#### Traditional Roast Quorn

Served with all the festive trimmings  
*with vegetarian gravy*

#### Pollo Della Casa

Char-grilled chicken breast served with your favourite sauce  
(Napoli, arrabbiata, creamy mushroom, creamy leek, Diana, green peppercorn)  
*Served with chips, vegetables or salad*

#### Slow Roasted Local Beef

Served on a potato mash with roasted garlic and porcini mushroom in a rosemary red wine jus

#### Any Pizza, Pasta or Risotto from à la carte menu

#### Lamb Shank (£2 Supplement)

Served on a potato mash in a rich chorizo gravy

#### Pan-fried Fillet of Salmon

Served on roast potatoes finished in a creamy leek and spring onion sauce

### Dessert

#### Traditional Christmas Pudding

Served with brandy sauce

#### Chocolate Fudge Cake

Served with white chocolate ice-cream

#### Homemade White Chocolate and Coconut Cheesecake

Served with vanilla ice-cream

#### Homemade Strawberry Tiramisu

Served with whipped cream

#### Carrot Cake

Served with cinnamon ice-cream



Merry Christmas!