

A row of clear wine glasses is set on a white tablecloth. In the foreground, a vase holds several white lilies with pinkish-purple streaks on their petals. The background is a blurred outdoor setting with green foliage and a bright sky. A red vertical bar is on the left side of the image.

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Hospitality

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Refreshments

	Minimum Order	Price Per Person
Tea & coffee Birchall, fruit and flavoured teas Roots fresh brewed filter coffee	5	£2.30
Water Still and sparkling filtered chilled water	1	£3.00
Cordial (serves up to 5) Cucumber & elderflower Strawberry & lime Rhubarb, orange & ginger	1	£5.00
Juice (serves up to 5) Orange Apple	1	£5.00
Biscuits Border biscuits	5	£1.50
Dietetic biscuits  Suitable for Vegan, Dairy Free & Gluten Free	1	£1.50

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Breakfast

Minimum Order Price Per Person

Tea & coffee

5

£2.30

Birchall, fruit and flavoured teas

Roots fresh brewed filter coffee

Bacon brioche roll

5

£4.00

Smoked back bacon with Stokes tomato or brown sauce

Vegan brioche roll 

5

£4.00

Vegan sausage with Stokes tomato or brown sauce

Sausage brioche roll

5

£4.50

Roast pork sausage with Stokes tomato or brown sauce

Morning pastries

5

£3.50

Warm pastries served with butter and jam

Mini pastry selection (2 per person)

5

£3.00

Pain au chocolat

Croissants with jam

Vegan croissant 

Fruit platter 

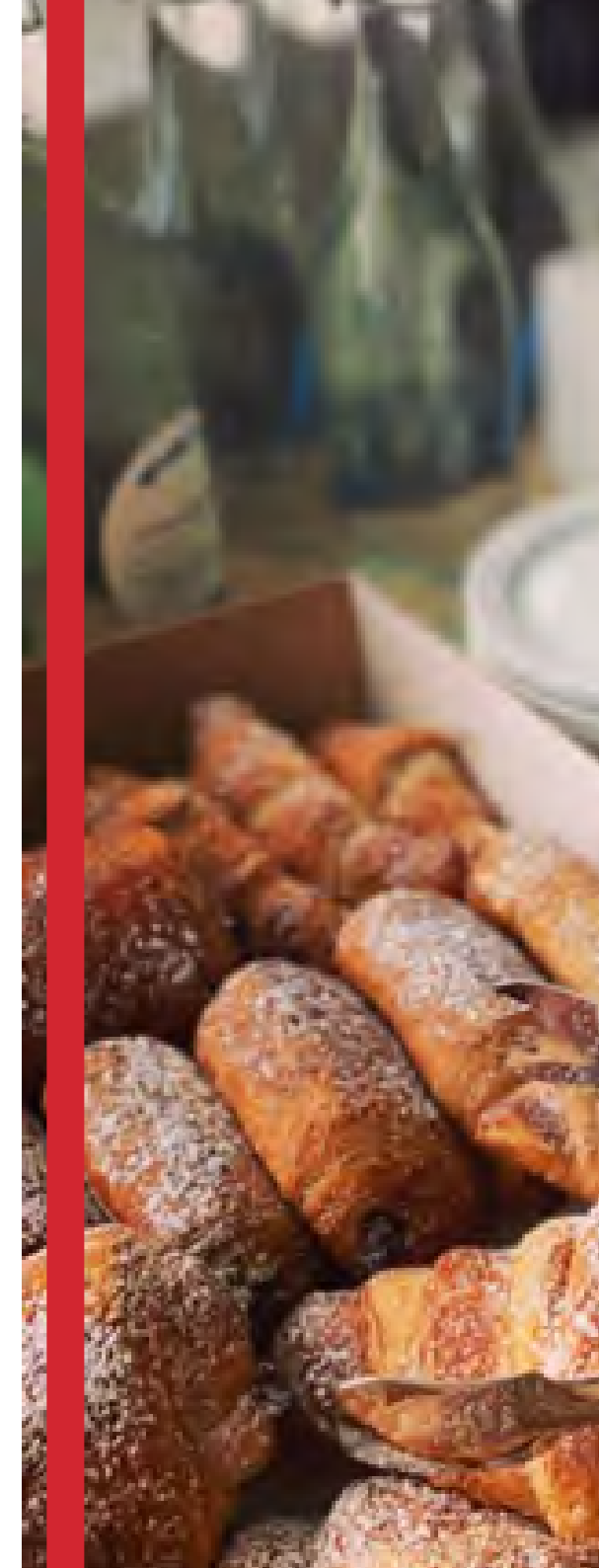
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£5.50

Coconut yoghurt, granola, maple syrup

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Lunch Platter

Minimum
Order

Price Per
Person

Simple sandwich lunch

10

£15.00

Baguettes or classic sandwich platter (1 round per person)

Meat | Vegetarian | Fish | Vegan



Selection of Burts crisps

Selection of homebaked cookies

Birchall, fruit and flavoured teas

Roots fresh brewed filter coffee

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Sides

Minimum
Order

Price Per
Person

Chilled (per item)

10

£2.50

Mediterranean mozzarella and tomato skewers

Vegetable sticks & houmous 

Vegetable quiche

Tortilla chips with salsa & guacamole 

Puff pastry cheese twists

Spicy chilli rice crackers & sea salt baked pretzels 

Freshly cut fruit 

Hot (per item)

10

£2.50

Panko prawns (2 per person)

Onion bhajis (2 per person) 

Vegetable samosa (2 per person) 

Pea and onion pakora (2 per person) 

Sausage rolls (2 per person)

Spicy bean rolls (2 per person) 

Salad (two varieties) 

10

£4.00

Examples:

New potato lemon and herb dressing

Wild rice, mixed bean salad

Mediterranean vegetable penne salad

Moroccan couscous salad

Orzo pasta, tomato, red onion, chilli, parsley

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Sharing Boards

Minimum
Order

Price Per
Person

Cheese

10

£13.00

Five local and continental cheeses with grapes, celery, crackers and chutney

Charcuterie

10

£11.00

Parma ham, salami, pastrami and marinated chicken with balsamic, extra virgin rapeseed oil and ciabatta

Mediterranean



10

£9.00

Selection of roasted Mediterranean vegetables marinated in garlic, herbs and olive oil, warmed flatbreads and houmous

Mezze



10

£7.90

Olives, sundried tomatoes, grapes, cherry tomatoes, garlic houmous, red chilli houmous, beetroot houmous, flatbreads, extra virgin rapeseed oil and basil pesto

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Homebakes

Minimum
Order Price Per
 Person

Traybakes

Classic oat flapjack
Double chocolate brownie
Gluten free white chocolate blondie
Vegan & gluten free fudge brownie 

5 £2.50

Cookies

Double chocolate chip
Belgium white chocolate & raspberry
Oat & raisin

5 £1.50

Scones

Fruit scone with clotted cream and fruit jam
Cheese scone with cream cheese and tomato chutney

5 £4.00

Selection of cupcakes

Victoria
Chocolate fudge
Gluten free banoffee 

5 £2.50

Regular celebration cake (serves up to 8)

Victoria
Chocolate fudge
Gluten free banoffee 

1 £15.00
per cake

Large celebration cake (serves up to 24)

Victoria
Chocolate fudge
Gluten free banoffee 

1 £60.00
per cake

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2 Course Buffet

Includes baby leaf salad, crusty bread and butter.

Meat (select 1 option)

Chicken with tarragon and grapes
Tandoori chicken with red onion, cucumber, avocado salad
Sweet chilli chicken with chilli, sweetcorn, coriander salsa
5 spice hoi sin chicken with spring onion, bean shoot, chilli
Greek spiced chicken salad with yoghurt, cucumber, mint

Vegan (select 1 option)

Beetroot falafel with black bean salsa
Lentil, gnocchi, spinach, tomato relish
Tandoori tofu with red onion, cucumber, avocado salad
Sweet chilli roasted squash, pumpkin seed, chilli, sweetcorn, coriander salsa
Vegetable gyoza, hoi sin spring onion, bean shoot, chilli

Pasta, Rice & Grain Salads (select 1 option)

New potato, lemon & herb dressing
Wild rice, mixed bean
Italian pesto rice
Mediterranean vegetable penne
Moroccan cous cous
Orzo pasta, tomato, red onion, chilli, parsley

Premium salads (select 1 option)

Bocconcini mozzarella, asparagus spears, broccoli, lemon dressing
Greek salad
Caesar salad
Roast squash, chickpea, cranberry, spinach 
Oriental vegetable 
Coleslaw with lemon and herbs 

Desserts

A selection of mini lemon tarts, vegan and gluten free chocolate brownie, fresh fruit platter

Minimum Order	Price Per Person
25	£26.00

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Buffet Sides

Minimum Order Price Per Person

Chilled (per item)

10

£2.50

Mediterranean mozzarella and tomato skewers

Vegetable sticks & houmous 

Vegetable quiche

Puff pastry cheese twists

Tortilla chips & guacamole 

Spicy chilli rice crackers & sea salt baked pretzels 

Hot (per item)

10

£2.50

Panko prawns (2 per person)

Onion bhajis (2 per person) 

Vegetable samosa (2 per person) 

Pea and onion pakora (2 per person) 

Sausage rolls (2 per person)

Spicy bean rolls (2 per person) 

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Afternoon Tea

	Minimum Order	Price Per Person
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Traditional afternoon tea	20	£18.50
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Tetley, fruit and flavoured teas
Roots fresh brewed filter coffee
Selection of freshly prepared sandwiches
Cakes and sweet treats
Fruit scones with jam & clotted cream

Sparkling wine, serves up to 6	1	£26.70
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Santo d'Oro prosecco

per bottle

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Bowl Food

Choose up to three, with a minimum of one Vegan

Minimum
Order

Price per
Person

25 Lunch £15.00
Dinner £17.50

Meat

Slow cooked beef brisket, creamed potatoes, onion jam and watercress
Tandoori chicken, Jasmine rice, coriander chutney, chilli and spring onion
Crispy Chinese spiced pork, Asian salad, chilli and lime

Fish

Teriyaki salmon, sushi rice, edamame and nori
Seared sea bass fillet, risotto Verdi, basil pesto and baby leaves
Battered cod bites, triple cooked chips, tartare and lemon

Vegan



Ras El hanout roasted squash, baba ghanoush, saffron Israeli cous cous, pomegranate seeds
Roasted beetroot falafel, black bean stew, zhoug and flatbread
BBQ cauliflower wings, triple cooked chips, BBQ relish

25 £5.50

Desserts

We recommend choosing 2 dessert options

Mixed seasonal berry Eton mess



Seasonal fruit crumble, Chantilly cream

Lemon posset

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Canapes

Choose up to 5 options

We recommend 5 canapes per person

Meat

Thai seared chicken, red pepper mousseline, yellow salsa

Duck parfit, rhubarb compote

Smoked chicken mousse, coriander, mango naan

Parma ham ciabatta, parmesan shavings

Fish

Smoked trout, avruga, potato cake

Seared Tuna sushi, soy and wasabi

Smoked salmon tartar, Mascarpone

King prawn mayonnaise, tortilla cup

Vegetarian

Goats cheese, fig chutney & grape

Stilton mousse, pecan nut, fig puree, blini

Half quail egg, spicy mayo, leek, French bread

Vegan & gluten free



Carrot cup, celeriac salad, red pepper

Roasted vine tomato, pesto & shallot salsa, grilled zucchini

Minted cous-cous, carrot

Sweet

Orange & cranberry brownie



Raspberry & rose macaron

Elderflower dome shortbread

Lemon & raspberry choux bun

Minimum
Order

150

Price Per
Person

£3.75

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Earlham Formal Dining

Price Per
Person
£32.00

Starters

Butternut Squash and coconut soup, roasted red pepper, chilli, coriander salsa, focaccia 

Heirloom tomato and marinated mozzarella, avocado, basil oil, micro herbs

Mains

All served with herb crushed potatoes, roasted ratatouille, tomato and basil

Herb roasted chicken breast

OR

Baked Scottish salmon fillet

AND

Grilled portobello mushroom, puy lentil, spinach, asparagus stack 

Dessert

Vanilla cheesecake, lemon curd, raspberry ripple ice cream

Spiced apple and blackberry crumble, vegan crème Chantilly 

Cheese Board

Three local cheeses, celery, grapes, chutney, artisan biscuits

supplement £5.00

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Cringleford Formal Dining

Starters

Chicken and tarragon terrine, parmesan aioli, gem lettuce, sourdough

Wild mushroom risotto, truffle oil, vegan parmesan 

Mains

All served with potato dauphinoise, tender stem broccoli, melted onion jus

Slow cooked pork belly

OR

Seared fillet of sea bream, tomato and herb dressing

AND

Moroccan spiced butternut squash 

Dessert

Vegan chocolate brownie, dark chocolate mousse, orange infused pear 

Warm spiced banana bread, vanilla cream cheese, caramelised banana, coconut crumb

Cheese Board

Three local cheeses, celery, grapes, chutney, artisan biscuits

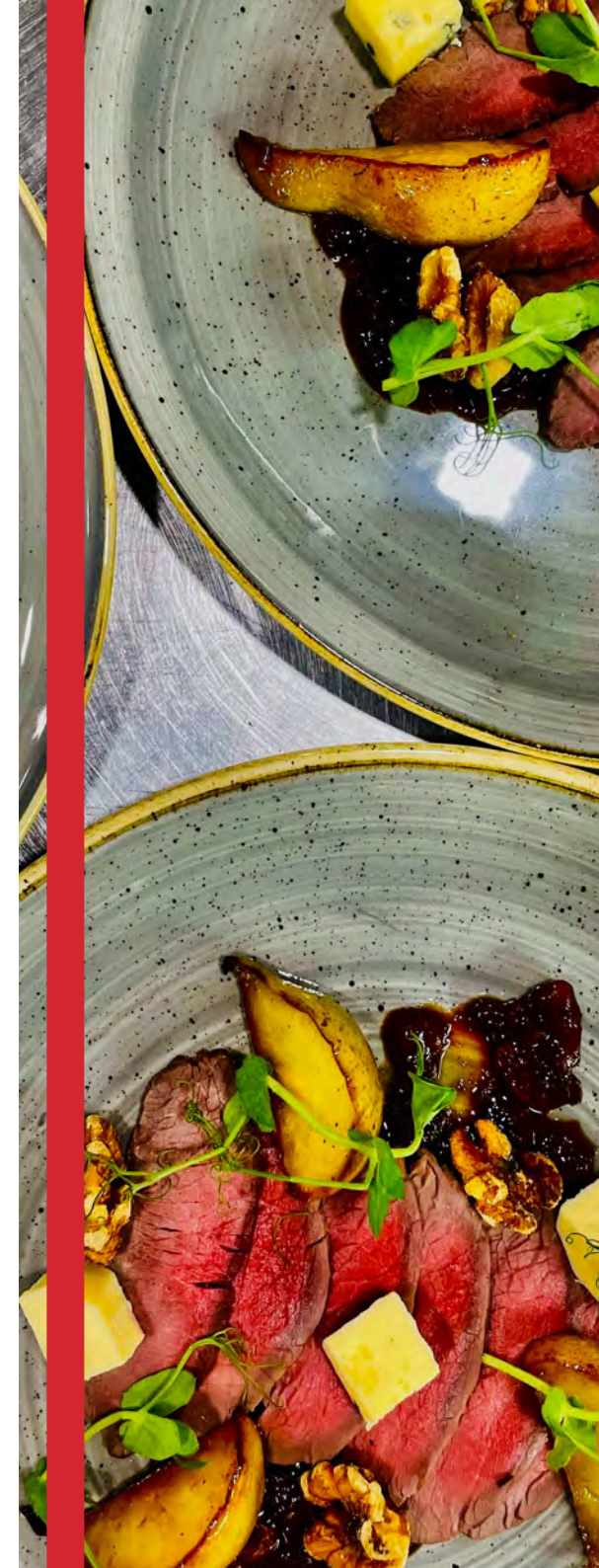
Price Per
Person

£38.00

supplement £5.00

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Eaton Formal Dining

Starters

Smoked salmon rilette, mustard crème fraîche, rye bread crisp

Mediterranean vegetable, asparagus and sweet roasted garlic, vegan mozzarella, sourdough flatbread, rocket 

Mains

All served with potato rosti, tender stem broccoli, glazed carrots

Slow cooked beef brisket in red wine and thyme, red wine jus

OR

Seared sea bass, lemon and dill cream

AND

Red onion and pear Tarte Tatin, red wine jus 

Dessert

Baileys choux bun, torched Italian meringue, chocolate crumb, milk chocolate garnish

Apple Tarte Tatin, toffee apple puree, vanilla ice cream

Cheese Board

Three local cheeses, celery, grapes, chutney, artisan biscuits

Price Per
Person

£45.00

supplement £5.00

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Formal Dining Starters

Create your own menu
Please select two options

	Price Per Person
Chicken and tarragon terrine, parmesan aioli, gem lettuce, sourdough	£10.75
Smoked salmon rilette, mustard crème fraiche, rye bread crisp	£12.50
Butternut squash and coconut soup, roasted red pepper, chilli, coriander salsa, focaccia 	£9.50
Heirloom tomato and marinated mozzarella, avocado, basil oil, micro herbs	£12.00
Wild mushroom risotto, truffle oil, vegan parmesan 	£11.00
Mediterranean vegetable, asparagus & sweet roasted garlic, vegan mozzarella, sourdough flatbread, rocket 	£12.50

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Formal Dining Mains

Create your own menu.

A choice of either herb crushed, dauphinoise or rosti potato.
One potato option must be selected for all mains

Please select two options

Meat

All served with tender-stem broccoli, glazed carrots

Herb roasted chicken breast, tomato and basil

Slow cooked beef brisket in red wine and thyme, red wine jus

Slow cooked pork belly, tomato jus

Price Per
Person

£22.00

£27.00

£21.00

Fish

All served with tender-stem broccoli, glazed carrots

Baked Scottish salmon fillet, red wine sauce

Seared fillet of sea bream, tomato and herb dressing

Seared sea bass, lemon and dill cream

£26.00

£27.00

£26.00

Vegan

All served with tender-stem broccoli, glazed carrots

Red onion and pear Tarte Tatin, red wine jus

Grilled portobello mushroom, puy lentil, spinach, asparagus stack

Moroccan spiced butternut squash, red wine jus

£19.00

£18.50

£19.50

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Formal Dining Desserts

Create your own menu
Please select two options

	Price Per Person
Vanilla cheesecake, lemon curd, raspberry ripple ice cream	£9.00
Spiced apple and blackberry crumble, vegan crème Chantilly 	£9.50
Vegan chocolate brownie, dark chocolate mousse, orange infused pear 	£9.50
Warm spiced banana bread, vanilla cream cheese, caramelised banana, coconut crumb	£10.50
Bailey's choux bun, torched Italian meringue, chocolate crumb, milk chocolate garnish	£11.00
Apple Tarte Tatin, toffee apple puree, vanilla ice cream	£12.50
Cheese board, three local cheeses, celery, grapes, chutney, artisan biscuits	£15.00

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Drinks Reception

Minimum Order Price Per Person

Nibbles box (serves 10)

1 £30.00

Pesto Bocconcini, marinated olives, chorizo, spicy crackers, sea salt pretzels, baked cheese bites.

Beers & cider

330ml Can

TOAST Rise Up Lager

£5.95

TOAST New Dawn Session IPA

£5.95

TOAST Grassroots Pale Ale

£5.95

Gravity Theory Cider

£5.95

Sparkling

750ml Bottle

Santo d'Oro Prosecco

£26.70

Aromas of crisp green apple and juicy white peach lead to a palate of zesty citrus and hints of ripe pear.

187ml Can

Eleanor Bubbly Rosé

£8.20

Light and bright our rose is one of strawberries and dreams.

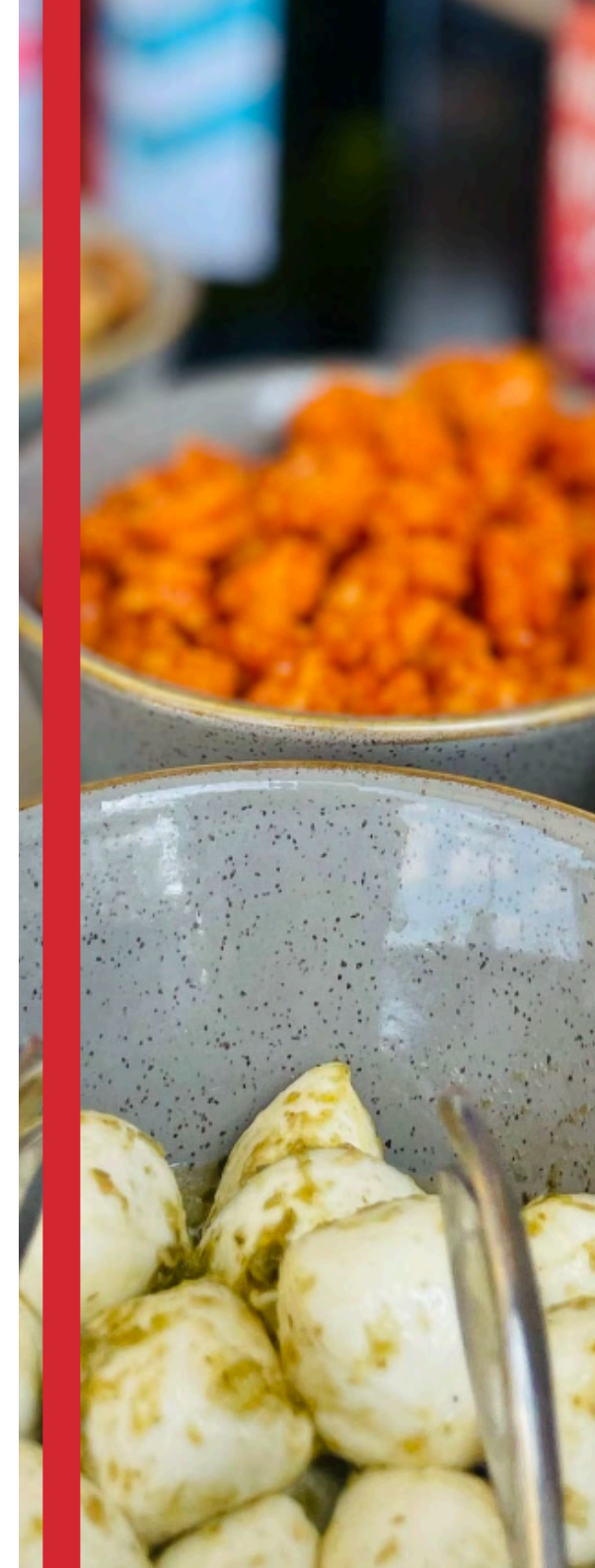
Gerald Bubbly White Wine

£8.20

Dry, refreshing and fizzing with elderflower, green apples and freshly cut grass.

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Drinks Reception

White wine

750ml Bottle

Il Molo Pinot Grigio

£21.75

Delicate aromas of green apple lead to a lively palate featuring ripe pear and a hint of zesty lemon.

Ladera Sauvignon Blanc

£23.45

Delicious green apple, tropical fruit and succulent gooseberry flavours.

Homeward Bound Chardonnay

£24.80

Bright and zesty, with flavours of white stone fruit and a citrus tang on the finish.

187ml Can

Clarence White Wine

£8.20

This crisp white wine is a kaleidoscope of peach-kissed sunbeams.

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Drinks Reception

Red wine

Vamonos Merlot

750ml Bottle

£22.30

Plums and cherries, intermingled with notes of cinnamon, tobacco, vanilla and chocolate.

Bird Island Cabernet Sauvignon

£23.45

This bold and full bodied red wine with notes of black berry, spice and herbs.

Frunza Pinot Noir

£24.80

Bright and zesty, with flavours of white stone fruit and a citrus tang on the finish.

187ml Can

Percival Red Wine

£8.20

A delicious cool climate Pinot Noir - cherry aromas with subtle oak running through.

Rosé

750ml Bottle

Anciens Temps Rosé

£23.55

Hints of green apples and bright aromatic characteristics on the nose, with crisp fruit on the palate.

187ml Can

Penelope Rosé

£8.20

A delightful little sonnet to strawberries with rumours of raspberry and honeysuckle.

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Further Information

To place your order or obtain a quotation please book [online](#). If you've not ordered before, please [create an account](#).

Hire Charges	External (exc VAT)	Internal (excl VAT)
Modern Life Café room hire	£1,000.00	£650.00
The Terrace room hire	£600.00	£400.00
MLC & Terrace Combined Rate	£1,200.00	£800.00
Early closure fee per hour (from 3pm – 5pm)	£100.00	£100.00
Security if no room hire (per hour)	£250.00	£250.00
½ partitioned room hire (per hour)	£100.00	£70.00
Licensed bar	£65.00	£65.00
Additional service staff/portering (per hour)	£37.50	£37.50
Corkage (per bottle)	£10.00	£10.00
Cake cutting and service (per head)	£3.00	£3.00
Small flower table arrangement (on request)	£5.00	£5.00
Large flower table arrangement (on request)	£10.00	£10.00
Microphone	£50.00	£50.00
Dance floor	£200.00	£200.00
PA system	£40.00	£40.00
Food and beverage	as agreed with client	

If your event requires, we will close the restaurant early from 3pm for a charge of £100 per hour (usual closing times are midweek 6pm, weekends 5pm)

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Terms & Conditions

Service	Minimum booking requirement prior to function	Minimum cancellation requirement prior to function*
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Coffee/Tea Reception	Three working days	Three working days
Gourmet Lunch	Two weeks	Two weeks
Formal Dining	Two weeks	Two weeks
Canapes / Bowl Food	Two weeks	Two weeks

* Cancellation must be confirmed by email and charges incurred are as follows:

More than one week	no charge
Between one week and two working days	50% charge
Less than two working days	100% charge

Final Numbers

We understand that things can change and we will try to accommodate where possible. However, amendments to final numbers may incur an additional charge.

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