

# SEASON'S GREETINGS

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Thank you for choosing the Heart of Northumberland this Yuletide. We know that the festive season is still only a twinkle in Santa's eye, but it's nice to get things sorted so you can spend as much time as possible with friends and family. Our chefs have been hard at work, tasting turkeys and perfecting their mince pie recipe, so that Christmas will be a cracker!

Choose from our festive menu or sharing platters throughout the holiday season in the comfort and warmth of our cosy atmosphere. Menus are available from the 1<sup>st</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> December and can be enjoyed with the best mulled wine around or our signature warming, mulled cider.

Whether you're in charge of planning the work party or an intimate family gathering, we're sure we can accommodate your every whim and make it a celebration to remember. We are open every day as usual throughout the festive season except we are closed for Christmas Day.

We do advise that you book early to avoid disappointment; if dining before 14<sup>th</sup> December, receive a discount on your dinner that's enough to enjoy an extra course! Please contact myself or a member of my team and we'll do everything we can to help make your planning as simple as possible.

We look forward to seeing you over the festive season.

Happy holidays,

Johnny and the team

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# FESTIVE MENU

2 Courses £19...3 Courses £22...4 Courses £25

-£3 discount when dining before 14<sup>th</sup> December

Welcome drink of mulled wine or prosecco add £3.50

## STARTERS

Pork, pancetta & sage terrine with chutney & warm toast

Citrus cured salmon with crème fresh, dill & clementines

Winter vegetable soup with toasted sourdough

Salad of beetroots, orange, hazelnuts with a blackberry vinaigrette

## MAINS

Roast Turkey breast with all the trimmings

Risotto of leeks & smoked cheddar with sautéed wild mushrooms & poached duck egg

Pan roasted bass fillet with butternut squash, winter greens & pesto

Grilled 10oz Rump steak with peppercorn sauce, herb roast tomatoes & mushrooms  
& hand-cut chips (+£3 supplement)

## DESSERT

White chocolate & cranberry bread & butter pudding with custard

Chocolate & chestnut brownie, dark chocolate sauce, vanilla ice cream

Local cheeses, biscuits with homemade chutney & crackers

## A FINISHING TOUCH

Tea or Coffee & homemade sweet mince pie

A nip of Isle of Jura whisky

A glass of rich, warming port

Menu available from 1<sup>st</sup> December until 30<sup>th</sup> December

# *Festive Sharing Platter*

*plenty for two, just about enough for four*

£24 / Platter

~Our famous scotch eggs~

~Smoked cheese & thyme croquettes~

~Pigs in blankets~

~Roast turkey with cranberry sauce~

~Pork, pancetta & sage terrine~

~Local cheeses~

~Onion Chutney~

~Hand cut chips with spiced ketchup~

~Warm breads from our local baker~

## Festive Bookings T's & C's

- Festive bookings are not confirmed until a deposit of £5 per person is received. Please note that any cancellations or changes to menu choices in the week before your booking will mean you lose the £5 deposit. These monies all go to a local charity.
- Guests will have 2 weeks following their original enquiry being pencilled in to secure the booking with a deposit. After this, the booking will be removed and the timeslot opened up to further enquiries.
- Deposits may be paid by card, cash or cheque at the pub.
- Any deposit paid will be deducted from the final bill, which is payable on the day of the function.
- Food will be served at a time prearranged prior to the day of the booking. After this time, we cannot guarantee the quality and temperature of the food as we are unable to keep plated food warm.
- Please keep a record of which dishes each member of your party has pre-ordered to save confusion on the day.

If you would like to join our mailing list to receive details of future events and offers please pop your email address below:

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