

Starters & Afters - July 2023

Choose any five dishes from the following:-

Portobello Mushroom (V without bacon) - filled with confit of onion, topped with goat's cheese, wrapped in bacon (*may be omitted*) with a red pepper sauce

Risotto (V) - creamy risotto topped with colourful roasted vegetables (mixed peppers, aubergine, artichoke hearts, cherry tomatoes)

Crêpes Florentine (V) - two light pancakes filled with spinach and cheese and masked with a creamy sauce

Courgette Soup (V) - served chilled

Smoked chicken salad - slices of smoked chicken, served cold, with mixed salad leaves and garnished with stilton mayonnaise

Beef Olives - Thinly sliced roast sirloin of beef filled with a combination of cream cheese, horseradish and peppers

Moules Marinières - Classic dish of mussels cooked in white wine with shallots, garlic and parsley (finger bowl provided)

Sea Bass - Fillet of sea bass with fresh basil, butter and white wine sauce

King Prawn Tartlet - sautéed king prawns and tomato concasse in a shortcrust pastry tart

Salmon Mousse - served with melba toast and a salad garnish

Ice Cream - Exceptionally good 'Dreamy Cow' dairy vanilla ice cream served with hot Valrhona™ Chocolate sauce

Duo of Chocolate - Dark chocolate outer shell filled with light chocolate mousse (made with fresh egg whites) decorated with kirsch-soaked black cherries

Strawberry Tower - layers of thin shortcake biscuit, fresh strawberries and chantilly cream decorated with strawberry coulis

Sticky Toffee Pudding - classic date sponge pudding, served warm with caramel sauce and a dollop of slightly whipped double cream

Lime Tartlet - made with fresh limes and served with softly whipped double cream

Caged Peach - whole poached peach, set on kirsch-soaked ice cream, imprisoned in a caramel cage and served with apricot coulis

Summer Pudding - classic summer 'pudding' served with softly whipped double cream

Raspberry Pannacotta - Italian-style set cream with a fresh raspberry topping

Banana Pavlova - meringue, topped with cream and banana, and drizzled with praline

Cheese - selection of four different varieties of cheese served with biscuits

Coffee or Tea and chocolate truffles