



# Dower House

## Private Dining



# *The Dower House Hotel & Spa*

## Wine, Champagne & Aperitifs

We have a great cellar with a wide choice of wines & champagnes, below we have provided a selection from our wine list

### White

Ayrum Verdejo, Spain	£18.95 per bottle
Antonio Rubini Pinot Grigio delle Venezie, Italy	£19.50 per bottle
Los Romeros, Sauvignon Blanc, Central Valley Chile	£21.50 per bottle

### Rose

Lavender Hill White Zinfandel, California	£18.50 per bottle
Parini Pinot Grigio Rose, Delle Venezie, Italy	£21.00 per bottle

### Red

Ayrum Tempranillo Tinto, Spain	£18.95 per bottle
Altortas Cabernet, Sauvignon, Central Valley, Chile	£19.50 per bottle
Berri Estates Shiraz, Australia	£22.00 per bottle

### Prosecco & Champagne

Baco de Seta Prosecco	£30 per bottle
Louis Dornier et Fils Brut, France	£42.00 per bottle

You may also consider the following for your reception drinks:

(per person)

Bucks Fizz £5.00

Pimm's £4.50

Prosecco £7.00

Bottled Beer £4.50

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## Canape Selection

Chicken Liver Pate on Melba Toast

Smoked Salmon and Cream Cheese Roulade

Prawn Parcel with Lemon Oil

Pear and Yorkshire Blue Cheese Crostini

Mini Lamb Kofta with Mint Sauce

Welsh Rarebit on Toast with a Mustard Relish

Yorkshire Pudding filled with Beef and Horseradish

Chicken Satay Skewers

Mini Fish Goujons n Chips with Homemade Tartare Sauce

Mini Hamburger with a Spicy Tomato Relish

Tartlet of Goats Cheese & Red Onion Marmalade

Homemade Onion Bhaji's

Mini Vegetable Spring Roll

Baby Cod and Pancetta Fishcakes

Choose a selection of 4 options £ 4.50 per person

Choose a selection of 6 options £ 6.50 per person

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## **To Start**

Please select one of the following starters

Smooth Chicken Liver Parfait, Homemade Chutney, Toasted Brioche  
£5.95

The Dower House Prawn Cocktail  
£6.95

Half a Galia Melon, Berry Compote, Mint & Sorbet  
£5.95

Chicken Caesar Salad, Baby Gem, Pancetta & Parmesan  
£5.95

Supreme of Smoked Salmon served warm with Sweet & Sour Red Onions, Chive Yoghurt  
£6.95

Deep Fried Camembert with Cranberry Relish Dressed Wild Leaves  
£6.95

Homemade Thai Fish Cakes, Chilli Dipping Sauce  
£6.50

Warm Salad of Chicken & Chorizo, Wild Rocket & Mesclun Leaves, Balsamic & Chilli Dressing  
£6.75

Salmon Ballotine, Soft Cheese, Chive Creme Fraiche  
£6.50

Italian Platter of Buffalo Mozzarella, Parma Ham, Marinated Plum Tomato  
£6.25

Goats Cheese & Caramelised Onion Tart, Tomato Chutney & Micro Herb Garnish  
£6.95

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## **Soup**

All soups and intermediate courses are priced at £4.95 per person

Slow Roasted Tomato & Basil Soup with Basil Crostini

Cockie Leekie Soup with Crispy Fried Leeks

Creamed Wild Mushroom Soup with Tarragon Dumplings

French Onion Soup with a Parmesan Crouton

Cauliflower & Stilton

Parsnip & Apple, Roasted Crotons

## **Intermediate**

Champagne Sorbet with a White Peach Coulis

Raspberry Sorbet with Blackcurrant Puree

Green Apple Sorbet & Raisin Coulis

Lemon Sorbet with Lime Syrup

Mango Sorbet & Passion Fruit Coulis

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## **To Follow**

Please select one of the following main courses

Cumberland Sausage Ring on Grain Mustard Mash, Caramelised Onions, Rich Red Wine Sauce  
£12.95

Herb Roast Salmon Supreme, Crushed New Potatoes, Coriander Butter Sauce  
£15.95

Pan Roast Chicken Breast with Spring Onion Mash, Bacon, Mushroom & Button Onion Jus  
£14.95

Carved Pork Loin with Yorkshire Pudding, Mustard Mash, Cider & Herb Roasted Gravy  
£14.95

Roast Chicken Breast wrapped in Smoked Bacon, Filled with Sage & Onion Stuffing, Duck Fat Potatoes, Roast Gravy  
£16.95

Roast Sirloin of Yorkshire Beef with Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes, Traditional Gravy  
£16.95

Poached Plaice Fillet filled with Smoked Salmon Mousseline, Lime & Tomato Concasse Butter Sauce  
£16.95

Pan Fried Pork Escalope filled with Smoked Applewood Cheese , Wrapped in Pancetta, Lyonnaise Potatoes, Tomato Stew  
£16.95

Pan Fried Chicken Breast filled with Parma Ham Farce, Dauphinoise Potatoes, Diane Sauce  
£16.95

Herb Crusted Rack of Lamb with Dauphinoise Potatoes, Honey Scented Jus  
£18.95

Honey Duck Breast with Kirsche soaked Cherry Sauce, Herb Roasted Chateau Potatoes  
£17.95

Pan Fried Sea Bass Fillet with Parma Ham wrapped Asparagus, Roasted New Potatoes, Pancetta Cream Sauce  
£17.95

Pan Fried Fillet of Beef with Roasted Shallots and Wild Mushrooms, Fondant Potato, Port Wine Sauce  
£25.95

Fillet of Atlantic Halibut, Pea and Charred Artichoke Risotto, Crab Bon Bons  
£24.95

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## **To Finish**

Please select one of the following desserts

Profiteroles with White & Dark Chocolate Sauce

Lemon Tart with Fresh Strawberries, Vanilla Ice Cream

Vanilla Cheesecake, Raspberries and Raspberry Coulis

Classical Crème Brûlée, Shortbread Biscuit

French Apple Tart with Pear Anglaise, Caramel Ice Cream

Apple & Caramel Cheesecake, Honeycomb Ice Cream

Chocolate & Orange Tart, Citrus Syrup, Chantilly Cream

Sticky Toffee Pudding, Butterscotch Sauce, Vanilla Ice Cream

Traditional Jam Sponge, Double Cream Custard

Spiced Apple & Sultana Crumble, Vanilla Crème Anglaise

Rich Belgian Chocolate Truffle, Rum & Raisin Ice Cream

Tiramisu Torte – The Classic Italian Pick-Me Up

Mango & Passion Fruit Cheesecake, Coconut Ice Cream

Homemade Bakewell Tart, Vanilla Anglaise, Cherry Ice Cream

All desserts are priced at £5.95 per person

Coffee & chocolates - £2.50 per person

If 3 courses are taken Coffee & chocolates are offered complimentary

Cheese & Biscuits Selection Board £29.95 per table

*Serves approximately 8 -10 people*

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## **Vegetarian**

### **Starters**

Half a Galia Melon, Berry Compote, Mint & Sorbet

Spinach & Roquefort Tart, Walnut & Sherry Vinaigrette

Salad of Wild Mushrooms & Artichoke, Wild Herb Leaves & Croutons

Provençale Vegetable Tian, Balsamic & Basil Dressing

All starters are priced at £6.95 per person

### **Main Courses**

Gnocchi with Lemon Butter Sauce, Baby Vegetables, Charred Asparagus

Wild Mushroom & Spinach Risotto, Shaved Parmesan

Caramelised Onion Tart Tatin, Goats Cheese, Port Dressing

Spinach & Mushroom Lasagne, Mozzarella

All Main courses are priced at £15.95 per person

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## Chefs Selection

Head Chef Victoria and her team have compiled a couple of suggested menu's below that compliment and provide a balance throughout the courses, which may assist you.

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Smooth Chicken Liver Parfait, Homemade Chutney, Toasted Brioche

### To Follow

Pan Roast Chicken Breast with Spring Onion Mash, Bacon, Mushroom & Button Onion Jus

### To Finish

Profiteroles,  
White & Dark Chocolate Sauce

Coffee & Chocolates

£24.95 per person

### To Start

Slow Roasted Tomato & Basil Soup with Basil Crostini

### To Follow

Carved Pork Loin, Mustard Mash, Cider & Herb Roasted Gravy

### To Finish

Classical Crème Brûlée,  
Shortbread Biscuit

Coffee & Chocolates

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## Dingley Fork Buffet

*Includes*

Selection of Breads

Platter of Continental Meats

Salmon Gravavlax with Prawns

*Please select 2 hot dishes*

Beef, Ale & Mushroom Pie with Chunky Chips

Chicken, Leek & Ham Pie with Creamed Potatoes

Chicken Chasseur with Chive Buttered New Potatoes

Thai Vegetable Curry & Rice

Classic Beef Chilli with Rice and Nachos, Cucumber Minted Yoghurt

Waldorf Salad

Butterbean, Chorizo, Parsley Olive Oil

Roast Sweet Potato & Chick Pea Salad

Greek Salad

Mediterranean Rice Salad

Seasonal Mixed Leaf Salad

Tomato & Basil Pasta Salad

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Assiette of Desserts

£24.95 per person

*Additional Main Course options £3.50 per person*

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## Booking Information

Should you wish to make a provisional booking we are able to hold your preferred date for a maximum of two weeks, giving you time to speak to your families.

Provisional bookings will be released if a non-refundable deposit of £100 is not received within 14 days of the initial enquiry. The outstanding balance is due two weeks prior to the date.

Children aged between 3-12 years are charged at 50% of the menu price. Babies and children up to the age of 3 are free of charge. Over 12's are charged at the full price.

Should you wish to offer a choice of two options (pre-orders required) there will be a supplement of £2.00 per person.

We are happy to cater for special dietary requirements and these should be advised in advance of your event, including intolerances and allergies.

Whilst we do our best to reduce the risk of cross-contamination, we CANNOT guarantee that any of our dishes are free from allergens and therefore cannot accept any liability in this respect.

Guests with severe allergies are advised to assess their own level of risk and consume dishes at their own risk. Full allergen information on all menus within the wedding package are available on request.

The menu choices offered are only suggestions and we are always happy to discuss any of your own ideas or tastes.

All our menus are served with warm bread rolls, a selection of vegetables of the season and freshly brewed coffee and chocolates.

Final numbers must be confirmed at least 7 days in advance.

The hotel will accept a reduction of up to 10% of numbers originally booked.

And will always charge for a minimum of 90% of numbers originally booked.

The management reserve the right to alter or amend any details in the brochure without notice; we will make every effort to notify guests of any changes.

Prices are inclusive of 20% VAT.

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