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While you decide, why not try...

TEAR AND SHARE CHEESY GARLIC BREAD hand-rolled focaccia dough, oozing with Cheddar and garlic (V) £4.50

> BREAD AND OIL rustic breads served with English herb oil and butter (V) £2.25

> BOWL OF OLIVES Kalamata and mixed olives marinated in lemon and thyme (V) $\pounds 2.25$

STEAKS AND BURGERS

RUMP STEAK

with confit tomato, beer battered onion rings, a roasted flat mushroom and seasoned chips £12.99

RIBEYE STEAK

with confit tomato, beer battered onion rings, a roasted flat mushroom and seasoned chips £17.99

> ADD THE FOLLOWING TO YOUR STEAK OR GRILL: HALF RACK OF BBO PORK RIBS £4.50 OAK SMOKED CHICKEN LIVER PÂTÉ 72 00 CROPWELL BISHOP STILTON £1.50

OUR SELECTION OF SAUCES £1.50: BRANDY PEPPERCORN . CREAMY MUSHROOM . BÉARNAISE BUTTER

BRITISH BEEF BURGER

minced steak, chargrilled and served in a crusty cob with smoked Cheddar, sweetcure bacon, lettuce, tomato and mayonnaise, with smoky tomato salsa and seasoned chips £9.50

WILD BOAR AND CHORIZO BURGER

chargrilled and served in a crusty cob with lettuce, tomato and mayonnaise, with smoky tomato salsa and seasoned chips £10.95

ADD BLACK AND BLUE TOPPING TO YOUR BURGER FOR £2.50 (A ROASTED FLAT MUSHROOM AND CROPWELL BISHOP STILTON)

FETA AND BROAD BEAN BURGER

in a crusty cob with lettuce, tomato and mayonnaise, with smoky tomato salsa and seasoned chips (V) £9.50

• THE TALE • **BEHIND THE TASTE**

AND THE BANG IN OUR BANGERS?

OAK SMOKED CHICKEN LIVER PÂTÉ

Creating this pâté is a labour of love. After smoking, brandy, garlic and nutmeg are added and – for a super silky texture – butter and fresh cream. The result is big, bold and beautifully smooth.

ALTHAMS BUTCHERS' CHOICE SAUSAGES

The story of our sausages begins in the wilds of Yorkshire with a special variety of pig and a rare breed of farmer. The pigs are a cross of English White and Duroc. The farms are all Red-Tractor Assured. And, because the casings are 100% natural, our sausages are able to breathe during cooking which gives a deeper, fuller flavour.

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STARTERS AND SHARERS

SALT BEEF HASH slow-cooked British beef brisket, pan fried with baby potatoes and onions, topped with a fried free-range egg £5.95

TODAY'S SOUP one of your five a day, served with crusty bread and butter (V) £3.95

POTTED OAK SMOKED CHICKEN LIVER PÂTÉ with onion marmalade and crusty bread £4.95

BEER BATTERED MUSHROOMS with caramelised garlic and parsley mayonnaise (V) £3.99

BAKED CORNISH BRIE AND ONION MARMALADE BRÛLÉE with celery and crusty bread (V) £4.45

PRAWN COCKTAIL succulent prawns, served on cos lettuce with Marie Rose sauce, crusty bread and butter £4.95

Care to share?

FISH SHARING PLATTER

beer battered fish goujons, lightly dusted deep fried calamari, treacle cured salmon and a mini prawn cocktail with Marie Rose sauce, served with tartare sauce, smoky tomato relish, and bread and butter £11.95

TASTING PLATTER

sticky BBQ pork ribs, southern fried chicken strips, baked apple and black pudding, warm Yorkshire pudding with cold rare beef and onion and horseradish mayonnaise £12.99

FRIED SPICED CALAMARI

lightly dusted and fried, served with smoky tomato chutney £5.75

SMOKED HADDOCK AND WHOLEGRAIN MUSTARD FISHCAKE

with a cockle and mussel sauce and dressed leaves £5.50 Main with two fishcakes and a side of baby potatoes £9.95

VINTAGE CLASSICS

FISH AND CHIPS

in today's beer batter with seasoned chips, mushy peas and tartare sauce. Choose from:

SUSTAINABLY SOURCED COD LOIN £10.95 TODAY'S WHALE OF A FISH £8.75

> MAKE IT A REAL FISH SUPPER ADD BREAD AND BUTTER FOR £1.00

PAN FRIED ROLLED BELLY OF PORK stuffed with smoked Cheddar and leek sausage meat in a creamy grain mustard sauce, served with mash, baked apple, black pudding and glazed seasonal vegetables £12.75

SLOW-COOKED SHOULDER OF LAMB in a rich black barley and button mushroom sauce, served with mashed potato and glazed seasonal vegetables £13.45

SEARED SALMON

with Mediterranean vegetables, crushed lemon scented baby potatoes and a white wine cream £12.95

ALTHAMS SAUSAGE AND MASH

three British butcher's choice sausages, served with mash, gravy and home-made beer battered onion rings. Ask for today's flavour £9.95

> ADD A SIDE OF SEASONAL VEGETABLES FOR £1.50

VINTAGE HUNTER'S CHICKEN chargrilled chicken breast, smothered in BBQ sauce, topped with sweetcure bacon and smoked Cheddar, served with confit tomato, beer battered onion rings and mushrooms, seasoned chips and peas £11.50

YOU'VE EARNED IT - SWAP YOUR CHIPS TO THICK CUT CHIPS FOR £1.00

SAVOURY ECCLES CAKE

parsley suet pastry stuffed with roast butternut squash, parsnips, white onion and raisin chutney, with a creamy mushroom and white wine sauce and baby potatoes (V) £8.95

GRILLED GAMMON STEAK

served with a fried free-range egg, fresh pineapple, seasoned chips and peas £7.95

SEASONAL SALADS

cos, mixed leaves, soya beans, red pepper, baby corn, tomato, cucumber and fat-free dressing, topped with a choice of:

SEARED FILLET OF SALMON with pineapple and lime salsa £12.95

GREMOLATA CRUMBED BRIE deep fried Brie wedge with apple and gazpacho dip (V) £8.95

CHARGRILLED CHICKEN BREAST with smoky tomato mayonnaise £10.95

SIDES AND EXTRAS

Delicious	accompant	ments	to the	main	event
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THICK CUT CHIPS	£2.95	CHEESY GARLIC BREAD	£2.75
SEASONAL VEGETABLES	£2.95	MEDITERRANEAN VEGETABLES	£2.95
HOME-MADE BEER BATTERED		DRESSED SIDE SALAD	£2.50
ONION RINGS	£2.50	CAULIFLOWER CHEESE	£2.50
BABY POTATOES	£2.00		

CAll singing, all dancing VINTAGE PIES

NO 'FOUR AND TWENTY BLACKBIRDS' HERE, JUST TASTY, WARMING FILLINGS, SERVED DAILY.



• BEEF AND MERLOT PIE •

slow-cooked British beef, shallots and roasted portobello mushrooms in a rich merlot red wine sauce, topped with puff pastry, served with glazed seasonal vegetables and mash £10.95

Roast Britisp

CHICKEN PIE

in a creamy Tewkesbury mustard and leek sauce topped with puff pastry, served with seasoned chips and peas £8.95

govely home-made • FISH PIE •

salmon, smoked haddock, queen scallops, succulent prawns and Atlantic cod in a classic dill béchamel sauce, topped with cheesy mash, served with glazed seasonal vegetables £10.75

JOIN US FOR

VINTAGE PIE DAY • for more delicious flavours •

Few dishes are so well loved as the homely, comforting pie. In fact, we love them so much that we make every Wednesday Vintage Pie Day.

Each week we offer a mouth-watering selection from a huge choice that includes Lamb Shank Shepherd's Pie, Venison, Port and Bacon Pudding and Three Cheese and Potato Pie. Just add your choice of potatoes and seasonal vegetables.

----- PUDDING SELECTION Satisfy your sweet tooth

PEANUT BUTTER AND CHOCOLATE CHEESECAKE

smooth cream cheese, flavoured with toffee and peanut butter and topped with chocolate and roasted peanuts, served with whipped cream and dulce de leche (V) $\pounds 4.95$

STICKY TOFFEE AND APPLE PUDDING moist date and Bramley apple sponge, topped with a toffee sauce and custard (V) £4.75

HOME-MADE SHERRY TRIFLE* sherry soaked rich jam sponge with seasonal berries under a set vanilla brûlée, topped with whipped cream and flaked chocolate (V) £5.25

RASPBERRY CRÈME BRÛLÉE rich set vanilla custard with fresh raspberries, topped with caramelised sugar (V) £4.99

RHUBARB, PLUM AND CHERRY OATY CRUMBLE a traditional flavoured oaty crumble, served

with vanilla ice cream and custard (V) £5.95

BELGIAN CHOCOLATE BROWNIE with chocolate fudge sauce and vanilla ice cream (V) £4.95

ST CLEMENT'S TART*

sweet buttery pastry case, filled with a smooth creamy orange liqueur and Spanish lemon curd, served with a rich vanilla cream (V) £4.45

ULTIMATE CHOCOLATE BROWNIE TOWER double brownie layered with caramel and cookie dough, served with chocolate fudge sauce and vanilla ice cream (V) £5.95

COOKIE AND ICE CREAM (FOR GROWN-UPS!)*

Irish Cream, chocolate and vanilla ice creams served on a cookie base, with chocolate sauce, dulce de leche and chocolate flake (V) £5.95

PUDDING PLATTER FOR TWO

warm chocolate brownie topped with vanilla ice cream, mini sherry trifle*, peanut butter cheesecake and warm sugar-coated churros with dulce de leche dip (V) £8.95

CHEESE BOARD

Cornish Brie, Cropwell Bishop stilton and Ford Farm Cheddar, served with chutney, celery, grapes, oatcakes and Bath Oliver biscuits (V) £6.95

*contains alcohol.

• COFFEE AND A MINI PUDDING •

----- £4.50 ------

Have your cake and eat it

CHOOSE ONE OF OUR HOT DRINKS WITH ONE OF THESE MINI PUDDINGS, OR TRY A LIQUEUR COFFEE +£1.35:

CHOCOLATE POT with whipped cream and flaked chocolate (V)

CHURROS warm Spanish-style doughnuts, served with chocolate sauce (V) HOME-MADE SHERRY TRIFLE* topped with whipped cream and flaked chocolate (V)

RHUBARB, PLUM AND CHERRY OATY CRUMBLE with vanilla ice cream (V)

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HOT DRINKS Perfect winter warmers

Round off your meal with our delicious selection of hot drinks, best savoured next to our cosy open fire. For those with a sweet tooth, enjoy a classic hot chocolate, or unwind with a traditional pot of tea.

POT OF TEA	£1.95
AMERICANO	£2.05
CAPPUCCINO	£2.25
LATTE	£2.25
ESPRESSO	£1.95
ΜΑССΗΙΑΤΟ	£2.05
МОСНА	£2.25
DECAF COFFEE	£1.95
FLOATER COFFEE	£2.10
HOT CHOCOLATE	£2.10

LIQUEUR COFFEE

Freshly made at your table

CHOOSE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SPIRITS OR LIQUEURS FOR YOUR COFFEE. ALL 25ML.

DRAMBUIE

TIA MARIA

JAMESON IRISH WHISKEY

BAILEYS IRISH CREAM (50ML)

DISARONNO AMARETTO

COINTREAU

SUNDAY ROASTS Whatever floats your • gravy boat •

EVERY SUNDAY, SERVED ALL DAY UNTIL 9.30PM

We serve food until 10pm from Monday to Saturday and until 9.30pm on Sunday. All prices include VAT at the current rate. All tips are retained by our team members. Some of our fish dishes may contain small bones. All our food is prepared in a kitchen where nuts, gluten and other allergens are present and our menu descriptions do not include all ingredients – if you have a food allergy, please let us know before ordering. Full allergen information is available, please ask a team member for details.

LUNCH AND LIGHT BITES

MONDAY TO SATURDAY UNTIL 5PM | NOT AVAILABLE ON BANK HOLIDAY MONDAYS OR DURING FESTIVE FAYRE

Choose any of the following main courses and add a starter and pudding for $\pounds 2.00$ each

• STARTERS •

BEER BATTERED MUSHROOMS with caramelised garlic and parsley mayonnaise (V)

TODAY'S SOUP served with crusty bread and butter (V)

PEAR AND STILTON SALAD dressed leaves, Cropwell Bishop stilton and roasted pear (V)

• MAINS •

UPGRADE YOUR CHIPS TO THICK CUT CHIPS FOR £1.00 OR SWAP YOUR CHIPS FOR A DRESSED SIDE SALAD

SPICY SOUTHERN FRIED CHICKEN with confit tomato, smoky tomato mayonnaise and seasoned chips £6.50

ALTHAMS SAUSAGE AND MASH two British butcher's choice sausages, served with mash, gravy and home-made beer battered onion rings. Ask for today's flavour £7.50

TOMATO PASTA giant fusilli pasta in a tomato and olive sauce, drizzled with English herb oil, served with garlic bread (V) £6.50

BBQ CHICKEN BURGER grilled chicken breast, topped with smoked Cheddar, sweetcure bacon and BBQ sauce in a crusty cob, served with seasoned chips £8.50

SCAMPI MEDLEY crumbed scampi and prawns, served with tartare sauce, seasoned chips and peas £6.50

WARM CHICKEN AND BACON SANDWICH with mayonnaise, cos lettuce and tomato, served in a brown cob with seasoned chips £5.50

SALT BEEF HASH

slow-cooked British beef brisket, pan fried with baby potatoes and onions, topped with two fried free-range eggs £8.25

RARE ROAST BEEF SANDWICH served cold with horseradish mayonnaise, cos and red onion in a crusty brown cob, with seasoned chips £5.95

COD FISH FINGER SANDWICH cod goujons and tartare sauce in a crusty brown cob, served with seasoned chips £5.50

BACON AND BRIE MELT melted Cornish Brie, bacon and confit tomato in a crusty brown cob, served with seasoned chips £5.50 AVAILABLE WITHOUT BACON (V) £4.50

SPICED AUBERGINE WRAP

aubergine, spinach and kidney beans, warmed and wrapped in a tortilla with salad garnish and garbanzo dip (a little bit like houmous) (V) £5.50

• PUDDINGS •

STRAWBERRY JAM SPONGE served warm with custard (V)

TOFFEE CHURROS SUNDAE warm Spanish-style doughnuts in cinnamon sugar with vanilla ice cream, whipped cream and toffee sauce (V)

CHOCOLATE POT with whipped cream and flaked chocolate (V)