HEMPSTEAD HOUSE

CHRISTMAS EVE MENU 2025

£58 PER ADULT

INCLUDES CHRISTMAS CAROL RECEPTION WITH MULLED WINE & CANAPÉS

STARTERS

SPICED PARSNIP SOUP (DF, V, VG) (GF adaption available on request only) with carrot bhaji and coriander oil

CONFIT DUCK LEG AND CHICKEN BREAST TERRINE (DF, GF) with sour cherries and pistachios served with rocket salad and caper berries

SMOKED SALMON, SHRIMP AND CREAM CHEESE ROULADE (*DF*, *GF*) with lemon pearls, pickled cucumbers, horseradish mayonnaise and beetroot powder

BAKED ROSEMARY STUDDED CAMEMBERT (V)

(GF adaption available on request only) red grape chutney, ciabatta sticks and maple glazed pecans

MAINS

802 Tenderloin Fillet of Beef (GF)

served with three cheese dauphinoise, celeriac puree, seasonal vegetables, red wine and thyme jus

BREAST OF GUINEA FOWL (DF. GF)

wrapped in sliced pancetta, stuffed with wild mushroom farce, fondant potato, seasonal vegetables, coq au vin sauce

PAN SEARED FILLET OF BREAM (DF, GF)

with petit ratatouille sauce, lemon and basil crushed potato cake, seasonal vegetables, basil oil

ROASTED BUTTERNUT SQUASH RISOTTO (DF, GF, V, VG) with vegan feta cheese, toasted chestnuts, sage pesto dressing, rocket salad

DESSERTS CLEMENTINE AND ALMOND CAKE (GF, V) Chantilly cream

> RUM PANNACOTTA (GF adaption available on request only) sultana shortbread biscuit

CHOCOLATE TORTE (V) white chocolate mousse

SALTED CARAMEL BROWNIE (DF, GF, V, VG) with vegan vanilla ice cream

SELECTION OF CHEESE AND BISCUITS (V) (GF adaption available on request only) with celery, grapes and chutney

TEA OR FILTERED COFFEE WITH PETIT FOURS

DF – DAIRY FREE GF – GLUTEN FREE V – VEGETARIAN VG – VEGAN Some of the menu can be adapted for intolerances. Please ask for further details.

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CHRISTMAS EVE CHILDREN'S MENU 2025 £27.50 PER CHILD (UNDER 12) Includes Christmas Carol Reception with Unlimited Drinks*

STARTERS

TOMATO SOUP (*DF*, *GF*, *V*, *VG*) (*GF* adaption available on request only) with carrot bhaji and coriander oil

GARLIC BREAD SLICES (V) with or without cheese

(DF without cheese) CRUDITÉS (GF, V) includes cucumber, carrot and red pepper sticks with dips

MAINS

CHICKEN GOUJONS served with chips and baked beans

FISH GOUJONS Served with chips and peas

CUMBERLAND SAUSAGES (DF) served with mashed potato and vegetables

TOMATO PASTA (V) in a tomato sauce with grated cheese

DESSERTS

CLEMENTINE AND ALMOND CAKE (GF, V) Chantilly cream

> CHOCOLATE BROWNIE (V) white vanilla ice cream

SELECTION OF ICE CREAM (GF, V) with vanilla, strawberry and chocolate ice cream

FRESH FRUIT SALAD (DF, GF, V, VG)

DF – DAIRY FREE GF – GLUTEN FREE V – VEGETARIAN VG – VEGAN Some of the menu can be adapted for intolerances. Please ask for further details.

*Unlimited drinks to include squash or juice only