

# **STARTERS**

HEPPLE GIN CURED SALMON

crème fraiche, pickled cucumbers, rye and caviar

ROASTED CAULIFLOWER (V)

yeasted cauliflower, capers, shallots, pickled grape

SALT AGED BEEF TARTARE

pickled girolle, clarence court yolk, smoked bone marrow

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKE VELOUTÉ (V)

chestnuts, poached pear and chive

CONFIT DUCK TERRINE

duck leg and foie gras terrine, pickled pear

# MAINS

ROASTED LOIN OF VENISON
blackberry, venison faggot, black garlic, spinach, confit potato
WILD HALIBUT
watercress, maitake, celeriac, chicken sauce
POACHED NORTH SEA COD
buttered spinach, morteau sausage, braised lentils
ROAST POLLARDS OF THIRKLEBY TURKEY BREAST
sausage and apricot stuffing, pigs in blankets and classic garnishes
CROWN PRINCE SQUASH (V)
pearl barley, yorkshire blue, sage, preserved lemon, pumpkin seed

## **DESSERTS**

# APPLE AND GINGER CHEESECAKE cinnamon, white chocolate, stem ginger ganache and salted caramel ice cream DARK CHOCOLATE AND CLEMENTINE GATEAU (V) chocolate mousse, hazelnut croustillant, clementine jelly and sorbet, cocoa nibs CHESTNUT AND BLACKCURRANT TART (V) confit of blackcurrant, almond frangipane and chestnut ganache HOMEMADE CHRISTMAS PUDDING (V) brandy custard espuma, roasted nuts and pomegranate SELECTION OF ARTISAN CHEESES served with marinated grapes, sourdough starter crackers, walnut bread and local northumbrian pantry chutney

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served with marinated grapes, sourdough starter crackers, walnut bread and local northumbrian pantry chutney

All five cheeses included

BRIE DE MEAUX Cow, Soft, Meaux France

soft, unctuous texture with an easy yet complex, nutty flavour

BLACK BOMBER CHEDDAR (V) Cow, Hard, Snowdonia Wales

rich flavour with a smooth creaminess, moreish

DARLING BLUE CHEESE Cow, Semi - Soft, Northumberland England

smooth, gentle blue with rich biscuity flavours

GOLDEN CROSS GOAT CHEESE (V) Goat, Soft, Sussex England

sweet, soft and delicately 'goaty' and grassy, with an ice-cream like texture

REDESDALE (V)
Sheep, Hard, Northumberland England

sweet, subtle; has a rich, velvety texture, clean characteristic taste and refreshing tang

£65 PER PERSON FOR 3 COURSES