

The Flowing Spring



# FESTIVE Menu

## STARTERS £8.95

### HEARTY LENTIL AND PEPPER SOUP (VN,D,G)

Red peppers, lentils, tomatoes and spices in this hearty soup. Served with crusty bread<sup>①</sup> or GF bread

### MEDITERRANEAN BRUSCHETTA £7.95 (VN,D,G)

Our twist on the traditional bruschetta: toasted ciabatta<sup>①</sup> topped with a beautiful combination of roasted cherry tomatoes, peppers, onions, garlic, chillis, olives and capers and melted mozzarella<sup>②</sup> or dairy-free cheese. Gluten-free bread available.

### DUCK RILLETTE (G) ②

Shredded duck and nutmeg rillette with gherkins, shallots and lemon oil, served with toasted crusty bread<sup>①</sup> or GF bread

### PRAWN MARIE-ROSE SALAD (D) ③⑦

Prawns in marie-rose served on a bed of salad, drizzled with lemon oil

### CAULIFLOWER AND BRUSSELS SPROUT CHEESE (V,G) ②

Cauliflower cheese with brussels sprouts for that festive twist, with or without bacon, then oven baked. Can be served as a side dish.

## MAINS £18.95

### PIGGY SNUGLER BURGER (G) ②

West Country pork burger snuggled under smoked bacon, melted brie, iceberg lettuce and a dash of cranberry sauce. Served in a soft white roll<sup>①</sup> or GF roll with chips and salad

### RUDOLPH BURGER (D,G)

A venison burger with lettuce, tomatoes and red onion marmalade. Served in a soft white roll<sup>①</sup> or GF roll with chips and salad

### SWEET POTATO & FALAFEL BURGER (VN,D,G)

A falafel burger with sweet potatoes, chickpeas and spices topped with harissa houmous<sup>③</sup>, toatoes and iceberg in a soft roll<sup>①</sup> or GF roll. Served with chips and salad

### SPICED CAULIFLOWER & LENTIL PIE (VN,D) ①⑨

Cauliflower, lentils, spinach and potatoes in Indian spices encased in pastry. Served with mash<sup>②</sup> or DF mash or chips, gravy and vegetables

### ROAST STUFFED PEPPER (VN,D,G)

A whole pepper stuffed with a blend of vegetables, mushrooms, lentils, oats, sunflower and pumpkin seeds. With vegetables, skin-on roast potatoes and gravy

### TURKEY, BACON, MUSHROOM & STILTON PIZZA (G) ②

Our festive pizza topped with mozzarella, stilton, turkey, bacon and mushrooms with a balsamic fig dressing. Can be made gluten-free

### GIANT YORKSHIRES

SERVED WITH VEGETABLES & ROAST SKIN-ON POTATOES. TWO SMALLER GLUTEN-FREE YORKSHIRES AVAILABLE.

### SLOW-COOKED BEEF IN RED WINE (G) ②③⑥

### POACHED SALMON WITH LEMON OIL DRESSING (G) ②③⑥

### ROAST TURKEY, PIGS IN BLANKETS, CHESTNUT MUSHROOMS, GRAVY & STUFFING (G) ②③⑥⑨

### ROAST PORK WITH PEARS & GINGER, CARROT & SWEDE MASH (G) ②③⑧

### BUTTERNUT, SWEET POTATO, COURGETTES, PEPPERS, LEEKS, GRAVY AND STUFFING (V,G) ②③

## DESSERTS £7.95

### APPLE AND BLACKBERRY CRUMBLE (VN,D,G)

With custard, ice cream or DF ice cream

### HOT SPICED PEACHES (VN,D,G) ②③

Sliced peaches cooked in aromatic spices and chillis. With vanilla ice cream (DF available)

### STICKY TOFFEE CHRISTMAS PUDDING (V) ①②③④⑦

Sticky toffee sponge with raisins and spices topped with a rich toffee sauce. With vanilla ice cream

### CHOCOLATE ORANGE JAFFA SPONGE CAKE (VN,D) ①⑦

Orange and chocolate layers of sponge with chocolate icing and orange zest. Served with vanilla ice cream<sup>②</sup> or DF ice cream

### BOOZY HOT CHOCOLATES (V,G)

A mug of hot chocolate with a choice of Bailey's or Cointreau, topped with cream and marshmallows

### CHRISTMAS PUDDING ICE CREAM (V,G) £2 a scoop ②⑧

### GINGERBREAD ICE CREAM (V,G) £2 a scoop ②

V=Vegetarian, VN=Vegan

D=Dairy/Milk-Free

G=Gluten-Free

**WHEN ORDERING PLEASE MENTION ANY FOOD INTOLERANCE OR ALLERGY ALLERGENS**

**'FOOD CONTAINS' KEY:**

①Gluten②Milk③Eggs④Soya

⑤Fish⑥Sulphites⑦Mustard

⑧Celery⑨Sesame Seeds

⑩Tree Nuts⑪Ground Nuts

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Please book your table by calling (0118) 9699878. Pre-orders are appreciated, particularly for tables of 6 or more.

\*Whilst every effort is made to ensure our food marked 'G' is gluten-free, there is a small risk due to environmental cross-contamination when made and handled

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