

THE CARNARVON ARMS

- PUB & ROOMS -

Originally a coaching inn serving travellers to nearby Highclere Castle, Grade II listed Carnarvon Arms has been offering top-notch hospitality to visitors to the area for some 200 years.

Lovingly restored to its former glory, it's the ideal venue for you to host your next event or celebration, offering a stunning dining room with high vaulted ceiling, thriving friendly bar and 18 individually styled boutique bedrooms.

Situated just a few miles from Newbury town centre, we're blessed with the beautiful Berkshire countryside right on our doorstep, whilst also being well-connected and within easy proximity of the M3 and M4.

There are several spaces perfect for weddings, functions, celebrations and meetings. Their expert chefs are always conjuring up British menus for all occasions. Whether you're looking for a lavish 3-course dinner, finger buffet, canapes or a casual lunch with friends, they have the ingredients to make your next event sparkle.

Just speak to a member of our events team and we'll do the rest!



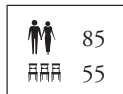
THE GARDEN SUITE

Bathed in natural light and with direct access to a private lawn for after dinner drinks on those long summer evenings, the stunning Garden Suite lends a sense of sophistication to any event.



THE RESTAURANT

This beautiful, oak-beamed restaurant adds a sense of occasion to any event. This area can be hired either on its own or, for larger parties, alongside the Garden Suite.





SAMPLE 3-COURSE
PRIVATE DINING MENU

STARTERS

Farmhouse vegetable broth with pearl barley, warm crusty bread
Ham hock terrine, apple and cider chutney, toasted sourdough
Smoked salmon and prawn tian, crushed avocado, lime
Olive and ricotta crostini, pesto oil

MAINS

Cornfed chicken stuffed with pork, sage and onion wrapped with smoked
bacon, fondant potato, Spring cabbage, leeks, creamy Madeira sauce
Pork loin medallions in a herb crumb, white onion and cider veloute',
boulangerie potato, tender stem broccoli
Sweet potato, golden beetroot and goat's cheese tart, roasted garlic and
rosemary new potatoes, watercress, kale pesto (v)
Lemon roasted fillet of salmon, chive mash,
tender stem broccoli, bearnaise sauce

PUDDINGS

Profiteroles filled with Bailey's cream, chocolate fudge sauce
Warm chocolate orange and walnut brownie, salted caramel ice cream
Banoffee cheesecake, toffee sauce
Warm Bramley apple pie and traditional custard

SAMPLE BUFFET MENU

SILVER FINGER BUFFET

Dinky hot dogs with ale onions • Hand raised pork pie with piccalilli
Selection of sandwiches • Garlic and rosemary jacket potatoes (v)
BBQ chicken wings • Beetroot, fennel and lentil sliders (v)
Caper and tomato baby gem cups (v)

£15 per person

GOLD FINGER BUFFET

Selection of sandwiches • Cheese burger sliders • Louisiana hot wings
Yorkshire pudding with roast beef • Beetroot, fennel and lentil burger slider (v)
Fish and chips cones • Feta, caper and tomato baby gem cup (v)
Dinky hot dogs with ale onions • Garlic and rosemary jacket potatoes (v)

£20 per person

PLATINUM FORK BUFFET

Sliced 28 day aged, striploin of beef platter
Marmalade, honey and rosemary roasted gammon platter
Beetroot, fennel and lentil nut roast (v)
Smoked Scottish salmon and Greenland prawns with Marie rose sauce
Roasted red pepper and red onion pasta salad (v)
Beef tomato, mozzarella and basil salad (v)
Roasted garlic and rosemary new potatoes (v) • Traditional coleslaw (v)
Mix leaf house salad (v) • A selection of fresh rustic breads (v)

£25 per person

SAMPLE CANAPÉS MENU

THE CLASSICS

Yorkshire pudding, roast beef and horseradish • Chicken, ham and leek pie
Smoked salmon and horseradish blinis

LETTUCE CUPS

Teriyaki beef • Classic prawn cocktail • Tabbouleh and sumac (v)

PASTRY

Peppered mackerel cornet • Feta and caramelized onion pinwheels (v)
Chickpea and beetroot mousse spoons (v)

MINI SLIDERS

Cheeseburger • Hot dog with ale onions • Lamb kofta with tzatziki

4 canapés £8.95 per person

6 canapés £12.95 per person

These are sample menus of what we can offer at the Carnarvon Arms. We can cater for all your needs and will be happy to create a bespoke menu just for you.

If you have any concerns about the presence of allergens in our food please ask your server for more information about dish ingredients.



WEDDINGS

Located next door to stunning Highclere Castle, home of the original Downton Abbey set, and just a few miles from Newbury town centre, the Carnarvon Arms is within easy reach of the beautiful North Wessex Downs. Sympathetically and stylishly designed, with a good dose of rural chic, we are the perfect backdrop for your big day.

With an eclectic mix of traditional charm blended with modern luxury, the Carnarvon Arms excels in providing the style and opulence you would expect from a premium venue with the care and attention to detail you can count on from a small boutique hotel.

The light and airy wedding reception room, The Garden Suite, with its original features and high ceilings, accommodates up to 70 seated guests or 100 evening guests and enjoys views onto a private lawn accessible via patio doors.

We can also host Civil Ceremonies for up to 110 guests.

SAMPLE WEDDING PACKAGES

The wedding packages have been carefully designed to cover all aspects of your special day so nothing is missed. Packages are available for all weddings of up to 55 guests (sit down) and up to 100 standing. If you have a smaller number in mind then please let us know and we can discuss alternative packages or ideas with you.

All of our wedding packages include the use of the Bridal Suite for the night of the wedding and 10% off hotel rooms for guests (check in from 3pm).

Our licence is until 12am.

*Additional £500 ceremony fee
(separate fee also payable to the Registrars)*

PACKAGE 1

Reception drink (1 glass per guest) • Buffet menu
Prosecco for toasting the newlyweds • Late night snacks
Includes exclusive use of the function area • Private garden patio to rear • DJ
£80 per person

PACKAGE 2

Reception drink (2 glasses) and canapés (3 per head)
3-course wedding breakfast from menu • Half bottle of house wine per guest
Prosecco for toasting the newlyweds • Late night snacks
Includes exclusive use of the function area • Private garden patio to rear • DJ
£120 per person

PACKAGE 3

Reception drink (2 glasses) and canapés (4 per head)
3-course wedding breakfast from menu • Half bottle of premium wine per guest
Champagne for toasting the newlyweds • Late night snacks
Includes exclusive use of the function area • Private garden patio to rear • DJ
£140 per person

ADDITIONAL EXTRAS

Cheese tower with crackers, grapes and figs • Chair covers and sashes
Tea and Coffee station • Aisle runner



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SECURING YOUR BOOKING

We are delighted to provisionally hold a booking date for you; however please be advised should we receive another enquiry during this time we reserve the right to ask you for immediate confirmation in writing, or we may release the date due to popular demand.

DEPOSIT & PAYMENT TERMS

Your booking is only confirmed once we have received the agreed deposit pre-payment which will be redeemed on the night of your event.

The deposit is fully refundable up to 14 days prior to your bookings date. Any later than this and we're afraid it becomes non-refundable.

The balance is payable on or before the day of your booking. On arrival we will kindly ask you for a card to act as a guarantee against our agreed minimum spend requirement.

Should the minimum spend not be reached, the balance must be settled on the day.

GUEST NUMBERS & PRE-ORDERING

If you are pre-ordering any food, please confirm final guest numbers at least 5 days before your booking date. Please note that this will be the number charged to your final food bill.

Please advise us if your guests have any special dietary requirements

SERVICE CHARGE

For group and event bookings we add a discretionary 12.5% service charge to your final food and drinks bill. By the end of your event we are sure you'll agree our staff deserve it, and if not, please do let us know why.

SPECIAL REQUESTS

Do let us know if you have any particular requests no matter how far-fetched and we will always do our best for you.

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