

SAMPLE MENU

The Blacksmiths Arms

Alton

Inspired by home comforts, our menu is adapted each day to ensure that our guests get the best fresh produce, sourcing locally wherever possible. Menu ideas are created daily by our dedicated team. We hope our generous portions and traditional methods will leave you content.

Starters

Our starters are served with our own daily baked bread, baked fresh daily:

Home baked bread, marinated olives and oils £4.95

Button mushrooms sautéed in garlic butter and finished with cream £5.35

Homemade leek and potato soup £4.95

Creamy baked brie with red currant jelly £4.95

Deli board (great for 2 or more) ~ selection of cured meats, cheese, olives, oil and balsamic vinegar £10.95

Mains

All of our produce is fresh, sourced locally wherever possible and cooked to order.

Homemade sweet braised beef and red wine short crust pastry pie with creamy mashed potato and vegetables £10.25

Goats cheese and beetroot on a crisp mixed salad, finished with a sweet balsamic glaze, vinaigrette dressing and new potatoes £10.95

Blacksmiths grill ~ Beef steak, lamb chop, pork steak, gammon steak, sausages, black pudding, fried egg, hand cut chips, tomato, beer battered onion rings, and vegetables £15.95

Roasted vegetable enchiladas ~ soft flour tortillas loaded with mixed beans, peppers, courgettes, onion, sweet potato and carrots, topped with a spicy tomato sauce and grated cheddar cheese, finished with a crisp salad £10.25

28 day matured 8oz Sirloin steak simply pan fried with mushrooms and served with hand cut chips, beer battered onion rings, grilled tomatoes and vegetables £18.95

Indian inspired lamb burger, served in a brioche bun and towered with caramelised onions, homemade curried mayonnaise, crisp lettuce, tomato and pickled gherkin, served with onion bhaji, vegetable samosa and hand cut chips £9.95

Rustic Chicken supreme with a garlic and herb gravy finished with bacon lardons and served on a bed of creamy mash potato £12.95

Braised Pork chop in a wholegrain mustard and Shropshire blue cheese sauce finished with creamy mash and market vegetables £12.95

Jack Daniels 5oz prime beef burger, served in a brioche bun and towered with caramelised onions, homemade Jack Daniels sauce, cheddar cheese, corn fritter, crisp lettuce, tomato, beer battered onion rings, coleslaw and hand cut chips £9.95

Sea bass served on creamy mashed potato and finished with a fresh tomato dressing and roasted vegetables £12.95

Hunters gammon steak ~ gammon steak topped with BBQ sauce, melting cheddar cheese and finished with fresh pineapple, hand cut chips, beer battered onion rings and salad £10.95

Home beer battered cod, served with hand cut chips, puree peas, sliced bread and a pot of homemade tartar sauce £12.95

Sides

Home baked Pot bread £1.95	Marinated olives £2.95
Hand cut chips £2.95	Gravy £2.00
Mashed potato £3.00	Side salad £3.00
Garlic Bread £2.25	Mixed Vegetables £3.00
Garlic Bread with Cheese £2.95	Homemade Coleslaw £2.00
Mushrooms £3.00	Battered Onion rings £3.00
Red wine and mushroom sauce £2.00	Blue cheese sauce £2.00
Peppercorn sauce £2.00	Corn on the cob lollipop £2.00

Desserts

Homemade rich chocolate cookie cake with a smooth Belgium chocolate sauce, finished with cream or ice cream.

Homemade Sticky toffee pudding with a rich toffee sauce finished with cream, ice cream or custard

Banana split ~ three scoops of ice cream, with toffee sponge cake, marshmallows, rich chocolate, raspberry and toffee sauce and whipped cream

Kids Desserts

Punky Penguin ~ novelty toy with vanilla ice cream inside £3.00

2 Scoops of ice cream ~ a choice of vanilla, chocolate and strawberry, finished with sprinkles and sauce £2.00

Speciality Coffee and Tea

Coffee...	Tea...	Liquor Coffee...	Hot Chocolate...
Cappuccino £3.25	Traditional English	Tia Maria Coffee £4.75	Mint Hot Chocolate &
Latte £3.25	Tea £1.25	Pepper	Cream £3.25
Skinny Latte £3.25	Mint Tea £1.25	Earl	Hot Chocolate & Cream
Americano £2.80	Grey Tea £1.25		£3.25
Mocha £3.25		Brandy Coffee £4.75	
Espresso £2.65		Baileys Coffee £4.75	

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lunch time menu

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Sandwiches

Bacon Brie and Red currant Jelly sandwich in our home baked bread with a mug of soup or chips £6.25

Prawn, Chorizo and Marie rose salad sandwich in our home baked bread with a mug of soup or chips £6.50

Egg mayonnaise salad sandwich in our home baked bread with a mug of soup or chips £6.00

Butchers own pork and leek sausage and caramelised onion sandwich with a mug of soup or chips £6.50

Home beer battered fish finger sandwich with a pea puree dip and tartar sauce £6.95

Light Lunch

Marinated olives with home baked bread and oils £4.95

Homemade soup of the day with our home baked mini loaf £4.95

Creamy baked brie with today's chutney and a mini loaf £4.95

Creamy goat's cheese with sweet beetroot on a crisp mixed salad finished with a citrus dressing £9.50

Main Meal

Pie of the day ~ short crust pastry pie served with creamy mash, vegetables and gravy £10.25

Butchers own minced lamb and mint burger, served in a brioche bun and towered with chorizo, brie, sweet tomato and chilli chutney, crisp lettuce, tomato, gherkins, beer battered onion rings, coleslaw and hand cut chips £9.95

Butchers 8oz gammon steak with free range fried egg, fresh pineapple, hand cut chips, beer battered onion rings and garden peas £10.95

Home beer battered cod, served with hand cut chips, puree peas, sliced bread and a pot of homemade tartar sauce £12.95

Chicken and crispy bacon salad ~ Crisp bacon and strips of chicken on a crisp mixed salad finished with a citrus dressing £9.50

Spinach and Ricotta Cannelloni ~ Fresh egg white pasta rolls filled with spinach and ricotta, topped in a tomato and white sauce and served garlic bread and a crisp green salad £9.25

Jack Daniels 5oz prime beef burger, served in a brioche bun and towered with caramelised onions, homemade Jack Daniels sauce, Monterey Jack cheese, corn on the cob, crisp lettuce, tomato, beer battered onion rings, pickled gherkin, coleslaw and hand cut chips £9.95

Pork and leek sausages served with a creamy wholegrain mustard mash, market vegetables, caramelized onions and rich gravy £10.25

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Gravy £2.00
Side salad £3.00
Mixed Vegetables £3.00
Homemade Coleslaw £2.00
Battered Onion rings £3.00
Blue cheese sauce £2.00

Desserts

Homemade sticky toffee sponge, served with a rich toffee sauce and a choice of cream, ice cream or custard

Homemade chocolate cake with a rich chocolate sauce, served with cream, ice cream or custard

Homemade crumble of the day served with cream, ice cream or custard

All our desserts are £5.25

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Espresso £2.65

Tea...

Traditional English
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Pepper
Mint Tea £1.25
Earl
Grey Tea £1.25

Liquor Coffee...

Tia Maria Coffee £4.75
Cointreau Coffee £4.75
Dark Rum Coffee £4.75
Brandy Coffee £4.75
Baileys Coffee £4.75

Hot Chocolate...

Mint Hot Chocolate &
Cream £3.25
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Kids Menu

ITALIAN PICNIC £4.50

"Make your own Pizza"

"You make we bake"

A ball of fresh pizza dough with all the ingredients to make your own pizza.

Ingredients include:

Tomato topping, cheese, Sweetcorn and Ham.

BANGERS & MASH

£4.50

V-vegetarian option available

Butchers own sausage served with fresh mashed potato, peas and gravy.

CODDIES £4.50

Cod fillet nuggets in a crumb coating the natural and healthy alternative to fish fingers served with chips and peas.

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Dishes from our main menu made smaller
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Gammon & Chips £6.50

Small piece of Gammon with
pineapple, chips and Peas.

Bacon and Blue cheese bowl £6.25

Pieces of crisp bacon, finished with a
crisp mixed salad, and drizzled with
blue cheese dressing.

Fish and Chips £7.25

Home beer battered fresh haddock,
served with chips, mushy peas and a
pot of homemade tartar sauce.

Pie of the Day £6.95

Made fresh daily using locally
sourced produce and usually served
with chips and vegetables, but please
let us know if you'd like a different
option.

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and crispy bacon on crisp mixed
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