

Breakfast served 8.30am – 10.30am
Food Served
Monday to Thursday 12.00pm – 8.30pm
Friday & Saturday 12.00pm – 9.00pm

Black Boys Hotel

Winter Menu

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Small Plates & Starters

Colchester Pyefleet Oyster with Shallot Vinaigrette
Served Over Crushed Ice (£3 Per Oyster)

Thai Sweet Potato Soup
with Charred Garlic & Coriander Naan Bread £8.95

Buttered Chicken Liver Parfait
with Toasted Brioche, Cornichons, Truffle Honey
& Balsamic Onions £13.95

Tandoori Spiced Paneer Skewers with Saag Aloo,
Spianch Bhaji & Mango Chutney Mayonnaise £12.95

Black Boys Smorgasboard, Citrus Cured
Gravadlax, Smoked Mackerel Pate on Crostini,
Mini Prawn & Crayfish Cocktail, Colchester
Pyefleet Oyster & Salt & Pepper King Prawns
with Toasted Rye Bread, Beetroot Relish
& Pickled Cucumber £18.95

Seared Shetland King Scallops, Crispy Pork
Belly, Black Pudding Bon Bons,
Apple Gel, Peashoot Salad £16.50

Sticky Nam-Jim Crispy Chilli Beef
with Edamame Beans, Radish, Cucumber,
Coriander & Bean Sprouts
with Caramelised Sesame Peanuts £13.95
Peter Loose's Brancaster Moules Mariniere with
Warm Bread (Starter) £12.95 OR with French
Fries & Garlic Mayonnaise (Main Course) £21.95
Caramelised Red Onion, Roasted Fig,
Balsamic Shallots & Roasted Beetroot
with Burella in a Puff Pasrty Case (Vegan) £12.95

Meat & Fish

Moroccan Spiced Leg of Lamb Steak with Honey & Cumin Roasted Carrots, Herbed Cous Cous with Rasins & Toasted Almonds,
Mint & Pomegranate Salad & Harrisa Yoghurt £25.95

Creamy Tuscan Style Salmon on Pappardelle Pasta with Sunblushed Tomatoes, Spinach & Parmesan £24.95

Parma Ham Wrapped Roasted Monkfish Tail with Herb Crushed New Potatoes, Fine Green Beans, Brancaster Mussel & Saffron Cream Sauce £28.95

Mushroom & Blue Cheese Crusted Pork Tomahawk Steak with Caramelised Onion Mash, Roasted Tenderstem Broccoli & Blue Cheese Cream £29.95

Garlic & Rosemary Chargrilled Barnsley Lamb Chop, Crushed Peas, Rosemary Oil Mashed Potato, Smoked Bacon Lardons & Salsa Verdi £26.95

Mushroom, Spinach, Shallot, Garlic, Mozzarella & Truffle Stuffed Chicken Ballotine on Parmentier Poatoes & Creamy Mushroom Sauce £24.95

Roasted Fillet of Hake on N'duja Parmentier Potatoes, Baby Spinach, Saffron Aioli & Crispy Squid £24.95

Black Boys Hotel Classics

Local Ale Battered Fillet of Cod
with Home Cut Chips, Minted Mushy Peas
& Homemade Tartare Sauce £20.95

Mixed Fish & Smoked Fish Pie Topped
with Hot Roast Salmon & Parmesan
Crusted Mashed Potato, Seasonal Vegetables £23.95

Local Ale Battered King Prawn Tails,
Home Cut Chips, Garden Peas & Mixed Salad £20.95

Black Boys Steak & Ale Suet Pudding,
Roasted Carrot & Tenderstem Broccoli,
Creamy Mashed Potato & Red Wine Gravy £20.95

Thai Style Red King Prawn & Squid Curry
with Steamed Coconut & Spring Onion Jasmine Rice
& Crispy Prawn Gyoza's £25.95

BBQ Whole Rack of Baby Back Pork Ribs with Sea
Salted French Fries & Homemade Coleslaw £24.95

Creamy Beef Fillet & Wild Mushroom Stroganoff
on Garlic Roasted Tender Stem Broccoli,
Buttery Mashed Potato & Garlic Dough Balls £24.95
Grilled Wing of Lowestoft Caught Skate with Caperberry
Butter, New Potatoes & Fine Green Beans **OR** Local Ale
Battered with Chips & Mushy Peas £26.95
Thai Basil Beef Stir-Fry with Ginger, Garlic & Chilli Jasmine
Rice Topped with a Crispy Fried Egg, Sesame & Honey
Roasted Peanuts & Salt & Pepper Prawn Crackers £26.95

Burgers & Grill

Chargrilled Local 10oz Sirloin Steak
with Garlic & Rosemary Grilled Beef Tomato
& Portabello Mushroom, Onion Rings,
Sea Salt Thick Cut Chips £32.95

Chargrilled Local 8oz Fillet Steak
with Garlic & Rosemary Grilled Beef Tomato
& Portabello Mushroom, Sundried Tomato,
Parmesan & Rocket Salad, Sea Salt Chips
& Beer Battered Onion Rings £36.95

Cajun Marinated Swannington 10oz Flat Iron Steak
with Classic Caesar Style Salad, Cajun Spiced Fries
& Cucumber & Jalapeno Cabbage Coleslaw £25.95

Buttermilk Chicken Burger with Smoked Streaky
Bacon, Buffalo Sauce, Pickled Red Onions
& Blue Cheese with Sweet Potato Fries,
Chilli & Lime Slaw £22.95

Black Boys 8oz Aberdeen Angus Burger with
Smoked Streaky Bacon, Swiss Cheese, Lettuce,
Sliced Tomato & Gherkins, House Made Burger
Sauce, French Fries & Onion Rings £19.95
(DOUBLE STACK YOUR BURGER FOR £4.50)
(ADD BBQ PULLED PORK £3.50)
Steak Sauces & Sides
Pink Peppercorn Sauce £3.95
Binham Blue Cheese Sauce £3.95
Katsu Curry Sauce £3.95
Fried Free Range Hens Eggs £3.95

Vegetarian/Vegan

General Tso's Cauliflower with Sesame & Chilli on Steamed Spring Onion Jasmine Rice,
Salt & Pepper Tenderstem Broccoli & Mini Spring Rolls (Vegan) £18.95

Crispy Mac 'N' Cheese Croquette Burger with Melted Cheddar, Crispy Onions
& Sticky Smoked BBQ Sauce, Shredded Gem Lettuce & Pickled Red Onions
with BBQ Ranch Slaw & Sweet Potato Fries £18.95

Wild Mushroom, Spinach, Parmesan & Garden Pea Orzo Pasta
with Garlic & Herb Dough Balls £18.95

Harrisa Aubergine Pilaf, Coriander Falafel, Toasted Garlic & Coriander Naan Bread
& Tandoori Hummus (Vegan) £18.95

Sides

Thick Cut Chips or Fries £5.95
Cheesy Chips or Fries £6.50
Sweet Potato Fries £6.95
Local Ale Battered Onion Rings £4.95
Garlic Ciabatta Loaf £5.95
Mixed Salad or Mixed Vegetables £5.95
Bread, Olives and Hummus £6.95
Truffle and Parmesan Fries £6.95
Crispy Halloumi Fries and Sweet Chilli Jam £7.95
Chips & Katsu Curry Sauce £6.95
Braised Red Cabbage £5.95

FOOD ALLERGIES & INTOLERANCES - All of our food is prepared in a kitchen where nuts, cereals containing gluten and other allergens are prepared and our menu descriptions do not include all ingredients. Please ask a member of staff if you require assistance.

Lighter Lunches (available 12.00 - 5.00 Monday - Saturday)

- Char Siu Pork Belly Bao Buns with Pickled Cucumber, Red Onion & Mint Salad
- Honey & Mustard Glazed Ham, Free Range Eggs & Thick Cut Chips
- Swine Fries - BBQ Pulled Pork Loaded Fries, BBQ Sauce, Blue Cheese Sauce, Crumbled Blue Cheese & Slaw
- Creamy Fajita Chicken Pasta with Red Peppers, Spring Onion & Coriander & Spicy Sweetcorn Fritters
- Creamy Garlic Wild Mushrooms on Toasted Ciabatta with Crispy Hens Egg, Wild Rocket & Parmesan
- Crispy Buffalo Chicken Wings with Blue Cheese Dip & Celery
- Cod Tacos with Mango Salsa, Gem Lettuce & Lime & Chilli Mayonnaise

Fresh Filled Hot Toasted Sandwiches

- On White or Granary Bread & All Served with Salad and Coleslaw
- Crispy Fish Finger, Homemade Tartare Sauce & Wild Rocket
- BBQ Pulled Pork, Smoked Cheddar, Pickled Red Onions, Gherkins & Crispy Onions
- Monterey Jack Cheese & Creamy Wild Mushrooms with Shredded Gem Lettuce

Filled Warm Wraps All served with Salted French Fries

- Crispy Halloumi, Chilli Jam, Rocket
- Hot Smoked Caesar Salmon & Parmesan
- Korean Kimchi & Pork Belly with Gochujang Mayonnaise
- Sticky Sweet Chilli Marinated Beef

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Children's Menu

(Children under 14 only)

- Breaded Chicken Nuggets with French Fries & Baked Beans £9.95
- Stone Baked Margherita Pizza £9.95
- Traditional Sausages & Mash with Peas £9.95
- Battered Fish and Thick Cut Chips with Peas £9.95
- Pasta Bolognese & Garlic Bread OR Green Pesto Pasta with Garlic Bread £9.95
- Swannington Cheeseburger & French Fries OR Chicken Burger with Cheddar & French Fries £9.95
- Grilled Fillet of Salmon with New Potatoes and Broccoli £9.95

Wine List

White wine

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
Light, Refreshing White Wines				
Pinot Grigio, "San Antonio" Italy 🍷🍷	£5.10	£6.90	£9.70	£27.50
Picpoul de Pinet Sélection, Cave de l'Ormarine France 🍷	£6.00	£8.20	£11.50	£33.00
Sauvignon Blanc, Allan Scott Estate New Zealand 🍷🍷	£6.50	£8.90	£12.50	£36.00
Bacchus Fumé, Flint Vineyard England 🍷🍷				£36.00
Medium Weight White Wines				
Chardonnay "Mr Goose Esq" Australia	£5.20	£7.05	£9.85	£28.00
Sauvignon Blanc/Vermentino "Côté Mas" France 🍷	£5.35	£7.25	£10.20	£29.00
Vouvray sec, Domaine Vieux Vauvert France	£5.85	£7.95	£11.20	£32.00
Full Bodied White Wines				
Gardenia Blanco, Familia Torres Spain 🍷	£5.85	£7.95	£11.20	£32.00
Viognier, Château Burgozone Bulgaria 🍷🍷				£34.00
Chablis, Domaine de la Motte France				£44.00
Pouilly-Fumé "les Ombelles", Sauvion France				£46.00

Rosé wine

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
Pinot Grigio Rosé, "San Antonio" Italy 🍷🍷	£4.85	£6.55	£9.20	£26.00
Blush Zinfandel "Hawkes Peak" USA 🍷🍷	£4.95	£6.70	£9.35	£26.50
Côtes de Provence Rosé "Mimi", Vins-Breban France 🍷	£7.20	£9.85	£13.85	£40.00

We will try to provide you with the stated vintage, should the vintage not be available we will provide a suitable alternative



Red wine

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
Lighter Style Red Wines				
Le Serin Old Vine Carignan France				£26.50
Pinot Noir, Frunza Romania 🍷🍷	£5.50	£7.50	£10.50	£30.00
Beaujolais Villages, Les Pivoines France 🍷🍷				£32.00
Valpolicella Classico, Tedeschi Lucchine Italy 🍷🍷				£36.00
Medium Bodied Red Wines				
Merlot "Caracara" Chile 🍷🍷	£5.10	£6.90	£9.70	£27.50
Shiraz "Mr Goose Esq" Australia	£5.50	£7.50	£10.50	£30.00
"Terra Boa" Old Wines, Bacalhoa Portugal 🍷🍷				£31.50
Laztana Reserva Rioja DOCa, Bodega Olarra Spain 🍷🍷	£6.20	£8.45	£11.85	£34.00
Full, Rich Red Wines				
Cabernet Sauvignon, Ordinal, Côtes de Thau France 🍷	£5.85	£7.95	£11.20	£32.00
Primitivo "Borgo dei Trulli" Salento Italy 🍷🍷				£32.00
Malbec "Zapa" Estate Argentina	£6.35	£8.65	£12.20	£35.00
Château Corbin, Montagne St Emilion France				£55.00

Sparkling and Champagnes

	125ml	Bottle
Prosecco Spumanté "Borgo Alato" Italy 🍷🍷	£7.50	£32.00
'Cecilia" Sparkling Brut, Allan Scott New Zealand 🍷🍷		£45.00
Yellow Label Brut Veuve Clicquot France 🍷🍷		£75.00
Cuvée Rosé Laurent Perrier France 🍷🍷		£95.00

Dessert

	50ml	Bottle
Cadillac, Château Haut Mouleyre France	£5.20	£30.00
Mourvèdre "Late Harvest", Cline Cellars USA 🍷🍷	£7.20	£40.00