

Black Boys Hotel

Winter Menu

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

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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,
 Spinach Bhaji & Mango Chutney Mayonnaise £12.95

Small Plates & Starters

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 Marinere 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 Pastry 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 Potatoes & 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

Lighter Lunches

(available 12.00 - 5.00 Monday - Saturday)

Char Siu Pork Belly Bao Buns with Pickled Cucumber, Red Onion & Mint Salad	£14.95
Honey & Mustard Glazed Ham, Free Range Eggs & Thick Cut Chips	£13.95
Swine Fries - BBQ Pulled Pork Loaded Fries, BBQ Sauce, Blue Cheese Sauce, Crumbled Blue Cheese & Slaw	£15.95
Creamy Fajita Chicken Pasta with Red Peppers, Spring Onion & Coriander & Spicy Sweetcorn Fritters	£15.95
Creamy Garlic Wild Mushrooms on Toasted Ciabatta with Crispy Hens Egg, Wild Rocket & Parmesan	£14.95
Crispy Buffalo Chicken Wings with Blue Cheese Dip & Celery	£12.95
Cod Tacos with Mango Salsa, Gem Lettuce & Lime & Chilli Mayonnaise	£15.95

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	£11.95
Hot Smoked Caesar Salmon & Parmesan	£12.95
Korean Kimchi & Pork Belly with Gochujang Mayonnaise	£12.95
Sticky Sweet Chilli Marinated Beef	£12.95

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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

Light, Refreshing White Wines

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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

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

Lighter Style Red Wines

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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

Medium Bodied Red Wines

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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

	125ml	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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