

NORTHUMBRIAN CAMBRIDGE ASSOCIATION

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

County Hotel, Newcastle upon Tyne Friday, December 1, 2023 12.00 -3.00 pm

This year we have booked again for the County Hotel, on Neville Street, opposite Newcastle Central Station. This fine Grade 2 Listed Victorian hotel has preserved many of its original features, and, as last time, we will be dining in the beautiful County Suite, exclusively ours, together with its own bar, for the duration of the lunch. We will meet in the County Suite bar at 12.00 and lunch will be served in the adjacent dining room at 12.30.

The cost of the meal will be £32.00 per person for three courses. Drinks can be ordered at the bar (to be paid for separately) and/or with the waiting staff. If you would like to join us, please complete the booking slip below and return it by **Wednesday**, **October 18**, to:

Mrs Susan Austin 116 Queen's Road Whitley Bay NE26 3AU Tel.: 0191 2531269

Email: susanmaustin@hotmail.com

Advance payment (non-refundable; either by cheque or by direct payment into the NCA bank account) of £32.00 per person is required. We will also need **advance notice of your menu choices**; please use the booking form below to note your preferences. Cheques should be made out to Northumbrian Cambridge Association (full title; not NCA, please). Direct payment should be to: account name: Northumbrian Cambridge Association; Lloyds sort code 30 98 97 account number 87980962. Please include identification e.g. LUNCH/[YOUR SURNAME].

Bookings will be acknowledged by email when an email address is given, but if you would like to be notified by mail please include a stamped, addressed envelope.

Limited parking is available at the hotel (19 spaces), but further parking can be found either in the Station long-term car park or in the Times Square multi-storey beyond the Centre for Life. Probably the easiest way to arrive, however, is by bus or Metro.

Lunch Menu, County Hotel

~ STARTER ~

RED LENTIL & CHESTNUT SOUP (VE, GF)
CHICKEN LIVER PARFAIT Rhubarb Chutney, Brioche Toast
PRAWN COCKTAIL Iceberg Lettuce, Marie Rose Sauce, Brown Bread

\sim MAIN \sim

ROAST TURKEY CROWN Apricot & Chestnut Stuffing, Creamed Mash, Roast Potatoes,
Pigs In Blankets, Roasted Winter Root Vegetables
FILLET OF SALMON Crushed New Potatoes, Lemon Caper Sauce, Samphire (GF)
NUT ROAST Apricot & Chestnut Stuffing, Mash, Roast Potatoes, Roasted Winter Root Vegetables (VE,
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~ DESSERT ~

TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS PUDDING Brandy Sauce (V)
STICKY TOFFEE PUDDING Toffee Sauce, Vanilla Ice Cream (V)
SALTED CARAMEL CHOCOLATE BROWNIE Strawberry Coulis, Raspberry Sorbet (VE, GF)

Followed by Tea and Coffee

NORTHUMBRIAN CAMBRIDGE ASSOCIATION CHRISTMAS LUNCH 2023 - BOOKING FORM

Please reserve places for the Christmas Lunch on Friday, December 1, 2023 (12.00 for lunch at 12.30)
My/our payment of is being made by: cheque/direct payment to the new NCA account (delete as necessary)
Name(s):
Address:
Telephone No.:
Email address:
Names of Guest(s):
I/we would like, if possible, to sit near the following at the Lunch:
Map required? (please circle): YES NO
Stamped, addressed envelope enclosed (if postal reply required): YES NO
Special dietary requirements (vegetarian; other):
Menu choices. Please indicate your choices below. Each guest can choose one item from each of the 3

sections on the previous page, corresponding to Starter, Main Course, Dessert.

Name	Starter	Main Course	Dessert