

*"Where Pub means
Community"*



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Food / Tea and Drinks Menu

Separate Beer Menus are Available – Please ask your Server

Breakfast Kitchen Hours: Saturday 8am – 10am

Kitchen Hours: Sunday-Thursday 11am – 9:30pm, Friday-Saturday: 11am – 10:00pm

Bar Hours: Sat: 8am – close, Sun - Thu: 11am – 11pm, Fri: 11am-close

IMPORTANT NOTE FOR THOSE WITH GLUTEN ALLERGIES

We are happy to prepare fish batter using gluten-free ingredients. However, due to space constraints we are unable to fry the food in a separate fryer. In addition, wheat flour is used extensively in our kitchen and cross contamination is likely. We do not recommend those with Celiac disease or any other serious gluten allergy eat at our pub. Sorry.

OTHER IMPORTANT STUFF

Nursing mothers: We support the right of mothers to nurse their babies publicly in our restaurant. We ask that nursing mothers be discrete when possible and that other customers be respectful of this very important part of raising a baby!

Drinking and Driving: Please don't drink and drive! If you need a ride home PLEASE ask. Marcus will get out of bed and come down to drive you home if necessary – no charge. We will also get you a Uber at no charge if that works better!

Our Restaurant: All are welcome to imbibe at the Mucky Duck – regardless of sex, sexual orientation, race, gender, religious affiliation, political views etc. At the Mucky Duck, we believe that diversity is the spice of life. Hate has no place here!

Service / Food Quality: If everything is not up to par then PLEASE let somebody know and we will do our best to make it right. If you do not see dramatic improvements after saying something, then feel free to tell the world about it on your favorite social media channel!!

Sharing: We do not charge extra if you would like to share an entrée. However, please remember we are a locally-owned business and we're just trying to make a living!

Starters & Specialties

Tea & Scones (\$8). Discover the delights of South-West England. A scrumptious scone served with real Double Devonshire cream and strawberry jam along with your choice of a cup (\$8) or medium pot (\$10) of tea.

Scone (\$5).** Served with Double Devonshire cream and jam.

Crumpets (\$5).** Two crumpets toasted and served with jam and butter.

Scotch Egg (\$7). Delicious food and popular snack in the UK. A hard-boiled egg, wrapped in seasoned sausage, rolled in breadcrumbs and fried to perfection. Served hot or cold with a side of hot mustard or Branston. 

Sausage Rolls. Bite-sized portions of seasoned sausage wrapped in puff pastry. Try them with hot mustard or Branston pickle. Four for \$5 or eight for \$9.

Haggis and Mash Sampler (\$8). A combination of meats made from the heart, liver and kidney of a sheep cooked with oats and spices. Taste this small portion of haggis so you can say you have tried it!

English Poutine (\$10). Our Cornish pasty filling (seasoned ground beef and pork) over fries with melted cheddar and gravy. Absolutely delicious!

Breaded Cheese Curds or Hot Pepper Curds (\$8). Battered and fried cheese curds with ranch.

Breaded Mushrooms (\$8). Button mushrooms, battered, fried, and served with ranch dip or garlic mayo.

Bruschetta (\$8). Our own take on this Italian classic – six pieces. 

Chicken Mini Bites: Jalapeno Cheese or Cordon Bleu (\$7.50 for 6 or \$14 for 12).

Soup of the Day: Cup (\$5) / Bowl (\$7). A cup or bowl of our soup of the day.

Fish Chowder: Cup (\$5) / Bowl (\$8). Made with the same North Atlantic cod that we serve with the fish and chips... if you don't think you like fish chowder, try this!! 

Cheese Plate: Large (\$17) / Regular (\$12). A generous selection of imported cheeses served with crackers, pecans, dried apricots, olives and mango chutney. Each plate includes: Cheddar, Gouda and Cranberry Wensleydale plus an additional rotating cheese on the large plate. Add Stilton for \$2.

Lunch and Dinner

Fish & Chips (\$10/\$13/\$17.50). This is 'our thing.' Nothing comes close to the fantastic flavor of the North-Atlantic Cod that we serve here at the Duck! Battered using a simple flour-based recipe that does not mask the taste of the fish! Please note, portion sizes will vary a little! Available extra-crispy on request but please remember, this is kind of like cooking a steak medium-well and above! 

New sizes: Regular (4-7 oz.) for \$10, Large (6-9 oz.) for \$13 and Catch-of-the-Day (9-12 oz.) for \$17.50.

Allergy note: Our fish batter can be made with gluten-free ingredients for \$1.50 extra – there may be a slight delay to your order. Please note, we do not use a separate fryer and cannot guarantee zero gluten in any of our food – cross contamination is likely due to the extensive use of wheat flour in our kitchen. Sorry.

Irish Stew (\$12). A Winter classic with beef and lamb and served with bread. 

Bangers & Mash (\$11). The last thing Marcus' beloved Grandma did was scratch down her banger recipe on one of Grandpa's rolling papers. Bless her!! Unfortunately, they tasted awful so Marcus - with the help of Mike's Meats in Carroll - came up with a new and much more delicious version! Two sausages served on a bed of mashed potatoes with a beef and onion gravy. The ultimate comfort food! A small portion is also available (\$8). 

Pasty (\$11). The original “to-go” food, [*pas-tee*] – delicious buttery pastry with a savory filling. Our house made pasty is served piping hot with your choice of side. Try one, they’re good!

Cornish Pasty ~ pork, beef, potatoes and onions in a buttery crust

Chicken & Cheese Pasty ~ chicken, potatoes, cheese and onions in a buttery crust

Vegetable & Cheese Pasty** ~ carrots, peas, potatoes, cheese and onions in a buttery crust



Haggis & Mash (\$12). The entrée-sized portion for those who know they like it! A combination of meats made from the heart, liver and kidneys of a sheep cooked with oats and spices.

Indian dishes – all served with Basmati rice

Chicken Curry (\$11). Curry is one of the most popular foods in Britain, so much so that it has become known as our national dish! Juicy meat and potatoes with diced tomato in a rich sauce served with Basmati rice.

Vegetarian Curry (\$10).** Made with zucchini, cauliflower, squash, potatoes, diced tomatoes and chickpeas. Served with Basmati rice.

Pork Vindaloo (\$12). Spicy Indian dish with pork and potatoes in a rich sauce over rice.

Chicken Tikka Masala (\$14). Marinated chicken in a rich, creamy and fairly-spicy curry gravy. An extremely popular dish in the UK! 



German Platter (\$15). Two German sausages, a pork schnitzel, mashed potato, red cabbage, sauerkraut and gravy. A new pub favorite! 

Shepherd’s Pie (\$10). A British/Irish classic! Ground beef and pork with potatoes, carrots and peas in a rich gravy topped with mash.

Sandwiches

***Burger (\$10).** Our hand-made burgers are seasoned using a special recipe that has been handed down for generations in the Johnson family.... just kidding... actually we just made it up but it is special and it really does make the burgers taste great!

***Cheeseburger (\$11).** Your choice of Cheddar, Swiss or Pepper Jack cheese.

***Bacon Cheese Burger (\$12).** Your choice of Cheddar, Swiss or Pepper Jack cheese.

Impossible Burger (Veggie Burger) (\$14). If you eat veggie burgers because you don’t like the taste of meat then DO NOT order this sandwich!  

Fish Sandwich (\$10). A generous portion of our fried cod served on a Kaiser bun.

Reuben Sandwich (\$12). A classic American pub sandwich! 

Tenderloin sandwich (\$11). Hand-breaded cooked from fresh and never frozen!

Chicken, Bacon, Swiss (\$12). A delicious sandwich!

Sides:

- Chips (steak fries)
- Mashed Potato
- M/Potato w/ Gravy
- Coleslaw
- Side Salad
- Heinz Baked Beans**
- Mushy Peas**
- Rice
- Steamed Veggies
- Red Cabbage
- Sauerkraut

Substitute Sides:

- Cheese Curds +\$4
- Mushrooms +\$3.50
- Cup of soup +\$2

Extras:

- Beef Gravy \$0.75
- Gravy w/ Onion \$0.75
- Curry Sauce \$2.50
- Tartar \$0.25
- Colman’s \$0.25
- Branston \$0.50
- HP Sauce \$0.50

Salad Dressings:

- Ranch, Blue Cheese,
- Balsamic Vinaigrette,
- Raspberry Vinaigrette,
- French, Honey
- Mustard or Italian.

Battered Banger (\$9/\$12). One or two of our bangers, battered and fried, served with your choice of side.

Steak and Guinness Pie (\$12). Beef cooked in a rich Guinness gravy with potatoes and vegetables and topped with puff pastry. Includes your choice of side.

Grilled Chicken Salad (\$9). Lettuce, grilled chicken, onions, tomatoes, cucumber, egg, cheese and croutons.

Dinner Salad (\$7). Lettuce with onions, tomatoes, cucumber, cheese, egg and croutons.

À la carte (extras)

Banger (\$3), Battered banger (\$4), Large fried fish fillet (\$10)[†], Regular fish fillet (\$5)[†]



†If ordered with a FULL Fish & Chips for the SAME person prices are Full Fish (\$6), Half (\$4).

**Suitable for vegetarians / *We will prepare beef products medium rare if requested, but consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish or eggs may increase your risk of food-borne illness.



Kids Menu – All (\$6) for 10 Years and Under

Kids Banger / Chicken Nuggets / Fish Nuggets / Kids Burger / Grilled Cheese
(served with chips (fries) or mashed potato)

Kid's drinks (in cup with lid): Soda/Squash – (\$1). 16 oz. Milk/Chocolate Milk (\$2.50)

Welsh Dragon – A Shirley Temple, with a difference (\$2).

Desserts

Sticky Toffee Pudding (\$7). A flavorful steamed cake with homemade toffee sauce and ice cream.

Spotted Dick (\$7). A traditional British pudding (steamed cake), served with ice cream. Not vegetarian!

Dessert of the Day (\$5). Ask your server about the dessert of the day! Add a scoop of ice cream for a Dollar!

Ice cream (\$3). Two scoops of Vanilla ice-cream. Ask about chocolate or caramel syrup!

Beverages

(free refills on fountain drinks and hot water for tea. Additional tea bags \$0.25 and scoops of loose tea \$0.50)

Fountain drinks (\$2). Coke, Diet Coke, 7-Up, Mountain Dew, Dr. Pepper, Lemonade,
Raspberry Iced Tea (fountain), Orange Juice.

Millstream Bottles (\$3). Millstream Root Beer and Cream Soda. *No refills, sorry.*

Iced Tea (\$2). Fresh brewed using PG Tips, unsweetened.

Specialty Iced Tea (\$3). Any of our loose teas, iced. Popular flavors include ginger peach, peach apricot and Darjeeling. Note: Takes 5-10 minutes to brew. Growler (54 oz) of specialty iced tea (\$8)[†]. Lg. cup of ice (\$1).

Imported drinks (subject to availability, no refills)

**Irn Bru (\$4), Barritts Ginger Beer (\$3), Barritts Diet Ginger Beer (\$3), Dandelion & Burdock (\$3),
Tango, Vimto, Lilt (\$3), Ribena (\$2.50), Orange Squash (\$2.50).**



Hot Tea. We have the following 'household' teas available: PG, PG Decaf, Yorkshire Gold, Barry's Classic.

Please also refer to our extensive list of loose teas at the back of this menu.

Quick 'cuppa' – a mug of tea (\$2.50), medium tea-pot (\$5), large tea pot (\$7)

Beer, wine and liquor – please refer to the 'Beer and Liquor' section of this menu and to the drinks and daily specials boards for additional choices.



The price of all alcoholic drinks includes sales tax at 7%. Sales tax is added to everything else.

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Loose Teas

Our specialty loose teas are available to drink either by the cup or by the pot. The Japanese option provides you with a pot and four cups – Japanese style (please see photograph at the end of the tea section). Additional hot water is free. Loose teas are also available iced. Our house iced tea costs \$2 with unlimited refills whereas our specialty iced tea is priced according to the matrix below, we make about ¾ of a pitcher for the price. If you want to share a pitcher of specialty iced tea then additional people need only pay \$2. All of our loose teas can also be purchased in bulk to take home.

Color Codes: Black teas in **BLACK**, green teas in **GREEN** and herbal teas **HERBAL**
White teas are in **WHITE**.

		TEA PRICING				
		\$	\$\$	\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$\$
SERVING SIZE	CUP	\$ 2.50	\$ 3.25	\$ 3.75	\$ 8.75	\$ 17.50
	MEDIUM POT	\$ 5.00	\$ 6.50	\$ 7.50	\$ 17.50	\$ 35.00
	LARGE POT	\$ 7.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 10.50	\$ 24.50	\$ 49.00
	2 OZ BULK	\$ 5.00	\$ 6.50	\$ 7.50	\$ 17.50	\$ 35.00
	4 OZ BULK	\$ 10.00	\$ 13.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 70.00

Notes that follow descriptions: Caffeine Content/Price 2oz /Antioxidant Level/Origin

e.g. **high/\$\$/med/Sri Lanka** **high caffeine, \$\$ price, medium antioxidant content from Sri Lanka**

2 Doves Silver Needle. A premium tea that has exquisite haunting hints of peach with a fresh lingering finish. This is one of China's best white teas. Low/\$\$\$\$\$/high/China

3 Flower Burst. Smooth and satisfying green tea notes. The peach character of osmanthus comes to the fore with hints of jasmine and lily. Low/\$\$\$/V. High/China

Akita Super Sencha. A full green tea character that personifies 'mouth-feel' with a delicious green vegetative finish. Low/\$\$\$/High/China (Hunan Province)

Almond Tea. Infuses with a pleasant nutty character that goes well with a dash of milk. Cup strikes a subtle balance between the sweetness of almond and the tea's natural astringency. Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka

Balinese Rainbow Jasmine Green Tea. Exotic full floral Jasmine layered with lush green notes. Long, delicately floral finish. Low/\$/High/China

Baroness Grey Tea. Excellent Earl Grey notes accented with piquant lemon. Lively and full flavored. Lemon peel, rose and cornflower petals add citrus and floral notes. Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka & China

Black Pearl Gunpowder. Burgundy-like opening followed by notes of honey and finishing with light toast. High/\$/Low/China.

Black Currant Tea. Deep black current aroma and flavor. Just imagine a currant bush full of berries! Stunning as an iced tea. Med/\$/AL High/Sri Lanka

Blueberry Tea. Intoxicating blueberry aroma and sprightly full flavor of the tiny wild blueberry. Excellent over ice or served hot with a pinch of sugar. Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka

Borengajuli FBOP (Assam). Malty with a jammy-like flavor best describes this premium tea. The tea is vacuum-packed at the estate capturing the pungent 2nd flush flavor at its peak. Med/\$/V. High/India

Cardamom. The true candy-like spice character of the cardamom comes through in the cup. Lovely aroma! Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka, Kenya, India.

Chamomile Lemon Grass. Light and flavorful lemon character tempered with hints of fresh apple and chamomile. Very refreshing! None/\$/Low/Egypt & Thailand

Chocolate Mint Tea. Fresh lively mint with full flavored chocolate tea. Wonderfully reminiscent of an after-dinner mint. How decadent! Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka

Cinnamon. Mildly spicy with red heart cinnamon flavor. A refreshing and tongue-tickling tea. Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka & Vietnam

Cranberry Apple. Full flavored and pungent with a rich fruity character. Add a cinnamon stick or a few cloves for an exotic mulled spiced tea. None/\$/Low/Canada, USA, Thailand & Spain

Cream Earl Grey. A must for the avid Earl Grey tea drinker! Our flavory Earl Grey mellowed with a delicious creamy taste. An excellent all day tea with a superb finish.. Med/\$/Very High/Sri Lanka (Nuwara Eliya, Dimbula and Uva)

Earl Grey Tea. An unbelievable aroma that portends an unbelievable taste. We have been told repeatedly: "This is the best Earl Grey I have ever tasted!" Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka

English Breakfast Tea. A perfect breakfast tea with good body and full tea flavor notes. Coppery bright – especially enticing with milk. Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka & Kenya & India

English Breakfast Tea (Decaf). A full bodied tea with some fruity notes. CO₂ Removed/\$/Med/Sri Lanka

Formosa Oolong . Smooth and slightly sweet; toasty with a touch of dryness. Enjoyed best with company. Low/\$/High/Taiwan

Genmaicha Yamasaki. Light, golden yellow liquor with a unique, toasty rice flavor tending sweet. A tea that creates conversation. Low/\$/High/China

Ginger Tea. Memories of fresh ginger root; piquant, spicy and fruity. A refreshing and clean taste to the palate. Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka (Nuwara Eliya, Dimbula, Uva)

Ginger Peach Tea. The piquant and spicy character of ginger is mellowed with the sweet character of peaches. Try it iced and become a believer! Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka

Huh? Now I remember (a tea for memory). Lovely soft notes of fruit with an astringent rosemary finish. Ingredients: Rosehip, Bilberry leaves, Rosemary, Green Mate, Tulsi leaves, Orange peel, Natural flavors (Organic Compliant). Low/\$/Low/Germany, Turkey, France, Brasil, Spain

Irish Breakfast Tea. A stout robust blend of February Kenya BPI and 2nd flush Assam. Superb color and very full bodied. Excellent in the early morning or afternoon. Med/\$/High/Kenya & India

Kambaa BPI (Kenyan). This Kenyan tea has a very malty flavor that has light hints of currant. With milk the cup is bright golden and inviting. Med/\$/High/Kenya

Kirkoswold FBOP (Ceylon). Good leaf appearance and full bodied with lovely flavor. The cup is coppery bright with golden notes. Med/\$/High/Sri Lanka