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at The Merchant Hotel

Festive Edition



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Our Festive Afternoon Tea contains the sweet and perfectly ripe fruits of the winter season beautifully paired with a selection of warming spices.

Head Pastry Chef Sarah - Jade Jamison's concept features three delicately crafted highlights, each containing a host of festive flavours and ingredients. Guests can expect notes of spiced ginger, mulled fruit, dark chocolate and cherry as they sample, what we think, are some of the best offerings of the winter months.

All this sits beautifully alongside our freshly baked scones with clotted cream and jam, a selection of delicate finger sandwiches, and an array of carefully selected teas, to bring you an unparalleled afternoon tea experience.

Merchant Afternoon Tea

The Merchant Hotel's Afternoon Tea served with finger sandwiches, scones, a delicious selection of seasonal patisseries and sweet treats and your choice of tea or coffee.

MONDAY - SUNDAY
49.50

Prosecco Afternoon Tea

Enjoy our Merchant Afternoon Tea accompanied by your choice of the following:

- One glass of Valdo Origine Prosecco
- A 250ml bottle of 'Merchant Darjeeling Rose Bellini' non-alcoholic sparkling tea infusion
- A 200ml bottle of non-alcoholic sparkling wine

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58.50

Cocktail Afternoon Tea

Enjoy our Merchant Afternoon Tea accompanied by one of our expertly crafted Afternoon Tea cocktails. Please ask your server for seasonal options.

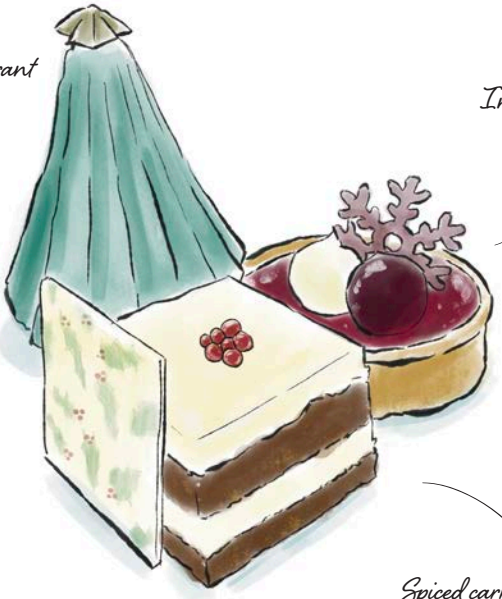
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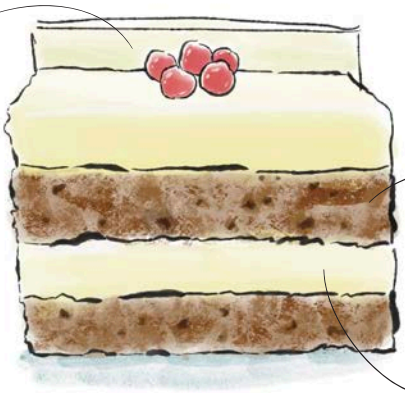
Champagne Afternoon Tea

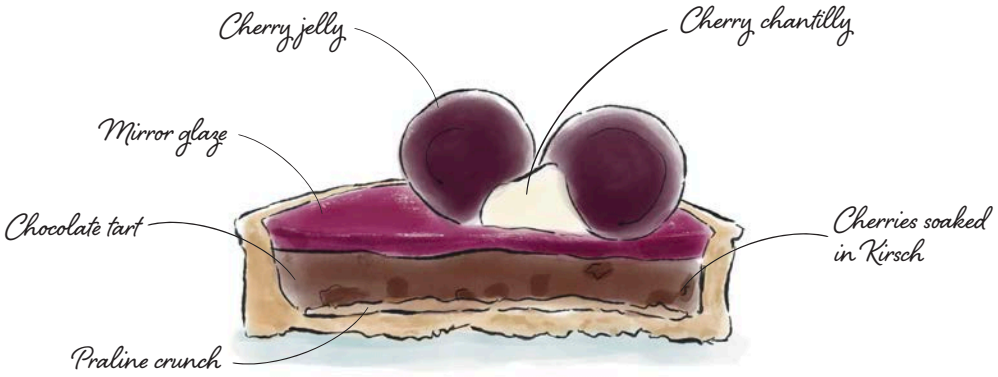
Enjoy our Merchant Afternoon Tea accompanied by one glass of Taittinger Brut Réserve or Forget-Brimont Premier Cru Brut Rosé NV.

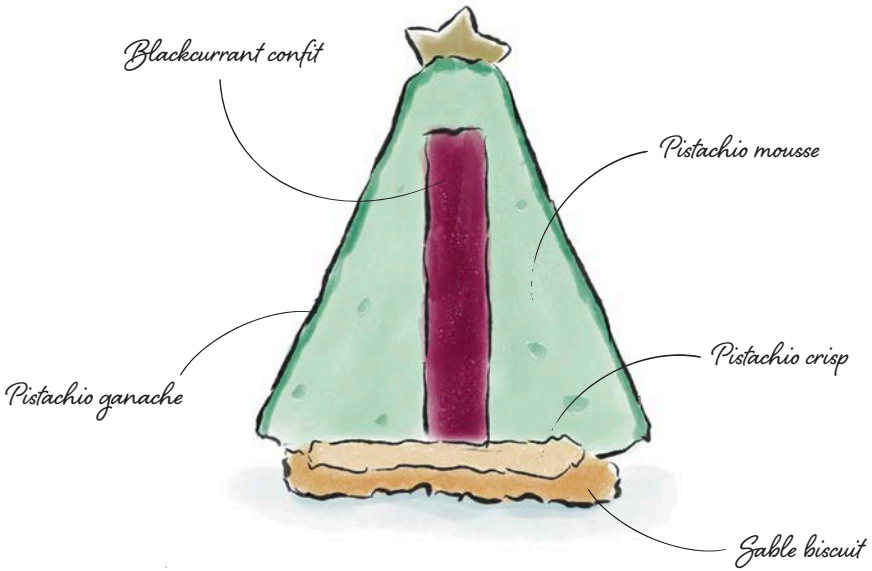
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Please advise your server of any food allergies. We cannot guarantee that our dishes will be completely allergen free. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to your bill.


Pistachio and blackcurrant Christmas tree
Intense dark chocolate and cherry tart
Spiced carrot cake with a Valrhona Ivoire frosting


White chocolate decoration
Spiced carrot cake sponge
Ivoire and crème fraîche crémeux


Cherry jelly
Cherry chantilly
Mirror glaze
Chocolate tart
Cherries soaked in Kirsch
Praline crunch


Blackcurrant confit
Pistachio mousse
Pistachio ganache
Pistachio crisp
Sable biscuit

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SANDWICHES

Glazed roast gammon, clove, maple syrup butter

Turkey, chestnut stuffing, cranberry sauce

Ewing's smoked salmon, citrus chive cream cheese

Irish beef pastrami, horseradish mayonnaise, tomato, cos lettuce

Free-range egg, petit salad

BAKERY

Mince pies

Christmas cake

Gingerbread men

Mulled fruit scones

PATISSERIE

Spiced carrot cake with Valrhona Ivoire frosting

Intense dark chocolate and cherry tart

Pistachio and blackcurrant Christmas tree

Teas the Season...

An elegant tea should be at the heart of your Afternoon Tea experience. From our ever-changing seasonal highlights to our brisk and refreshing Merchant Blend, you will find teas to suit all tastes in our extensive selection.

SEASONAL HIGHLIGHTS

Bramble

Taste: Blackberry, lemon, tartness.

A full-flavoured, fruity tea inspired by the classic Bramble cocktail.

Mince Pie

Taste: Rich, spiced, light.

A delicious fruit-filled tea rich with fig, cinnamon and orange flavours blended with a great Ceylon tea.

Spiced Citrus

Taste: Warming, citrus, rich.

A harmonious comforting blend perfect for chilly afternoons in cosy surroundings.

Merchant Tea Caddy

15.00

Enjoy our Signature Blend Merchant Tea from the comfort of your home or give the gift of exquisite tea to someone special with a Merchant Tea Caddy.

Please ask your server for more details.

BLACK TEAS

Fairtrade Signature Blend

Taste: Full-flavoured, brisk, punchy.

An East African, whole leaf classic all day blend.

Earl Grey Blue Flower

Taste: Rounded, delicate, citrus.

Sicilian bergamot gently blended with black tea and stunning blue cornflowers.

Darjeeling Second Flush

Taste: Sweet, floral, honeyed.

A Himalayan second flush grade FTGFOP1 - the Champagne of Indian tea.

Mint Choc Chai

Taste: Chocolate, sweet mint, spice.

A decadent blend of spicy chai, chocolate and fresh mint. Smooth and creamy, an indulgent treat for the senses.

Darling Grey

Taste: Dry, lemon, citrus.

A refreshing and intense twist on the classic Earl Grey, with addental lemon citrus twist.

GREEN TEAS

Organic Green Tea Sencha

Taste: Delicate, citrus, refreshing.

A needle-like leaf which is steamed to keep the freshness in.

Green Lemon Tea

Taste: Sweet, lemon, zesty.

Lemon brightens the subtle notes of green tea.
A sunny brew with citrus aromas and fresh lemon peel.

BOTANICAL AND HERBAL TEAS

Organic Whole Peppermint

Taste: Tingling, fresh, aromatic.

Whole peppermint for a purifying and awakening cup.

Pineapple Peach

Taste: Fruity, delicate, citrus.

Sun-ripened peach meets golden pineapple
in this vibrant blend. Naturally sweet and tropical.

Apple Loves Mint

Taste: Sweet, papaya, minty.

Apple to start followed by papaya sweetness, a hint of rose
and refreshing minty finish.

Coffee Selection

Pot of Filter Coffee
Americano
Espresso

