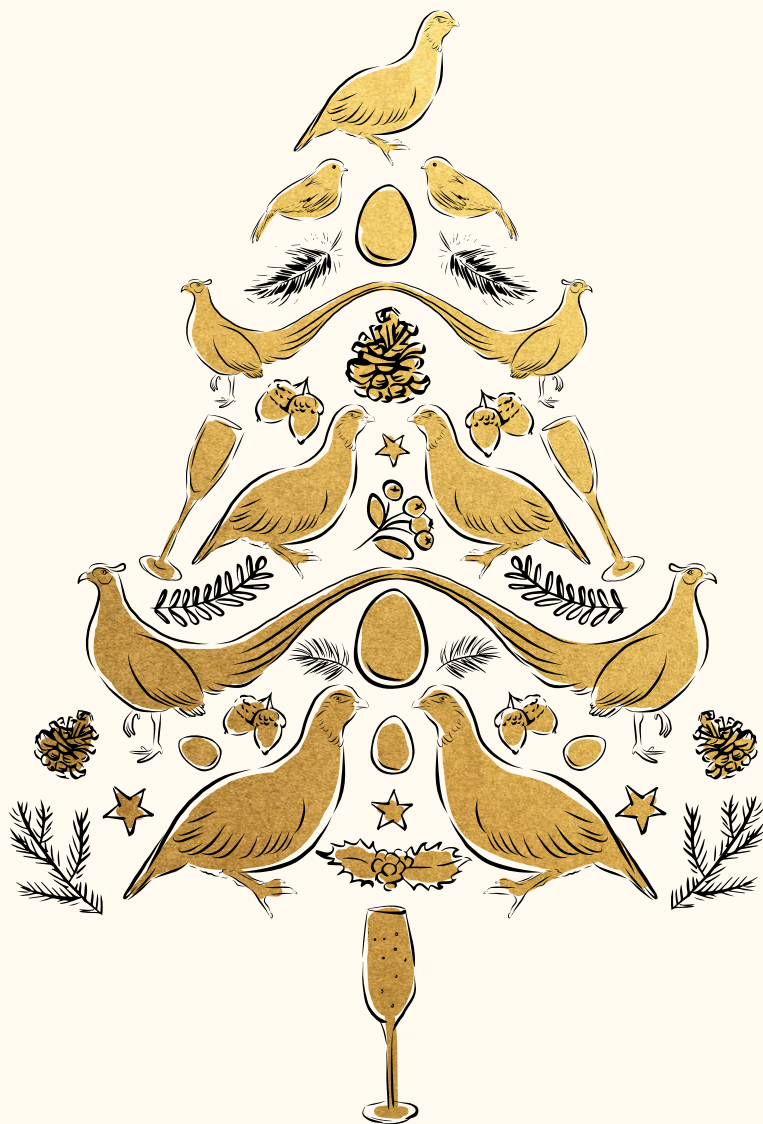


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Christmas 2022





THE MERCHANT HOTEL

CHRISTMAS SEASON 2022

This Christmas at The Merchant Hotel, we have a wealth of indulgent experiences including: sumptuous overnight stays, seasonal afternoon teas and fabulous celebrations to ensure your Christmas is truly magical.

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UNPARALLELED ELEGANCE,
UNFORGETTABLE INDULGENCE.





MERCHANT GIFT CARDS

ONE LUXURY GIFT, COUNTLESS POSSIBILITIES

A Merchant gift card will guarantee a smile on Christmas Day and help to create a memory to last a lifetime. We now offer e-vouchers* for experiences as well as gift cards for monetary values that can be used throughout the hotel.

Here are some ideas to get you started...

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| • Cocktails in our world class Cocktail Bar | • A romantic weekend package for two people |
| • Afternoon Tea in The Great Room Restaurant | • A mouth-watering à la carte dining experience for two in The Great Room Restaurant |
| • A luxurious treatment in The Spa at The Merchant Hotel | • An overnight stay in one of our elegantly appointed bedrooms |
| • Dinner in Berts Jazz Bar | |
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Please note that all gift cards and e-vouchers are value-specific and costs will depend upon the rates, menus or other prices on the day of booking.

*E-vouchers can only be purchased on The Merchant Hotel website www.themerchanthotel.com/gift-cards. E-vouchers are only available in electronic format and cannot be posted by the hotel. Monetary gift cards can be purchased in person at reception, over the phone by calling 028 9023 4888, or online as above.

Terms & Conditions

The Merchant Hotel will not accept liability for lost, stolen or damaged cards. Gift cards cannot be exchanged for cash, returned or refunded. The Merchant Hotel reserves the right to cancel the card if we deem such action necessary. Room reservations must be made directly with the hotel and the gift card number stated at the time of booking. Gift cards can be redeemed for goods and services throughout The Merchant Hotel, excluding Art Loves and Pride & Pinion. Our gift cards no longer have an expiry date. E-voucher 'experiences' are valid for 24 months from date of purchase. Thereafter they will convert into their monetary equivalent at the time of purchase, and a supplement may apply to match the price of the experience at the time of claiming.





THE COCKTAIL BAR

With its roaring fire, and scents of whiskey and cinnamon in the air – The Cocktail Bar at The Merchant Hotel is the perfect place to be when “the weather outside is frightful!”

With an extensive classic cocktail list and a vast selection of wines and spirits, alongside a simple yet elegant food menu, The Merchant Cocktail Bar is the ideal destination for you to relax and unwind during December. Our knowledgeable staff are on hand to assist with recommendations and to answer any questions you may have about our food and drinks offerings.

We have a range of port and whiskey tasting flights available in the Cocktail Bar throughout the festive season. **For the perfect Christmas gift, our tasting flights are also available as e-vouchers.**



OPENING TIMES

The Cocktail Bar is open every day (except Christmas Day when it is exclusively for guests of the hotel).





PRIVATE EVENT SPACES

With a number of special festive event spaces available, The Merchant Hotel can accommodate a wide variety of festive celebrations.

We also offer a variety of exclusive dining options with a choice of gourmet lunch and dinner menus.

Let us tailor-make your perfect festive event, such as a cocktail, Champagne and canapé reception. Or why not theme your event and choose your own bespoke design?

Our Events Space features six private event rooms, a selection of menus and complimentary room hire for private dinner parties of 10 or more.

WINTER WOODLAND ROOF GARDEN

What better way to enjoy the festive season and the best of winter than an event in our Winter Woodland themed Roof Garden - perfect for quirky private parties, corporate events and wedding celebrations with a difference!

◦ WINTER WOODLAND ◦

From £47.50 per person to include drinks reception, finger food and private hire.

Winter Woodland will open its doors in November 2022 and close again in March 2023.



Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu is available on request. Other dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. For further information please contact our Events Team on 028 9026 2717 or events@themerchanthotel.com





THE GREAT ROOM RESTAURANT

Celebrate Christmas in Belfast's most elegant dining room, under the magnificence of our 150-year-old glass cupola, graced by our spectacular Tyrone Crystal chandelier and iconic Christmas tree.

The Great Room Restaurant can accommodate parties from two to eighty guests and our mouth-watering three course festive menu is sure to appeal to all tastes.

LUNCH*

Monday to Wednesday.....	£46.50
Thursday and Friday.....	£56.50
Sunday.....	£53.50

Lunch sittings

Monday to Friday
12pm - 2.30pm | 3pm - 5.30pm

**Lunch is not served on
Saturdays but is replaced
by Festive Afternoon Tea.*

DINNER

Monday to Wednesday.....	£56.50
Thursday to Saturday.....	£66.50
Sunday.....	£53.50

Dinner sittings

Monday to Saturday
6pm - 8.30pm | 9pm - late

Sunday sittings

All day dining from
12.30pm - 8.30pm

AVAILABLE FROM THURSDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2022

Menu available on page 12

Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu is available on request. Other dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. A non-refundable deposit of £20 per person applies to all lunch bookings and £30 per person applies for all dinner bookings.

Tasting menu not available in December. For further information, please contact our Christmas

Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.





THE GREAT ROOM RESTAURANT

CHRISTMAS SET MENU

STARTER

Soup

Celeriac and truffle

Smoked organic salmon

Pickled beetroot, radish,
caviar butter sauce

Venison ballotine

Spiced pears, quince
purée, sourdough

Irish scallops

Cauliflower, crispy
parsnips, chestnuts

Seared quail breast

Tagliatelle, young spinach,
carbonara sauce

MAIN

Roasted monkfish

Braised savoy cabbage,
Pommery mustard velouté

Irish beef fillet

Rosemary potato gratin,
heritage carrots, onion
purée

Turkey Wellington

Confit leg, crushed root
vegetables, sage and
chestnut stuffing

Glazed Iberico pork

Spiced apple, Clonakilty
black pudding, winter
squash

Roasted cauliflower steak

Toasted almonds, café
de Paris butter

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*All served with a selection
of potatoes and vegetables*

DESSERT

Valrhona

chocolate cake
Hazelnut, caramel

Orange crème brûlée

Cinnamon and pistachio
biscotti

Profiterole swans

Warm chocolate sauce,
vanilla ice cream

Brandy soaked Christmas pudding

Crème Anglaise

Selection of Irish and French cheese

Seasonal chutney,
crackers



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Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.





FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

Enjoy a delightful seasonal twist on our traditional Afternoon Tea. Our three-tiered silver stand boasts finger sandwiches, scones and a delicious selection of seasonal cakes and pastries, including mince pies and Christmas cake; all accompanied by your choice of tea or coffee. Festive Afternoon Tea will be served in The Great Room Restaurant, The Great Room Lobby and The Veuve Clicquot Champagne Lounge.

MONDAY TO SUNDAY

£44.50 per person with seasonal gift for every guest

First sitting.....12pm - 2.30pm

Second sitting.....3pm - 5.30pm

CHAMPAGNE FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

Including a glass of either Ruinart Brut or Forget-Brimont Rosé Champagne

MONDAY TO SUNDAY

£57.50 per person

SPECIAL PRICING APPLIES TO:

Christmas Eve.....see page 24

—○ AVAILABLE FROM THURSDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2022 ○—

Thursday 1ST December to Sunday 1ST January 2023
(excluding Christmas Day and Boxing Day).

Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu or gluten allergy afternoon tea is available on request. Dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. A non-refundable deposit of £20 per person applies to all Festive Afternoon Tea bookings. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. For bookings please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com





THE CLOTH EAR

In our cosy and welcoming public bar, our delicious, seasonal comfort food has made us a firm favourite for city dining. This Christmas we are offering a three course all-day festive menu for your enjoyment.

SUNDAY TO WEDNESDAY

Food served from 12pm - 9pm

À la carte menu is available for parties of twelve or less.

SEATING TIMES FOR THURSDAY TO SATURDAY

12pm - 2pm | 2.30pm - 5pm
5.30pm - 8pm | 8.30pm - close

Set menu is available for parties over twelve from £39.50 per person.

Menu available on page 18



Terms & Conditions

Reservations are only taken for parties of 4 guests and more, all other party sizes will be accommodated on a first come, first served basis. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills for parties of six or more. A non-refundable deposit of £20 per person applies to all bookings in The Cloth Ear.





THE CLOTH EAR

CHRISTMAS SET MENU

STARTER

Soup

Honey roasted parsnip,
sourdough bread

Prawn cocktail

Prawns, baby gem,
cucumber, lemon and
cayenne dressing,
wheaten bread

Goat's cheese

Baked goat's cheese and
hazelnut salad

Parfait

Chicken liver parfait
wheaten bread, onion
chutney

MAIN

Turkey roulade

Wrapped in Parma ham,
chipolatas, mash, roast
potatoes, seasonal
vegetables, cranberry
and gravy

Slow cooked Irish beef daube

Bourguignon jus, mash,
seasonal vegetable, roast
potatoes

Pan fried fillet of hake

White bean and chorizo
stew, buttered greens

Brie, chestnut and mushroom pie

Seasonal vegetables,
mash and roast potatoes

DESSERT

Christmas pudding

With brandy butter

Sticky toffee pudding

Toffee sauce and vanilla
ice cream

Chocolate brownie sundae

Salted caramel profiteroles



—◦ AVAILABLE FROM THURSDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2022 ◦—

Sunday - Wednesday | £39.50 per person

Thursday - Saturday | £44.50 per person

Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu is available on request. Other dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills for parties of six or more. A non-refundable deposit of £20 per person applies to all bookings. Management have the right to refuse admission. For further information please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.





BERTS JAZZ BAR

Berts Jazz Bar encapsulates the sleek elegance of the Art Deco era;
complemented by the very best in live jazz, fabulous cocktails
and mouth-watering food.

A French bistro style menu is partnered with an extensive drinks list and
exemplary service. Berts offers delicious lunch and dinner menus.

Lunch is available on Friday 9TH and from Friday 16TH onwards until Tuesday
January 3RD. Berts is available for private hire on selected dates for lunch only
(minimum thirty guests, please contact Christmas co-ordinators on
028 9026 2710 to book). Throughout December, à la carte dining
is available for parties of six or less.

Please see overleaf for our Christmas menu and sitting times.

—◦ AVAILABLE FROM THURSDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2022 ◦—

LIVE JAZZ

We will have live jazz every night in Berts

Sunday - Thursday.....8pm - 11pm

Friday and Saturday.....9pm - 12 midnight

Every Sunday.....2pm - 4pm

Please note our live jazz times over Christmas on
p22, p27, p32 and p34.

We will also have live jazz on:

Friday 9TH and Friday 16TH December.....2pm - 4pm

Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu is available on request. Other dietary requirements can be accommodated with
advance notice. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. A non-refundable deposit
of £20 per person applies to all bookings. For further information please contact our Christmas
Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.





BERTS JAZZ BAR

CHRISTMAS SET MENU

STARTER

Soup

Cauliflower cheese,
truffle oil, garlic croutons

Moules marinière

White wine, garlic
and cream velouté

Duck liver and orange pâté

Seasonal chutney,
sourdough bread

Chai poached pear salad

Halloumi fritters, candied
pecans, orange, pickled
radish

MAIN

Turkey roulade

Pork and sage stuffing,
hash brown potato,
parsnip purée, baby
carrot, jus

Quiche

Leek, goat's cheese,
sautéed garlic
mushrooms, chestnuts,
truffle

Cod

Saffron velouté, smoked
cod fishcake, basil
crushed peas, pickled
hen's egg

Beef bourguignon

Carrot purée, lardon
and pearl onion jus, confit
mushroom, pomme purée

DESSERT

Chocolate creme brûlée

Sea salt, hazelnut biscotti

Tarte tatin

Caramelised pear,
vanilla ice cream

Honey and thyme panna cotta

Lemon curd, apple
sorbet, gingernut crumb,
honeycomb

Cheeseboard

Selection of French
cheeses, crackers, grapes,
seasonal chutney, bread

THREE COURSE LUNCH

Monday to Thursday.....£45.00*

Friday and Saturday.....£55.00

THREE COURSE DINNER

Monday to Wednesday.....£46.50

Thursday.....£53.50

Friday and Saturday

First sitting 6pm.....£53.50

Second sitting 8.30pm.....£63.50

SUNDAY EVENINGS

À la carte menu available

CHRISTMAS EVE

À la carte menu 12pm - 4pm

Live jazz from 1pm - 5pm

* For parties of 8 or more. À la carte menu
available for parties of less than 8 people.





CHRISTMAS EVE

FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA IN THE GREAT ROOM RESTAURANT

FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

£59.50 per person | £39.50 per child (12 and under)

First sitting.....12.30pm - 2.30pm

Second sitting.....3pm - 5pm

Both sittings will include a visit from Santa Claus.

CHAMPAGNE FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

£72.50 per person

First sitting.....12.30pm - 2.30pm

Second sitting.....3pm - 5pm

Both sittings will include a visit from Santa Claus.



ENJOY LIVE MUSIC THROUGHOUT
THE AFTERNOON FROM THE
WELLINGTON MEMORIAL SILVER BAND



Terms & Conditions

Special dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. A non-refundable deposit of £20 per person applies to all Great Room Christmas Eve bookings. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. For bookings please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.



CHRISTMAS DAY

THE GREAT ROOM RESTAURANT

Join us for a sumptuous six course Christmas lunch in the stunning surroundings of The Great Room Restaurant. Enjoy a glass of bubbly on arrival, complemented by a selection of delicious canapés, before moving into The Great Room Restaurant for your meal.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Arrival between 1pm - 3pm

£295.00 per adult | £165.00 per child (12 years and under)



Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu and children's menu are available on request. Other dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. Full pre-payment will be required within 14 days of making provisional Christmas Day reservations in The Great Room Restaurant. For bookings please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.



CHRISTMAS DAY MENU

Canapés on arrival

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Amuse-bouche

Artichoke and winter truffle velouté

STARTER

Dressed crab

Pickled celeriac, green apple, fennel purée

Confit duck terrine

Orange, glazed fig, brioche

Organic smoked salmon

Imperial Caviar, buck wheat blini, crème fraîche

MAIN

Served with a selection of seasonal vegetables and potatoes for the table

Traditional turkey

Glazed ham, chestnut stuffing, sage jus

Truffle glazed turbot

Charred leeks, salsify, violet artichokes

Roast Irish beef fillet

Braised beef shin pithivier, peppered jus

Champagne sorbet

DESSERT

Mont Blanc yule log

Clementine compote

Spiced poached pear

Pistachio, chocolate sauce

Apple and quince tart tatin

Vanilla cremeux, ice cream

IRISH CHEESE

Seasonal chutney, Merchant crackers

Tea and coffee • Mini mince pies and petit fours





CHRISTMAS DAY

BERTS JAZZ BAR

Transport yourself back to the Art Deco glamour of 1930s New York this Christmas Day and enjoy a mouth-watering six course menu created by Michael Weber, Head Chef in Berts Jazz Bar.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Arrival between 1pm - 2pm.

Accompanied by live jazz from 2pm - 4pm.

£225.00 per adult | £125.00 per child (12 years and under).



Terms & Conditions

A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. A plant based menu is available on request. Dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. Full pre-payment will be required within 14 days of making provisional Christmas Day reservations in Berts Jazz Bar. For further information, please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.



BERTS CHRISTMAS DAY MENU

Amuse-bouche

Espresso of cauliflower
cheese and truffle soup

STARTER

Crab and prawn risotto

Black pudding scotch
quail's egg, apple purée

Duck liver and orange pâté

Seasonal chutney,
sourdough bread

Baked Camembert (to share)

Red onion marmalade,
confit garlic, grapes,
French baguette

Peach Bellini sorbet

MAIN

Served with traditional accompaniments for the table

Turkey roulade

Pork and sage stuffing,
potato hash brown,
parsnip purée, baby carrot,
jus

Beef fillet à la forestière

Truffle pomme purée,
mushroom, pearl onion
and lardon jus

Cod

Saffron velouté, smoked
cod fishcake, basil crushed
peas, pickled hen's egg

DESSERT

Chocolate crème brûlée

Sea salt, hazelnut biscotti

Christmas pudding

Brandy crème Anglaise

Tarte tatin

Caramelised pear,
vanilla ice cream

CHEESE FOR THE TABLE

Selection of French cheeses, seasonal
chutney, grapes, crackers, bread

Tea and coffee • Mini mince pies and petit fours



CHRISTMAS DAY

THE CLOTH EAR

Relax, indulge and celebrate Christmas in the cosy surrounds of The Cloth Ear, with a delicious, traditional festive menu and tasty tipples to suit all tastes.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Arrival between 12pm - 3pm

£125.00 per adult | £60.00 per child (12 years and under).



Terms & Conditions

A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. Dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. Full pre-payment will be required within 14 days of making provisional Christmas Day reservations in The Cloth Ear. For further information, please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchantotel.com.



THE CLOTH EAR

CHRISTMAS DAY SET MENU

Amuse-bouche

Honey roasted parsnip soup

STARTER

Confit duck leg

Braised red cabbage and mustard cream

Ewing's smoked salmon

Toasted wheaten bread and chive butter

Wild mushroom crostini

Finished with truffle and Parmesan

Beetroot and goat's cheese espuma salad

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SORBET

Lemon sorbet, Prosecco

MAIN

Lisdergan flax fed fillet steak

Potato gratin, brandy peppercorn sauce

Turkey roulade

Stuffed and wrapped in Parma ham, chipolatas, cranberry and gravy

Ballylisk brie, roast chestnut, and mushroom pie

Cauliflower steak

Potato gratin, brandy peppercorn sauce

Served with a selection of seasonal potatoes and vegetables for the table

DESSERT

Christmas pudding

With brandy butter

Sticky toffee pudding

Toffee sauce, vanilla ice-cream

Salted caramel profiteroles

Cheeseboard

Selection of Irish and continental cheese, pickles, chutney, and crackers



BOXING DAY

THE GREAT ROOM RESTAURANT



◦ THREE COURSE MENU ◦

£75.00 per person with tea or coffee

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Available from 12.30pm - 9pm



Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu is available on request. Special dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. £30 deposit required per person for all Boxing Day bookings. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. For bookings please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com



THE CLOTH EAR

Relax in our public bar and enjoy The Cloth Ear's à la carte menu.
Available from 12pm - 9pm.



BERTS JAZZ BAR

À la carte menu available from 1pm - 9pm.
Live jazz from 1pm - 4pm and 8pm - 11pm.





NEW YEAR'S EVE THE GREAT ROOM RESTAURANT

Bring in the New Year in sumptuous style
in The Great Room Restaurant.



AFTERNOON TEA · £44.50 per person
CHAMPAGNE AFTERNOON TEA · £57.50 per person

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Available from 12.30pm - 2.30pm and 3pm - 5pm.

DINNER FIRST SITTING · £89.50 per person
4 courses with a glass of bubbly on arrival.

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Available from 6pm - 8pm.

DINNER SECOND SITTING · £145.00 per person
6 courses with a glass of bubbly on arrival
and DJ entertainment

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Available from 8.30pm - close.

Terms & Conditions

Special dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. Full pre-payment applies to all Great Room New Year's Eve bookings. For bookings please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com



NEW YEAR'S EVE

BERTS JAZZ BAR

Enjoy a decadent start to the New Year in Berts with a sophisticated and delicious four course supper and a glass of bubbly on arrival.

FIRST SITTING

From 6pm - 8.30pm.

£85.00 per person.

SECOND SITTING

From 9pm - late.

£135.00 per person. Guarantees your table for the entire evening.

Live jazz from 6pm - 8pm
and 9.30pm - 12.30am



THE CLOTH EAR

Set menu £60 per person.

3 courses including a glass of Prosecco
and an after dinner cocktail.

Served from 12pm - 9pm



Terms & Conditions

A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. Dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. Full pre-payment will be required within 14 days of making a New Year's Eve booking in Berts Jazz Bar and a £20 per person deposit will be required in The Cloth Ear. For further information, please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.



NEW YEAR'S DAY THE GREAT ROOM RESTAURANT

Sample the delights that The Great Room Restaurant
has to offer for New Year's Day lunch.



THREE
COURSE LUNCH

£67.50 per person

NEW YEAR'S DAY
AFTERNOON TEA

£44.50 per person

CHAMPAGNE
AFTERNOON TEA

£57.50 per person

Lunch and Afternoon Tea available from 1pm.

Three course lunch served with tea or coffee.

Terms & Conditions

A plant based menu is available on request. Other dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. A £30 per person deposit is required at time of booking. For further information, please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.



NEW YEAR'S DAY IN BERTS JAZZ BAR

Feeling a little tender after a wonderful New Year's Eve?
Lunch or dinner in Berts Jazz Bar will be sure to brush away any
cobwebs with excellent food and drinks available from 1pm.

NEW YEAR'S DAY

À la carte menu available from 1pm - 9pm.
Live jazz from 1pm - 4pm and 9.30pm - 12.30am.
Brunch will not be available on this date.



Terms & Conditions

A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. A £20 per person deposit required at time of booking. A plant based menu is available on request. Other dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. For further information please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com





OVERNIGHT EXPERIENCES

Enjoy a five-star stay this Christmas and let our team create a bespoke package just for you over Christmas Eve / Christmas Day / Boxing Day.

We can tailor make your stay to include any of the exciting offers in this brochure from Christmas Eve Afternoon Tea to Christmas lunch in one of our beautiful venues. Whether you are visiting family and friends or are simply here to relax over the festive period, let us create the perfect Christmas escape just for you!

Prices from £279 B&B

To book, contact our Reservations Team at reservations@themerchanthotel.com

◦ A FEW IDEAS TO GET YOU STARTED ◦

- Treat yourself to a delicious Festive Afternoon Tea beside our stunning 25ft Christmas tree in The Great Room Restaurant.
- Indulge in a Christmas cocktail in our award-winning Cocktail Bar.
- Celebrate Christmas Day with a glass of bubbly complemented by a selection of mouth-watering canapés before moving into the luxurious Great Room Restaurant for a six course lunch.
- Cosy up beside the fire in The Cloth Ear for a pub lunch.
- Book a treatment in The Merchant Spa - the perfect space to escape the hustle and bustle of everyday life.
- Take a trip to The Gym's fabulous thermal area with stunning city views.
- Savour the French bistro style menu at Berts Jazz Bar for Christmas Day lunch.
- Leisurely breakfast and late checkout on day of departure.







FESTIVE ESCAPE

VICTORIAN ROOM • From £169.50 per person sharing

ART DECO ROOM • From £179.50 per person sharing

Available from 1ST to 22ND December, Sunday to Thursday.
Subject to availability.

Leave the stresses of the season behind and treat yourself to a relaxing, luxury stay at The Merchant Hotel. Make precious festive memories as you enjoy an exquisite three-course meal in the stunning The Great Room Restaurant with our spectacular 25 foot Christmas tree. Finish off the evening in one of our beautiful deluxe bedrooms - the perfect space in which to escape the hustle and bustle of everyday life. Awake refreshed to enjoy a delicious breakfast in The Great Room Restaurant before a late check-out at 12noon.

£100 prepaid non refundable deposit at the time of booking
with one date change permitted with 72 hours notice.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PACKAGE

VICTORIAN ROOM • From £339 per room

ART DECO ROOM • From £359 per room

Situated in the heart of Belfast's Cathedral Quarter, The Merchant Hotel is the perfect place to rest your head on New Year's Eve. Wake up to the New Year in luxurious elegance and enjoy a mouth-watering breakfast in the exquisite surroundings of The Great Room Restaurant.

A £100 non-refundable deposit must be paid at the time of booking and remaining balance paid prior to arrival.







THE SPA AT THE MERCHANT HOTEL

An oasis of calm in the heart of Belfast city centre

The Spa at the Merchant Hotel is the perfect place to relax and unwind this festive season. Take a break from the hustle and bustle of Christmas or ensure party-ready skin with one of our relaxing spa treatments.

BOOKINGS

For any questions, further information or to book treatments please contact our Spa Reception on 028 9026 2712 or email thespa@themerchanthotel.com.

POST-CHRISTMAS PAMPERING

After the hectic Christmas season why not indulge yourself with a relaxing treatment. The Merchant Spa is open every day (excluding Christmas Day).

MERCHANT GIFT VOUCHERS

At The Merchant Spa, we have a wealth of luxury treatments available from stress relieving massages to rejuvenating facials - all of which can be redeemed with a Merchant Gift Card.

For more information on how to purchase a Merchant Gift Card, please see page 3.



Terms & Conditions

Please note Spa opening hours may vary over the Christmas period. The Spa at The Merchant Hotel has a strict over 18's policy. All treatments are subject to appointment availability.



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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Tables must be vacated by the time specified on the booking form.

Menu choices and timings may be subject to change. Only one bill per party can be permitted.

Deposits must be paid within two weeks of making a provisional booking in order to secure the reservation.

Provisional bookings without paid deposits will be released after this two-week period.

All deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable.

DEPOSITS REQUIRED:

- £20 per person for all lunch bookings in The Great Room Restaurant.
- £30 per person for all dinner bookings in The Great Room Restaurant.
- £20 per person for all Festive Afternoon Tea bookings.
- £20 per person for all bookings in The Cloth Ear.
- £20 per person for all lunch and dinner bookings in Berts Jazz Bar.
- Full pre-payment is required for all Christmas Day bookings.
- £20 per person for all Boxing Day bookings.
- Full pre-payment is required for all New Year's Eve bookings in The Great Room Restaurant and Berts Jazz Bar.
- £20 per person for New Year's Day bookings in The Great Room Restaurant.
- £30 per person for New Year's Day bookings in Berts Jazz Bar.

Please note that deposits and prepayments are per person and cannot be redeemed against the final bill if the person is not in attendance.

FESTIVE ACCOMODATION EXPERIENCE:

A 50% non-refundable deposit must be paid at the time of booking, with the remainder paid no later than 25TH November 2022.

NEW YEAR'S EVE ACCOMODATION:

A £75 non-refundable deposit must be paid at the time of booking.

LATE ARRIVALS:

Due to escalated levels of business during the Christmas period, tables will be released 30 minutes after the agreed arrival time and unfortunately deposits and pre-payments will be lost.

SERVICE CHARGE:

For bookings in The Great Room Restaurant, Events Space and Berts a 10% service charge will be added to all bills before deposits and full pre-payments are subtracted and presented on the day. This will also be applicable to parties of six or more in The Cloth Ear.

CANCELLATION BY HOTEL:

If for any reason The Merchant Hotel is forced to cancel your event, all deposits will be refunded.











OVERNIGHT EXPERIENCES

THE MERCHANT FESTIVE EXPERIENCE PACKAGE

TWO-NIGHT EXPERIENCE

From £600 per person sharing

Single occupancy £820

THREE NIGHT EXPERIENCE

From £750 per person sharing

Single occupancy £999

CHRISTMAS EVE

Arrive at 3pm for a delicious Festive Afternoon Tea* in The Great Room Restaurant. The afternoon festivities will include a visit from Santa Claus. Later, indulge in a delicious Christmas cocktail* in our award-winning cocktail bar.

CHRISTMAS DAY

Wake up on Christmas morning in one of our stunning Art Deco or Victorian bedrooms. Enjoy a delicious breakfast* in the comfort of your room whilst opening presents, or in the sumptuous surroundings of The Great Room Restaurant. Continue the celebrations that afternoon with a glass of bubbly* complemented by a selection of mouth-watering canapés* before moving into the luxurious Great Room Restaurant for a six course lunch*.

BOXING DAY

Enjoy a relaxing start to the day with a trip to The Gym's fabulous thermal area, with stunning city views. That evening savour the French bistro style menu at Berts Jazz Bar for your Boxing Night dinner*.

Leisurely breakfast and checkout on day of departure for
all Festive Experience Packages.

*All inclusive excluding additional alcoholic beverages.

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A 50% non-refundable deposit is required at time of booking, with the remainder to be paid no later than 24TH November 2021. Subject to availability. For Merchant Festive Experience packages, minimum two night stay required arriving 24TH December. Boxing Night dinner in Berts is exclusive of beverages. Please contact the hotel for children's prices. Room prices based on two people sharing.



CHRISTMAS DAY THE CLOTH EAR

Relax, indulge and celebrate Christmas in the cosy surrounds of The Cloth Ear, with a delicious, traditional festive menu and tasty tipples to suit all tastes.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Arrival between 12pm - 3pm

£125.00 per adult | £60.00 per child (12 years and under).



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A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to all bills. A plant based menu is available on request. Dietary requirements can be accommodated with advance notice. Full pre-payment will be required within 14 days of making provisional Christmas Day reservations in The Cloth Ear. For further information, please contact our Christmas Co-ordinators on 028 9026 2710 or christmas@themerchanthotel.com.



THE CLOTH EAR

CHRISTMAS DAY SET MENU

Amuse-bouche

Honey roasted parsnip soup

STARTER

Confit duck leg

Braised red cabbage and mustard cream

Wild mushroom crostini

Finished with truffle and Parmesan

Ewing's smoked salmon

Toasted wheaten bread and chive butter

Beetroot and goat's cheese espuma salad

Sorbet

Lemon sorbet, Prosecco

MAIN

Served with a selection of seasonal potatoes and vegetables for the table

Lisdergan flax fed fillet steak

Potato gratin brandy peppercorn sauce

Turkey Roulade

Stuffed and wrapped in Parma ham, chipolatas, cranberry and gravy

DESSERT

Christmas pudding

Cranberry syrup and brandy custard

Tiramisu profiteroles

Coffee mascarpone, chocolate sauce

CHEESE

Selection of Irish and continental cheeses,
pickles, chutneys and crackers

Tea and coffee • Mini mince pies
