

BIRKINSHAW'S

Drinks

Teas

Yorkshire tea \$2.95 London Fog \$4.10 Twining's speciality teas \$3.40

Including Earl Grey, Chai, Green, Peppermint, Chamomile & decaffeinated English breakfast

Fruit teas \$3.40

Coffees – Medium or Dark Roast – All Espresso based drinks are double shot

Filter Coffee \$2.95 Latte \$4.10/ \$5.00 Espresso \$3.25

Cappuccino \$4.10/\$5.00 Mocha \$5.95 Americano \$3.50

Others

Hot Chocolate \$5.00 Milk \$2.00/ \$3.00 San Pellegrino \$3.95

Real Ice Cream Milk Shakes Regular \$6 Large \$10

Vanilla Chocolate Strawberry

Chocolate Mint Coffee Mocha

Our truly unique Birkinshaw's Freakshakes from \$15.00



Please note during Lunch or busy periods, these may not be available due to the time required for each one. Please check with server.

A real ice cream shake served in a large glass decorated with frosting, cookies, marshmallows and gummies, topped with a homemade sponge. We then pile it high with fresh whipped cream and decorate it with a selection of treats, cookies, fruit and more to your chosen theme. Finally, when there is nowhere left to decorate, we add sauce and sprinkles to finish it off!

Ideal to share, just let us know if you need two spoons and straws. These are a meal in themselvesyou have been warned!!

Choose your milkshake base.....

Vanilla **Strawberry** **Chocolate (or Choc/mint)** **Espresso Coffee [+ \$2]** **Mocha [+ \$2]**

Then theme your Birkinshaw's Freakshake

Death by Chocolate **Caramelicious** **Unicorn [+ \$2]**

...and we will create your one off indulgent treat.

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Luncheon Menu

Served 11.30am – 2.30 pm

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Fish Creole

\$22



Delicious chunks of haddock and salmon nestle amongst sweet onions and fruity peppers all together in a piquant tomato and basil sauce. Topped with an oaty cheesy crumble and served with green salad. [g/f]

Hungarian Pork

\$19



Fancy a change from chili? Our succulent ground pork with black beans is the answer. Simmered slowly with our own blend of spices and flavourful seasoning sauce. Served with Basmati rice and garlic toast [g/f option]

Birkinshaw's Chicken Korma \$19

Our ever popular Chicken Korma, a medium/hot traditional Indian curry with coconut and almond sauce and served on our special Pilau rice. [g/f]

Lasagne

\$18

Our authentic Italian lasagna made with slow cooked ground beef and bacon in a rich sauce. Layered with classic béchamel, lasagna sheets and our in-house blend of cheeses. Served with a simple side salad and homemade garlic toast.

Thai Vegetable Curry

\$18



Fragrant rather than too hot, our red Thai curry has a creamy peanut and coconut sauce with overtones of lime. Simmered gently with seasonal vegetables and served with Basmati rice. [g/f]

Add chicken. \$4. Warm garlic buttered Naan bread \$3.00

Traditional Ploughman's Lunch

\$18

One of the most popular pub lunches throughout Britain, the **Ploughman's lunch** is a traditional English cold plate of bread, cheese, and ham, usually accompanied by salad and chutney, and other items according to seasonality. We serve ours with locally procured baked ham and a hunk of mature Balderson Cheddar.

Windsor Picnic Pie

\$18

Once you have tried our generously portioned signature pie you will be hooked. Our own blend of herbed sausage meat encased in melting golden short crust pastry and baked to perfection. Served with our special potato salad and mixed green salad as well as our award-winning, homemade Cranberry & Apple Chutney.

Naan Bread Pizza

Cheese \$10.00 up to three toppings \$12.50

Choose your own toppings for this modern-day version of the ever popular pizza, or have it served simply, as it comes, with our home-style tomato sauce and in-house cheese blend.

Toppings – sweetcorn, pineapple, olives, fresh tomato, mushrooms, peppers, ham, spicy beef and pepperoni

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Artisanal toast \$13.00

Although 'things on toast' are now all the rage in the best eateries around the globe, the English have a long tradition of light meals of all kinds served on our toasted homemade breads. Try some of our favourites!

Birkinshaw's 'rarebit'

A traditional tea time offering, a 'rarebit' is a blend of cheese, eggs, mustard and milk creating a souffléed topping.

Brie and cranberry

Beautifully ripe French Brie with a cranberry compote, a drizzle of olive oil and a little fresh ground pepper

Blue cheese and pear

A delicious whipped blend of blue cheeses and cream, topped with lightly poached pear, drizzled with a redcurrant dressing.

French Speciality Croque Monsieur – Full Croque \$15 ½ Croque \$9

Our ever popular Croque Monsieur is the favourite take-out food in France. A thick slice of homemade bread topped with real home baked ham, béchamel sauce and cheese, then another slice of bread more sauce and cheese then oven baked to a golden finish.

Vegetarian Croque Monsieur – As above but with delicious fresh mushroom replacing the ham

Farmhouse Tea \$29 per person

A Farmhouse Tea is a less formal, country alternative to the Afternoon Tea. Ours has all the traditional elements and makes for a perfect meal. Served on a two-tier stand, fare varies according to the season and the whims of the cook but will likely include such things as: a piece of Picnic Pie or a Sausage Roll, a half sandwich and salad or a cup of soup ; scone, jam and clotted cream, a piece of cake or a traditional pastry. All served with your choice of tea or coffee.

Hot desserts \$8.50

Birkinshaw's famous Sticky Toffee Pudding

One of the most popular English puddings (Can. Desserts), this super sticky, flavourful sponge is served topped with our homemade toffee sauce and served with vanilla ice cream.

Chocolate Sponge Pudding

A light chocolate sponge cake topped with our decadent chocolate ganache sauce and served with vanilla ice cream

Lemon Sponge pudding

Our luscious lemon sponge made with the zest and juice of real lemons is light, zingy and delicious. Topped with our homemade lemon curd sauce and served with vanilla ice cream.

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Cakes and pastries

The British are well known for their love of cakes, puddings and tarts of all kinds. We vary our offering daily with a small fresh selection, with an emphasis on traditional British and European baking. **Ask us what we have available for you today.**

Layer cakes, loaf cakes, tarts, muffins, cookies and more.....

from \$3

Tea Scones (2)... the perfect not-too-sweet accompaniment to a cup of tea or coffee, a real English scone is a buttery, fluffy, light creation. We offer plain, fruit, cheese and more ...see what today's offering is. *Served warm with butter. **Gluten free options available for pre-order or by chance***

\$5 /gf \$6

Add jam

\$1.00

Cream tea and Cornish tea

Real English scones are a delight at any time and a cream tea is the ever popular way of enjoying them at their best. Order a Birkinshaw's Cream Tea and discover a little corner of England here in Amherst.....plain and fruited scones warm from the oven, our exclusive homemade clotted cream and a selection of fruit jams and compotes. Whereas the Cream Tea is most associated with Devon and Dorset (the counties home to clotted cream) the Cornish tea offers scones with butter. Our Cornish tea comes with plain and savoury scones, cheese and ample golden butter for a real country taste. **gf option available for pre-order or by chance add \$1.00**

Cream tea 3 scones per person, homemade clotted cream and preserves. Unlimited tea and/or filter coffee, or an espresso based coffee

\$17

Maritime Cream tea a cream tea as above but making the most of the local flavours and produce

\$17

Cornish tea...3 scones per person, savoury and plain, plus butter, local cheese and our herb & garlic cream cheese. Pot of tea or coffee

\$17

Afternoon Teas

Afternoon Tea is a traditional afternoon meal originally served with a pot of tea. The name then came to refer just to the meal itself, so an English person 'having their tea' is talking about their afternoon meal, not necessarily the drink!

Here at Birkinshaw's we offer a range of Afternoon Teas...all available for two people or more. Made up of a selection of small savoury and sweet foods, and English scones, you could not find a nicer way to pass an hour or so. **Please note Afternoon Tea is a complete meal with a variety of courses, so do bring your appetite!** The actual selection will vary, depending on the season's best offerings and the whims of the chef!

We have a range of teas and coffees for you to take with your 'tea' and we happily offer free refills.

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The Birkinshaw \$39 per person

A traditional Afternoon Tea with a selection of tea sandwiches, more-ish savouries, scones and clotted cream, patisserie and cakes.

Tea and/or coffee....refillable

The Lady Clara \$48 per person

An indulgent Afternoon Tea served with a glass of Prosecco to start. Continental and English savouries, open and tea sandwiches made with luxury ingredients, our delicious warm scones, clotted cream and jam, patisserie and cakes.

Tea and/or coffee....refillable

The Bertie \$39 per person

A more savoury-leaning Afternoon Tea, devised for a gentleman's palate but ideal for anyone with not much of a sweet tooth. Individual pies, Scotch eggs, savoury scones and the like, a robustly-flavoured sampler of savoury treats.

Tea and coffee....refillable

Maritimer \$39 per person

What better way to sample the bounty that the Maritime Provinces have to offer than with our Maritime-inspired Afternoon Tea. Depending on the season you will find seafood chowder, maple glazed sausage rolls, fiddlehead quiche, individual blueberry parfaits, and a whole host of treats made to celebrate all that is East Coast.

Tea and coffee...refillable

Mistress Emily Tea \$42 per person (available to book for 1 person)

A tea for those with a delicate constitution! Served with all the style and panache of the traditional Afternoon Tea, the Mistress Emily Tea varies to accommodate gluten and dairy-free requirements. Our cook has a wealth of experience in creating and adapting traditional and modern recipes to ensure everyone can enjoy the experience of an English tea-time. Must be booked 10 days in advance. Tea and coffee....refillable

Children's Afternoon Tea \$22 per person

Children love a party tea and we love it too. Why not treat a special girl or boy to a fancy tea time at Birkinshaw's. Fun, child-centred foods served with their choice of milkshake, our own dreamy chocolate milk, babyccino and more. Children's tea-time may include mini pizza roll-ups, teeny sausage bites, pick 'n' mix cupcake, chocolate mousse and more.(available for age 12 and under).

BOOKINGS

As our Afternoon Teas are specifically prepared to order, we can often cater for specific dietary requirements... e.g. vegetarian. Please let us know at time of booking. All Afternoon Teas are for a minimum of two people* and must generally be booked two to three days prior.

Ask us about our private hire for baby showers, wedding showers, family gatherings etc.

**With the exception of the Children's Afternoon Tea or the Mistress Emily Tea which can be ordered for one or more.*

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We know you love Birkinshaw's food, from our authentic English gateaux to our fresh made scones, our loaf cakes to our award winning pies.

Now you can order a select range of goods including our speciality celebration cakes from our website shop at www.birkinshaws.ca

Did you know Birkinshaw's do catering?

Join the likes of local dignitaries, the Town of Amherst, LED Roadway Lighting, Emerson Packaging, Tourism Nova Scotia and the Cumberland Health Trust Foundation in having corporate catering from Birkinshaw's. From business lunches and platters for a few people to buffets for 200+. Or book our restaurant for a private sit-down meal – ideal for retirement functions, awards nights and more.

Wedding reception? Family reunion? Baby shower? Our top quality, unique, and individual catering makes an event into a 'special event'. Arrange a meeting to discuss your requirements.

Find all details at www.birkinshaws.ca

While you are here, why not visit our gift shop The Butler's Pantry for fine curated gifts from the UK including 'real' English chocolate and biscuits, fine china and linens as well as cookery books and gifts for the whole family.

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