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THE OLD GOVERNMENT HOUSE
HOTEL & SPA



AFTERNOON TEA

Tea was first introduced to Britain in the 1640s as sailors returning from the Far East brought back packets of tea into the country as gifts. By 1700 tea had become a popular drink and was on sale in more than 500 coffee houses in London.

In 1840, Anna, the 7th Duchess of Bedford, pioneered the idea of Afternoon Tea. In her household the evening meals were served fashionably late at eight o'clock which left a long period between lunch and dinner. To stave off pangs of hunger she started to request a tray of tea, bread and butter along with some cake to be brought to her room in the late afternoon. This soon became a habit and she started to invite friends to join her for this daily ritual.



DELUXE AFTERNOON TEA

£24.00

A selection of finger sandwiches on white and brown bread, freshly baked scones with Guernsey clotted cream, a selection of delicious homemade cakes, accompanied by the tea of your choice.

BELLINI OR PROSECCO AFTERNOON TEA

£28.00

Choose a glass of either Prosecco or strawberry or peach Bellini to go with your selection of finger sandwiches on white and brown bread, freshly baked scones with Guernsey clotted cream, a selection of delicious homemade cakes, accompanied by the tea of your choice.

CHAMPAGNE AFTERNOON TEA

£33.00

A choice of a glass (100ml) of "Brut", "Off dry" or "Rosé" Lanson Champagne with a selection of finger sandwiches on white and brown bread, freshly baked scones with Guernsey clotted cream, a selection of delicious homemade cakes, accompanied by a tea of your choice.

OGGIE'S AFTERNOON TEA

£15.00

Join Oggie, The OGH Bear for a selection of finger sandwiches, a freshly baked scone, cakes and a choice of a milkshake, hot chocolate or soft drink.
(available for children 12 years and younger)

**TO ENHANCE YOUR AFTERNOON TEA EXPERIENCE AT THE OGH ADDITIONAL GLASSES OF
CHAMPAGNE, PROSECCO OR BELLINI MAY BE ORDERED.**

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OLD GOVERNMENT HOUSE BREAKFAST BLEND

Red Carnation Breakfast Blend has been carefully blended to create a delicious tea with hints of cask oak and highlighted with citrus bergamot notes. Especially delicious with milk, the Assam malty flavour is enhanced by the wonderful winery and fruity depth of taste with keemun and Chingwo Orange Pekoe

A discretionary 10% service charge will be added to all food and beverage bills