



THE WATERHEAD INN
AMBLESIDE

MAIN MENU

Available from 12pm - 9pm

Please order your food at the bar, quoting your table number when ordering

STARTERS

Soup of the day (V) | £7
Served with butter and crusty bread

Haggis Rarebit Toasts | £7
Grilled haggis on toast with Welsh rarebit topping

Marinated Olives (VG) | £4

Vegetable Crisps (V) | £3

Glazed Pigs in Blankets | £6.50
With Dijon mustard

Charred Vegetables Brushetta (VG) | £8
Charred vegetables cooked on our broiler, on toasted sourdough with olive tapenade and basil

Wild Mushrooms On Toast (V) | £8.50
Sautéed wild mushrooms with picked thyme and garlic on toasted sourdough, topped with creme fraiche

Cauliflower Fritters (VG) | £7
Vegan curry mayonnaise

Cheese & Spinach Soufflé (V) | £7
Twice-baked cheese soufflé with spinach and double cream baked to order, please allow a minimum of 15 mins

Gambas Pil Pil | £12
Grilled king prawn in garlic and chilli butter served with crusty bread

Crispy Squid | £12.50
Vietnamese dressing



MAINS

Traditional Fish & Chips | £17
Fish fillet in crisp batter served with thick-cut chips, chef's tartare sauce mushy peas and lemon wedge

Scampi & Chips | £16.50
Whitby scampi served with mushy peas, thick-cut chips, tartare sauce and lemon wedge

Pie of the Week | £18
Please ask our team for today's choice of pie, served with thick-cut chips, seasonal vegetables

Cauliflower, Almond & Coconut Curry (VG) | £16
With toasted almonds and raisins, served with steamed fragrant rice

Waterhead Fish Pie | £16.50
Poached pieces of succulent fish and king prawns in a cream and tarragon sauce, topped with mashed potato

Baked Rigatoni Al Forno (V) | £16
Fresh Rigatoni with pomodoro sauce, mozzarella and basil

King Prawn Skewer | £20
With coconut curry sauce, fragrant rice and Asian slaw

Pan Roasted Pheasant Breast | £18
With black pudding mashed potato, braised red cabbage, bacon and mushrooms

Cumberland Sausage | £16.50
Garlic mashed potato, Guinness gravy and onion rings

GRILL

Our steaks are seasoned with our own unique recipe and cooked in a special broiler at 1600-1800° Fahrenheit to sear the outside of the meat and keep the inside tender and juicy

6oz Fillet | £38
8oz Rump Steak | £24
10oz Sirloin Steak | £35
10oz Ribeye Steak | £32
All steaks are served with roast tomato and grilled garlic mushroom

Surf Your Turf | £7
Add king prawns

Sticky Pork Chop | £19
With BBQ glaze and winter slaw

Simply Grilled Fish
Served with herb butter, crisp green salad

Halibut | £26
Sea Bream | £22
Monkfish on the Bone | £28

Grilled Half Piri Piri Style Chicken | £19
With patatas bravas and aioli

PERFECT FOR SHARING

The Waterhead Salt-Aged Ribeye | £85
1kg Himalayan salt chamber aged ribeye on the bone, traditionally reared on the Glenarm Estate (aged 36 days) served with a jug of signature steak sauce for 2-4 people

Signature Steak Platter | £120
6oz fillet, 10oz sirloin, 10oz ribeye, served with a choice of three sides and our signature steak sauce for 2-4 people

Waterhead Mixed Grill Platter | £48
Cumberland sausage, 4oz rump steak, black pudding, pork cutlet, grilled half chicken served with roasted bone marrow, grilled tomato, sautéed mushrooms and crispy bacon bits for 2-3 people

SIDES

Thick-Cut Chips | £4
Onion Strings | £4
Creamed Spinach & Bacon | £4
Buttered Seasonal Greens | £4
Crisp Green Salad | £4
Patatas Bravas with Aioli | £4
Truffle & Parmesan Fries | £4
Sautéed Mushrooms | £4
Roasted Bone Marrow | £4
Fries | £4

Tartiflette | £5
Layers of potato, cream, thyme pancetta baked and topped with melted Swiss cheese

Choose Your Sauce | £3
Peppercorn, Bearnaise, Signature Steak Sauce, Cafe de Paris Butter

(V) Vegetarian (VG) Vegan

Chef Recommendation

BURGERS

The Waterhead Inn Burger | £17
6oz chuck steak burger, brioche bun, oak smoked cheese, house burger sauce, sweet pickles and thick-cut chips

Surf & Turf Burger | £20
6oz chuck steak burger topped with king prawns and sriracha mayo, served in a brioche bun, served with fries

Grilled Halloumi Burger (V) | £15
Served in a brioche bun with roasted mushroom, winter slaw and sriracha mayo, served with fries

SALADS

Classic Caesar
Small | £9 **Large** | £15
Baby gem lettuce, classic Caesar dressing, Parmesan, garlic croutons and anchovies

Warm Salad of Heritage Beets (VG)
Small | £8.50 **Large** | £13.50
Butternut squash and sweet roasted carrots with kale, orange and shallot dressing, toasted hazelnut dukka

Add Grilled Chicken | £8
Add King Prawns | £9

DESSERTS

Baked Vanilla Cheesecake (V) | £7.50
With raspberries and white chocolate sauce

Almond Milk Panna Cotta (VG) | £8
Served with mulled plums

Sticky Toffee Pudding (V) | £7.50
Served with salted caramel sauce

Lakes Gingerbread Sundae (V) | £9
Vanilla ice cream, salted caramel sauce, Lakes gingerbread and whipped cream

Steamed Chocolate Pudding | £8
With lashing of chocolate custard

Cheese Plate | £13
Selection of Cumbrian and British cheeses served with biscuits, fruits and homemade chutney

Lakes Ice Cream & Sorbet Selection (V) | £6
Ask a member of our team for today's selection

LIGHT BITES

Served 11am – 5pm, 7 days per week

Crispy Fish Bun | £11
Crispy fried fish with chef's tartare sauce and gem lettuce

Turkey Club Sandwich | £11.50
Turkey breast, crisp bacon and cranberry sauce in toasted sourdough

Open Steak Sandwich | £15
Grilled rump steak on toasted sourdough, blue cheese, crispy onions and watercress, served with fries

Shrimp Roll | £15
King prawns with thousand island dressing, tarragon and shallots, served in a brioche bun, served with fries

Crispy Coronation Cauliflower Bun (VG) | £10
Crispy fried cauliflower, vegan curry mayonnaise, toasted almonds, lime, chilli and coriander. Served in a vegan brioche bun with thick-cut chips

Minute Steak and Chips | £16
With Café de Paris butter

Cumberland Sausage Bun | £11
With grilled onions, smoked cheese and English mustard, served with thick-cut chips

Roast Baguette of the Day | £11.50
Served with thick cut chips and a rich gravy

SUNDAY MENU

Served 12pm – 5pm, every Sunday
(subject to availability)

Roast Sirloin of Beef | £22

Roast Herdwick Lamb | £24

Roast Half Chicken | £18

Roast Vegetable Gratin (V) | £16.50

All served with roasted potatoes, seasonal vegetables, Yorkshire pudding and rich gravy (vegetarian gravy available)

Children's portions are available



CHILDREN'S MENU

MAINS

Fish & Chips | £8
Served with thick-cut chips and peas

Steak & Chips | £10
Served with fries and garlic butter

Grilled Chicken Goujons | £7.50
Served with fries, buttered corn on the cob and broccoli

Burger and Fries | £7.50
4oz beef patty in a brioche bun and fries

Sausage and Mash | £7.50
With garden peas and gravy

DESSERTS

English Lakes Ice Cream & Sorbet Selection (V) | £4

Sticky Toffee Pudding (V) | £4
With vanilla ice cream

Banana Split (V) | £4
Vanilla and chocolate ice cream, fresh banana and whipped cream



THE INN COLLECTION
GROUP

Please ask our team for today's choice of specials

We hope you enjoy your meal

Please note, specials may not be available during peak seasons



Scan here for all allergy and dietary information, or speak to a member of our team. All our food is cooked to order which may result in a longer than average waiting time during busy periods, thank you for your patience.

Terms & Conditions: Menu descriptions may not list full dish contents. All weights shown on the menu are raw weight, the final cooked weight may vary due to cooking time or process. Adults need around 2,000 kJ per day. Due to using fresh game produce on our menus please note that some dishes may contain traces of bone or shot. All menu items are subject to availability. Prices include VAT at the current rate. Visa and MasterCard are accepted and Maestro/Delta/Amex where applicable, together with personal cheques when accompanied by an appropriate banker's card. All products may contain nuts or nut derivatives. Please note that all of our meat and fish products may contain bones. If you have any queries or comments please do not hesitate to contact us at: The Waterhead Inn, Lake Road, Ambleside, LA22 0ER. Tel: 01539 963 362 Email: info@thewaterheadinn.com