## Starters & Lighter Dishes

	Additional Bread & Olives (per person)	£2.95
	Fresh Soup of the day	£6.50
	<b>Braised Ham Hock Terrine</b> honey baked apple, blue cheese pâté, mustard dressing and sourdough and herb croûtes	£7.50
	<b>Warm Chicken Salad</b> with fresh raspberries, tarragon croutons and balsamic reduction	£7.95
1	Wild Mushroom & Leek Risotto with parmesan and toasted hazelnuts	£6.95
	Fishcake of the day with crispy onion stack, wilted spinach and lemon butter sauce	£7.95
1	Spiced Red Onion, Carrot & Butternut Squash Bhaji with mango and lime salsa and rocket salad	£6.50

#### Ciabattas from £7.95

Choose from our daily selection of fillings, served with a mixed leaf salad and French fries

#### Pastas

Gluten-free pasta also available.

Flambé Prawn Linguine	£13.95
tiger prawns and baby prawns flambéed in brandy	
and served in a fiery tomato sauce	

√ Roasted Squash, Sun-Blushed & £10.95 Cherry Tomato Gnocchi

with fresh spinach, sweet basil and parmesan shavings

√ Fettuccine alla Campagnola with lemon roast chicken, olives, capers, broccoli and a garlic and tomato sauce £12.95

#### Salads

**'The Birch' Caesar Salad** £7.95 / £13.95 bacon lardons, garlic chicken, mixed leaves,

quail eggs, croutons, aged parmesan and Caesar dressing

Oriental Style Confit Duck Salad with julienne vegetables and hoisin dressing

 $\sqrt{\text{Roquefort Cheese, Apple & }} £6.95 / £12.95$ Berry Salad

with candied pecan nuts and a roast apple and cider dressing

# Mains

#### 'The Birch' Chargrilled Fillet Steak Burger £14.95

in a toasted brioche bun with Woburn smoked bacon, your choice of mature Cheddar or blue cheese, tomato chutney, onion, gherkin and crisp lettuce, served with battered onion rings and a choice of French fries or hand cut chunky chips

#### Beer Battered Fillet of Fish £14.95

sustainable English caught white fish fillet in Freedom lager batter, served with tartare sauce, crushed buttered garden peas, chunky chips and a lemon wedge

#### Chicken Breast wrapped in Parma Ham £14.95

topped with applewood smoked cheese, served with a spring onion, cherry tomato and asparagus risotto

#### Pan Fried Pink Peppercorn Crusted Pork Tenderloin £15.95

with herb polenta, gratinated mozzarella, ginger spiced peach and Madeira jus

'The Birch' Chef's Platter £15.95

Please ask for today's selection

 $\sqrt{}$  Spiced Chickpea & Sweet Potato Strudel £12.50

with a fennel, chicory and mixed leaves salad with pomegranate dressing

### From the griddle

#### Steak

Steaks ordered by the oz (minimum 6oz). All steaks are served with air dried plum tomato, chargrilled flat mushroom, watercress and a choice of hand cut chunky chips or French fries

Fillet of British Beef	per oz	£3.80
28 day hung British Sirloin	per oz	£2.95
Home Counties Ribeye Steak	per oz	£2.85

#### Fish & more

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with accompanying sauce	
Crevettes x 5	£14.95
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Marinated Chargrilled Chicken	£14.95
ask for today's marinade	
Marinated Chargrilled Halloumi	£12.95

#### Side orders £3.95 each

- Thyme & garlic dauphinoise potatoes
- · Hand cut chunky chips with sea salt
- Crisp French fries, with or without paprika
- Steamed market greens in herb butter
- Mixed tomato salad with frisée & a basil & parsley pesto
- Honey glazed Chantenay carrots
- Garlic & herb champignon mushrooms

#### Sauces £2.95 each

- Creamy green peppercorn & brandy
- Truffled mushroom & herb cream sauce
- Red wine



A selection of freshly made desserts available from £6.50
Artisan Farmhouse Cheese Board from £9.95

 $\sqrt{}$  - Suitable for vegetarians

All eggs used at The Birch are certified English Free Range

Our chefs are happy to cater for additional vegetarian requests and individual dietary requirements. Before ordering, please notify any food or drink allergies/intolerances to your server.



