

Evening

Bar snacks

Marinated olives	£1.95
Garlic bread	£1.95
Roasted honey & wholegrain mustard cocktail sausages	£2.50
Spicy chicken wings	£2.95
Focaccia & sourdough breads with olive oil	£3.50

Starters

Homemade soup of the day and focaccia bread	£3.95
Homemade pork & apricot paté wrapped in bacon served with red onion chutney & chargrilled bread	£3.95
Half-pint of smoked prawns with garlic mayonnaise & fresh lemon	£5.95
Feta cheese salad with tomato, cucumber & red onion	£4.95
70's retro prawn cocktail with classic rose-marie sauce	£4.95
Classic chicken Caesar salad topped with parmesan cheese & croutons	£4.95
Grilled garlic mushrooms with crème fraîche & parsley on grilled sourdough bread	£4.95

Side orders

Skinny fries, chunky chips, seasonal vegetables, side salad	£2.50
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Cheese

Selection of cheese, biscuits and chutney	£5.95
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Main Courses

Fresh locally caught fish in Mersea Beer batter with homemade tartare sauce & chunky chips	£8.95
Local prime rib eye steak with garlic & peppercorn butter & fries	£15.95
The Lexden Crown Homemade Beef Burger in toasted ciabatta with a giant onion ring & smoked applewood served with mustard mayonnaise, homemade coleslaw & fries	£8.95
Chunky Colchester fish chowder with saffron & ciabatta bread	£8.95
Grilled red pepper, goat's cheese & plum tomato burger in toasted ciabatta served with homemade coleslaw & fries	£8.50
Sun-blushed tomato risotto with basil & parmesan cheese	£7.95
Thai green chicken curry scented with lemongrass and ginger served with braised rice	£8.50
Local lamb tagine with couscous	£9.50
Grilled fillet of sea bass with nut brown butter & almonds, sauteed new potatoes & spinach	£11.95
Suffolk pork stroganoff in a light crème fraîche & mushroom sauce with rice timbale	£8.95

Desserts

Dessert of the day (please see the blackboard) Selection of homemade ice cream with shortbread	£3.95
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The Espresso Dessert Menu

Little cup of delight; small in size, big in flavour (please ask for daily choices)	£2.50
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Summer Jelly Shots

(please ask for daily choices)	£1.50
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Some dishes may contain nuts. We cannot guarantee anything is nut free

Please order at the bar