



CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR  
at Barnsdale Lodge 2010



barnsdale lodge  
hotel and restaurant



bring the dog, relax by the fire, walk along the lakeside, while away a few hours at Monopoly, have a snooze, eat, drink and be merry

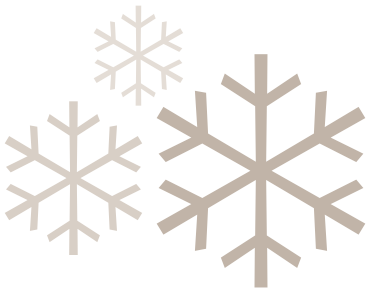


Relax and enjoy a peaceful and special Christmas or New Year here at Barnsdale Lodge Hotel. Set in the heart of Rutland's beautiful countryside, we are located on the North shore of Rutland Water.

As soon as you cross the threshold you will receive the warmest of welcomes. We always aim to make Barnsdale Lodge an extension of your home and you are in the perfect surroundings to do as much or as little as you like.

Card and board games are always available for having fun and keeping warm inside, or why not walk off Christmas lunch around the shores of Rutland Water with your family.

Whatever you choose to do, Christmas and New Year is a very special time at Barnsdale Lodge Hotel.



## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

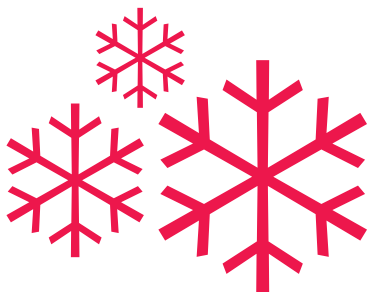
### Christmas Eve

A warm welcome reception in the hotel with mulled wine and Stilton. Christmas carols in the lounge between 7-8pm.

Dinner will be served between 7-9pm, please pre-book your table with reception. See menu opposite.

Midnight mass will be held in several local churches. For more information and to pre-book your taxis please ask at reception.

Join us for a warming hot chocolate or brandy in the early hours of Christmas morning before you enjoy a peaceful nights sleep.



### Christmas Eve Dinner Menu

Sweet potato and rosemary soup

Potted chicken liver, wild mushroom  
and thyme pate, melba toast

Ogen melon, mulled wine fruits,  
glazed Champagne sabayon

H Forman's London cured salmon, baby capers,  
shallots, cracked black pepper



Fillet of pork stroganoff, pilaff rice

Poached smoked haddock, herb mash  
and horseradish cream

Chargrilled sirloin steak, grilled tomato  
and mushroom, Diane sauce

Roast vegetable charlotte, spicy pear samosa



Whole baked apple, mincemeat, nutmeg custard

Panattone bread and butter pudding, orange custard

Profiteroles filled with lemon curd,  
white chocolate drizzle

Selection of English cheeses with celery,  
grapes and savoury biscuits



Coffee and mince pies

£30 per person + 10% service charge

## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

### Christmas Day

Open your stockings from Santa!

Continental and full English breakfast, with a glass of bucks fizz, served in the restaurant from 8–10am.

Morning service in local churches. Please ask at reception for more information.

Christmas lunch will be served from 12–2pm, followed by coffee and liqueurs. Please pre-book your table with reception.

Traditional tea and Christmas cake will be served from 4pm in the lounge.

There will be a cold fork buffet served in the conservatory from 7pm.



### Christmas Day Lunch Menu

Tomato, mozzarella and pesto soup

Mini game casserole, herb dumpling

House cured salmon gravalax, lime crème fraiche

Baby pineapple, papaya, mango  
and lychees, coconut water ice



Traditional roast Norfolk turkey served with  
all the trimmings, roasting gravy

Supreme of Atlantic cod, brown shrimp and chilli butter

Seared Gressingham duck breast, dauphinoise potatoes,  
Savoy cabbage, glazed carrots

Wild mushroom and potato rosti, tarragon  
and shallot cream sauce



Classic Christmas pudding, warm brandy sauce  
Chocolate and amaretti terrine, coffee ice cream  
Orange marmalade creme brulee, peanut cookie



Cheese and biscuits



Coffee and mince pies

£75.00 per person (non-residents)

## Boxing Day

A traditional English breakfast will be served in the restaurant from 8–10am.

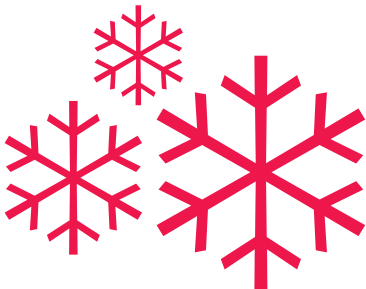
Enjoy a relaxing morning in the hotel or an invigorating walk around Rutland Water.

From 12 noon we will be serving soup and sandwiches, Christmas cake and mince pies in the hotel.

Time to relax and reflect, maybe watch a film or read a good book.

Please join us for our cocktail reception from 7pm.

Dinner will be served from 7–9pm followed by entertainment in the lounge. Please pre-book your table with reception.



### Boxing Day Dinner Menu

Winter vegetable soup  
Smoked mackerel fillet, fresh horseradish  
Confit leg of Gressingham duck, new potato  
and chorizo ragout  
Tempura vegetables, chilli jam



Roasted sirloin of beef, Yorkshire pudding  
and red wine sauce  
Herb crusted fillet of salmon, leek mash,  
dill and lime veloute  
Slow braised shank of local lamb, neeps  
and tatties, rosemary and redcurrant gravy  
Mediterranean vegetable fettuccini, Parmesan cream



Chocolate torte, raspberry coulis, vanilla ice cream  
Clotted cream rice pudding,  
Armagnac soaked prunes  
Mince meat and apple strudel,  
cinnamon sauce anglaise  
Selection of English cheeses with celery,  
grapes and biscuits



Coffee and chocolates

£30 per person + optional 10% service charge

## NEW YEAR CELEBRATIONS

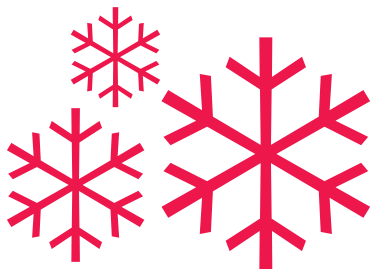
### 30th December

Arrive at your leisure from 2pm onwards and whether you choose to sit down and relax or head off for a brisk winter walk by the lake your New Year celebrations will be off to a good start. In the evening enjoy the bistro menu in one of our dining rooms where you will be entertained by our resident pianist.

### New Year's Eve

Dinner will be served between 7–9pm. Please pre-book your table with reception. See menu opposite.

The day begins with a hearty breakfast. How about a little bit of shopping at the individual boutique stores locally in Oakham and Stamford. Then the New Year celebrations go into full swing with Champagne and canapés at your table followed by an exquisite six course meal. Pop outside at 10.30pm for fireworks followed by dancing into the small hours with 'The Tomcats'.



### New Years Eve Dinner

Champagne and canapés



Trio of smoked salmon; beetroot cured, H.Formans, Gravalax, with a mustard and dill dressing



Bloody Mary sorbet



Individual beef Wellington, mixed wild mushroom mousse, Port wine sauce

Pan fried fillet of seabass, seared scallop, saffron mash, wasabi caviar

Confit leg and breast of Guinea fowl, parsnip dauphinoise potatoes, red cabbage, raisin jus

Stilton and mascarpone cheesecake, warm tomato chutney



Chefs' platter of desserts; Passion fruit crème brulee, chocolate mousse, lemon pavlova, warm sloe gin shot, clementine compote



Selection of English cheeses with celery, grapes and biscuits (served in the Barn suite)



Coffee and chocolates

Dinner Dance £80.00 per person

## December 27th

A traditional English breakfast will be served in the hotel from 8–10am.

We will then bid you farewell and wish you a safe journey home. Our thanks to you for sharing your Christmas with all of us at Barnsdale and all the best to you and your families for a very healthy and successful 2011.

We look forward to welcoming you back to Barnsdale Lodge soon.

## Christmas Rates

3 nights £420 per person  
plus £50 per person for superior rooms  
£100 deposit required by 31/10/10 includes VAT

Why not extend your Christmas stay by either arriving early or staying a little longer to fully explore all that Rutland has to offer at an additional cost of £25 per person per night for bed and breakfast. Maximum extension **30th December 2010**.

Non-residents wishing to join us for Christmas Lunch can do so at a charge of £75 per person, please book early as places are limited.



WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU!

### New Year's Day

Happy New Year! For those who need a lie in, we will extend traditional breakfast until 10.30am. A chance to relax and remember those resolutions – but put them off until tomorrow!

### New Years Eve Rules!

Black tie optional. Carriages from 1.00am. Please ensure that you have arranged your own transport home if required on the night.

### New Year Rates

1 night accommodation

Standard: £130 | Superior: £150

Previous or subsequent nights can be booked at £50 per room (bed and breakfast) from Monday 27th December to Sunday 2nd January.

Full English Breakfast



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