



## THE HISTORY OF AFTERNOON TEA

During the early nineteenth century tea consumption increased, and it is around this time that Anna, the 7th Duchess of Bedford is said to have complained of “having that sinking feeling” during the late afternoons.

The solution for the Duchess was a pot of tea and a light snack, taken privately in her boudoir, and later friends were invited to join the duchess in her rooms at her private residence of Woburn Abbey.

This summer practice proved so popular that the Duchess continued it when returning to London, inviting her friends to join her for “tea and a walk.” It didn’t take long before it became a social occasion for all the fashionable hostesses to practise at their homes.

Over time, the occasion became so respectable it moved into the drawing room where it became a more formal experience for guest. Before long all of the fashionable societies were sipping tea and nibbling sandwiches in the middle of the afternoon and talking strolls around some of the United Kingdom’s beautiful gardens.



## PMD LOOSE LEAF TEAS

At the center of all PMD Tea is the time-honored tradition of skillfully hand picking two leaves and a bud. This hand picking ensures PMD Teas produce their signature bold mouthfeel along with our unmistakable aroma and flavor.

### TEA SELECTION

#### Thornbury's Radiant Rose

*Special blend of black tea and rose petals*

#### Planters Breakfast

*Award winning, rich blend*

#### Earl Grey

*Fragrant, smooth, citrus notes*

#### Forest Estate

*Fragrant & refreshing*

#### Hamlari Estate Assam

*Complex, refreshing, sweet*

#### Nuwara Eliya Lovers Leap

*Champagne of Ceylon Teas*

#### Lapsang Souchong

*Deep, rich, smokey*

#### Milk Oolong

*Complex & delicate*

#### Green Tea

*Fresh, reinvigorating*

#### Planters Decaffeinated

*Exquisite flavor, depth & complexity*

### HERBAL INFUSIONS

#### Peppermint

*Fragrant, refreshing*

#### Chamomile Flowers

*Sweet, soothing*

#### Rooibos

*Fruity, refreshing, sweet*

#### Apple & Cinnamon

*Fragrant, refreshing*

### COFFEE

Grand Cru 100% Arabica coffee blend. Citrus notes & chocolate after taste. Full bodied nutty base. Also available Swiss Water Decaffeinated.

#### Cafetiere Coffee

#### Americano

#### Espresso

#### Café Latte

#### Flat White

#### Chai Latte

#### Hot Chocolate



## CHRISTMAS AFTERNOON TEA

£40

### SAVOURY

Selection of delicate finger sandwiches

*On White Bread*

Turkey & Cranberry

Egg Mayonnaise & Cress

*On Brown Bread*

Smoked Salmon & Cream

Cheese

Mature Cheddar & Christmas

Chutney

### SWEET

Chocolate Yule Log

Macaron

*Cranberry & Cream Cheese*

Cake

*Pistachio & Clementine*

Mince Pie

Cranberry & Plain Scones

*Cornish Clotted Cream &*

*Homemade Strawberry Jam*

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we cannot guarantee that our kitchen is an allergen free environment.*

*A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to your bill.*



VEGETARIAN CHRISTMAS  
AFTERNOON TEA  
£40

SAVOURY

Selection of delicate finger sandwiches

*On White Bread*

Beetroot & Roquette

Egg Mayonnaise & Cress

*On Brown Bread*

Mature Cheddar & Christmas  
Chutney

Spiced Chickpea & Avocado

SWEET

Chocolate Yule Log

Macaron

*Cranberry & Cream Cheese*

Cake

*Pistachio & Clementine*

Mince Pie

Cranberry & Plain Scones

*Cornish Clotted Cream &*

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GLUTEN FREE CHRISTMAS  
AFTERNOON TEA  
£40

SAVOURY

*Selection of delicate finger sandwiches*

*On gluten free bread*

Turkey & Cranberry

Egg Mayonnaise & Cress

Matured Cheddar & Christmas  
Chutney

Smoked Salmon & Cream Cheese

SWEET

Coconut Cake  
*Confit Orange*

Chocolate Gateaux  
*Apple*

Sponge  
*Carrot & Walnut*

Lemon Cake  
*Lemon Confit*

Cranberry & Plain Scones  
*Cornish Clotted Cream &  
Strawberry Jam*

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VEGAN CHRISTMAS  
AFTERNOON TEA  
£40

SAVOURY

Selection of delicate finger sandwiches

*On White Bread*

Tomato, Black Olive & Basil

Beetroot & Roquette

*On Brown Bread*

Almond Cream Cheese & Cucumber

Spiced Chickpea & Avocado

SWEET

Coconut Cake  
*Confit Orange*

Chocolate Gateaux  
*Apple Jelly*

Sponge  
*Carrot & Walnut*

Lemon Cake  
*Lemon Confit*

Homemade Cranberry & Plain Scones  
*Vegan Spread & Strawberry Jam*

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CHAMPAGNE 125ml / BOTTLE  
 Drappier Carte d'Or Brut £16/£95  
 Taittinger Brut reserve £19.50 / £110  
 Drapier Rose de saingriner £22 / £110

**DEALCOHOLISED 175ML/BOTTLE**  
 Still

Steinbock Reisling £9.50 / £37  
 Germany  
 Thompson & Scott Rose £7.70/£32  
 Less than 0.5% alc., SA

**Sparkling**

Babylonstoren £9.50 / £37  
 Sparkling Grape Juice, SA  
 Thompson & Scott Rose £9.50 / £37  
 Sparkling Rose, Tempranillo, Germany

**SPARKLING 125ML / BOTTLE**

Gusbourn Brut, UK £15 / £75  
 Gusbourn Rose, UK £16 / £80  
 Prosecco del Console £9.50 / £38  
 Italy  
 Prosecco Di Maria Rose £9.50 / £38  
 Italy

FESTIVE SPECIAL 175ml  
 Mulled Wine £12.50

**COCKTAILS**

Afternoon Tea Cocktail £14  
 Earl Grey Tea, Gin, Peach liqueur,  
 Lemon, Orange, Soda Water

Star Flower non-alcoholic £12  
 Seedlip Spice, Earl Grey Tea,  
 Pineapple, Lemon

**WATER**

Kingsdown Spring 750ml £4.50  
 Still or Sparkling  
 Bath Spring 750ml £4.50  
 Still or Sparkling  
 Voss, Norwegian Spring 800ml £9.50  
 Still or Sparkling  
 St. Pellegrino Sparkling 750ml £5.50  
 Avian Still Water 750ml £5.50

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