

The 
Woodman Inn
-EST 1879-

Sunday Lunch

2 Courses - £19 - 3 Courses £22

While You Decide

Candied Walnuts
Cinnamon & Malt Spice £3.50

Freshly Baked Sourdough
Lightly Salted Butter £2pp

Mixed Olives
Lemon, Chilli & Thyme £4.50

Starters

Honey Roasted Parsnip Soup
Pine Oil & Freshly Baked Bread

Spiced Butternut Squash Strudel
Dressed Winter Leaves

Thai Crab Fritter
Pickled Radish & Lemon Mayonnaise

Lightly Spiced Venison Scotch Egg
Sprout & Chestnut Coleslaw

Chicken & Wild Mushroom Paté
Pickled Brambles & Brioche

Barncliffe Brie Croquettes
Cranberry Chutney & Soft Herb Aioli

Mains

A Choice of Roasted Waterford Farm Sirloin of Beef or Buttered Yorkshire Turkey,
Slow Cooked Gammon Rib Eye or Roasted Pepper & Nut Roast

(All Served with Roasted Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables & Yorkshire Pudding)

Wild Mushroom Risotto - Charred Leek, Pomegranate, Spinach & Haloumi Pancake

Baked Beef Bourguignon Pie - Thyme & Suet Crust, Roasted Potatoes & Wilted Greens

Wood Fired Beef Burger - Sourdough Bun, BBQ Pulled Brisket, Pickles, Skinny Fries & Bacon Mayo

Pan Roasted Cod - Potato Gnocchi, Soft Herbs, Truffle Cream, Peas & Bacon

10 oz Rib Eye Steak - Dripping Fat Chips, Plum Tomato, Garlic Mushroom & Peppercorn Sauce
(£5 Supplement)

Extras £3.50

Skinny Fries, Parmesan Cheese & Truffle

Braised Red Cabbage

Mixed Green Vegetables & Almond Butter

Duck Fat Roasted Potatoes

Heritage Carrot & Swede Mash

Sautéed Brussels Sprouts, Shallot & Bacon

Triple Cooked Chips

Pigs In Blankets

Baked Cauliflower Cheese

Desserts

Sticky Toffee Pudding - Brandy Snap, Vanilla Ice Cream, Stout & Toffee Sauce

White Chocolate Cheesecake - Red Fruit Compote & Almond Nougatine

Traditional Christmas Pudding - Brandy Sauce, White Chocolate & Cherry Ice Cream

Mince Pie Chocolate Fondant - Malted Milk Ice Cream

Yummy Yorkshire Ice Cream - Cookie Crumble

English Cheese Plate - Chutney & Oat Biscuits

Hot Drinks

Café Latte £3

Americano £2.20

Hot Chocolate £3

Flavoured Teas £2.50

Yorkshire Tea £2.20

Espresso £2.20

If you have any allergens please ask a member of staff for more details

The History of The Woodman Inn

200 years of history

Where Past meets Present to create one of Yorkshire's most sought-after and stylish Inns.

1821: Number 6 Thunderbridge Lane opens its doors as an ale house and pig farm, known as '**The Butcher's Arms**'. (now called **Thunderbridge Gardens**).

1828: Huddersfield shoe manufacturer Thomas Chamber buys the ale house and farm. Reopening as the aptly-named '**Boot and Shoe**', run by licensee William Dye.

1830s: Something of a mystery period where the **Boot and Shoe** closed to revive the farming tradition. Local folklore states one of the cottages became an ale house – unusually trading as the '**Who'd a Thought It**' Inn.

1875: The ale house becomes '**The Bridge Inn**', under the licence of John Allot. **1876:** John Allot reverts to his trade as a joiner.

1880: Woodcutter Nathaniel Hill opened the doors. He aptly chose our current name '**The Woodman Inn**', remaining here until **1888** followed by a stream of different licensees until **1901**.

1901: The Edwardian age marked the early tenure of one of the inn's longest licensees, Henry Wickham who served until the Second World War, not leaving until **1942**.

1942: Fred Kaye follows as the new licensee. After his sudden death, his widow Gertrude, takes over, running **The Woodman Inn** until **1954**. Then followed licensees William Stancliffe, Harry Bassett and his younger brother, Alan.

1985: A major milestone, with the creation of a high-class, upstairs restaurant by Philip Kirkup.

1986: Philip sells the restaurant to John Rowan who stayed until **1992**, followed by Keith Buckley (**1992-96**) and Channel & Armstrong from **1996** to **2012**.

2012: The Woodman Inn is owned by Leslie Country Inns – and **The Woodman Inn** enters a new chapter with the arrival of current licensee, Lawrence Martin Yates.

Transforming **The Woodman Inn** into one of Yorkshire's finest venues. Recent key milestones include:

2016: Construction started on **Bassett Garden** named after Alan Bassett.

2017: The creation of the '**Thunderbridge Gardens**' venue, with six new double bedrooms, 16-cover Chef's Table and Paragon Oak Orangery with impressive, 10-metre oak bar.

2019: Saw a refurbishment of downstairs and art work by Richard Gower.

Transformation of **The Woodman Inn**, to feature 19 bedrooms, including three idyllic cottages, a 20-seater private dining room, large upstairs function room, and wedding and events venue **Thunderbridge Gardens**.

Our sincere thanks to everybody who's played a part in our amazing success story
we couldn't have done it without you!