



Welcome to Bessie's Tea Parlour!

A little touch of nostalgia in the heart of Broadstairs

Teas & Coffees

Teas

Yorkshire Tea	Pot for One // Pot for Two	£3.25 // £4.95
Decaffeinated Tea	Pot for One // Pot for Two	£3.25 // £4.95
Speciality Tea	Pot for One // Pot for Two	£3.75 // £5.95

Coffees

We have soya and oat milks available if you would like a dairy-free option!

Espresso	Simple - pure coffee. Single shot.	£3.25
	Double shot.	£3.95
Latte	A shot of espresso topped with steamed milk.	£3.95
Cappuccino	One third espresso, one third steamed milk, one third foam, dusted with chocolate powder.	£3.95
Americano	Served black. Ask us if you'd like either hot or cold milk on the side!	£3.95
Mocha	A winning combo of espresso, chocolate and milk.	£4.95
Flat White	Two shots of espresso, topped with steamed milk. Served short.	£3.95
Syrup Shot	Add a shot of syrup to your coffee or hot chocolate: vanilla, caramel, hazelnut, pistachio, cherry, toasted marshmallow, gingerbread, Terry's Chocolate Orange	£0.75
Iced Latte	A shot of espresso over ice and your choice of milk.	£4.25
Babyccino	A small cup of steamed milk and foam, dusted with chocolate powder.	£1.50



Chocolate & Chai

Chocolate Drinks

Hot Chocolate	Our classic hot chocolate is rich, creamy and sweet.	£4.50
	Add cream & marshmallows for 50p.	£0.50
Luxury Chocolate Melt	Hot chocolate made with melted chocolate flakes. Choose from: Dark, Milk, White or Ruby for a luxurious experience.	£4.95
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Baileys Hot Chocolate (25ml)	Treat yourself by adding a shot of Bailey's to your hot chocolate! Served with cream.	£6.95

Chai

Chai Latte	A warming spiced drink made with steamed milk, dusted with cinnamon.	£4.25
	Make your Chai “dirty” by adding a shot of espresso.	£4.75
Iced Chai Latte	Delicious chai served over ice.	£4.95
Masala Chai	Loose leaf Assam black tea, ginger, cardamom, cinnamon and red peppercorns. Brewed with milk rather than water, this is a wonderfully warming, spicy treat.	£3.95
Chocolate Chai	Warming, spiced chai tea, brewed with hot chocolate milk.	£4.25



Cold Drinks & Milkshakes

Kingsdown Still or Sparkling Water	£2.95	Charrington's Apple Juice	£3.95
Kingsdown Ginger Beer	£3.95	Orange Juice	£3.95
Kingsdown Rhubarb Sparkle	£3.95	Coca-Cola	£3.50
Kingsdown Elderflower Sparkle	£3.95	Diet Coke	£3.50
Kingsdown Cloudy Lemonade	£3.95	Coke Float	£4.95

Marvellous Milkshakes

Regular	Made with two scoops of delicious ice cream. Choose from: Vanilla, Strawberry, Chocolate, or Banana	£4.95
Premium	Ice cream, milk & your choice of chocolate, topped with whipped cream: Mint Aero, Oreo, Biscoff, Crunchie, Kinder Bueno	£5.45
Alcoholic	Choose from one of our two new alcoholic milkshake options. Nice just got a little bit naughty!	
Boozy Bakewell	Vanilla ice cream and milk blended with cherry syrup and a double shot of Amaretto. Bakewell bliss!	£8.95
Happy Hazelnut	Chocolate ice cream and milk blended with hazelnut syrup and a double shot of Frangelico liqueur for a nutty delight.	£8.95



Alcoholic Drinks

Wine & Sparkling

House Wine - Small (125ml) - Red, White or Rosé	£5.75
House Wine - Medium (175ml) - Red, White or Rosé	£6.50
House Wine - Large (250ml) - Red, White or Rosé	£7.25
House Wine - Bottle (750ml) - Red, White or Rosé	£22.95
Prosecco - Glass (125ml) - White or Rosé	£6.50
Prosecco - Mini Bottle (200ml) - White or Rosé	£7.95
Prosecco - Bottle (750ml) - White or Rosé	£25.95
Champagne - Half Bottle (375ml)	£24.00
Champagne - Bottle (750ml)	£42.00
Pink Champagne - Bottle (750ml)	£49.00

If you're enjoying an Afternoon Tea with us, why not upgrade to our bottomless drinks package (for only £19.95 pp) for some extra sparkle?

Beer & Cider

Peroni (330ml)	£4.95
Gadd's No3 Ale (500ml)	£4.95
Charrington's Sparkling Cider (330ml)	£4.95

Other Options

Pimm's & Lemonade - 100ml Pimm's, topped up with lemonade	£5.95
Buck's Fizz - 50ml Prosecco, topped up with orange juice	£4.95



Pssst! We also offer
Boozy Milkshakes!

Bessie's Brunch

Porridge with Honey & Berries	Porridge served with local honey & berries - can be made gluten-free or dairy-free!	£5.25
Toast with Honey, Jam or Marmalade	Two slices of locally baked white or granary toast, served with butter and your choice of local honey, jam or marmalade.	£3.95
Crumpets	Two crumpets with salted butter.	£4.50
Cheesy Crumpets	Two crumpets with melted mature cheddar cheese.	£5.95
Toasted Cheese Scone	One of our large, homemade cheese scones, toasted to perfection and served with salted butter.	£4.50
Giant Toasted Teacake	A locally baked giant teacake, toasted and served with salted butter. Let us know if you fancy any jam!	£3.95
Beans on Toast	Two slices of buttered white or granary toast topped with Heinz Baked Beans.	£6.95
Cheddar Cheese on Toast	One and a half slices of white or granary toast, topped with melted mature cheddar cheese and served with caramelised red onion marmalade.	£6.95
Welsh Rarebit	Our rarebit is made with mustard, vegan Worcestershire sauce, milk, cheese and local Kent ale. Served on one slice of either white or granary toast with dressed baby leaf salad.	£6.95
Kentish Blue Rarebit	As above, but this rarebit is topped with Kingcott Dairy Kentish Blue cheese.	£7.50





Sandwiches

Egg Mayonnaise	A classic egg mayonnaise made with free range Kent eggs and free range mayonnaise!	£6.95
Ham & Salad	Home-carved Kentish ham with baby salad leaves.	£7.95
Tuna Mayonnaise with Cucumber	Tuna mixed with free range mayonnaise and crunchy cucumber slices.	£6.95
Kentish Blue Cheese with Pear & Walnut Chutney	Kingcott Dairy Kentish Blue cheese (a moist but firm blue) served with Karly's Kitchen Pear & Walnut chutney and baby salad leaves.	£7.95
Ashmore Cheese with Red Onion Marmalade	Cheesemakers of Canterbury's award-winning Farmhouse Ashmore cheese (a mature, hard cheddar-like cheese) served with Karly's Kitchen Caramelised Red Onion - simply delicious!	£7.95
Goat's Cheese with Spiced Beetroot	Cheesemakers of Canterbury's Ellie's Goat's cheese (a goat's cheese with a feta-like texture) served with Karly's Kitchen Spiced Beetroot chutney. Not spicy, just flavourful and moreish.	£7.95
Smoked Salmon & Cream Cheese	The salmon we use is a hot smoked variety, flaky and delicious. Served simply with full fat cream cheese.	£7.95
Children's Sandwich	Choice of cheese, ham, Nutella, jam, cream cheese, Marmite, peanut butter, served with the crusts cut off!	£4.50





Toasties & Toasted Snacks

Cheese & Ham Toastie	Home-carved Kentish ham and mature cheddar cheese, toasted to perfection.	£7.95
Cheese & Tomato Toastie	Mature cheddar cheese and fresh tomatoes, toasted to perfection.	£7.95
Children's Toastie	Plain cheese, cheese & tomato, or cheese & ham toastie, served with the crusts cut off!	£4.95

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Kentish Huffkins

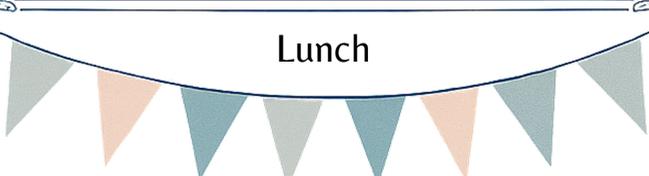


A Kentish Huffkin is a large wholemeal roll, traditional to Kent and made exclusively for Bessie's by our local bakery! They are soft and fluffy, and served lightly toasted.

Blue Cheese Rarebit, Pear, Walnut & Honey	Half a huffkin, topped with our homemade rarebit, pear & walnut chutney, Kentish Blue cheese, walnuts and then drizzled with local honey. Served with dressed baby leaf salad and Kent crisps.	£8.95
Tuna Melt	Half a huffkin, topped with mature cheddar, tuna mayonnaise, and more cheddar on top. Served with dressed baby leaf salad and Kent crisps.	£8.95
Ham & Tomato	A whole huffkin, toasted, filled with carved ham, fresh tomato, mayonnaise and salad. Served with dressed baby leaf salad and Kent crisps.	£8.95
Smoked Salmon, Cream Cheese & Avocado	A whole huffkin, toasted, filled with cream cheese, avocado, hot-smoked salmon and salad. Served with dressed baby leaf salad and Kent crisps.	£8.95

The story goes that there once was a baker, who had left his rolls to prove overnight. He then got into a fight with his wife, who, in a huff, stabbed her thumb into each roll, trying to ruin them. He had nothing else to sell, so baked and sold them anyway, naming them a "huffkin". Our huffkins still have that signature thumbprint to this day!





Lunch

Jacket Potatoes

A hot and fluffy buttered jacket potato, served with homemade coleslaw, dressed baby leaf salad and your choice of topping:

£9.95

Baked Beans (ve)

Bean Chilli (ve)

Cheese (v)

Cheese & Onion (v)

Tuna Mayo

add an extra topping for £1.50

Quiche

A slice of our delicious homemade quiche, served with dressed baby leaf salad, homemade coleslaw & potato salad, and chutney.

£11.95

Bacon, Cheese & Tomato

Goat's Cheese, Pear & Walnut (v)

Soup

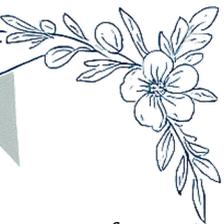
Homemade soup, served with a Kentish huffkin and salted butter.

Ask for today's flavour!

£6.95

Please see our Specials Board for more options!





Sweet Treats



Homemade Cake All our cakes are homemade in our kitchen below your feet! See the counter for today's selection. from £4.25

Homemade Puddings Our traditional homemade puddings are served with your choice of custard, cream or ice cream! Please see the Puddings Board for today's options! £6.95

Belgian Waffle A warm, cinnamon dusted waffle, served with a choice of toppings: £6.95

Cookies & Cream - Crushed Oreos, whipped cream, milk chocolate sauce

White Chocolate & Strawberries - strawberries, whipped cream, white chocolate sauce

Biscoff - crushed Biscoff biscuits, whipped cream, Biscoff sauce

Bueno - Nutella, whipped cream, Kinder Bueno

Add a scoop of vanilla ice cream: £7.95

Ice Cream Your choice of vanilla, chocolate or strawberry ice cream! One scoop - £1.75 | Two scoops - £2.75 | Three scoops - £3.75

Scones

Cream Tea Two homemade scones, clotted cream and strawberry jam, and a pot of tea or cup of coffee. Let us know if you'd prefer fruit or plain scones, or one of each! £8.95

Scone One homemade scone, with clotted cream & strawberry jam. Let us know if you'd prefer a plain or fruit scone! £3.95



Vegan

Bessie's is proud to offer a range of vegan options for lunch and sweet treats. If you have any questions regarding ingredients, please do ask!

Hot Drinks	We have soya and oat milks for your teas and coffees, and a dark chocolate for hot chocolate. Our chai lattes are vegan too, and so is our whipped cream!	
Sandwich Fillings	Choose from a combination of: vegan cheese, spiced beetroot, smashed avocado, peanut butter, cucumber, tomato, hummus, kimchi. Toasties available too!	£7.95
Jacket Potatoes	A fluffy potato with dairy-free spread and your choice of either baked beans or bean chilli, served with dressed baby leaf salad.	£9.95
Toasted Cheese Scone	One of our large, homemade vegan cheese scones, toasted to perfection and served with dairy-free spread.	£4.50
Giant Toasted Teacake	A locally baked giant teacake, toasted & served with dairy-free spread Let us know if you fancy any jam!	£3.95
Beans on Toast	Two slices of white or granary toast topped with Heinz Baked Beans.	£6.95
Cream Tea	Two vegan scones with dairy-free cream or spread & strawberry jam, as well as a pot of tea or a coffee.	£8.95
Afternoon Tea	A selection of finger sandwiches and a bridge roll to start with, then a trio of homemade sweet treats, and a scone with dairy-free cream and strawberry jam, with plentiful pots of tea or copious coffees to keep you going.	£24.95



Afternoon Teas

At Bessie's, we offer a range of luxurious Afternoon Tea experiences, and are able to cater to a wide range of dietary requirements.

So why not treat yourself today?

Afternoon Tea

A classic. A selection of finger sandwiches and a bridge roll to start with, then a trio of homemade sweet treats, and a scone with clotted cream and strawberry jam, with plentiful pots of tea or copious coffees to keep you going. Work your way through our extensive tea menu, or stick to the classics, it's entirely up to you!

£24.95 per person

Prosecco Afternoon Tea - As above, with a glass of Prosecco.

£29.95 per person

Savoury Tea

A savoury twist on an Afternoon Tea. Your choice of sandwich served with Kent crisps, a homemade toasted cheese scone with butter, and a chunky slice of fruit cake, as well as copious coffees or plentiful pots of tea.

£19.95 per person

Savoury Tea with Ale or Cider - As above, with an Ale or a Cider.

£23.95 per person

Bottomless Drinks Package

Elevate your Afternoon Tea or Savoury Tea with unlimited Prosecco, Buck's Fizz, Peroni or Gadd's No3 ale for 90 minutes.

£19.95 per person





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Beforenoon Tea (pre-book only).

Start your day deliciously with our morning spin on an Afternoon Tea. A mini bacon roll, toasted cheese scone, your choice of either a Welsh rarebit muffin or smoked salmon brioche, a yoghurt parfait, Danish pastries, a Belgian waffle with chocolate and strawberries and plenty of tea or coffee.

£17.95 per person

Champagne Tea for Two

For two people. A selection of finger sandwiches and a bridge roll to start with, as well as an extra homemade savoury item and Kent crisps, then a trio of homemade sweet treats, and a scone with clotted cream and strawberry jam, with plentiful pots of tea or copious coffees, in addition to a half bottle of Champagne. Go on, treat yourselves!

£68.00 for two people

Children's Party Tea

Who says adults get to have all the fun? Your choice of sandwich or toastie (crusts cut off!) served with crisps, a cupcake and two other sweet treats with fresh fruit, and a classic milkshake or a hot chocolate.

£15.95 per child



Speciality Teas

Black Teas

Breakfast Blend

A traditional strong black tea, blending Indian Assam and Kenyan leaves. The timeless brew found in every British home.

Extreme Earl

The finest Ceylon Orange Pekoe black tea scented with exquisite organic bergamot oil.

Lapsang Souchong

A distinctive Chinese black tea, traditionally smoked over pinewood for a smoky flavour.

Vanilla Chai

A sweet, exotic blend of black tea, ginger, cardamom, cinnamon, and a touch of vanilla. Simply delicious!

Bessie's Blend

Our signature high-grade House Blend combines the finest teas from Sri Lanka and India. A rich mix of Assam, Kenyan, Rwandan, and slightly fragrant Keemun.

Darjeeling First Flush

Finest Darjeeling black tea, often referred to as the "Champagne of teas," made from the first spring shoots for an exquisitely delicate brew.

Sweet Kentish Lavender

Sri Lankan black tea infused with vanilla and lavender for a silky, aromatic, and soothing blend.

Herbal Teas - Naturally Caffeine Free

Strawberries and Cream

Absolutely fabulous! A fruity infusion bursting with the taste of summer. Sweet strawberries and cream in a cup.

Lemon & Ginger

Warm, spicy ginger blended with zesty lemon. A perfect after-dinner drink and gentle digestive soother.

Mint Blend

Minty, sweet, cooling. A classic mint blend with additional sweet notes coming from the liquorice and fennel.

Peach Blossom

A fragrant infusion brimming with peach and blossoms, offering a truly unforgettable fruit experience.

Chamomile Flowers

Pure chamomile flowers for a naturally calming, relaxing drink.

Rooibos

A refreshing herbal infusion, also known as Redbush Tea, with many noted health benefits.



Speciality Teas

Green Teas

Pure Green

Discover our green tea from Yunnan Province, China.

This is tea in its purest form with very little done to it before reaches your cup!

Green Chai

A take on the classic Indian masala chai blended for the green tea lover to enjoy; the addition of fennel seeds gives the sweetness expected from a chai without the need for added sugar.

Cake Inspired Teas

Chocolate Fudge Cake

A luxurious, deeply rich blend of flavours.

What better match than chocolate and caramel to make a delicious cup of extravagant tea! A slice of chocolate fudge cake without the calories!

Victoria Sponge Cake

This tea really does remind us of Victoria Sponge cake! A sweet gorgeous green tea, with just the right balance of strawberry and vanilla, simply fabulous!

Red Velvet

This delicious blend is made using the finest black tea with chocolate and vanilla. It is a wonderfully silky, smooth tea. Add a dash of milk and watch your tea turn pink!

Cinnamon Bun Chai

A cinnamon bun inspired sweet treat without the calories! A happy accident led to a delicious liquor tasting just like the real thing.

French Fancies

A gorgeous mix of green tea with a fabulous sweet blend of fruits. It is beautiful to look at as well as being a delicious fruity green tea.

Cherry Bakewell

A well balanced full-flavoured tea, blended with a fabulous Ceylon black tea delicate in flavour, with just the right amount of almond pieces perfectly matched with freeze-dried cherries. A lovely fruity blend with a burst of almonds.

Fruit Cake

A delicious blend of traditional fruits, with a dash of spice, absolutely gorgeous. This tea is naturally caffeine free.

Blueberry Oolong

Fruity, sweet, light. A light leaf tea made with real fruit pieces. With a robust, full bodied flavour, it's perfect at any time of day.

