

A romantic wedding dinner table setting. In the foreground, a silver candelabra with five lit candles stands on a white tablecloth. To the left, a floral centerpiece with pink and white roses is in a rustic container. Several wine glasses are visible on the table. The background is softly blurred, showing other tables and warm ambient lighting.

THE
RIVER INN

Wedding Brochure

Venue introduction





about us

Welcome to The River Inn, where your wedding is our passion. We are committed to delivering a memorable experience on your special day.

Choose from one of our four carefully curated packages or create your bespoke package tailored to your preferences.

Our menus highlight dishes made from fresh, locally sourced ingredients, all crafted by our award-winning Executive Chef.

We provide the following complimentary services for your wedding :

- Exclusive use of the Crosslee or Gryffe Suite
- Silver cake stand and knife
- Complimentary menus and table plans
- Private bar
- Toastmaster services from one of our dedicated team members
- Recommendations for suppliers and entertainment
- Access to our Ivy Garden for drinks reception and photographs

You can count on our dedicated and experienced Wedding & Events team to ensure everything goes off without a hitch, consistently going the extra mile for our Brides and Grooms.

about the venue





venue details

We're delighted you're considering The Crosslee Suite at The River Inn for your special day. Located in the peaceful village of Houston, the venue is conveniently close to main transport links, ensuring easy access for you and your guests.

VENUE ADDRESS

The River Inn
Houston Road
Crosslee
PA6 7AW



CAPACITY

Our elegant Crosslee Suite can host up to 200 guests for your wedding breakfast and evening reception, while our smaller Gryffee Suite offers an intimate setting for up to 70 guests, complete with a private bar. Both Suites can be hired for larger weddings.

The Ivy Garden is also available for smaller gatherings. Perfectly suited for a more personal celebration.

ACCESSIBILITY

The River Inn is committed to inclusivity. Our venue is wheelchair accessible, with ramps and a lift in place to ensure that all guests can enjoy the event without any barriers.

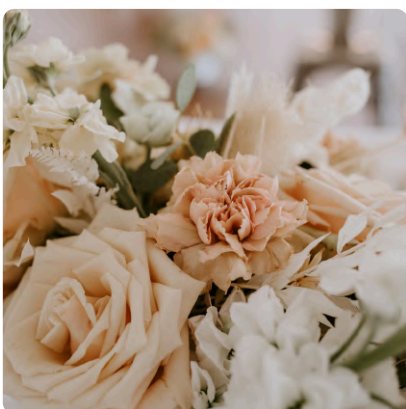
PARKING

Ample parking is available for your guests, ensuring a hassle-free arrival and departure. Our dedicated parking area is close to the venue entrance].

NEARBY ACCOMMODATION

For your convenience and that of your guests, several local Airbnbs and hotels are within a short distance of The River Inn. Feel free to ask our team for recommendations or assistance in coordinating arrangements.

Photo Gallery



packages



Package One

Package Includes 3 Course Dinner with Tea & Coffee.

Soup of the Day

Served with Bloomer Bread & Butter

River Inn Steak & Ale Pie

Chicken Pie or Vegetarian Pie

Served with Seasonal Vegetables and Mashed Potatoes

Strawberry Cheesecake

Served on a light Raspberry Coulis garnished
with Fresh Strawberries and Raspberries

Package Two

Includes Canapes & 3 Course Dinner with Tea & Coffee

Soup of the Day

Served with Bloomer Bread & Butter

Smooth Chicken Liver & Brandy Pate

Served with Oatcakes, accompanied by Plum Chutney



Golden Supreme of Chicken

With a Honey & Almond Crust, set on a Vermouth,
Chive and Grape Cream Sauce

Roast Rib Prime of Scotch Beef

Served with a Red Wine & Tarragon Jus,
accompanied by Crisp Yorkshire Pudding



Strawberry Cheesecake

Served on a Light Raspberry Coulis garnished
with Fresh Strawberries & Raspberries

Apple & Cinnamon Crumble

Served with Complementing Ice Cream

Package Three

Includes Canapes & 3 Course Dinner with Tea & Coffee

Fanned Seasonal Melon

Filled with Fresh Exotic Fruits & Berries,
Served with Fruit Sorbet

Chicken & Herb Terrine

Wrapped in Bacon carved over goat cheese,
Walnut & beetroot salad

Steamed Breast of Free Range Chicken

Stuffed with Haggis & wrapped with Ayrshire Bacon,
Served with a Pepper Sauce

Roast of Lanarkshire Lamb

Traced with a Sweet Sherry Essence crowned
with a Garlic & Rosemary Crust

Strawberry Romanoff

Served in a crisp Brandy Basket, topped with Meringue,
resting in a light Strawberry Sauce

Fresh Fruit Pavlova

With Chantilly Cream & Fruit Coulis

Package Four

Includes Canapés on Arrival & 4 Course Dinner with Tea, Coffee & Truffles

Beggars Purse of Haggis, Neeps & Tatties

Served with Pepper Sauce

Trio of Smoked Fish

Including Salmon, Trout & Mackerel, Served on a
Light lemon Horseradish Dressing



Your Choice of Soup



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Bespoke Package

Create Your Package with this Bespoke Menu

Starters

Fanned Seasonal Melon | £7.50

Filled with Fresh Exotic Fruits & Berries,
Served with A Fruit Sorbet

Timbale of Smoked Salmon & Prawns | £10.50

Accompanied by Brown Bread Lemon
and Crispy Salad

Smooth Chicken Liver & Brandy Pate | £8.95

Served with Oateakes Accompanied by
Plum & Pineapple Chutney

Soup Of The Day | £6.50

Served with Bloomer Bread

Chicken & Herb Terrine | £8.95

Wrapped in Bacon carved over Goats Cheese,
Walnut & Beetroot Salad

Trio of Smoked Fish | £11.95

Salmon, Trout & Mackerel, Served on a
light Horseradish Dressing

Mains

Roast Saddle of Venison | £23.00

Topped with Woodland Mushroom, Port and Redcurrant
Essence marbled with Kirsch and Cherry Cream

Roast Loin of Borders Pork | £18.50

Served with Sage & Onion Stuffing, Apple Sauce
& a light Calvados Essence

42 Dry Aged Fillet of Beef | £40.00

with Haggis Truffles served
with a Perigux Sauce

River Inn Steak & Ale Pie | £16.95

Served with Hand- Cut Chips
and Tartare Sauce

Steamed Breast of Chicken | £18.95

Stuffed with Haggis & wrapped with Ayrshire Bacon,
Served with a Pepper Sauce

Roast Rib of Prime Scotch Beef | £22.00

Served with Red Wine and Tarragon Jus
accompanied by Crisp Yorkshire Pudding

Roast of Lanarkshire Lamb | £25.00

Traced with a sweet Sherry Essence crowned
with a Garlic & Rosemary Crust

Golden Supreme of Chicken | £18.95

With a Honey & Almond Crust set on a Vermouth,
Chive & Grape Cream Sauce

Fillet of Salmon | £18.95

Sauteed Green Beans, New Boiled Potatoes, Chablis Grape
& Chive Cream Sauce

Vegan Sizzler | £14.95

Leek, Broccoli & Cheddar Bangers, Sauteed Potatoes, Onions,
Mushrooms, Grilled Tomato & Vegetables

Desserts

Apple & Cinnamon Crumble | £7.95

Served with Complementing Ice Cream

Lemon Tart | £7.95

Set on a warm maple syrup sauce served
with Flavoured Ice Cream

Fresh Fruit Pavlova | £7.95

With Chantilly Cream & Fruit Coulis

Mint Aero Cheesecake | £7.95

With a Chocolate Sauce
and Complementing Ice Cream

Classic Crème Brulee | £7.95

Vanilla Egg Custard served Chilled with a light sugar crust

Chocolate Gateaux | £7.95

Accompanied by Chantilly Cream
& Fresh Strawberries

Selection of European Cheeses | £12.50

Biscuits, Grapes & Chutney

Strawberry Romanoff | £7.95

Crisp Brandy basket topped with Meringue resting
in a light Strawberry Sauce

Canapés

3 Canapés £6.95 pp

6 Canapés £11.95 pp

Goats Cheese & Marmalade Crostini



Fresh Smoked Salmon & Cream Cheese Tartlets



Haggis Balls accompanied by a Whisky Cream Chaser



Pate Maison served on a Mini Oatcake



Melon Balls with Balsamic Strawberry



Tempura King Prawn with Sweet Chilli Dip



Fillet of Beef Rossini



Strawberries dipped in White Chocolate



Parma Ham & Sunblushed Tomato Bruschetta



Avocado, Red Onion & Sunblushed Tomato Bruschetta



Childrens Menu

Please select one Starter, Main and Dessert

Starters

Freshly Prepared Soup of the Day

Heinz Tomato Soup

Garlic Bread or Cheesy Garlic Bread

Carved Seasonal Melon with raspberry sauce

Mains

Cheesy Pasta and Chips

Breaded Fish Strips & Chips

Crispy Chicken Strips & Chips

Cheese & Tomato Pizza & Chips

Bangers & Mash with Gravy

Desserts

Fresh Fruit Salad

Selection of Dairy Ice Creams

Sticky Toffee Pudding with Ice Cream

Chocolate Fudge Cake with IceCream

Evening Buffet

4 Choices £15

5 Choices £ 18

6 Choices £ 21

Additional Items £3



Authentic Indian Pakora

Your Choice of Haggis, Chicken or Vegetable

Traditional Onion Bhaji

Mini Cheeseburger & Relish

Mini Cajun Chicken Burger

Yorkshire Pudding Filled with Roast Beef & Horseradish Cream.

Smoked Haddock ScotchEgg

Spiced Chicken Wings

Homemade Sausage Rolls

Chicken Goujons

BBQ Chicken Drumsticks Chicken

Beef, chicken or Vegetable Skewers

Vegetable Spring Rolls

Vegetable Samosas

Assorted Sandwiches or Wraps

Mini Filled Rolls - Lorne Sausage, Bacon or Potato Scone

All the above items are accompanied by relevant
dips & sauces where appropriate.

Mini Chocolate Eclairs

Fruit Kebab with Chocolate Sauce

Mini Blackforest muffin

Mini Doughnuts

Tea & Coffee

Package Costs

	2025	2026	2027
Crosslee Suite Hire Table Linen, Chair Covers and Centrepieces	0-50 Guests £299 50-100 Guests £399 100-150 Guests £450 150-200 Guests £499	0-50 Guests £299 50-100 Guests £399 100-150 Guests £450 150-200 Guests £499	0-50 Guests £299 50-100 Guests £399 100-150 Guests £450 150-200 Guests £499
Package One	£29.50 pp	£29.50 pp	£29.50 pp
Package Two	£45.00 pp £40.00 pp (Pre order)	£45.00 pp £40.00 pp (Pre order)	£45.00 pp £40.00 pp (Pre order)
Package Three	£45.00 pp £40.00 pp (Pre order)	£45.00 pp £40.00 pp (Pre order)	£45.00 pp £40.00 pp (Pre order)
Package Four	£60.00 pp £55.00 pp (pre order)	£60.00 pp £55.00 pp (pre order)	£60.00 pp £55.00 pp (pre order)
Kids Menu	£15.00 Free under 5	£15.00 Free under 5	£15.00 Free under 5
Evening Buffet	4 Choices £15.00 5 Choices £18.00 6 Choices £21.00 Additional Items £3	4 Choices £15.00 5 Choices £18.00 6 Choices £21.00 Additional Items £3	4 Choices £15.00 5 Choices £18.00 6 Choices £21.00 Additional Items £3
Prosecco on Arrival	£7.25 pp	£7.25 pp	£7.25 pp
Ceremony Fee	From £350	From £350	From £350
River Inn Rolls Royce & Mercedes People Carrier	From £300	From £300	From £300

booking process



01

EXPLORE THE VENUE

Schedule a personalised visit to experience the ambience and layout of our venue firsthand.

02

CHECK AVAILABILITY

Contact us to confirm date availability and discuss potential time slots for your celebration.

03

REVIEW PACKAGES

Explore our transparent pricing and various packages tailored to your wedding needs.

04

RESERVATION

Secure your date by completing the reservation process, including a signed contract and a reservation fee.

05

FINALISE DETAILS

Collaborate with our team to finalise details such as layout, room decoration, and any additional services.

06

EVENT DAY

Relax and enjoy your event while our experienced staff takes care of the details.

frequently asked questions





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What is the capacity of the venue for events?

Our Crosslee Suite can accommodate up to 160 guests seated, with a dancefloor or 200 guests with no dancefloor and our Gryffe Suite can hold up to 50 Guests for a more intimate wedding.

How do I check the availability of the venue for my preferred date?

Please contact our events manager Christy at christy@riverinn.co.uk to enquire about date availability and to discuss potential time slots.

Is a venue visit possible?

Yes, we encourage you to visit the venue firsthand. Contact our team to schedule a complimentary tour of our venue.

Can I bring in my own catering, or do you have preferred catering partners?

We do not allow the use of external caterers as we have a dedicated team of chefs who can offer several packages to accommodate all budgets.

Is parking available, and what are the options for guests?

Ample parking is available on-site. Parking details will be provided upon booking.

What is the booking process, and what is required to secure a date?

To book a date, a signed contract and a reservation fee are required. Our team will guide you through the process.

Is the venue wheelchair accessible?

Yes, our venue is wheelchair accessible, with ramps and lifts in place for convenience.

What are the cancellation and refund policies?

Our cancellation and refund policies are outlined in the booking contract. Please review the terms carefully.

Is Wi-Fi available for guests?

Yes, complimentary Wi-Fi is available for guests.

Terms & Conditions

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A non-refundable deposit of 10% is required to confirm your booking.

Full payment of Fixed Costs is required 14 days before the event date and no refunds are given. Prices are subject to change in line with inflation.

The River Inn Wedding Agreement must be signed and returned to The River Inn once confirmation of the Wedding booking has been made.

In the event of you cancelling your Wedding with us the following charges will apply:

12-6 months notice of cancellation, 20% of projected revenues of fixed costs are charged to the client.

5-3 months notice of cancellation, 40% of projected revenue of fixed costs are charged to the client.

2-1 month notice of cancellation, 75% of projected revenue of fixed costs are charged to the client.

Less than one month's notice of cancellation, 100% of projected revenue of fixed costs are charged to the client.

Please note all food and drink costs are subject to increase due to market availability and inflation. Prices quoted in the current wedding brochure will be held for a maximum of 6 months from booking.

Damage to River Inn property: any damage and/or breakages caused to the Establishment property by the client's guests are completely chargeable to the Client.

Any wedding guests found to be consuming alcohol not provided by The River Inn will be charged a corkage fee.

Children must be supervised at all times by a responsible adult while attending functions inside the establishment.