



CHRISTMAS MENU

2026



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Celebrate Christmas at the timeless Thistle Inn



Time. It changes things.

Denim shapes change, food trends fade,
and music - well,

there's a new genre every week.

But there's one thing that always stays
the same.

And that's the art of good hospitality.

Making people feel welcome, serving the
best, facilitating good times:

that never goes out of fashion.

The Thistle Inn may have been around
for over 180 years.

But it's not our building that's iconic.
It's our constant, unwavering hospitality.

Tried, tested and loved
for over 180 years.



TWO COURSE SET MENU*



MAIN & DESSERT, INCLUDES A CHRISTMAS COCKTAIL

\$65

MAIN

Wild mushroom risotto, pecorino, truffle oil, crispy enoki

Line caught fish of the day, summer greens, potato, prawn beurre blanc

Lamb rump, creamy polenta, broccolini, walnut gremolata, jus

DESSERT

Chocolate mousse, boysenberry compote, white chocolate soil

Eton mess, passionfruit curd, chantilly cream, Summer fruit

* - Gluten free ** - Gluten Free Option

Some dishes may contain traces, please let us know if you have severe allergies, or strict dietary requirements so we can best advise you.

Menu and prices subject to change.





THREE COURSE SET MENU*



ENTREE, MAIN & DESSERT **\$85**

TO BEGIN

Sourdough cob loaf, whipped awatoru honey butter

ENTREE

Chilled prawns, maple ranch, nori dust, prawn cracker, citrus

Burrata, pickled grapes, kiwifruit jam, mint, almond, olive oil

55 day aged beef striploin, ponzu, wasabi, sesame, spring onion

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PRIVATE ROOM BOOKINGS



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LUNCH TIME SLOTS

11:30AM - 01:30PM

01:45PM - 3:45PM

04:00PM - 06:30PM



DINING OPTIONS

Christmas Lunch
SET MENU

Christmas Dinner
SET MENU

Dinner set menu bookings in private rooms are available from 7PM.



ADDITIONAL INFO



CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation within **48 hours** incurs a **100%** cancellation fee.



SET MENU REQUIREMENT

All private room bookings must have our Christmas Set Menu.



MINIMUM BOOKING NUMBERS

Katherine Mansfield Room - **18 People**
George's Room - **26 People**
subject to availability.



KATHERINE MANSFIELD ROOM HIRE

\$200 hire fee for Katherine Mansfield Room, if under numbers mentioned above.



GEORGE'S ROOM HIRE

\$400 hire fee for George's Room, if under numbers mentioned above.

PROUDLY ENTERTAINING WELLINGTONIANS
FOR OVER 180 YEARS,
THE THISTLE IS LIVING PROOF THAT GREAT
HOSPITALITY IS TIMELESS

