



PILCHARD INN

— BURGH ISLAND —

1336

The Pilchard Inn on Burgh Island is often referred to as a 'part-time' island because as the tide recedes it leaves a causeway of golden sand. It is said to date back to 1336, and it is also thought that the island was at one time inhabited by monks, engaged in quiet contemplation. The Inn may have been used for the brewing of mead as well as a lodging house for visitors to the monastery. In the 18th century smugglers and wreckers hid on the island, secure for a time each day when the tides protected them from law enforcing excisemen. The island was the smuggling domain of the most notorious smuggler Tom Crocker who gave his name to a cave on the coast of the island and spent most of the time when he wasn't at sea in the Pilchard Inn. Tom Crocker's cave is on the western coast on the island and at some stage there was a tunnel that led from this cave to the cellar of the Pilchard Inn, but both ends are now bricked up. After a lengthy career, Tom was shot by the revenue men on the 14th August (exact year unknown) in the porch of the Pilchard Inn. There are ruins of a former chapel which then became a 'huers hut'. Where a watchman would look out for shoals of pilchards and then make a hue and cry to local fishermen waiting in boats.

DINNER MENU

Served daily
at 18.30 and 20.00
Pre-bookings required



Cocktails

Pilchard Whiskey Mule £11

Drambuie, Monkey Shoulder, Gomme syrup & lime

Spiced Blackcurrant Gin Fizz £11

Award winning Spiced Blackcurrant gin liqueur, Absolut vodka, honey & Elderflower fizz

Crocker's Pineapple rum flip £11

Jamaican Pineapple rum, Gomme syrup, nutmeg

Starters

Mosaic of game terrine, damson,
pear & saffron chutney, toast £14
CE*|G*|MU*|SD*

Devonshire crab tortellini, crab bisque,
apple & tarragon £12
CE|G|C|E|F|D|SD

Potted Morecambe bay shrimps,
sourdough crumpets £11
G*|C|F|D

Salt-baked & pickled heritage beetroot,
whipped goats' cheese & Waldorf dressing £8
CE|D|G|V

Truffled mixed artichokes,
mache & fine herbs £9.50
SD|V|VE

Main courses

Braised ox shin, smoked horseradish mash,
crispy Roscoff onions & braising juices £22
CE|G*|D|MU|SD

Roasted local pheasant breast, confit leg bonbons,
variations of red cabbage & Brussel tops £24
CE|G*|E|D|MU|SD

Pilchard 'Fish & Chips', chicken glazed cod, cockles,
clams, crispy chicken skin, seashore findings,
cockle foam with straw chips £21
F|G|CE|MO|SD

Roasted spotted ray wing, fermented potato,
Swiss chard & warm tartare sauce £19
F|D*

Butternut squash & Laverstock Farm mozzarella pie,
curly kale, smoked almonds & mustard fruits £16.50
D|G|MU|N*|SD|V

Dessert

Dark chocolate marquise, milk chocolate mousse,
Griottine cherries & cherry sorbet £9
E|D|SD

Jamaican ginger loaf, crystallised ginger icecream,
butterscotch sauce £7
G|E|D

Iron bark pumpkin & vanilla cheesecake £6
G|E|D|N

Selection of Artisan West Country cheeses,
chutney & cracker £9.50
D|G*|SD

Selection of Langage Farm ice creams & sorbets £6
D*|E*

We make every possible effort to accommodate any dietary requirements. Please notify a manager if you have any known allergies, food intolerances or are concerned about the ingredients of any of the dishes. We cannot guarantee that any items are completely allergen free due to them being produced in a kitchen that contains ingredients with allergens. All allergens are correct at the time of printing and are indicated as follows: C: Crustaceans | CE: Celery | D: Dairy | E: Eggs | F: Fish | P: Peanuts | G: Gluten | L: Lupin | N: Nuts | MO: Molluscs | MU: Mustard | S: Soya | SD: Sulphur dioxide | SE: Sesame | V: Vegetarian | VE: Vegan | *: Items can be prepared without the relevant allergen

DRINKS MENU

Draught beer	½ Pint	Pint	Bourbon / American Whiskey	25ml
Tarka Lager	£2.20	£4.30	Maker's Mark	£4.00
Pilchard 'Otter' Amber	£2.30	£4.50	Jack Daniels	£3.80
Jail Ale	£2.40	£4.60	Southern Comfort	£3.30
Salcombe Pale Ale	£2.90	£5.90		
Becks Vier	£2.30	£4.50	Irish Whiskey	25ml
Guinness	£3.00	£6.00	Jameson	£3.50
Bottled beers			Scottish Blended	25ml
Peroni Nastro Azzurro 330ml	£4.50		The Famous Grouse	£3.20
Becks Blue 275ml	£3.50		Monkey Shoulder	£4.70
Otter Bitter	£6.50			
			Single Malt	25ml
Draught cider	½ Pint	Pint	Glenfiddich 12yrs	£5.40
Heron Valley Cider	£2.50	£4.80	Laphroig 10yrs	£5.50
Wildsider	£2.30	£4.50	Oban 14yrs	£7.00
Devon Gin	25ml		Aperitifs/Vermouth	
Salcombe Gin	£4.70		Martini Rosso (50ml)	£3.00
Plymouth Gin	£3.90		Martini Bianco (50ml)	£3.00
Wicked Wolf Exmoor Gin	£4.70		Martini Extra Dry (50ml)	£3.00
Salcombe Gin Rose Sainte Marie	£4.50		Pernod (25ml)	£3.00
			Campari (25ml)	£3.00
Gin	25ml		Liqueurs	25ml
Tarquins	£3.80		Drambuie	£4.50
Hendricks	£4.50		Cointreau	£3.50
Bombay Sapphire	£3.40		Baileys Irish Cream Liqueur	£3.10
Tanqueray Rangpur	£3.50		Tia Maria	£3.10
Bathtub Navy strength	£5.00		Disaronno Amaretto	£3.10
Plymouth Gin	£3.90		Jägermeister	£3.00
Botanist	£4.60		Luxardo Sambuca dei Cesari	£3.00
Gin Mare	£4.50			
Aviation	£5.00		Tequila	25ml
Edinburgh Gin's Rhubarb & Ginger Liqueur	£3.30		Sierra Antiquo Plata	£4.70
			Sierra Antiquo Anejo	£4.70
Vodka	25ml		Port & Sherry	50ml
Absolut	£3.20		Stones Ginger wine	£3.00
Black Cow	£4.00		Harveys Bristol Cream	£4.60
Greygoose	£5.20		Croft Sherry	£4.00
Tors	£4.80		Cockburns Special Reserve Port	£4.20
			Soft drinks	
Rum	25ml		Fever Tree Tonic/Light Tonic/Lemon	£2.00
Bacardi Carta Blanca	£3.00		Tonic/Ginger Ale 200ml	
Mountgay Eclipse	£3.20		Fever Tree Mediterranean Tonic/	£2.20
Sailor Jerry	£3.40		Elderflower Tonic/Aromatic Tonic 200ml	
Old J spiced rum	£3.50		Britvic Tonic/Slimline Tonic 125ml	£1.50
Dead Man's Fingers	£3.50		Coke/Diet Coke/Coke Zero 330ml	£3.00
Rosemullion Cornish spiced rum	£5.00		Heron Valley Orange Juice/ Apple Juice 250ml	£2.80
Diplomatico Reserva Exclusiva	£5.50		Heron Valley Fiery Ginger/Lime & Ginger	£3.30
Jamaica Cove Pineapple	£3.50		Fizz/Elderflower Fizz/Pink Lemonade 275ml	
Kalani Coconut rum liqueur	£3.00		J2O Apple & Raspberry/Apple &	£2.80
The Kraken black spiced rum	£4.00		Mango/Orange & Passionfruit 275ml	
			Frobisher Tomato juice	£3.50
Cognac	25ml			
Courvoisier VS	£5.00			
Martell VS	£4.30			

All spirits are served as 25ml measures or multiples thereof. Wine & sparkling wine is available in 125ml, 175ml and 250ml measures. Spirits are served in 25ml measures and multiples therefore. All prices include VAT at the current rate.