



### History of The Red Lion Inn

In 1675, John Ogilby compiled the first proper road map of England—previous ones had been of little practical use. He called himself ‘Cosmographer to the King, Charles II’.

On his map, the only road in Derbyshire is shown going through Hognaston, when it would have been little more than a cart track. Ogilby measured the distance not only in miles, but furlongs as well, all this with nothing more to help than a wheel geared to a counting device.

People have lived on the sit of the village for at least a thousand years (the village was entered in the Domesday book as Ochenauaston: King’s land). It is probable that the sit was inhabited in Roman times (evidence of possible lead smelting has been found from this era) and it probably stood on the main Roman road to Little Chester.

It was a thriving community when the coaches ran through the village from London to Manchester in the seventeenth century, when the village boasted three Inns, instead of the current one, the Red Lion, which has stood at least since those days.

The Red Lion is unique, with antiques, superior accommodation with en suite facilities.

Our claim to fame is our food, enjoyed and commented upon by Derbyshire life, the Daily Mail, the Daily Telegraph and The Observer. Only the very best produce is used and prepared daily by our chefs.

Our rooms are second to none and have been frequented by such celebrities as John F Kennedy Jr and his wife Carolyn Bessette.

The Red Lion is situated just off the B5035 Ashbourne to Wirksworth road, overlooking Carsington Reservoir. Exit the M1 at J25 and take A52 towards Derby and Ashbourne, take B5035. Turn right for

### Car Parking

**All Major Credit Cards Accepted**

## Christmas Day Booking Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Telephone No \_\_\_\_\_

Number in Party \_\_\_\_\_

Deposit enclosed (£10.00 per adult £5.00 per child)

Please make cheques payable to The Red Lion Inn

£ \_\_\_\_\_

### Menu Choice

Please enter number required for each choice

MENU CHOICE	ADULT	CHILD
Curried Parsnip Soup		
Melon Balls		
Ham Hock Terrine		
Turkey		
Fillet of Beef Wellington		
Herb Crusted Cod Fillet		
Beetroot and Butternut Squash Wellington		
Christmas Pudding		
Buche de Noel		
Orange Cake		
Cheese and Biscuits		

## The Red Lion Inn

**Christmas Day Menu  
2018**

**Please telephone for  
booking details**



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## CHRISTMAS DAY MENU

### Selection of Canapés

### STARTERS

#### Curried Parsnip Soup (V)

Homemade Curried Parsnip Soup - Minted Yogurt - Pickled Apples

#### Crispy Ham Terrine with Tarragon Mayonnaise

Crispy Shredded Ham Hock Terrine - Tarragon Mayonnaise - Pickled Shallots - Crackling

#### Melon Balls

Melon Balls - Mint Syrup - Ginger Sorbet - Champagne Granita

## CHRISTMAS DAY MENU

### MAIN COURSE

#### Turkey

Roasted Turkey - Apricot Stuffing - Cranberry Gel - Bread Sauce

#### Fillet of Beef Wellington

Fillet of Beef Wellington - Pomme Puree - Red Wine Jus

#### Herb Crusted Cod Fillet

Herb Crusted Cod Fillet - Sautéed Wild Mushrooms - Red Wine Sauce

#### Beetroot and Butternut Squash Wellington

Beetroot and Butternut Squash Wellington - Goats Curd - Sticky Walnuts

All main courses served with cauliflower cheese, creamy Brussel sprouts and roasted carrots and parsnips.



## CHRISTMAS DAY MENU

### DESSERTS

#### Christmas Pudding

Traditional Christmas Pudding - Brandy Cream - Candied Peel

#### Buche de Noel

Raspberry Cake - Raspberry Mousse - Fresh Raspberries - Chocolate Glaze

#### Orange Cake

Spiced Orange Cake - Citrus Fruit Salad - Lemon and Lime Curd - Christmas Pudding Ice-cream

#### Cheese and Biscuits

Derbyshire Cheese Selection - Apricot Chutney - Apple - Smoked Paprika - Biscuits

### Freshly made Coffee or Tea and Petit Fours

Time: 12 for 12.30pm

Price

£64.95 per person

£32.50 for children under 12 yrs  
(non refundable deposit required)