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A magical Christmas awaits at The Talbot Hotel

This festive season, let us add the sparkle to your celebrations at The Talbot Hotel. Whether you're gathering with loved ones, friends, or colleagues, we offer the perfect setting to create those unforgettable memories. From festive parties to a relaxing family retreat or a delicious meal, we're dedicated to transforming your Christmas into an enchanting celebration filled with laughter, love and moments to treasure forever.

Located in the heart of Oundle, our award-winning hospitality, charming rooms, and refined festive dining make The Talbot Hotel the ideal place to celebrate Christmas and the New Year. Be enchanted by mouth-watering seasonal menus, tempting tipples, dazzling party nights and relaxing getaways, all with our elegant hotel as your perfect backdrop.

We are pulling out all the stops so don your finest party outfit, (and maybe your dancing shoes!) and prepare to be dazzled by our range of festive party, dining and accommodation experiences.

To book, just call our friendly team on 01832 273621.

We can't wait to celebrate with you this festive season.



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What's On This Christmas

Throughout December Festive Afternoon Tea

During December, our Afternoon Tea will be served with a Christmas theme. Why not treat someone special in your life to a seasonal surprise? Ask about upgrading to our Sparkling Afternoon Tea.

Throughout December Festive Dining

Our festive menu, including favourites such as roast turkey and Christmas pudding, is served daily from 12 noon. See page 6 for details.

Selected dates in November and December Party Nights

Grab your friends, family or colleagues and celebrate at one of our Christmas Party Nights. See page 8 for details.



3rd December A Three Course Christmas Carol

A three-course meal combined with a hilarious re-telling of Dickens' classic tale of redemption. This evening of food, song, love and laughter is guaranteed to leave you filled with joy of Christmas!

6th December Afternoon Tea with Christmas Carols

Treat the whole family to a special festive Afternoon Tea, featuring delicious seasonal sweet treats. Join us as we sing traditional Christmas carols and relax by cosy open fires.

13th December Christmas Storytelling for Children

Festive stories with Preacher the Storyteller, who brings every story to life!

16th December Christmas Storytelling for Adults

Jason Buck tells the story of 'A Christmas Carol' with mulled wine and an open fire. Over 18s only.

To book, call 01832 273621

For full terms and conditions please see page 27.

21st December **Christmas Carols** **in the Courtyard**

Join us as we sing traditional Christmas Carols in the Courtyard.

21st December **Afternoon Tea with Santa**

Indulge in a delightful Christmas-themed Afternoon Tea, featuring festive favourites, seasonal sweet treats and a magical visit from Santa himself.

25th December **Christmas Day Lunch**

We've got Christmas Day all wrapped up for you. See page 10 for details.

26th December **Boxing Day Dining**

Indulge in our delicious Winter Menu between 12 noon and 8pm. See page 12 for details.

31st December **New Year's Eve Celebrations**

Join us in the heart of Oundle to ring in the New Year with our black tie event. See page 20 for details.



Festive Dining

Whether you're planning to meet up with friends or spend time with family this Christmas, our chefs have curated a truly festive menu, packed full of the season's best flavours. Enjoy a delicious Christmas meal and leave the washing up to us. Perfect!

Festive dining is available throughout December from 12 noon.

Two Courses: £36.00 per Adult, £18.00 per Child

Three Courses: £42.00 per Adult, £21.00 per Child

Private dining rooms available. Room hire charges will apply.



To book, call 01832 273621

For full terms and conditions please see page 27.



Starters

Cured Salmon

Dill emulsion, compressed cucumber, crostini

GFO / G, F, E / L, CE, MU, SE / 447 kcal

Ham Hock, Pistachio & Leek Terrine

Cranberry chutney, crostini

GFO / G, N, MU, SD / P, SE / 540 kcal

Winter Parsnip & Truffle Soup

Chef's bread, salted butter

V, VEO, GFO / G, CE, MU / S / 733 kcal

Beetroot Tartare

Goat's cheese, pine nuts, vegetable crisp

V, VEO, GFO / D, MU, SD / 159 kcal

Main Courses

Roast Breast of Turkey

Orange & cranberry stuffing, pig in blanket, roast potatoes, winter roots, greens, pan gravy

G, S, SD / CE, MU / 1012 kcal

Roasted Pork Belly

Confit carrot, charred Roscoff onion, pomme mousseline, gravy

GF / D / CE, MU, SD / 1295 kcal

Sea Bass

Herb-crushed potatoes, confit tomatoes, dill velouté **GF / F, D, SD / 507 kcal**

Vegan Nut Roast

Roast potatoes, winter greens, gravy

VE / G, N / P / 785 kcal

Desserts

Christmas Pudding

Brandy custard, cranberry compôte

V, GFO / G, D / E, CE, MU / 313 kcal

Honey & Ginger Sponge

Vanilla ice cream **V / G, E, D / S, CE, MU / 690 kcal**

Dark Chocolate Tart

Kirsch cherries, clotted cream **V, VEO, GF / G, S, E, D / 694 kcal**

Mulled Wine-Poached Pear

Tonka bean mascarpone, almond crumb

V, VEO, GF / N, D, SD / P, E, CE, MU / 780 kcal

Festive Party Nights

Grab your friends, family or colleagues and celebrate at one of our Christmas Party Nights. Think good food, good music and plenty of Christmas cheer. Available on selected dates in November and December – don't delay, book today!

27th November: Mamma Mia Party Night, with DJ

28th November: Party Night, with DJ

4th December: Party Night, with DJ

5th December: Party Night, with live band Charlie and Rehanna

11th December: Party Night, with live band Charlie and Rehanna

18th December: Party Night, with DJ

20th December: Mamma Mia Matinee Party, with DJ (starts 3pm)

Over 18s only. Party nights all end at midnight, excluding 20th December, which concludes at 9pm.

£46.00 per Adult



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Pre-booking, pre-payment and pre-ordering are essential. For full terms and conditions please see page 27.

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Cranberry chutney, crostini

GFO / G, N, MU, SD / P, SE / 540 kcal

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Dark Chocolate Tart

Kirsch cherries, clotted cream **V, VEO, GF / G, S, E, D / 694 kcal**

Mulled Wine-Poached Pear

Tonka bean mascarpone, almond crumb

V, VEO, GF / N, D, SD / P, E, CE, MU / 780 kcal



Christmas Day Lunch

We understand how magical Christmas Day should be. It's a time to cherish your loved ones and enjoy quality food, relax and make those all-important memories. Take the pressure off and let us handle your Christmas Day dining, so you can focus on creating unforgettable memories together.

Christmas Day Lunch is served from 12 noon.

£115.00 per Adult, £57.50 per Child



To book, call 01832 273621

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Starters

Cured Salmon

Dill emulsion, compressed cucumber, crostini

GFO / **G, F, E** / L, CE, MU, SE / 447 kcal

Ham Hock, Pistachio & Leek Terrine

Cranberry chutney, crostini **GFO** / **G, N, MU, SD** / P, SE / 540 kcal

Beetroot & Goat Cheese Tart

Pine nuts, balsamic dressed rocket, vegetable crisp

V, GFO / **P, N, E, D, SD** / G, SE / 445 kcal

Roasted Celeriac & Apple Soup

Herb croutons, truffle cream **VE, GFO** / **G, CE** / S, E, D, MU / 449 kcal

Main Courses

Roast Breast of Turkey

Orange & cranberry stuffing, pig in blanket, roast potatoes, winter roots, greens, pan gravy **G, S, SD** / CE, MU / 1012 kcal

Roast Sirloin of Beef

Yorkshire pudding, roasted potatoes, winter greens, maple roasted roots, red wine & thyme gravy

GFO / **G, E, D, CE, MU, SD** / S / 612 kcal

Pan-Fried Stone Bass

Lobster bisque risotto, shaved fennel, tempura king prawn

GF / **C, MO, F, CE, SD** / G, S, E, D, MU / 632 kcal

Balsamic Beetroot Wellington

Roast potatoes, winter green, red wine vegetable gravy, chestnut shaving **VE** / **G, SD** / L, S, CE, MU / 721 kcal

Desserts

Christmas Pudding

Brandy custard, cranberry compôte **V, GFO** / G, D / E, CE, MU / 313 kcal

Festive Pavlova

Clementine compôte, mint, pistachio, dark chocolate, spiced rum whipped cream **V** / **N, S, E, D, SD** / P / 674 kcal

Honey & Ginger Sponge

Vanilla ice cream **V** / **G, E, D** / S, CE, MU / 690 kcal

Mulled Wine-Poached Pear

Vegan chantilly cream, almond crumb **V, VEO** / **N, SD** / P, CE, MU / 673 kcal

Chef's British Artisan Cheese Board

Grapes, celery, chutney, crackers

V, GFO / **G, D, CE** / P, L, N, S, MU, SE, SD / 442 kcal

Boxing Day Dining

The festivities don't have to end on Christmas Day. Join us on Boxing Day and indulge in our delicious Winter Menu, allowing you to relax and savour special moments with those who mean the most.

Boxing Day dining is served between 12 noon and 8pm.



To book, call 01832 273621

For full terms and conditions please see page 27.





Christmas Residential Packages

Two-night Christmas Package

Our two-night package includes Bed & Breakfast, three-course Christmas Eve Dinner, Christmas Day Lunch and a relaxed Christmas Evening Buffet.

From £375.00 per person

Three-night Christmas Package

Our three-night package includes Bed & Breakfast, a three-course Christmas Eve Dinner, Christmas Day Lunch, a relaxed Christmas Evening Buffet and a three-course Boxing Day Dinner.

From £510.00 per person



To book, call 01832 273621

Prices are based on two people sharing a Classic Twin/Double Room. Single supplements apply from £50 per room per night. Room upgrades are subject to availability, at an additional cost. For full terms and conditions please see page 27.



What Christmas 2026 could look like...

Christmas Eve

Arrive at your leisure from 3pm and start your holiday with a warm welcome. Enjoy a glass of prosecco or mulled wine, followed by a delectable three-course dinner. End your evening with mince pies and coffee. If you'd like to attend Midnight Mass, our reception team can provide details of the nearest church and service times.

Christmas Day

Begin your Christmas morning with a leisurely breakfast served between 8am and 10am. Take some time to relax before joining us for a festive Christmas Day Lunch starting at noon. After lunch, why not explore the local area with a stroll, then return for a relaxed evening buffet served from 7pm.

Boxing Day

Celebrate Boxing Day with a delicious breakfast from 8am to 10am. For our two-night guests, check-out is at 11am. Guests on our three-night package can enjoy a three-course meal between 12 noon and 8pm, leaving you time to hit the Boxing Day sales.

27th December

Enjoy one final breakfast between 8am and 10am before our team bids you farewell, with check-out at 11am.



Christmas Bed & Breakfast

We've got room at the inn! If you're visiting family or friends in the surrounding area this Christmas, enjoy the night with us while you spend time with your loved ones. The perfect choice for those looking for a cosy night's sleep and a delicious breakfast to set you up for your festivities.





**To book,
call 01832 273621**

New Year's Residential Packages

Enjoy a one or two-night stay and ring in the New Year with us at The Talbot Hotel, Oundle. Join in the fun of our New Year's Eve Celebration, then retire to one of our cosy rooms. Stay an extra night and experience our full 'Hospitality from the Heart' with an additional dinner, bed & breakfast on the night before New Year's Eve.

One-night New Year's Package

Our one-night package includes bed & breakfast, and tickets to our New Year's Eve Celebrations.

From £235.00 per person

Two-night New Year's Package

Our two-night package includes bed & breakfast, tickets to our New Year's Eve Celebrations and an additional three-course dinner.

From £355.00 per person



To book, call 01832 273621

Prices are based on two people sharing a Classic Twin/Double Room. Single supplements apply from £50 per room per night. Room upgrades are subject to availability, at an additional cost. For full terms and conditions please see page 27.



New Year's Eve Celebrations

Join us in the heart of Oundle to ring in the New Year. Our black tie New Year's Eve Celebration includes a glass of prosecco on arrival, a three-course meal, as well as live entertainment to welcome in 2027. Book early – this event is sure to be one of the hottest tickets in town.

£115.00 per Adult



**To book,
call 01832 273621**

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Starters

Pan-Seared Scallop

Crispy pork belly, burnt apple purée,
potato tuile, black olive salt

GF / MO / CE, MU / 500 kcal

Sweet Potato, Chilli & Coconut Soup

Herb croutons **VE, GFO / G, CE** / S, E, D / 216 kcal

Smoked Duck Breast

Fennel & orange salad, clementine gel,
toasted pistachio **GF / N, MU, SD** / P / 587 kcal

Mains

Duo of Beef

4oz beef fillet, pressed beef shin croquette,
carrot purée, smoked pomme mousseline,
tenderstem broccoli, pickled shallot, red wine jus

G, D, CE, SD / MU / 721 kcal

Pan Fried Stone Bass

Purple potato, burnt orange beurre blanc,
glazed king oyster mushroom

GF / F, D, CE, SD / MU / 998 KCAL

Saffron Risotto

Roasted cauliflower, confit tomatoes,
lemon balm pesto

V, VEO, GF / E, D, CE, SD / MU / 609 kcal

Desserts

Honey Glazed Apricots

Almond sponge, salted caramel sauce,
coconut & lime granola

VE / G, N, S, SD / P, CE, MU, SE / 604 kcal

Chocolate Fondant

Blood orange, vanilla ice cream

V / G, S, E, D, SD / N, CE, MU / 480 kcal

Chef's British Artisan Cheese Board

Grapes, celery, chutney, crackers

V, GFO / G, D, CE / P, L, N, S, MU, SE, SD / 442 kcal

Drinks Bundles

Get the party started with our festive drinks packages, available to pre-order with your Christmas celebration. Book your drinks package before 20th November to take advantage of these exclusive pre-order rates.

For more information and to explore our full range of drinks packages and discounts, including cocktails and champagne, simply scan the QR code below.



Beer Bucket: £23.00

5 bottles of beer from the following options:
Sol, Birra Moretti, Birra Moretti Zero,
Peroni Nastro Azzurro Gluten Free

Cider Bucket: £29.00

5 bottles of cider from our range of
Old Mout flavoured ciders

Bronze Wine Package: £97.50

5 bottles of our House red or white wine

Silver Wine Package: £140.00

5 bottles of Pinot Grigio or Malbec

Gold Wine Package: £175.00

5 bottles of Sauvignon Blanc or Rioja

Fizz Package: £155.00

5 bottles of either Prosecco or Prosecco Rosé



Festive Afternoon Tea

During December, our Afternoon Tea will be served with a Christmas theme. Why not treat someone special in your life to a seasonal surprise?

From £27.95 per person

Finger Sandwiches

Smoked Salmon & Dill Cream Cheese **G, F, D**

Turkey & Cranberry **G, D, S**

Honey & Mustard Ham **G, MU, D, S / N, E, SE**

Cucumber & Cream Cheese **V / G, D, S / L, E, CE, SE**

Sweet Treats

Pear, Tonka & Almond Tart **V, GF / E, D, N / S, SE, P, SD**

White Chocolate &

Gingerbread Cheesecake **V / G, D, S / E, N, P, SD**

Maple Pecan Cake, Baileys cream **V / G, D, E, N / P, SD**

Macarons **V, GF / N, D, E / G, P**

Cranberry & Orange Scones **V / E, G, D, SD / P, N, S, SE**

Tea or coffee

With refills

Please ask for calories

Fancy Some Fizz?

Upgrade to our Sparkling Afternoon Tea and enjoy a glass of prosecco with your afternoon tea.

To book, call 01832 273621

Limited availability. Pre-booking, pre-payment and pre-ordering are essential. For full terms and conditions please see page 27.





Celebrating 30 Years of Hospitality

This year marks a very special milestone for The Coaching Inn Group as we celebrate 30 years of welcoming guests, creating memorable stays and bringing people together.

Since 1996, our inns and hotels have been at the heart of their local communities - places to gather, celebrate, relax and make lasting memories. As we mark our 30th anniversary throughout 2026, we'd like to thank all of our guests, teams and communities for being part of the journey.

This Christmas, we invite you to celebrate with us and enjoy the warm hospitality, festive atmosphere and memorable moments that have defined The Coaching Inn Group for three decades.





Coaching Inn Group Hotel Locations



Our family of Inns has grown tremendously since we began our journey in 1996. Today, we have 43 historic, market town coaching inns and country hotels within our growing portfolio.

No matter which of our hotels you visit, there is no doubt that you will receive our signature 'Hospitality from the Heart'.

Discover all of our locations by scanning this code with your smart phone or by visiting www.coachinginnsgroup.co.uk.



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Terms and Conditions

Festive Dining & Boxing Day

A £10 per person authorisation is required for all pre-booked tables, at time of booking. Should you need to amend or cancel your reservation, we require 48 hours' notice. After this time, any reduction in numbers or non-arrival, will be charged at £10 per person. Completed pre-order forms are required for groups of 6 or more guests by 20th November 2026. If booking on behalf of a group, the organiser is responsible for collecting pre-orders. Please speak to a member of the team for separate Terms & Conditions that apply for Private Events.

Christmas Day, New Year's Eve Dining & Party Nights

A non-refundable, non-transferable booking fee of £10 per person is required for all pre-booked tables, at time of booking. Full pre-payment, final numbers and completed menu pre-order forms are required by 20th November 2026 (for Party Nights, 20th November 2026 or four weeks prior to the event, whichever comes first). Once full payment has been received, the booking is confirmed and no refunds or amendments will be allowed, nor can the booking fee be offset against any other services or products.

Christmas & New Year Packages

Upon booking a Christmas or New Year's Eve Package, 50% of the total balance is payable at time of booking. This is a non-refundable and non-transferable booking fee. Full payment is required by 20th November 2026 along with completed menu pre-order forms. Once full payment has been received the booking is confirmed and no refunds or amendments will be allowed. Any guest with dietary requirements should inform the hotel on the completed pre-order form prior to arrival.

Additional Information

Guests are not permitted to bring their own food and drink to consume on the premises. For children aged between 0 – 11 years please speak with a member of our team for prices. Adult prices will be charged for aged 12 years and over.

Allergies & Intolerances

If you or any member of your party are affected by any food allergies or intolerances, please advise our team when booking. 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 time of printing.

Allergens (Contains / May Contain): C: Crustaceans / CE: Celery / D: Dairy / E: Eggs
F: Fish / P: Peanuts / G: Gluten / L: Lupin / N: Nuts / MO: Molluscs / MU: Mustard / S: Soy
SD: Sulphur dioxide / SE: Sesame Seeds

V (VO): Vegetarian (on request) VE (VEO): Vegan (on request)
GF (GFO): Gluten-Free (on request)

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