



## Joyeux Noël 2019

The perfect festive celebration is a real art we're decking the halls, planning mouth-watering
menus, curating Christmas cocktails and adding
the trimmings to ensure you, our guests,
have an exceptional time together this
Christmas and New Year.

for Contophe



## Festive Lunch and Dinner

Friday 29th November - Saturday 28th December

Food is a favourite part
of the festive season –
so whether it's a laidback
lunch or lively dinner with
friends, colleagues or family,
indulge with us for
a feast of festive flavours
in our stunning
riverside restaurant.

2 Courses £21.95 3 Courses £26.95

Dining from the FESTIVE MENU

Monday – Saturday 12pm – 10pm

> Sunday 5pm – 10pm

### **Booking Details:**

Prices are per person | Advanced booking required for tables of 6 or more Maximum table size 25 | Excludes Christmas Day and Boxing Day lunch



## **Private Dining**

Friday 29th November - Tuesday 31st December

For a more intimate
experience, choose our
private suite with dedicated
waiting staff, Prosecco drinks
reception, delicious food
from the festive menu; all
in a stunning setting with
panoramic river views.

Prosecco Reception and 3 Courses £40

Dining from the **FESTIVE MENU** 

Monday – Saturday 12pm – 10pm

#### **Booking Details:**

Prices are per person | Advanced booking required | Available for groups of 15 - 40 Excludes Christmas Day evening and New Year's Day



## **Christmas Socials**

Friday 29th November - Tuesday 31st December

Monday - Sunday 12pm - 10pm

Enjoy a relaxed afternoon
or evening of good company
and great food with our
casual Christmas Socials.
Feast from our popular
grazing table in the ambience
of Novelli's riverside
restaurant or,
the exclusivity of your
own private suite.

### Restaurant £20 Private Suite £25

### PROSECCO RECEPTION

Pigs in Blankets
Mini Turkey, Ham and
Stuffing Sandwiches
Parsnip and Chestnut Arancini
Smoked Salmon Crostini's
Mini Mince Pies
Chocolate Orange Profiteroles

### **Booking Details:**

Prices are per person | Advanced booking required | Available for groups of 40 - 60 | 2.5 hours use of a designated area in the restaurant or private suite | Excludes 13th, 14th, 19th, 21st, Christmas Day, Boxing Day afternoon and NYE in restaurant



### Dine and Cruise

Friday 29th November - Friday 20th December

New for 2019, parties of
20 - 40 diners can enjoy
a post lunch or dinner river
cruise followed by a winter
warming drink on return.
Contact our Events team
to find out how you
can personalise your
cruise experience.

£15 SUPPLEMENT when combined with your dining choice

Available

Monday – Sunday

1pm and 6pm

### **Booking Details:**

Supplement prices are per person and should be added to the cost of your dining option |
Available for groups of 20 - 40 in combination with a restaurant or private dine Festive Lunch,
Dinner or Christmas Social | Operated by Lagan Boat Company, the cruise will depart from
either the AC Hotel or Big Fish pontoon weather permitting and will last 1 hour | BYO available
for the cruise | background Christmas music included



## **Everyday Dining**

Friday 29th November - Tuesday 31st December

Throughout December all day dining is available for tables of up to 6 in the restaurant and lounge.

Dine from our Prix Fixe

Dejeuner menu, à la carte

dinner menu, Festive menu

or for light bites our lounge

menu is also available.

SELECTION
OF MENUS
AVAILABLE WITH
FESTIVE SPECIALS

Available

Monday – Sunday

12pm – 10pm

### **Booking Details:**

Tables must all dine from the same menu | Excludes Christmas Day and afternoon dining on Boxing Day, New Year's Day and Sunday's throughout December. À la carte, Prix-Fixe Dejeuner, Lounge and Festive menus available in the evenings | Pre-booking advised | Sunday last orders is 9.30pm



### **FESTIVE MENU 2019**

#### **APPETISERS**

CELERIAC AND APPLE VELOUTÉ ©
Confit Chestnuts and Truffle Honey

GOAT'S CHEESE TARTLET ♥
Shallot and Thyme Marmalade,
Port Dressing

CONFIT DUCK RILLETTES

Spiced Cranberry, Orange and Chicory

EWING'S SMOKED SALMON
Pear Puree, Crispy Quail's Egg
and Pickled Beetroot

### ENTRÉES

BALLOTINE OF ANTRIM TURKEY

Apricot and Sage Stuffing,
Braised Ham Hock
and Sprouts

SLOW COOKED OX CHEEK

Pancetta, Salt Baked Turnip and Black Truffle Sauce

ROAST LOCAL COD, BEURRE NOISETTE AND HAZELNUT CRUST \*

Jerusalem Artichokes and Seaweed Butter Sauce

ROASTED BEETROOT RISOTTO **©** 

Granny Smith, Walnut and Pickled Celery

### **DESSERTS**

POACHED ARMAGH PEAR AND BROWN BREAD ICE CREAM \*\*\*

Walnut Crumble and Cranberry Gel

PASSION FRUIT AND CLEMENTINE TRIFLE ♥
with Cardamom Shortbread

SIMPLY NOVELLI
CHRISTMAS PUDDING \*

Cognac Anglaise and Orange Blossom Chantilly

DARK CHOCOLATE DELICE •

Griottine Cherries and Chocolate Sorbet

### CHRISTMAS DAY MENU 2019

#### **APPETISERS**

PARSNIP AND
CHESTNUT VELOUTÉ 
Truffled Chantilly

CONFIT DUCK AND

BLACK PUDDING TERRINE
Spiced Cranberries and Fruit Soda

SEARED LOCAL SCALLOPS \*

Jerusalem Artichokes, Pear and Hazelnut

PORTAVOGIE CRAB TORTELLINI

Brown Crab Bisque, Fennel and Apple Salad

### **ENTRÉES**

BALLOTINE OF ANTRIM TURKEY

Apricot and Sage Stuffing, Braised Ham Hock and Sprouts

SALT AGED FILLET OF BEEF

Braised Ox Cheek, Potato Terrine, Spinach and Red Wine Sauce ROAST HALIBUT

Crispy Salsify, Creamed Kale and Lobster Butter Sauce

TRUFFLE AND RICOTTA GNOCCHI

Jerusalem Artichokes, Apple and Truffle Vinaigrette

### **DESSERTS** =

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Cognac Anglaise and Orange Blossom Chantilly

PASSIONFRUIT AND
CLEMENTINE TRIFLE ♥
with Cardamom Shortbread

DARK CHOCOLATE SOUFFLE ©

Espresso Ice Cream and Hot Chocolate Sauce

SELECTION OF IRISH AND FRENCH CHEESES

Chutney and Crackers

\* Contain nuts. V No meat or fish.

## **Christmas Day**

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> December | 12.30pm - 4.30pm

Treat your loved ones to a special Christmas Day lunch with everything taken care of. Toast the day before indulging in a mouth watering medley of festive fayre with all the trimmings.

Christmas gift for all children dining

£95 per adult £45 per child

Welcome glass of Prosecco

3 course lunch from the Christmas Day Menu

Followed by tea, coffee and mini mince pies

### **Booking Details:**

Prices are per person | Children under 3yrs old eat for free | Child price is available from 3 - 11 years old | Advanced booking required | Maximum table size 25 | Private dining for groups of 15 to 40 available afternoon only | Private dine room hire supplement and pre-order required.



## Boxing Day and New Year's Day

### AND EVERY SUNDAY IN DECEMBER

12.30pm - 5pm | à la carte from 5pm

Indulge with a leisurely

3 Course Festive Buffet in
the relaxed atmosphere of
our riverside restaurant.
Select your starter from
Chef's Table whilst we
prepare and serve your
choice of roast followed
by dessert.

£26.95 per adult £10.95 per child

Selection of cold starters, hors d'oeuvres and antipasti

Delicious roasts from the rotisserie served with seasonal vegetables and potatoes

Choice of desserts

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### New Year's Eve

Tuesday 31st December

Take in the stunning vista
of the harbour lights,
river reflections and iconic
Belfast landmarks as you
celebrate in style dining à la
carte in our elegant
riverside restaurant
or private dining suite.

À la carte menu with festive specials

ALL DAY DINING NEW YEAR'S EVE

12pm - 10pm

#### **Booking Details:**

Advanced booking required | Maximum table size 25 | Private dining for groups of 15 to 40 available | Private dine room hire supplement and pre-order required.



## **Festive Drinks**

Friday 29th November - Wednesday 1st January

Put the finishing touches to your perfect celebration with a pre-order drinks package.

Choose from a Private
Dine Drinks Hamper,
Wine and Spirit Selection
or our take on the traditional
Bucket of Beer.

For something unique,
take a table on the terrace for
a hot drinks reception.
The perfect winter
warmer before or
after your meal.

Blankets, mitts and scarves available for chilly days and frosty evenings.

# Make merry this Christmas in the AC Bar, serving all your festive favourites including:

Christmas Cocktails • Mulled Wine • Hot Cider Snowballs • Liqueur Coffees • Hot Chocolate Espresso Martinis • Hot Toddy • Port • Brandy



## **Seasonal Stays**

### **City Sleepover**

From only £75 per room enjoy a city sleepover for 2 this pre-Christmas party season.

### **Christmas Day Retreat**

From only £209 per adult,
eat, drink and be merry
with a 2 night Christmas stay
including a welcome drink,
breakfast on both mornings and
à la carte evening meal.

On Christmas Day enjoy a prosecco reception, 3 course festive feast followed by tea, coffee and mini mince pies and a Christmas gift for all children.

### **Twixmas Treat**

From only £129 escape to the city between Christmas and 5th January for an overnight stay for 2 including breakfast.

### **NYE Celebration**

From only £209 for 2 people sharing

go "out out" this
New Year's Eve with
an overnight stay, bottle
of bubbly in your room,
£20 dining voucher for
Novelli at City Quays,
breakfast and
a late checkout.





## Early Bird Offers

Available until 25th October

Book your 3 course Festive Lunch or Dinner for a table of 10 or more and receive 1 free place for every 10 diners with a reduced £5 deposit per person to secure.

For party organisers of tables of 10 or more in Novelli at City Quays, make a night of it by reserving your City Sleepover accommodation package at AC Hotel Belfast and receive a complimentary upgrade.

## **Gift Vouchers**

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### Novelli at City Quays

Restaurant e-vouchers
available on-line.
For full details and to
purchase, visit our website
novellirestaurants.co.uk/belfast

### **AC Hotel Belfast**

Gift vouchers available to purchase direct from the hotel, redeemable against accommodation, food and beverages.

## Terms and Conditions

#### **DINING TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

Deposit required at booking stage of £10 per person | All deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable | Full payment and pre-order required 14 days in advance for Festive Lunch and Dinner in the restaurant | Full payment required 28 days in advance for Private Dining and Christmas Socials with pre-order 14 day prior | Prices include VAT.

#### **SEASONAL STAYS TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

All Packages are prepaid at booking stage and are non-refundable and non-transferable | City Sleepover is room only, breakfast can be added for an additional charge | Christmas Day Retreat package includes a 2 night stay arriving either on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day | Christmas Day Retreat is available for single person stays from £157 | Christmas Day Retreat child price is available from £105 for children up to 15 years of age and is based on 2 adults and 2 children sharing a Twin Queen bedroom, for alternative requirements contact the hotel direct | Twixmas Treat Package is not available on NYE | Prices include VAT.

## Food Allergies and Intolerances:

\* Contain nuts. • No meat or fish. Before you order your food and drinks please speak to our staff if you would like to know about our ingredients | We can not guarantee that any food or beverage item sold is free from traces of allergens.

Festive Vegan Menu available on request.







