

# FESTIVE OFFERINGS

All packages include a glass of mulled wine or mulled cider

#### Traditional Afternoon Tea

£45 per person

## Royal Afternoon Tea

£55 per person

Served with your choice of Louis Pommery England Rosé or Pommery Brut Royal NV

#### LIMITED EDITION

#### Excellence Afternoon Tea

£65 per person

Served with a glass of Apanage Brut 1874

The Maison Pommery cuvee crafted by Clement Pierlot which has been made available to The Midland Tea Room for a limited time.

Upgrade your Royal Afternoon Tea and keep the bottle for an extra £55\*

#### Children's Afternoon Tea

£15 per person

# ABOUT POMMERY CHAMPAGNE

In 1858, Madame Pommery took over control of Pommery & Greno after the death of her husband. She based the expansion of her house on the creation of wines unlike any other based on one constant demand; Quality, creating the Pommery Nature in 1874, the first Brut style of Champagne to meet with commercial success.

## Pommery Brut Royal Champagne NV

Made from a blend of equal parts of Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier. Pommery Brut Royal is the perfect aperitif champagne with a vibrancy and freshness on the palate and a wonderful rounded finish.

## Louis Pommery England Rosé Sparkling wine NV

Pommery is the first French Grande marque champagne house to launch an English sparkling wine in the UK. Made in exactly the same way as champagne, the grapes are grown on the hills near the Hampshire town of Arlesford. This wine exudes freshness on the palate with flavours of wild strawberries and raspberries.

## Pommery Apanage Brut 1874

In 1874 the style 'Brut' was created by Madame Pommery after realising that Champagne would be more consumable if it was made drier.

Manchester became a key export city for Madame Pommery and so the Midland is celebrating these achievements with the addition of this speciality afternoon tea experience.

# FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

#### A Selection of Sandwiches

Poached Scottish Salmon, Dill Crème Fraiche on Granary Bread

Roasted Turkey Roulade with Apricot Stuffing on White Bread

Manchester Honey & Orange Roasted Ham on Granary Bread

Somerset Brie & Cranberry on White Bread

Extra Sandwiches: £5 half plate, £10 full plate

# Freshly Baked Scones

Plain Scones served with Devon Clotted Cream & Mrs. Darlington's Jams

#### An Assortment of Home-Baked Cakes

Cherry Mousse, Mulled Cherries, Hazelnut Financier (n)

Valrhona Milk Chocolate & Baileys Bauble

Clementine Custard Tart, Clementine Jelly & Meringue

Mont Blanc & Poached Pear Choux (n)

# A Range of Premium Loose Leaf Tea

Choose from the wide selection of loose-leaf tea, including the hotel's three private blends

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# GLUTEN FREE FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

#### A Selection of Sandwiches

(All sandwiches served on gluten free bread)

Roasted Turkey & Christmas Slaw

Poached Scottish Salmon, Dill Crème Fraiche

Manchester Honey & Orange Roasted Ham

Somerset Brie & Cranberry

Extra Sandwiches: £5 half plate, £10 full plate

# Freshly Baked Scones

Gluten Free Plain Scones served with Devon Clotted Cream & Mrs. Darlington's Jams

#### An Assortment of Home-Baked Cakes

Valrhona Milk Chocolate & Bailey's Bauble

Winter Spice Cherry Macaron, Dark Chocolate Ganache (n)

Clementine Custard Tart, Clementine Jelly & Meringue

Mulled Berry & Earl Grey Sponge

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# VEGETARIAN FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

#### A Selection of Sandwiches

Somerset Brie & Cranberry on White Bread

Roasted Squash, Spinach, Crispy Onion & Ranch Dressing on Granary Bread

Christmas Fruit & Nut Roast, Red Pesto & Rocket on Granary Bread (n)

Salt Baked Beetroot with Dill Cream Cheese on White Bread

Extra Sandwiches: £5 half plate, £10 full plate

# Freshly Baked Scones

Plain Scones served with Devon Clotted Cream & Mrs. Darlington's Jams

#### An Assortment of Home-Baked Cakes

Mont Blanc & Poached Pear Choux (n)

Clementine Custard Tart, Clementine Jelly & Meringue

Winter Spice Cherry Macaron, Dark Chocolate Ganache (n)

Mulled Berry & Earl Grey Sponge

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# VEGAN FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

### A Selection of Sandwiches

Vegan Feta & Cranberry on White Bread

Roasted Squash, Spinach, Crispy Onion & Ranch Dressing on Granary Bread

Christmas Fruit & Nut Roast, Red Pesto & Rocket on Granary Bread (n)

Salt Baked Beetroot with Dill Vegan Cream Cheese on White Bread

Extra Sandwiches: £5 half plate, £10 full plate

## Freshly Baked Scones

Vegan Scone served Mrs. Darlington's Jams

### An Assortment of Home-Baked Cakes

Almond & Fig Frangipane Tart (n)

Mulled Berry & Earl Grey Sponge

Winter Spice Cherry Macaron, Dark Chocolate Ganache (n)

Chocolate & Orange Mousse

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# CHILDREN'S FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

#### A Selection of Sandwiches

Raspberry Jam on White Bread

Roasted Turkey & Stuffing on Malted Bread

Roast Ham on White Bread

Extra Sandwiches: £5 half plate, £10 full plate

#### An Assortment of Home-Baked Cakes

Gingerbread Cupcake

Red Velvet Slice

Chocolate & Orange Cheesecake

Served with a glass of fruit juice

Available for children aged up to 12 yrs

# TEAS AT THE MIDLAND

Midland 1903 (Available to purchase and enjoy at home)
Smooth, fragrant and rounded, The Midland Hotel's House Blend is composed of the finest Darjeeling and Ceylon leaves. Darjeeling is considered the 'champagne' of teas; it features dominantly in this elegant and fragrant blend. It is smooth and round with sweet notes of honey, plums and rose, strong enough to enjoy with milk yet equally satisfying served black.

Midland Jubilee (Available to purchase and enjoy at home)
A nod to the British classic Victoria sponge cake, this smooth and naturally sweet black tea has notes of cake, cream and strawberries. A celebration tea fit for The Queen herself.

Midland Due North (Available to purchase and enjoy at home)
Midland Due North has distinct notes of pine-smoked tea envelop and
embrace the character of highland whisky, creating a fascinating twist on the
classic Lapsang Souchong. This blend is inspired by the historic characters who
once met in these opulent surroundings, reminiscent of top hats, cigar smoke
and steam trains...

#### Decaffeinated Breakfast

A classic breakfast blend, full of flavour but without the caffeine, perfect for any time of the day. Caffeine extracted via CO2 method.

#### Botanist's G&Tea

Handcrafted blend of premium Chinese black sencha and oolong tea with juniper berries, rosemary, lavender, eucalyptus and tomato flakes. This botanist's "gin and tonic tea" embodies the tended, soulful beauty of an English garden, but without the alcohol.

# TEAS AT THE MIDLAND

Imperial Earl Grey

Oolong tea was long served at the Chinese Imperial Courts and Earl Grey is very much a traditional British recipe. The unique factor of Quinteassential's handcrafted Imperial Earl Grey can be found in that we use only the finest oolong leaves, delicately scented with the finest natural bergamot. Award winning.

#### Garden of Eden

A delicious union of black and green tea is infused with a bouquet of wild flowers. Inspired by the formal gardens at Blenheim Palace and its exotic butterfly house; roses, sunflowers and blue cornflowers are blended with a billowing note of Japanese peach. This award-winning brew is aromatic, light and as sensuous as the best man-made Eden.

Lemon Lounge

With every ingredient in this white and green super blend being organic, the harmonious, Mediterranean flavour profile is herbaceous and fresh. Lemon and rosemary flavours come through in this smooth and naturally sweet infusion. It's almost as if you're chilling by the pool with this sunny cup of Lemon Lounge in hand.

6:30 to Singapore

Tea tailored for the frequent flyer, this energising green and white tea is supercharged with strawberries, papaya, pineapple and blue mallow flowers for a stylish flavour experience.

(All Midland Teas are blended from the tea plant, camellia sinensis - with caffeine)

# BOTANICALS

Free from caffeine naturally

## Liquid Lullaby

Chamomile has received a Quinteassential makeover. A trio of power herbs; valerian root, lavender and oat are carefully married to passionflower, jasmine and lime tree blossoms, resulting in a soothing blend that promotes feel good dreams.

#### Mellow Mint

Naturally free from caffeine and calories, Mellow Mint is Quinteassential'sc ontemporary interpretation of a classic herbal tea: notes of fresh mint are rounded with subtle layers of natural caramel flavour to create a smooth finish. Light and sweet, this blend is a fitting toast to carefree days.

#### Jewel of Africa

Calming and naturally caffeine free, Jewel of Africa is a distinctive soft and aromatic rooibos (red bush) blend. Traditionally used in high-end perfumes, sandalwood adds an intriguing and beautiful character to this award winning tisane. Citrusy redcurrant tones down the floral scent of rose petals. It's smooth, balanced and as sublime asthe majestic African plains.

# CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINE

No afternoon tea would be complete without a selection of fine Champagnes from Frances greatest producers, along with some exceptional sparkling wines. Treat yourself with a bottle today.

### **Bottles**

Pommery Brut Royal NV	£95
Louis Pommery England	£85
Bollinger Special Cuvee	£130
Krug Grande Cuvee Brut	£340
Pommery Apanage Brut 1874	£150
Louis Pommery England Rosé	£90
Billecart Salmon NV Rosé	£145
Laurent Perrier Cuvee Rosé	£155
Mionetto Prestige DOC Treviso Extra Dry	£45
Chapel Down Three Graces Brut	£65
Magnums *	
Pommery Brut NV	£180
Pommery Grand Cru Vintage	£320

# THE MIDLAND TEA SHOP

The Midland Three have been made for us for over 10 years and are unable to buy anywhere else. They consist of The Midland 1903, The Midland Jubilee & The Midland Due North

These three teas have remained unchanged over time, much like The Tea Room itself. Until now, they have never been available to purchase, but we believe it's time for you to take a little piece of the Midland home. A perfect way to remember your celebrations with loved ones and the special moments shared with us.

The Midland 1903 90g Box	£15
The Midland Jubilee 90g Box	£15
The Midland Due North 90g Box	£15
Gift Sleeve All three of our signature blends in a bespoke gift box	£42
Jewel of Africa 90g Box	£15
Imperial Earl Grey 90g Box	£15
Tea Supplies	
Lace Handle Tea Strainer	£4.50
Tea Filter Bags (20)	£2

