

*Wedding  
Brochure*

Holiday Inn Darlington A1 Scotch Corner

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## CONGRATULATIONS

May we take the opportunity to congratulate you both on your engagement. We are delighted that you are considering the Holiday Inn Darlington, A1 Scotch Corner as a venue for your wedding celebrations.

Our spacious Richmond Suites which are situated on the ground floor can hold up to 280 guests for your wedding breakfast, however if you require more of an intimate wedding celebration then this can also be catered for. We only ever host one wedding a day, ensuring you are centre of everyone's attention.

The hotel has 91 executive and standard ensuite bedrooms as well as a stylish bar, lounge area and contemporary Italian restaurant. Residents with us can also enjoy the leisure club which has a indoor heated swimming pool and full leisure and fitness facilities.

The following information is designed to give you a starting point for our part in planning your big day and we understand that no two weddings are the same.

## **CIVIL WEDDING CEREMONIES**

The hotel is licensed for Civil Marriages; couples are able to use our Richmond Suites for these occasions for between 2 and 150 guests.

It is necessary for you to contact Richmond Registry direct to organise this. The Registrars will advise you on the procedure and specific details they require from you. A fee will be payable for the services of the registration staff to attend the venue on your chosen wedding date.

The details of the local registry office are:-

Richmond Registrar Office

12 Queens Road  
Richmond  
North Yorkshire  
DL10 4AE

**Email:**[registrars.richmond@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:registrars.richmond@northyorks.gov.uk)

Telephone: 01609 780780

To hire the room for your ceremony the Room Hire charge will be £275 + registrar fees apply

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Following your ceremony you may wish to have

## **DRINKS RECEPTION**

Following your ceremony you may wish to provide you and your guests a drinks reception and canapés

**Drinks package prices from £8.00 per person**

**Canapés from £4.95 per person**

See attached menus for details

## **DAYTIME PACKAGE**

Daytime Package is inclusive of:

- Red Carpet on Arrival
- Use of the Richmond Suites for your Wedding Breakfast
- White Table Linen and Napkins
- Easel, table stand and table numbers
- Master of Ceremonies
- Use of Cake Stand and Knife

- Function Bar throughout the celebrations
- 3 Course Wedding Breakfast

**Wedding breakfast menu prices *from £24.95 per person***

**Drinks packages to enhance your wedding breakfast include reception drink, wine with the meal and toast from £11.95 per person**

*Minimum of 60 guests for the daytime celebrations*

### **EVENING RECEPTIONS**

Evening Package includes:

- Use of the Richmond Suites for your evening celebrations
- Dancefloor
- Evening Food
- Complimentary bedroom for Bride and Groom

***Evening reception menu prices from £11.95 per person***

Minimum of 120 guests for evening celebrations

If you are looking to have an evening reception **only**, a room hire fee of £1,000 would be required together with food costs

### **THOSE LITTLE EXTRAS**

We can help advise you from our recommended supplier list for additional items to help dress the room and tables, disco for the evening celebrations. There is a copy attached at the back of the brochure.

### **ACCOMMODATION**

The Holiday Inn Darlington has 91 bedrooms, all en-suite, offering an excellent variety of bedrooms to accommodate single guests to families.

We offer an executive double room for the Bride and Grooms for bed and breakfast.

For any wedding guests wishing to stay at the hotel, we can offer an exclusive rate for bed and breakfast.

## MENUS

### Canape's

#### **Silver Package**

Devils on horseback

Guacamole and lime barquettes

Mini sticky sausage with sweet chilli and sesame seeds

Mozzarella and cherry tomato crustini

Smoked salmon and chive cream cheese blinis

Roast ham vol-au-vent with honey and mustard mayonnaise

Salami and cheddar cheese picks

**Choose any 3 from the above section for £4.95 per person**

#### **Gold Package**

Duck spring rolls with hoisin dip

Feta, olive and rosemary quichette

Mini spinach and ricotta quiche

Parmesan and black olive shortbread

Roasted vegetable and basil tartlet

Red onion and goats cheese quiche

Parmesan and paprika straws

**Choose any 4 from Gold and Silver for £6.50 per person**

#### **Platinum Package**

Smoked ham and goats cheese mini wrap

Lamb Carpaccio and salsa Verde crostini

Parma ham, sun blushed tomato and olive crostini

Crayfish tail croustade

Chinese Wonton with Oyster sauce

Smoked chicken and thyme samosa's

Mini Thai fishcakes and sweet chilli sauce

**Choose 5 Canape's from any of the above menus for £8.00 per person**

**Wedding Breakfast Menus**

**Silver Package 24.95 per head**

**Starters**

Tomato and Basil Soup

Smoked Salmon salad with Lemon and Caper Dressing

Chicken Liver Parfait with Red Onion Marmalade and Melba Toast

**Mains**

Pan fried Chicken Breast, Roast Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables served with a  
Thyme Jus

Roast Pork Loin with Roast Potatoes, seasonal Vegetables and Coarse Grain  
Mustard Sauce

Vegetable Wellington with seasonal vegetables and tomato coulis

**Desserts**

Chocolate Brownie with hot chocolate sauce

Eton Mess

Sticky toffee pudding with Sticky toffee sauce

**Choose 1 option from each course**

**Gold Package £29.95 per person**

Starters

Tomato and Mozzarella Mille feux

Ham hock terrine with pickled vegetables and baby leaves

Tian of crab with a tomato and coriander dressing

Mains

Cornfed chicken breast stuffed with spinach and sundried tomato pesto served with roasted vegetables and a pancetta and leek Veloute

Salmon with oven baked Cherry tomatoes, Herb crushed New potatoes and Rocket leaves

Roast Sirloin of beef, Roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables and homemade Yorkshire pudding with traditional pan gravy

Potato Gnocchi with Goats Cheese, Spinach and Sun Kissed Tomatoes

Desserts

Cracked Black Pepper Cheesecake with Strawberry Sauce and Macerated Strawberries .

Classic Vanilla Crème Brule

Lemon Meringue Pie with Raspberry Coulis

**Choose 1 option from each course**

**Platinum Package £32.50 per person**

Starters

Antipasti of Brasola, Parma Ham, Salami, Telagio, Buffalo Mozzarella and olives  
(Vegetarian option available)

Lobster Bisque with flaked Crab

Shredded Chicken Confit with Oriental Salad, Sweet Chilli, Sesame and Coriander Dressing

**Mains**

Rack of French trimmed Lamb with Sautéed new potatoes, Cherry Tomatoes garnished with Parmesan and Salsa Verdi

Pan Fried Sea bass with a Rocket and Fennel Salad, and Minted New Potatoes.

Confit Duck on a Red Onion and Pancetta Potato Cake with Roasted Carrots and Jus

Aubergine and Ratatouille Stack with roasted red pepper and pesto coulis'

**Desserts**

Trio of Chocolate; White Chocolate and Raspberry Mille Feux, Chocolate Brownie and Milk chocolate and salted caramel mousse

Individual Honeycomb Cheesecake

Vanilla and Amaretto Panna Cotta served with Almond Crunch Caramel and Marinated Berries

**Choose 1 option from each course**

## Evening Buffet Menus

### **Silver Package £11.95 per person**

Sausage and Bacon Baps (Egg for Veggies)

OR

Burgers and Chicken Kebabs (Veggie Kebabs available)

Served with  
Potato Wedges,  
Sauces and dips  
Mixed salad

### **Gold Package £13.95 per person**

Hog Roast (Pork),  
Roast Turkey,  
Brisket of Beef

Honey roast Gammon

**(your choice of 2 of the above)**

Stuffing

Gravy

Baps

Potato Salad

Coleslaw

Tossed Salad

Sauces, dips and condiments

**Platinum Package £15.50 per person**

Selector Menu

**Choose 2 from below**

Lasagne Al Forno

Chicken Thai Curry

Beef Stroganoff

Lamb and Mint Hotpot

Vegetable Tikka Curry

Chilli Con Carne

**Choose 2 from the below**

Roast Potato

Bombay Potato

Steamed New Potato

Basmati Rice

Spicy Wedges

Fries

**Choose 2 from the below**

Stir fried veg in soy sauce

Steamed seasonal vegetables

Selection of samosa, Bhaji and spring rolls

Selection of salads

Selection of breads and snacks to compliment your chosen menu

(ie nann, poppadum, prawn crackers, tortilla crisps etc)

**All the above served with dips and sauces to compliment your menu choice**

## **Recommended Suppliers**

### **Photographers**

Tim Stewart Photography 01325 378999 [www.timstewart.co.uk](http://www.timstewart.co.uk)

Paul Empson 01642 841239 or 07976841239 [www.pauempson.co.uk](http://www.pauempson.co.uk)

Simon White Photography 07896416122 [www.SimonWhitePhotography.co.uk](http://www.SimonWhitePhotography.co.uk)

### **Cars**

Cleveland Classics 01642 783883 or 07973897783 [www.clevelandclassics.com](http://www.clevelandclassics.com)

### **Flowers**

The Wallflower Floral Artist 07913 635488 email; [lisasopehan@gmail.com](mailto:lisasopehan@gmail.com)

### **Cakes**

Sweet Charlotte Cakes 07903794555 [www.sweetcharlottcakes.com](http://www.sweetcharlottcakes.com)

### **Wedding Dresses**

Rocks and Roses 01609258518 [www.rocks-roses.co.uk](http://www.rocks-roses.co.uk)

### **Entertainment**

Snappy Shack Photo Booth and Snappy Swirl (Ice-cream experience) 01642 200295 or 07780453748  
[www.snappyswirl.co.uk](http://www.snappyswirl.co.uk)

LMS Events 01642 713010 [www.lmsentertainments.co.uk](http://www.lmsentertainments.co.uk)

Starlite Xpress –Photo Booths, Starlit dancefloor, backdrop 07787249566 [www.starlitexpress.co.uk](http://www.starlitexpress.co.uk)

### **Postbox Hire/Wedding Gifts and Accessories**

Diamond Heaven 07949532172 [www.diamondheavenuk.com](http://www.diamondheavenuk.com)

### **Chair Covers/Table Décor**

You and Your Event 07843446792 or 01748 824411 [www.youandyourevent.com](http://www.youandyourevent.com)

Budget Brides Wedding Services 07762849845 [www.budgetbridesweddingservices.co.uk](http://www.budgetbridesweddingservices.co.uk)

### **Makeup Artist**

Claire Hartley Makeup 07983130805 [www.clairehartleymakeupandbeauty.co.uk](http://www.clairehartleymakeupandbeauty.co.uk)

Ginger Tree Beauty 01748 889350 [www.gingertreebeauty.co.uk](http://www.gingertreebeauty.co.uk)

### **Hats/Mother Of the Bride**

Tiara and Toppers 07850430940 [www.fiarasandtoppers.co.uk](http://www.fiarasandtoppers.co.uk) also do vintage crockery to hire

Gets Ahead Hats 01609 882106 or 07900352333 [www.getaheadhats.co.uk](http://www.getaheadhats.co.uk)

### **What to do next**

If you would like to arrange a viewing of the Holiday Inn Scotch Corner then please call the Events Team 01748 828611 or email [events@hidarlinton.co.uk](mailto:events@hidarlinton.co.uk) who would be delighted to show you around the venue.

We can provisionally hold a wedding date for 14 days, during this time I would advise you speak to the Church or Registrar to see if they are also available on your chosen date.

Once you have confirmed your ceremony and you are happy with all the wedding details you have discussed with your wedding coordinator a deposit of £500 would be required to secure the date for the venue. As signed booking form would also be required to confirm the booking.

As your day approaches we will assist with the selection of menu, drinks and those all-important touches to make your wedding day run smoothly. A final details meeting would be arranged 6 – 8 weeks prior to your wedding to run through all of your wedding details including timings, numbers, supplier details, a list of details will be sent out to you prior to the meeting.

Final balance is due 14 days prior to your wedding and this pro forma invoice will be based on all the details from the final details meeting.

All prices include VAT at 20% and maybe subject to change. Food and drink items are correct at the time of going to print and maybe subject to change.

### **Wedding Open Evenings and Fayres**

We hold regular Wedding Open Evenings throughout the year and also have just recently had our first Wedding Fayre of 2016 organised by Diamond Events. Keep an eye on our website and facebook page for more details of up and coming events.

### **How to find us**

We are ideally located on the A1/A66 junction in close proximity to Darlington and Catterick. Local towns and cities Newcastle, York, Leeds and Middlesbrough are just a short drive away.

From A1 (M) North and South exit junction signposted Scotch Corner/A66. The Hotel is located on the roundabout.