

FUSION TEAS

Cherry Blossom

A delicious Japanese green tea blended with peony flower, rose petals and cherries. A beautiful balanced tea with a distinctive cherry undertone.

White Rose & Raspberry

This delicate fusion tea is an experience not to be missed. The subtle beauty of white tea leaves has been refined by a bold blend of apples, raspberries, roses and even pink pepper corns, creating a wonderfully complex flavour and aroma.

White Apricot

A Gold Taste Award-winning fusion tea that combines the refined character of a white tea with the honey like sweetness of apricot pieces. The flowery undertones of marigold and rose round of the flavour, creating a truly delightful and refreshing tea.

COFFEE

Cappuccino

Latte

Americano

Flat White

Espresso

Macchiato

Mocha

Decaffeinated

£6.50 each

Filter Coffee

Iced Coffee

£7.50 each



MICHAEL CAINES
at The Stafford



THE STAFFORD FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA

Sandwiches

H. Forman & Son smoked salmon
Montgomery cheddar, spring onion & tomato
Free-range coronation chicken
Honey roasted ham, mustard mayonnaise
Truffled egg & watercress brioche bun

Scones

Plain & raisin, whipped clotted cream, strawberry jam

Pastries

Raspberry and White Chocolate Mousse
Pear and Mulled Wine Choux Bun
Hazelnut and Milk Chocolate Rocher
Blueberry, Vanilla and Cinnamon Mouse

£78.00 Per person

With a glass of champagne or sparkling wine per person

Chapel Down Brut Reserve 2021
£92.00

Louis Roederer Collection 245 Champagne
£95.00

Louis Roederer Brut Rosé 2017 Champagne
£108.00

HERBAL INFUSION TEAS

Peppermint

Peppermint is well known for being a fantastic digestive and also a circulatory stimulant. It also has decongestive properties which can help with catarrhal congestion, cold relief and headaches. This premium whole leaf peppermint has a mild sweet undertone and its crisp freshness can be enjoyed all day long.

Chamomile Flowers

The Great Taste Award winning Chamomile Flowers tea is an all-time favourite when it comes to calming the nerves, soothing irritability and relieving pain in the digestive system. It is believed to have anti-inflammatory and anti-septic properties. Traditionally it has been known to ease colds and flu, symptoms associated to allergy, cystitis and eczema. The lovely Chamomile flowers produce a golden cup with a creamy and sweet infusion.

Very Berry

An exciting, pure fruit tea consisting of a wide selection of berries and a few other dried fruits, such as papaya. The deep red cup is characterised by a vivid fruitiness and a pleasing sweetness that is balanced by the tart hints of hibiscus.

Rooibos Orange & Cactus Fig

A very popular rooibos blend, packed with fascinating ingredients such as papaya, liquorice and orange. The distinct creamy sweetness of rooibos is complemented by fragrant citrus tones and fruity finish, proving to be an exciting, caffeine free alternative to many fusion teas.

Zest Tea

This is a delicate and refreshing herbal tea which is believed to benefit the digestive system, but also to have a general soothing and calming effect on the body. It contains lemongrass, lemon peel and ginger and is marked by a tangy aroma and an invigorating lemon flavour with a spicy finish.

Lemon Verbena

Lemon verbena, known and used in European cuisine since the 17th century, is believed to be a great tonic for the nerves and also known to aid digestion. Its therapeutic effect on the body helps to create a sense of well-being, whereas its highly aromatic flavour is reminiscent of liquorice and camphor with a distinct lemon aftertaste.

We understand that preferences and dietary needs vary, and our culinary team will gladly accommodate special requests with advance notice. We are committed to culinary excellence and to operating with an environmentally and socially responsible approach. We prioritise local suppliers, support British farmers, and showcase seasonal ingredients, while actively minimising our footprint through composting and recycling practices. Our menus proudly exclude endangered species, and we are committed to ensuring that our sourcing and purchasing practices are fair and beneficial for all involved. All prices include VAT. A discretionary 15% service charge will be added to your bill. Vegetarian, Vegan, Gluten Free and Dairy free afternoon tea options are available upon request with 48 hours advance notice.

GREEN TEAS

Japan Sencha

Sencha, which means ‘steamed tea’, is by far the most popular tea in Japan. It has a tender and sweetish note, with vegetal flavours with strong grassy notes and a hint of pine nuts to finish.

Genmaicha

Genmaicha, or ‘rice tea’, is a combination of green Sencha, roasted grains rice and popped rice. This distinct Japanese tea has bright golden infusion and nutty, slightly savoury flavour.

Jasmine Pearls

This tea comes from the Fujian province, China, and is also known as “Phoenix Dragon Pearls”. The dragon represents the green tea whilst the beauty of the phoenix is found in the jasmine flowers. The jasmine flowers are blended with tea leaves and hand-rolled together. As the pearls unfold, a wonderfully sweet jasmine fragrance is released. Each leaf is hand-crafted into little pearls and 6 times scented by fresh jasmine leaves. Each sip offers a profound jasmine flavour with a slight astringency making this an unforgettable experience!

OOLONG TEAS

Tie Guan Yin

Tie Guan Yin, or the “Iron Goddess of Mercy”, is considered to one of the most famous Chinese teas. This premium oolong tea was created during the Qing Dynasty in Anxi, Fujian Province, in a beautiful mountainous landscape. With well-balanced floral taste, a harmonious creamy finish, the light yellow infusion offers a refreshing aroma and a gently sweet flavour with fruity undertones.

Milky Oolong

This Award-winning Oolong tea has a delicious and distinctive flavour with vanilla undertones. It is characterised by a milky and smooth infusion and is a true delight to all the senses.

THE STAFFORD CREAM TEA

Your choice of tea and coffee
Homemade plain and raisin scones
Seasonal jams and Cornish clotted cream

£24.00 per person

With a glass of Champagne per person
Louis Roederer Collection 245 Champagne
£41.00

Sweet treats

Raspberry and White Chocolate Mousse
£7.00

Pear and Mulled Wine Choux Bun
£7.00

Hazelnut & Milk Chocolate Rocher
£7.00

Blueberry, Vanilla and Cinnamon Mouse
£5.50

SELECTION OF TEAS

Our tea is supplied by Camellia's Tea House
– an artisan producer and importer,
hand blending its teas here in London.

Just as with wine, tea is influenced by soil type and climate,
in addition to differences in the farming and
production process. It is thought there are around 1500
variants of tea, produced in 36 countries.

We have carefully selected 22 exceptional teas
for your enjoyment, including our own signature blends
and very special premium rare teas.

Stafford Signature Blends

Specially selected by the team here at The Stafford, we
offer three bespoke signature blends, which one will you try?

Stafford English Breakfast Blend

A full bodied, sturdy tea with delicate flowery and spicy
undertones, made with high altitude grown broken orange pekoe
black teas and a touch of Chinese Keemun Tea. With a glass of
champagne or sparkling wine per person.

St James's Blend

A wonderful fragrant and smokey black fusion tea,
with hints of golden syrup and subtle flowery undertones.
The blend combines broken orange pekoe black teas with
the most distinct Lapsang Souchong Tea (where the tea leaves
are hung in baskets over smoking pine wood fires to dry out);
the result is a wonderful dark fusion tea which
is ideal for pairing with meat.

Queen's Stafford Blend

The Queen's Stafford blend is a lovely balance between a
refreshing and bright Keemun Tea and the citrusy notes and
flowery fragrance of oil of Bergamot, orange blossoms,
rose petals and jasmine bai mao huo tea.

BLACK TEAS

Assam Bargang

Assam Bargang tea comes from an estate located on the
north banks of the Brahmaputra river in the Sonipur district in
Northern India. Full bodied and robust with creamy
texture and malty undertones, it is perfect for those looking
for a more powerful Assam brew. Dark golden brown with
some viscosity and perfect with milk.

Darjeeling Balasun 2nd Flush

This second flush Darjeeling displays all the characteristics
we come to expect from this terroir.
This delicious tea embodies the delights of Darjeeling 2nd flush,
with a full bodied, fruity and honeyed notes.

Earl Grey

Earl Grey's distinct flavour is a result of combining high quality
Chinese black tea and oil of bergamot, originally used to
protect the flavour from mould and tar during long sea voyages.
This beautifully scented tea with its flowery and citrusy flavour
remains the embodiment of the finest English tea.

Chai Tea

An Indian black tea that has been infused with a range of
traditional spices to produce a deliciously spicy and warming brew.
It is often brewed in hot milk, known as Chai Latte,
to produce a healthy and much more interesting alternative to coffee.
Featuring a wonderfully balanced plethora of Indian spices with
predominantly cinnamon and clove taste and a spicy ginger finish.

Mango Cooler

A mild and faintly spicy blend of carefully selected
Ceylon and Chinese black teas, further enriched with
the rich sweetness of dried mango and the simple
beauty of sunflower blossoms.