



ADDRESS TO A HAGGIS, 1786

Fair fa' your honest, sonsie face,
Great chieftain o the puddin'-race!
Aboon them a' ye tak your place,
Painch, tripe, or thairm:
Weel are ye worthy o' a grace
As lang's my arm.

The groaning trencher there ye fill,
Your hurdies like a distant hill,
Your pin wad help to mend a mill
In time o need,
While thro your pores the dews distil
Like amber bead.

His knife see rustic Labour dight,
An cut you up wi ready slight,
Trenching your gushing entrails bright,
Like onie ditch;
And then, O what a glorious sight,
Warm-reekin, rich!

Then, horn for horn, they stretch an strive:
Deil tak the hindmost, on they drive,
Till a' their weel-swallow'd kytes belyve
Are bent like drums; -
The auld Guidman, maist like to rive,
'Bethankit' hums.

Is there that owre his French ragout,
Or olio that wad staw a sow,
Or fricassee wad mak her spew
Wi perfect scunner,
Looks down wi sneering, scornfu view
On sic a dinner?

Poor devil! see him owre his trash,
As feckless as a wither'd rash,
His spindle shank a guid whip-lash,
His nieve a nit;
Thro bloody flood or field to dash,
O how unfit!

But mark the Rustic, haggis-fed,
The trembling earth resounds his tread,
Clap in his walie nieve a blade,
He'll make it whissle;
An legs an arms, an heads will sned,
Like taps o thrisle.

Ye Pow'rs, wha mak mankind your care,
And dish them out their bill o fare,
Auld Scotland wants nae skinking ware
That jaups in luggies:
But, if ye wish her gratefu prayer,
Gie her a Haggis

21ST – 26TH JANUARY

BURNS NIGHT SUPPER

£15.95 TWO COURSES | £18.95 THREE COURSES

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Robert Burns (or Rabbie, as he was known) is Scotland's most famous poet. The anniversary of his birthday is celebrated across the world, not just in Scotland.

It is a unique legacy. No other poet is fêted across the world on his birthday and it is spontaneous – nobody writes the rules, or organises the speakers, or sets the tone. The Burns celebration is open to all.

The celebrations can involve a highly ceremonial Burns Night Supper or just a dram of Glenfiddich IPA Whisky.

Burns night is about celebrating the life of a very famous, influential Scotsman and so, ensuring celebrations are traditionally Scottish is essential.

Our two or three course supper is a celebration of Scottish food and drink. There's haggis for traditionalists and adventurers, plus a feast of choice for everyone else.



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2 COURSES • £15.95 3 COURSES • £18.95

PLUS A COMPLEMENTARY DRAM OF OUR NEW GLENFIDDICH FIRE & CANE WHISKY*

WHISKY FLIGHT • £7

3 X 25ML

Glen Grant 10YO • Auchentoshan 12YO • Macallan Double Cask Gold

When purchased with the 2 or 3 course menu

STARTERS

SMOKED SCOTTISH SALMON

Served with Scottish oatcakes and chive sour cream.

VEGETABLE SCOTCH BROTH (V)

Served with farmhouse bread and butter.

MAINS

HAGGIS, NEEPS & TATTIES

Traditional Scottish dish of mutton and hearty oatmeal with aromatic mixed spices, served with mashed swede, potatoes and gravy.

BALMORAL CHICKEN

Grilled chicken breast, rich haggis and bacon with a whisky sauce.
Served with creamy mashed potato and steamed greens.

CROFTERS PIE[†]

Pulled lamb topped with haggis mash and served with steamed greens and glazed Chantenay carrots.

LENTIL COTTAGE PIE (VE)

A rich Puy lentil and vegetable pie topped with carrot and sweet potato mash.
Served with steamed greens and glazed Chantenay carrots.

PUDDINGS

CRANACHAN (V)

A traditional Scottish dessert made from smooth whipped cream, sweet honey, a dash of whisky, raspberries and golden toasted oats.[†]

STICKY TOFFEE PUDDING (V)

Served with vanilla pod ice cream.

All our food is prepared in a kitchen where nuts, cereals containing gluten and other allergens are present, and our menu descriptions do not include all ingredients. If you have a food allergy or intolerance, please let us know before ordering. Full allergen information for food and drink is available upon request. Dishes containing fish may contain small bones. [†]Contains alcohol or uses alcohol as part of the cooking process; please ask a member of staff for further information. A discretionary service charge of 10% will be added to parties of 6 or more. (V) = made with vegetarian ingredients; however, some of our preparation and cooking methods could affect this. * Your complementary 25ml Glenfiddich Fire & Cane whisky is included in the cost of the Burns Night set menu and is only available when you dine from the 2 or 3 course menu. Over 18s only. Subject to availability.