

The Peppermill Hotel and Restaurant is a family run business and we warmly welcome you.

Philip and Amanda purchased these premises in 1997. After 15 years as an Estate Agency business Philip decided to take a different career path and fulfilled a dream of opening a restaurant.

After undergoing a complete refurbishment the Peppermill Restaurant, wine and coffee bar opened its doors in May 2012

The building itself dates back to the 1450's and is one of the oldest in Devizes. Inside it has a contemporary feel whilst maintaining many of its original features and beautifully exposed beams. Part of the original structure can be seen through a glass panel at the front of the building in the wine bar.

We are very proud of each and every member of the staff who help us run the Peppermill every day. Our Head Chef, Leon Sheppard and his team run the kitchen and produce a beautiful menu ranging from locally sourced fish, succulent steaks and risottos not forgetting our famous Peppermill hand cut triple cooked chips!

The opportunity arose in 2013 to purchase an additional part of our building to the rear of The Peppermill. After months of hard work by many skilled carpenters, plumbers and electricians the Peppermill's six bedroomed Hotel has arrived.

We would like to wish you a comfortable, happy and pleasant stay in our hotel and do not hesitate to ask us if there is anything extra we can do for you.

Philip and Amanda O'Shea

### Housekeeping

Your room will be serviced daily to ensure you have everything that you need.

If you are staying more than one night we change the bed linen every third day. If you would like this changed sooner, please let reception know and if you would like fresh towels please place the used ones in the bath.

If you require any additional items for your room or you need anything changing please do not hesitate to contact Reception. If you require an iron and/ Ironing board please contact Reception.

### Tea and Biscuits

We provide a complimentary hospitality tray. Please let Reception know if there is anything that might need replacing during your stay.

### Bath Products

The bath products provided in your room are available to purchase from reception.

### Newspapers.

If you require a complimentary morning newspaper please order with reception

### Hairdryers

Are available for your use.

### Do Not Disturb / Room Cleaning Required

Door Hangers for these services can be found on the back of the main door.

## USEFUL INFORMATION

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### Smoking

The Peppermill is a non-smoking environment in accordance with the Health Bill: Smoke Free (Premises and Environment) Regulations 2006. We respectfully ask that all guests observe this non-smoking law, and refrain from smoking in any area inside the establishment. This includes guest's bedrooms and leaning out of the windows.

### Security and Safety

Being a small hotel with only 6 bedrooms, Reception is not manned 24hrs. Most evening's reception will close from 6pm and reopen at 7am; Whilst the manager is on site they will be able to help until the bar closes. Thereafter the main and rear entrances will be locked from the inside to maintain maximum security but can be easily opened in the case of an emergency. When the premises are locked up an alarm is set on the Ground floor.

If you return late in the evening please ensure that you have the rear door key with you to gain access. This is accessible from the rear of the building which is down Castle Lane, passed the bank parking; take the next entrance on the left. The Rear entrance is via the first white door marked Peppermill and has the coach light outside.

Due to the restrictive nature of the building we do not have safety locks or restrictive openings on the windows. Please be aware of this for your own safety. If you have small children staying with you please take extreme caution and we ask that you supervise them at times during your stay. The Company and Management cannot be held liable for any loss or damage as a result of you having the windows open.

### Internet access

Internet access is available throughout the Peppermill. The network password is: Peppermill

### Check out

Check out time is at 11:00 am, but we will be happy to store your luggage until you depart. If you require a late checkout, please contact Reception.

Again we will do our best to accommodate you, although this is entirely dependent on availability.

### Breakfast

Breakfast will be served Monday to Saturday 7:30 – 10.30 and Sunday 8:00-11.00 in the Restaurant downstairs. Please see the enclosed menu.

### Evening meal

Evening meals are best booked in advance as the Restaurant does get booked up rather quickly. There are Chef specials as well as a full menu to choose from, "Something for everyone". If you have any special dietary requirements please let us know as soon as possible so that we can accommodate you. Evening meals start from 5.30pm and last orders are taken at 9pm. Please see enclosed menu.

### Heating

The heating controls are via thermostatic radiator valves. In the bathroom the floor is heated and will be turned on in colder times.

### Fire safety

Please take the time to ensure you are aware of the fire exits in the Peppermill. Kindly note the fire action displayed on your room door.

At night once the bar has closed, the doors are locked from the inside for security, but can be opened in an emergency. The assembly point is to the rear of the building

The fire alarm is tested weekly on a Tuesday at 10:00am for about 10 seconds. Please be aware that this is just a routine test and that there is no need to evacuate your room.

### Out of hours emergency

Philip and Amanda do not live on site. However in the event you require emergency assistance during the night please call:-

Philip and Amanda on 07740786002

Or 07725962983

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### Reception

Reception opens at 7am every morning. If you need to settle your bill before we open please speak to a member of our team the night before. Reception will be happy to deal with any enquires and book any reservations for you in the Restaurant. Reception also acts as a concierge service to assist you with requests such as making travel arrangements, sight-seeing, gym or local entertainment etc.

**We Hope you enjoy your stay with us and return again soon.**

## Breakfast Menu

Smoked salmon and scrambled eggs on toast

Traditional full English breakfast to include bacon, egg, sausage, baked beans, mushrooms, black pudding, tomatoes and toast.

English style muffins with bacon, sausage and a free range egg

Eggs Benedict on a muffin

Buttered wild mushrooms on toasted bruschetta

Grilled tomatoes on toasted bruschetta

Smoked mackerel fillets with lemon & horseradish

Bacon or sausage sandwich

Continental breakfast

### Appetisers

Hobbs house sour dough bread with balsamic & olive oil  
**£2.95**

Ramekin of fresh olives  
**£2.95**

### Starters

Homemade soup of the day  
**£4.95**

Duck liver & brandy pate with toasted sour bread  
**£4.95**

Mixed clam mariniere  
**£6.95/£12.50**

Seared Cornish scallops with a watermelon shot, crispy  
pancetta, Parmesan and rocket salad (0% acl)  
**£8.95/£14.50**

King prawn cocktail with a Panko breadcrumb & herb crumble  
**£7.95**

Slow braised beef cheek served with leek crumble  
and a red berry sauce  
**£6.95**

Lemon and Mozzarella stuffed risotto balls served with a spicy tomato compote(v)  
**£6.95**

Warm roasted summer vegetable tartlet served with a mixed herbs salad(v)  
**£5.95**

### Mains

Chorizo and broad bean risotto	<b>£10.95</b>
Risotto of butternut squash and sage with Wensleydale (v)	<b>£10.95</b>
Linguine of hot smoked salmon and crayfish	<b>£10.95</b>
Linguini with artichoke, sun blushed tomato basil pesto (v)	<b>£10.95</b>
Roasted chicken breast served with butterbean, smoked bacon, roasted garlic and a thyme sauce	<b>£13.50</b>
Griddled Scottish salmon fillet with chilli, sesame & soy glaze served with sweet potato and spring onions	<b>£13.95</b>
Sea bass fillet with warm Nicoise, new potatoes, cherry tomatoes, green beans and an olive tapenade (example of special fish of the day)	<b>£16.95</b>
Pan roasted hake with a golden potato cake buttered chicory and a clam sauce (example of special fish of the day)	<b>£15.95</b>
Moroccan filo tart with toasted mixed caramelized nuts and dressed leaves (v)	<b>£13.50</b>

### Steaks

10oz rib eye steak with Peppermill triple cooked chips, field mushroom, vine roasted tomatoes and a sauce of choice, red wine jus, peppercorn or Madeira. (We would recommend this is cooked medium)	<b>£19.95</b>
10oz 35 day aged Aberdeen Angus sirloin steak with Peppermill hand cut triple cooked chips, field mushroom, vine roasted tomatoes with a sauce of choice, red wine jus, peppercorn or Madeira	<b>£22.95</b>
8oz Prime fillet of beef served with Peppermill hand cut triple cooked chips, field mushroom, vine roasted tomatoes, with a sauce of choice, red wine jus, peppercorn or Madeira.	<b>£24.95</b>

**Please ask the waiting staff for the specials and fish of the day**



**Hot & Cold Snacks served until 4 pm**

**Please have a look at our selection of cakes on the bar**

Round of toast with jam & butter

Hot toasted teacake with jam & butter

Hot toasted crumpets with jam & butter

Hot toasted English muffins with jam & butter

Baked to order croissant (15min wait)

Freshly baked plain or fruit scone with

Jam & butter

Bacon Sandwich

## RESTAURANT

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### Opening Times.

Lunch is served from Noon till 2.30pm and on Saturdays and Sundays till 3pm

Hot and Cold snacks served 10am till 4pm - see menu enclosed

Evening Meal 5.30pm with last orders at 9.00pm  
Bar Open all day.

### Reservations

Reservations for Lunch and Dinner should be made through Reception.

## FEEDBACK

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We welcome you to help us improve the way we look after you here at the Peppermill. If you have any comments, or feedback please mention it to one of the team or reception.

We hope you enjoy your stay in Devizes at The Peppermill.

Philip and Amanda O'Shea,  
Proprietors  
The Peppermill GIP v1 260814

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## DEVIZES

Situated in the heart of the Wiltshire countryside, Devizes is an historic market town with a colourful medieval past. The town enjoys a rich heritage of fine Georgian houses and a 19th century castle built on the site of a Norman stronghold.



One of the UK's most iconic canals, the Kennet & Avon canal passes through Devizes and the famous Caen Hill flight of 29 locks which are easily accessible on foot.



Devizes has boasted a castle for a thousand years, although the present building is of a more recent period and is privately owned. During the Middle Ages it was the scene of siege and bloodshed as Queen Matilda fought to keep her English crown



Subterranean Secrets – There are a lot of myths and legends as well as documented information on the tunnels and old ice houses that interconnect beneath the town.



Roundway Down Iron Age Hill Fort  
mile north of Devizes

What's nearby

mile north of Devizes

### What's nearby

Kennet and Avon Canal Trust, - The Kennet and Avon Canal Trust has been in existence for more than 50 years

Wiltshire Museum - Discover gold from the time of Stonehenge, find out more about ancient Wiltshire,

Crop Circle Access Centre - This Crop Circle Access Centre - this year hosted by Wiltshire Museum

Wadworths Brewery Tours Family friendly - self guided Visitor Centre and interactive exhibition - Free entry and on site sample.



Other local attractions: -  
Miles, Bath - 21 Miles.

Stonehenge - 17 miles, Avebury - 9 Miles, Swindon - 20

We hope that  
you have thoroughly  
enjoyed using these products

Please contact  
reception if you wish to  
purchase any of these products



## **Fire Safety**

Your safety is our first priority. Please familiarise yourself with this notice and take a moment to locate your nearest fire exit.

### ***If you discover a Fire***

Raise the alarm by sounding one of the break glass alarm points on the second floor and first floor landings or in the Reception. Alternatively dial 999

### ***If you hear the fire alarm***

Leave your room immediately and, using the nearest accessible exit, proceed to the assembly point to the rear of the property

Close the door to your room

Do **NOT** stop to collect any personal belongings

Do **NOT** shout or run – this will only cause panic

Do NOT re-enter the building until it is safe to do so by the Fire Official.

### ***Our Address Is :***

40 St Johns Street,  
Devizes,  
Wiltshire,

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