

# THE OLD BLIND SCHOOL



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## STARTERS

### HOUSE DAILY SOUP - £4.95

House made - served with artisan bread & farm butter - mostly (V) please ask.

### HEIRLOOM TOMATO TART - £5.95 (V)

Olive oil basted heirloom tomatoes baked on balsamic onions- basil oil.

### DEEP FRIED BRIE - £5.50 (V)

English brie & sour grape chutney.

### ANDY HOLT'S FABULOUS BLACK PUDDING - £5.75

Bacon jam & soft poached egg.

### POTATO SKINS & DIPS

£5.75 (x5) - £6.50 (x7) (V)

Black pepper crusted potato skins - sour cream, sunset garlic mayo & house salsa.

### RARE BREED BABY BACK RIBS - £6.50

Basted in black treacle - cola & chilli.

### DAILY PÂTÉ - £6.95

Served with toast & fruit chutney.

### TEMPURA KING PRAWNS - £7.95

Toasted corn chilli purée.

### SALMON GRAVLAX - £7.95

Cured with beetroot & sea salt - caper & lemon dressing.

## SALADS & PASTA

Also available as a small starter size.

### TEMPURA CHICKEN & MANGO SALAD

£6.95 (Sml) - £13.95 (Lrg)

Crispy tempura chicken, green salad with mango & a side of curry sauce.

### CRISPY DUCK LEG SALAD

£7.50 (Sml) - £12.95 (Lrg)

Shredded leaves & wilted choy - plum & pickled ginger dressing.

### CAESAR SALAD - £5.95 (Sml) - £9.95 (Lrg) (V)

A true classic & we don't mess with those here - romaine lettuce, parmesan & herb croutons - Caesar dressing - soft centred egg.

(add chicken & bacon or tofu - +£4)

### SMOKED HADDOCK & CHORIZO

RISOTTO - £6.95 (Sml) - £10.95 (Lrg)

Finished with creamy leeks.

### SEAFOOD TAGLIATELLE

£7.95 (Sml) - £13.95 (Lrg)

Double oak smoked salmon & king prawn - vodka, lime & black pepper herb cream.

## SIDE ORDERS - All £2.95

Real chips / sweet potato fries / buttered new potatoes / chorizo roasted new potatoes - parmesan flakes / roast potato mash / onion rings / seasonal vegetables / dressed salad / pilau rice

## SAUCES - All £2.50

Pepper sauce / béarnaise sauce / blue cheese sauce / proper gravy / mustard sauce

## BREAD & OLIVES

Gordal olives - £4.95

Buttered white or brown - £1.95

Smoked garlic bread - £3.50

Smoked garlic bread with Cheshire cheese - £3.95

Artisan breads with a selection of oil & balsamic - £3.95

## PLANKS

Starter - nibble for two - great sharing.

### THE HOUSE PLANK - £16.95

Pâté & spiced fruit chutney - seared chicken breast & bacon jam - crispy duck, plum & ginger dressing - rare breed black treacle & chilli glazed pork ribs - chip shop fish & mushy peas - artisan bread & butter.

### THE SUNNY - £13.95 (V)

Deep fried English brie, soured grape chutney - tempura tofu - plum & ginger dressing - goats cheese & toasted crouton salad - olives & roquito peppers - cracked black pepper potato skins - artisan bread & butter.

## STEAKS

They say you are what you eat, that's why we love our mature, fine British beef! Dry aged & all that, making great tasting meat.

### THE RUSHTON GRILL - £120.00

(feeds 4 easily - £30pp)

The biggest & best mixed grill sharer -

2 16oz T-bone steaks, short bone rib beef, belly pork, 2 chicken breasts, 4 Cumberland sausages, 10oz gammon steak - hand cut chips, beer-basted onion, roasted tomatoes, honey roasted carrots - béarnaise & pepper sauces - house gravy.

## BURGERS

All our burgers are handmade by us in our own kitchens - they only have prime British beef, onion, oregano, mustard, salt, pepper & one secret ingredient- always fresh & never frozen.

### HOUSE BURGER - £10.95

Mature beef, herbs & spices from us & that's it! - caramelised onion brioche bun - gherkin - real chips - tomato & roast garlic relish. (add crispy bacon - cheese - garlic mushroom - £1 each)

## MAIN COURSES

### RARE BREED BELLY PORK - £14.95

Slow cooked in a rich black pudding & cider gravy - mashed potato.

### CHICKEN SCHNITZEL - £12.95

Flattened chicken, dusted with a herb crumb - fried potatoes & slaw.

### ROASTED COD FILLET - £17.95

Served on a pot roast of red peppers & beans - buttered new potatoes.

### BRITISH BEEF & BÉARNAISE - £19.95

Prime British beef slab (a slow cooked long rib) glazed with smoked paprika & honey - proper chips, béarnaise & green beans.

### RUMP OF LUNE VALLEY LAMB - £18.95

Stunning lamb from North Lancashire - Mojito crumb - gravy & roast potato champ.

## COMFORT FOOD

### PIE OF THE DAY - £12.95

Served with proper chips & mushy peas.

### HOUSE CURRY - £9.95 (V)

Seasonal vegetables simmered in our 14 spice curry sauce - flatbread & real pilau rice. (add chicken - +£3) - (add tofu - +£4) - (add king prawn +£7)

### FISH & CHIPS - £11.95

Fresh beer battered fish - real chips - mushy peas & thick buttered white bread.

### THE PLOUGHMAN'S - £15.95

Cheshire cheese, ham, pork pie, house pâté, apple, pickled onions & chutney - artisan bread & butter.

### THE COASTAL - £16.95

Tempura king prawns, corn & chilli purée - tuna, mango & lime salsa - chip shop fish & mushy peas - grilled smoked haddock - peppered gravlax, citrus hollandaise - artisan bread & butter.

### RIB EYE STEAK 8oz - £17.95

### PRIME CENTRE CUT FILLET 6oz - £23.95

### T-BONE 16oz - £34.95

The proper big boy, beef on the bone, God yes!

### MAKE IT SURF & TURF

Add 3 king prawns + £7

*All our steaks are served with watercress, confit shallots & proper chips on the side.*

### GARLIC MUSHROOM

### WELLINGTON - £12.95 (V)

Garlic roasted mushrooms - smoked Cheddar rarebit, baked in puff pastry - creamed leeks.

### GRILLED TANDOORI

### SALMON FILLET - £13.95

Scottish salmon fillet rubbed with our 14 spice Tandoori paste, cauliflower pakora & house riata - Delhi street rice.

### SEARED TUNA FILLET - £14.95

Seared tuna fillet - fresh mango, lime & coriander salsa - jerk rice & peas.

### STRIPPED CHICKEN ENCHILADA - £14.95

Chilli butter-basted chicken - dirty rice - avocado salsa - baked in a herb rubbed tortilla & liquid cheese - sweet potato fries - gravy.

### THE HOUSE SAUSAGE - £11.95

Our own unique handmade sausages - mash potato & onion gravy.

### OLD SPOT DRY AGED

### GAMMON STEAK - £13.95

Cider, mustard & sugar glaze - proper chips, chilli pineapple & dippy egg.

### BRITISH BEEF COTTAGE PIE - £13.95

Cheeks slowly braised down in real gravy - mash - Vimto red cabbage.