

**WINTER AFTERNOON TEA**

**MENU**

**Finger Sandwiches**

Malabar chicken, apricot & apple  
H. Forman & Son London Cure, smoked salmon, lemon butter  
Heirloom free-range egg, mustard cress & truffle  
Cucumber, cream cheese, dill & chives

**Fruit & Plain Scones**

Strawberry jam, Devon clotted cream

**Cakes**

Maple Gingerbread cookie  
Turkish delights  
Christmas pudding  
Chestnut tart  
Chocolate peppermint cream puff

Tea - \$45 per person  
*Choice of tea or coffee*

G & Tea - \$55 per person  
*Choice of tea or coffee & today's London gin based Cocktail*

Bubbles & Tea - \$65 per person



*"There are few hours in life more agreeable than the hour dedicated to the ceremony known as afternoon tea."*

*-Henry James*

## **TEA ETIQUETTE: THE ESSENTIALS**

### **DO**

Use clotted cream under the jam.

Always use loose tea and let the tea steep as long as you like.

Stir the tea delicately.

Eat the finger sandwiches with your hands – they are designed for and named after their purpose.

Cakes tend to be more delicate and require at least a fork.

A scone with cream and jam needs a guiding hand.

Enjoy at a leisurely pace.

### **DON'T**

Add the milk first.

Extend your pinky finger.

Pronounce the long "o" in "scone." It is properly pronounced "scon."

Dunk your biscuits.

Plan a big dinner afterward.

Wear sportswear or sneakers – Afternoon tea is a much more relaxed affair, but you should still look smart.

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