

# AFTERNOON TEA

*By the Sea*



## TEA SELECTION

### Belfast Brew

SUKI's signature Irish Breakfast Tea blend and a tribute to Belfast's tea-drinking tradition. This tea promises a full-flavoured brew with malty sweetness from the rich Assam content, which is perfectly balanced with a brisk, punchy, East African whole leaf. A hearty everyday proper cup of tea.

### Earl Grey Blue Flower

A visually stunning blend, delivering bergamot's citrusy notes yet keeping the characteristics of the big leaf East African base tea. It's blended with the finest Italian bergamot oil and sprinkled with vibrant blue cornflowers. A delight both eyes and taste buds.

### Darjeeling

Referred to as the 'champagne of teas,' Darjeeling offers an exquisite balance of muscatel notes and gentle astringency. Fresh and sweetly floral luxury in every cup. This tea is a blend from the finest Darjeeling gardens nestled at 6000ft in the Himalayas with Everest in view.

### Red Berry

This red berry tea is a punchy, full on infusion of mixed berries, fruit and hibiscus. A symphony of berries creates a vivid, tart and fruity brew with an intensely jammy cup

### Darling Grey

Delicate Bergamot oil and citrusy lemon peel meets the depth of character that Ceylon black tea brings. A refreshing and intense twist on the classic Earl Grey. For citrus lovers, where this differs from a classic Earl Grey is with the additional lemon giving it a fruitier, citrus twist.



£29.95pp

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AFTERNOON TEA FOR JUST £5pp

## HOT ASSIETTE



Potato Fries Served with Garlic Mayo Dip

Port Sliders with Caramelized Red Onion & Goats Cheese

Chefs Choice of Soup



## ASSORTED FINGER SANDWICHES

Classic Egg & Spring Onion

Chicken & Cranberry

Marie Rose Prawn Open Served on Guinness Bread



A Selection of Freshly Baked Minature Scones

Served with Locally Sourced Artisan Preserves & Clotted Cream



## DECADENT DESSERTS

(By Resident Pastry Chef Anneli)

Deluxe Chocolate Brownie Topped with Dolce Latte

Lemon & Blueberry Italian Meringue Tart

Bushmills Whisky & Orange Panacotta Complimented with  
Orange and Cranberry Shortbread

Minature Victoria Sponge Served with Chantilly Cream  
& Home-made Preserves

Mini mince pies

## OUR HISTORY

The White House Portrush was founded in 1891 by Henry Hamilton. The story goes that Hamilton faked his own death after an unsuccessful business venture and fled to America. After a number of years Hamilton returned to be with his childhood sweetheart, Miss Allen, who he then married and they started a drapery business eventually named The White House to honour the owner's American connections.

- The White House became one of the most successful businesses due to its organised owner and an innovative mail order service that he created, not to mention the 'before his time' advertising campaigns. The mail service became so popular a new Post Office was opened in Portrush in 1908.

The White House attracted the highest calibre of clientele, with clients such as Queen Victoria HRH choosing to buy her linens from the store.

During the post-war period, The Trocadero "Portrush's Premier Ballroom" at the White House department store, offered afternoon dancing from 4.30pm to 6.30pm with trained dance instructors and dancing on Sunday evenings in the Summer.

John Moore took over in 1972, revamping the store with the "Spot On" boutique to attract younger, fashion-conscious shoppers. In the 1980s, major renovations transformed the store into a modern establishment, with a re-opening in 1989.

Ownership of The White House remains within the Moore family to this day.

The store holds pride of place in Main Street Portrush and is as popular as ever playing an important part in community life and welcoming a huge number of people each year through its doors from across the world.

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