



CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR

The festive diary

Food service times are the hours you can book a table – the second time is the **latest you can arrive to eat**. The bar stays open later.

DATE	OPENING & FOOD SERVICE
THU 24 DEC <i>Christmas Eve</i>	Open 12 noon–11.30pm. Food service 12.30pm–7.30pm. No afternoon tea.

FRI 25 DEC *Christmas Day*

CLOSED

Penny Blue and Bartons Yard both close for the day, so most of our team can spend Christmas with their families.

Our self-catering apartments upstairs are

still available to book.

SAT 26 DEC

Boxing Day

Open 12 noon–12.30am, our normal menu. **Food service 1pm–8pm.**

Afternoon tea unavailable.

SUN 27 DEC

Open 12 noon–11pm. **Food service 12.30pm–7.30pm.**

MON 28 DEC

Open, unusually

Open 12 noon–11.30pm. **Food service 12.30pm–7.30pm.**

TUE 29 DEC

Open 12 noon–11.30pm. **Food service 12.30pm–8.30pm.**

WED 30 DEC

Open 12 noon–11.30pm. **Food service 12.30pm–8.30pm.**

THU 31 DEC *New Year's Eve*

DAYTIME SERVICE ONLY

Open from 12 noon. **Food service 12pm–2pm.**

No afternoon tea.

We then close as we turn the whole building over to our New Year's Eve party.

For NYE party tickets please contact events@thehalston.com — ticket-only entry, over 18s.

FRI 1 JAN

New Year's Day

Open 12 noon–12.30am. **Food service 1pm–8.30pm.**

Afternoon tea unavailable.

SAT 2 JAN

Open 12 noon–12.30am. **Food service 1pm–8.30pm.**

Afternoon tea unavailable.

SUN 3 JAN

Open 12 noon–11pm. **Food service 12.30pm–8pm.**

INTO THE NEW YEAR

DATE	OPENING & FOOD SERVICE
MON 4 JAN	CLOSED
TUE 5 JAN	Open 4.30pm–11.30pm. Food service 5pm–8.30pm.
WED 6 JAN	Open 4.30pm–11.30pm. Food service 5pm–8.30pm.
THU 7 JAN <i>Afternoon tea returns</i>	Open 12 noon–11.30pm. Food service 12.30pm–8.30pm. Afternoon tea available — pre-booked only, 48 hours' notice.
FRI 8 JAN	Open 12 noon–12.30am. Food service 12.30pm–8.30pm. Afternoon tea available — pre-booked only, 48 hours' notice.
SAT 9 JAN	Open 12 noon–12.30am. Food service 12.30pm–8.30pm. Afternoon tea available — pre-booked only, 48 hours' notice.
SUN 10 JAN <i>Last of the festive menu</i>	Open 12 noon–11pm. Food service 12.30pm–8pm.

MON 11 – 14 JAN 2027

CLOSED

Closed for our annual repairs and maintenance — a few quiet days to put the old post office back in order. Bartons Yard stays open.

FRI 15 JAN *we reopen*

NEW MENU

Open from 12 noon with our new menu.

Afternoon tea available — pre-booked only, 48 hours' notice.

From Saturday 16 January, our usual opening hours and food service times resume.

WORTH KNOWING

Food service times are the hours you can book a table: the second time is the latest arrival we can seat to eat, not our closing time.

Please see Bartons Yard festive hours for their opening times.

Our festive menu runs to Sunday 10 January.
Afternoon tea returns Thursday 7 January.

TO BOOK

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STAY WITH US

Penny Blue sits within The Halston, Carlisle's award-winning hotel. Make a night of it in an apartment or hotel-style room upstairs. To book — thehalston.com · 01228 210240.