

# Blackfriars Restaurant

## Travel Trade Information for 2025/26



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### Need to know

#### Address

Blackfriars Restaurant, Friars Street, Newcastle Upon Tyne NE1 4XN

#### What3Words Locator

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#### Opening/Operating Times

Monday – Saturday: 12pm – 2:30pm / 5:00pm – late  
Sundays: 12pm – 4pm

#### Trade Information

Blackfriars Medieval Dominican Friary dates back to 1239. The restaurant occupies the former refectory and as such is **the oldest dining room in Britain**. It serves traditional historic dishes made from fresh, local and seasonal produce. It is renowned for its authentic Medieval Banquets, events, micro brewery and cookery classes.

#### Pricing

Lunch with History Tour & Brewery Tour £49pp

#### Payment

Pre-payment by Invoice, BACS transfer or 7-14 day credit agreement

### Good to know

#### Best Time To Visit

History tour & Lunch  
Monday & Wednesday 11.30am  
Cookery Class and Tasting experiences- Monday-Friday between 9am-4pm  
Medieval Banquet Monday-Friday between 12pm-9.30pm (Excluding December and UK bank holidays)

#### Average time on site

3 hours

#### Min & Max Numbers

1-50, 12 guests on each tour but tours can be staggered for larger groups

#### Upsells available

Geordie Cookery Class and History Tour, 4 hours 6-16 £99pp  
Blackfriars Beer & Local Cheese Tasting with Brewery & History Tour, 3 hours 6-50 £59pp  
Authentic Medieval Banquet & Brewery Tour 3 hours 12-50 £99pp

### Who to know

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### Did you know?

#### Don't miss!

Blackfriars is set within a 13th-century former Dominican friary. Established in 1239 it remains the jewel of Newcastle's medieval past and has a fascinating history. In 2024 we opened our own micro-brewery within Blackfriars' former Chapter House, a space rich with medieval history as it was once occupied by the Brewer's Guild thus helping us to continue the historical narrative. We offer brewery tours and brew home-made ales, an integral part of our dining experience.

Blackfriars won Silver in the Visit England Tourism Awards national finals for Taste of North East England 2025!

#### Coach Parking

There is coach drop off on Bath Lane a 2 minute walk from Blackfriars. Parking for coaches is on Ord Street NE4 7AD. [///pouch.lance.desk](http://pouch.lance.desk)

#### Interesting local places

- Dine at Blackfriars award-winning sister restaurant, Dobson & Parnell for casual fine dining on Newcastle's Quayside. Listed in the Michelin Guide
- Take a stadium tour or attend a football game at St James' Park.