

bringing cultures together ...
our food is inspired by the way we like to eat ourselves –
eclectic mediterranean style: friends and family,
sharing a table together



TAPAS BAR CAFÉ RESTAURANT

tapas & small plates

- olives** OR **nuts** 5
- chorizo & fried bread** munchies 7
- oven hot bread** butter, xv olive oil, sea salt and fresh herbs 9
- potted pastrami paté** with pickled cauli and crispy toasts 14
- smoky eggplant dip** with finger toast 10 larger portion with garlic bread 14
- spanish devils on horseback** skewers of chorizo with labneh & almond stuffed prunes, oven grilled 15
- cauli fritters** dipped in egg and fried til golden, chilli & toasted almond salsa, yoghurt aioli 17
- grilled haloumi cheese** bruschetta, tomato mint salsa, xv olive oil, lemon 18
- bombas** crunchy potato bombs, pork & fennel filling, smoked paprika aioli, horseradish cream 16
- baby lettuce cups** carrot & fennel, beet and courgette salads, garlic labneh, walnuts, black sesame 17
- panfried mussels** in the half shell, pan juices, ajo blanco: almond & garlic dipping sauce 18
- calamares** lightly spiced, panfried, fava bean puree, aioli, lemon wedge 16
- ceviche** marinated white fish, lemon & lime juices, avocado, fresh coriander, coconut mayo 19
- green pea & turmeric hummus**, pickled courgette & cauli salad, toasted pepitas, grilled flatbread 19
- hummus for syria** hummus, pulled lamb, tomato mint salsa, toasted almonds, crisp flatbread 21

PROFITS FROM THIS DISH GO TO THE SYRIA EMERGENCY APPEAL VIA UNICEF :
<http://www.thedenizen.co.nz/gastronomy/best-hummus-town-want-know/>

meals

- escalivada platter** chargrilled mediterranean vegetables on fava bean puree, with carrot & fennel salad, babaganoush, labneh, salsa, almond skordalia and crisp flatbread 28
- carmen's lamb cordero** succulent braise-roasted lamb shoulder on the bone, on a ratatouille of eggplant, green beans, tomato, onion and peppers and their own juices 34
- el cochinito** slow cooked pork belly, creamed fresh corn, with chargrilled courgettes, fresh pineapple, red pepper & coriander salsa, deepfried corn kernels 32
- fried chicken cotoletto** free range, pappardelle pasta, chargrilled cos and red radish, parmesan, nutmeg 30
- market fish** please ask for tonight's fish dish 32
- new york 'little italy' spaghetti & meatballs** homemade tomato sauce, parmesan and torn fresh basil 29
- köfte burger** deconstructed burger - chargrilled spicy beef patty, smoky eggplant, tomato, red onion, parsley, garlic labneh, flat bread 19
- black sea sujuk flatbread** sujuk sausage, chargrilled green pepper, cheese and broken egg 22
- the people's pizza** potato, mushroom, caramelised onion, smoked paprika, horseradish cream 22
- lahmajun** Istanbul street pizza – ground meats and onion topped with rocket and fresh tomato, with a good squeeze of lemon 23

sides

- dawg chips** fries 'hot dawg' style: topped with ketchup, aioli, american mustard 9
- crackle dawg chips** as above, plus succulent porky morsels & smoked paprika 15
- rocket & parmesan salad** with balsamic vinaigrette 12

GLUTEN FREE, VEGETARIAN AND VEGAN MENUS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

Please inform us of any allergies (all food prepared in one kitchen)