

# THE SPEIGHT'S ALE HOUSE

— GENEROUS TO A FAULT —  
ASHBURTON



## Starters

**Cheese & Garlic Bread (V)** \$10.00  
Freshly baked sliced ciabatta with tasty cheese, fresh garlic and parsley.

**Speight's Loaf (AGF) Half \$9.50 Whole \$14.50**  
Served warm with your choice of plain butter, garlic butter, basil pesto, beetroot hummus or cream cheese. (Choice of two options). *Gluten Free option \$17.50*

**Seafood Chowder (AGF)** \$17.00  
A selection of shrimp, calamari, mussels, blue cod and smoked salmon in a thick creamy chowder served with toasted Speight's bread.

**Soup of the Day (AGF)** \$10.00  
What's more comforting than a bowl of soup? Served with warm garlic bread. Ask the staff for today's creation.

**Lamb's Fry & Bacon (GF)** \$19.50  
Tender grilled lamb's liver, served with sliced mushrooms and onions in our rich gravy, on Alehouse mash.

## To Share

**Fisherman's Bounty (AGF)** \$36.00  
Battered Blue Cod, salt & pepper calamari, ½ shell mussels & garlic cream prawns, popcorn shrimp, served with fries, salad, tartare & lemon wedge.

**Loaded Fries (AGF)** \$17.00  
Golden fries loaded with bacon, jalapeños & melted cheese. Served with maple or chipotle mayo.

**Bacon & Cheese Wedges**  
**OR Vegetarian Wedges (V) (Vg)**  
**SM \$16.00 LG \$20.00**  
Big & satisfying. A plate of wedges that is ideal to share with your family & friends. Served with a side of sour cream & sweet chilli.

**Kumara Fries (V) (Vg)** **SM \$7.00 LG \$12.50**  
Served with tomato sauce and aioli.

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## Salads

**Ale House Chicken Caesar** (AGF) \$26.00  
Juicy grilled chicken, crispy bacon, poached egg, garlic croutons, shaved parmesan, & cos lettuce, finished with a creamy Caesar dressing.

**Fall Harvest Bowl** (VG) \$18.00  
A wonderful mixture of seasonal ingredients. Roasted kumara & pumpkin, maple glazed carrot, beetroot, mixed salad & bulgur wheat, over a bed of beetroot hummus. Topped with a maple dressing and plum sauce.

*Add chicken: \$5.00*

## Signature Dishes

**Blue & Gold** (AGF) \$32.00  
Our famous Chatham Islands Blue Cod in a Speight's Gold Medal Ale beer batter served simply with salad, fries, tartare & tomato sauce.

**Beer Match:** Go classic! Have a Speight's Gold Medal.

**Cherry Chicken** (GF) *Please allow 20 mins* \$34.00  
Chicken breast wrapped in bacon & stuffed with dark cherries & cream cheese, oven baked & served on kumara rosti, asparagus and cherry tomatoes

**Beer Match:** Delicate dishes work best with delicate beers. Try it with a Summit.

**Shearers Shank** (GF) \$32.00  
Tender & delicious lamb shank slow braised & served on Ale House mash with steamed vegetables.

**Beer Match:** Enhance the flavours with a smooth & velvety Old Dark

## Burgers & Sandwiches

*All on freshly toasted Sims Bakery bread (or Gluten Free bread) & fries*

**Malt House Beef Burger** (AGF) \$27.00  
Homemade beef patty topped with bacon, tasty cheese, lettuce, tomato, BBQ sauce and aioli, served in a toasted bun, topped with onion rings.

**Fried Chicken Burger** (AGF) \$26.00  
Seriously delicious crispy fried buttermilk chicken, bacon, lettuce, gherkins & maple mayo.

**Steak Sandwich** (AGF) \$24.00  
Grilled Porterhouse steak over toasted ciabatta with bacon, rocket lettuce, caramelised onion and aioli.

**Vegetarian Burger** (V) \$25.00  
Grilled Portobello mushroom, crumbed Camembert, tomato, beetroot & lettuce, served with basil pesto and caramelised onion.

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## Ale House Mains

### **Bangers & Mash (GF) \$24.50**

Comfort food at its best. Our local Netherby butcher's superb quality pork & herb sausages, on a bed of potato mash with peas, onion jam & gravy.

### **Chicken Parcel *Please allow 20 mins* \$26.50**

Our celebrated filo parcel with chicken, bacon, peaches & cream cheese, baked till golden, served on fries, salad & a side of peach & mango chutney.

### **Crispy Crumbed Chicken Schnitzel \$26.00**

Crumbed chicken breast with coleslaw, served on fries with your choice of sauce, hollandaise, mushroom, gravy, peppercorn, BBQ sauce or garlic butter.

#### **Upgrade to:**

- *Parmigiana with ham, tomato salsa and cheese.*  
\$5.00
- *Hickory with bacon, BBQ sauce and cheese.*  
\$5.00

### **Speight's BBQ Pork Spare Ribs (GF) \$36.00**

Twice cooked for melt in your mouth ribs, smothered & baked in our own cola BBQ sauce with fries & salad to the side.

### **The Highlander Pork Belly (GF) \$32.50**

Slow roasted pork belly infused with Speight's Cider, served with Ale House mash, steamed seasoned vegetables; finished with gravy and an apple chutney.

### **Marlborough Mussels (AGF) \$30.00**

Green Lip mussels steamed in a NZ wine, garlic & herb broth, served with cherry tomatoes & garlic bread.

### **Akaroa Salmon (GF) \$37.00**

Crispy skin grilled salmon fillet with kumara rosti, wilted spinach, lemon butter sauce and cherry tomatoes.

### **Musterer's Big Mixed Grill (GF) \$38.00**

200g Porterhouse steak, pork sausage, bacon, fried eggs, field mushrooms & onion rings, served with fries & your choice of sauce: hollandaise, mushroom, gravy, peppercorn, red wine jus or garlic butter.

### **Ale House 300g Ribeye Steak (AGF) \$38.50**

**Ale House 300g Sirloin Steak (AGF) \$34.00**  
Grilled to your liking & served simply with your choice of roasted gourmet potatoes & steamed vegetables; OR fries & salad. Finished with hollandaise, mushroom, gravy, peppercorn, red wine jus or garlic butter.

*OR go classic 300g steak, eggs, fries & sauce*

*Ribeye \$38.50 / Sirloin \$34.00*

*OR Surf & Turf it! With garlic cream prawns, fries & salad*

*Ribeye \$43.00 / Sirloin \$38.50*

### **Pasta of the Day (V) \$25.00**

Served with garlic bread. Ask our friendly staff for today's flavour.

### **Speight's Beef Ale Pie \$26.00**

Tender chunks of beef, carrots, mushrooms and fresh rosemary cooked in a rich Speight's Old Dark gravy. Served with a puff pastry lid, mash potato, peas and a side of gravy.

### **Slow cooked Beef Brisket \$32.00**

Classic and hearty. Served with roasted and steamed vegetables, Dijon mustard, a Yorkshire pudding and gravy.

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### Small Plates

*Priced individually or 4 for \$52.00*

**Salt & Pepper Calamari** (AGF) \$16.00

Lightly coated & flash fried tender calamari served with salad, aioli & sweet chilli.

**Crispy Buttermilk Chicken** (AGF) \$16.00

Marinated in our secret Ale House seasoning, served with chipotle mayo.

**Speight's Cola BBQ Pork Spare Ribs** (GF) \$16.00

Twice cooked for melt in your mouth ribs, smothered & baked in our own cola BBQ sauce served with coleslaw (4 ribs).

**Pumpkin & Caramelised**

**Onion Empanadas** (V) (VG) \$14.00

Mini puff pastry empanadas with basil pesto and a roasted tomato dipping sauce.

**Pork Belly Bites** (AGF) \$13.50

Served with an orange & maple dipping sauce.

**Lamb Rump Skewers** (AGF) \$17.00

Tender and flavourful pieces of lamb, served with coleslaw, pita bread and tzatziki.

### The Sidekicks

Free range eggs x2 \$4.00

Crumbed onion rings \$4.00

Field mushrooms \$6.90

Steamed vegetables \$6.00

Hash browns (3 pieces) \$4.00

Calamari (5 pieces) \$7.90

Creamed spinach (Keto) \$5.50

Speight's bread \$4.00

Wedges \$6.90

Bacon \$5.50

Fries \$5.90

Salad \$5.50

Blue Cod \$9.50

Crumbed Camembert with plum sauce \$8.00

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