



Christmas &
NEW YEAR 2025



A festive winter night scene. On the left, a large, multi-story stone building with a gabled roof is illuminated from within, with warm light glowing from its windows. A circular light decoration is visible in the upper window. A decorated Christmas tree stands to the left of the building. In the foreground, a canal reflects the lights from the building and the boats. Two narrowboats are moored along the canal, their lights also reflected in the water. A street lamp stands on the right bank, and a snow-covered tree with lights is in the upper right. The sky is dark blue with falling snow.

Merry Christmas
from everyone at the
Skipton Hotel

Welcome to the Skipton Hotel

The Home of Christmas

Why not kick off the festive season in style and join us for one of our fabulous events.

Plan your Christmas and New Year's celebrations at The Skipton Hotel
and let our team take care of you.

We have a packed program of events to suit everyone... from our festive afternoon tea to
our Christmas cruises on The Graceful Swan to our famous sell out party nights
and not forgetting our fabulous New Year's Eve celebrations.

We can also accommodate more intimate gatherings or large private events,
please contact our events team to discuss your individual requirements
and we can tailor a package to suit your needs.

Book your event with us safe in the knowledge that everything is being taken care of.

For all of our events, we offer exclusive bed and breakfast rates, should you wish to enhance
your experience and relax in one of our comfortable ensuite bedrooms.

Our Christmas and New Year's Eve Packages offer the ideal way to celebrate
this wonderful time of year with your nearest and dearest in the beautiful surroundings
of the Yorkshire Dales with something special for everyone.

So, why not join us here at The Skipton Hotel... the home of Christmas!

Festive *Lunches*

The perfect way to celebrate with colleagues, friends or family.

£19.95
per person

Join us throughout December for a fabulous lunch in the Canalside Restaurant.
Enjoy 2 courses from our Festive Lunch menu.
Whether your numbers are small or large we can accommodate you, we have private dining options too!
Reach out to our events team with your requirements!

Served Monday to Saturday 1st to 20th December | 12:00pm until 5:00pm

Menu

STARTER

Roasted Root Vegetable Soup
with Thyme Oil
v df gf on request

Garlic Mushrooms
with Sourdough Crostini
v gf on request

Pork, Duck and Port Parfait
with Toasted Sourdough

MAIN

Roast Breast of Turkey, Pigs in Blanket, Sage & Onion
Stuffing, Roasted Potatoes, Honey Roast Root
Vegetables, Buttered Sprouts & Chef's House Gravy
v df gf on request

Chef's Homemade Fishcake, Honey Roast Root
Vegetables & Hollandaise Sauce

Butternut Squash, Kale & Apricot Roast with
Braised Red Cabbage & Roast Potatoes **vg gf**

Festive Afternoon Tea

Afternoon tea is always a special indulgence, so our Festive afternoon tea is definitely not to be missed. Take time out of your busy Christmas schedule for a relaxing afternoon overlooking the Liverpool/Leeds canal and enjoy a selection of festive treats.

Served daily 1st – 21st December | 12:30pm until 3:30pm

Treat yourself and your loved ones to this delightful festive experience.

Menu

SANDWICHES **gf** on request

Turkey, Sage & Onion Stuffing **df**

Brie & Cranberry **v**

Smoked Salmon & Cucumber

SWEETS

Mini Mince Pie

Chocolate & Cherry Delice

Victoria Sponge **gf**

SAVOURY TREATS

Cheese & Onion Quiche

Pigs in Blankets

£19.95
per person

add a glass of
mulled wine

£23.95
per person



Cruise into Christmas

WITH MARIA WATTON - GRAHAM

All aboard for a fabulous afternoon of festive fun!

Join us, as The Graceful Swan returns for Christmas 2025. Sailing along the scenic Leeds/Liverpool canal you will enjoy a cruise whilst enjoying a fabulously festive afternoon tea, as you sip your tea of choice you will be entertained by our resident singer.

Maria Watton – Graham and her Christmas Show.

Sailings 13th, 14th & 20th December

Arrival 12:30pm | Sail 1:00pm | Disembark 3:00pm

Menu

SANDWICHES **gf** on request

Turkey, Sage & Onion Stuffing **df**

Brie & Cranberry **v**

Smoked Salmon & Cucumber

SWEETS

Mini Mince Pie

Chocolate & Cherry Delice

Victoria Sponge **gf**

SAVOURY TREATS

Cheese & Onion Quiche

Pigs in Blankets

£35.00
per person

'Tis the Season to Sparkle

£45.00
per person

Dust off that sequin frock and
dig out that Christmas tie

Join us in the Malham Ballroom for a sparkling drinks reception followed by a fabulously festive three course dinner.

Then, as desserts are served it's time for the ever gorgeous Maria Watton-Graham and her Christmas show!

Now it's time to show us the moves you've been working on all year as it's time to hit the dancefloor and dance like no one is watching with our Resident DJ.

Arrival 7:00pm | Sit down prompt at 8:00pm | Carriages 12:30am
6th, 7th, 13th, 14th or 20th December | Dresscode: Dress to impress!

Menu

STARTER

Roasted Root Vegetable Soup
with Thyme Oil **vg gf** on request

MAIN

Roast Breast of Turkey, Pigs in
Blanket, Sage & Onion Stuffing,
Roasted Potatoes, Honey Roast
Root Vegetables, Buttered Sprouts
& Chef's House Gravy **gf** on request
Butternut Squash, Kale & Apricot
Roast with Braised Red Cabbage
& Roast Potatoes **vg gf**

DESSERT

Treacle, Lemon & Ginger Tart
with Vanilla Ice Cream

v Vegetarian **vg** Vegan **df** Dairy Free **gf** Gluten Free

Book your tickets now for an evening of fun and
festivities at Skipton Hotel.

Christmas *Crafting*

29th November & 6th December

1pm until 3:00pm

An afternoon of festive crafting and feasting...

Join us for an afternoon full of festive crafting fun, all served with a fabulous Festive Afternoon tea.

Learn how to make your own fabulous Christmas cards with
crafting expert Angela Malcolm of Been Busy Crafting..

Whilst you laugh and learn,, you will indulge in one of our Festive afternoon teas!

SANDWICHES gf on request

Turkey, Sage & Onion Stuffing df

Brie & Cranberry v

Smoked Salmon & Cucumber

SWEETS

Mini Mince Pie

Chocolate & Cherry Delice

Victoria Sponge gf

SAVOURY TREATS

Cheese & Onion Quiche

Pigs in Blankets

£29.95
per person

The Skipton Hotel Quiz *Of The Year*

£19.00
per person

Join us for a fun-filled charity quiz night in aid of PETAL

If you are looking for a more informal works night out for Christmas,
join us for our Quiz of the Year!

Join us to test your knowledge of the year, all whilst tucking into a festive buffet!

Thursday 18th December

Arrival 7:00pm | Quiz Round 1 7:30pm

Buffet 8:15pm | Quiz Round 2 8:45pm



Join us for an evening of fun and festivities at
Skipton Hotel all in aid of PETAL.



Christmas

Private Dining

Our newly refurbished event spaces, The Moorview and The Kildwick,
are ideal for more intimate affairs

THE MOORVIEW

Newly refurbished for 2025 this benefits from it's own bar and fantastic view to the
Moors on the outskirts of Skipton.

Catering for up to 80 people this is perfect for a private Christmas party whether it is for
friends and family or for your works Christmas outing!

THE KILDWICK

Situated on the ground floor and refurbished in 2024, this room is perfect for intimate
parties of up to 30 people all served by your own private waiters.

Email events@skiptonhotel.co.uk with your requirements
and we would be delighted to offer a personal quote.

Family Christmas

Day Lunch

Everyone deserves a treat on Christmas day so what better than letting us look after you at The Skipton Hotel so you can relax and spend time with family. Enjoy a traditional Christmas lunch with all the trimmings in comfortable festive surroundings.

Enjoy a glass of Buck's Fizz on arrival before sitting down to a fabulous three-course meal.

Just like home, there will be a cracker for all the family and a mince pie to enjoy afterwards.

And of course, no Christmas lunch is complete without Santa stopping by.. with a gift for all the kids!

25th December | Arrival from 12:00pm | Prompt sit down 12:30pm



Adults Menu

STARTER

Sweet Potato & Smoked Bacon Soup **gf df v** on request

Twice Baked Cheese Souffle with Balsamic Roasted Cherry
Tomato Compote & Wild Rocket **gf** on request

MAIN COURSE

Roast Breast of Turkey, Pigs in Blanket, Sage & Onion Stuffing, Roasted Potatoes, Honey Roast Root Vegetables, Buttered Sprouts, Yorkshire Pudding & Chef's House Gravy **gf df** on request

Roast Sirloin of Beef, Roasted Potatoes, Roast Root Vegetables, Buttered Sprouts, Yorkshire Pudding & Chef's House Gravy **gf df** on request

Vegan Wellington, Roasted Potatoes, Root Vegetables, Brussels Sprouts & Vegan Gravy **vg**

DESSERT

Steamed Christmas Pudding with Brandy Sauce & Fruit Compote
gf vg on request

Chocolate and cherry delice with fresh berries and coulis

Childrens Menu

STARTER

Tomato Soup, Bread Roll **df vg gf** on request

Cheesy Garlic Bread **v**

MAIN COURSE

Roast Breast of Turkey, Pigs in Blankets, Sage & Onion Stuffing, Roasted Potatoes, Honey Roast Root Veggies, Buttered Sprouts, Yorkshire Puddings & Chef's House Gravy **gf df** on request

Kids Margarita Pizza with Chips **v**

DESSERT

Christmas Pudding & Custard

Chocolate Brownie **gf**



Residential *Christmas Package*

Let us do the hard work this Christmastime...
Sit back and enjoy the festivities in the Gateway to the Yorkshire Dales

£359 per person | £165 per child under 12 sharing a room with an adult

23rd December

On arrival, familiarise yourself with the hotel and the surrounding area of Skipton. Then join us for 3 course dinner with the fabulous Maria Watton – Graham and her Christmas Show!

Christmas Day

Start the day with a full English or Continental breakfast. Then, the morning is yours. Stroll along the canal into Skipton or take in the beautiful scenery of the Yorkshire Dales. Return for lunch, where you will feast on a 3 course traditional set menu with all the trimmings... and of course no Christmas Day is complete without a visit from Santa to give the children a small gift! Spend the afternoon at leisure or catch up with the King's speech in the Lounge Bar. Round off the day with our hot fork buffet.

Boxing Day

After a full English breakfast, the day is yours to enjoy.

In the evening tuck into a 3 course dinner followed by in house entertainment!

27th December

After breakfast, it's farewell as you head home with our warmest wishes.

For more information,
please email reservations@skiptonhotel.co.uk or call 01756 700 100



Residential

New Years Package

Celebrate the arrival of 2026 in glorious Yorkshire!

£252.50 per person

December 30th

Head to the Yorkshire Dales, check-in and relax before joining us in the Canalside Restaurant for a 3 course dinner.

December 31st

After breakfast enjoy a day exploring the historic market town of Skipton or even take a dip in the pool before joining us for the party of the year... our fabulous Masquerade Ball!

The evening starts as you are welcomed into the ballroom for this black tie event by the ever fabulous Maria Watton-Graham where you will join us for a sparkling drinks reception before sitting down to four sumptuous courses, plus coffee and petit fours.

Then, Maria Watton-Graham returns to the stage to get the party started before handing over to our Resident DJ where you will enjoy dancing to the biggest sounds from across the decades before we count down the final chimes of 2025 and an explosive welcome to the New Year!

New Year's Day

A full English or Continental breakfast awaits you [with a later start!] before you depart for home.

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New Year's Eve

Masquerade Ball

Over 18's only
£79.00
per person

Welcome in 2026 at Skipton's largest and most glamorous New Year Gala Dinner!

Our New Year's Eve celebrations offer an evening full of wonderful food in a beautiful setting.

The evening starts as you are welcomed into the ballroom by the ever fabulous Maria Watton-Graham where you will join us for a sparkling drinks reception before sitting down to four sumptuous courses, plus coffee and petit fours.

Then Maria Watton-Graham returns to the stage to get the party started before handing over to our Resident DJ where you will enjoy dancing to the biggest sounds from across the decades before we count down the final chimes to 2025 and an explosive welcome to the New Year!

31st December | Dress Code: Black Tie

Arrival from 7:30pm | Prompt Sit Down 8:00pm | Carriages 1:00am

Menu

Selection of canapés on arrival

STARTER

Wild Mushroom & Truffle Arancini
with Basil Mayonnaise

df gf on request

MAIN

Slow Cooked Angel Beef Fillet, Red
Wine Jus, Roasted Potatoes
& Buttered Greens

DESSERT

Baked Chocolate & Coconut Torte
with Coconut Ice Cream

v Vegetarian **vg** Vegan **df** Dairy Free **gf** Gluten Free

Stay *with us*

TURN THE PARTY NIGHT INTO A PARTY STAY....

Add an overnight stay to your festive party so you can take the stress out of the night.

No designated driver, no taxi's home just a comfy bed waiting at the end of a fun packed night.

From just £95 per room per night, based on two guests sharing a double or twin room, it's the perfect way to turn your festive party into a great treat! Your overnight package includes breakfast in the Canalside Restaurant and complimentary access to our Leisure Club if you fancy a dip to relax!



Make your festive celebration even more memorable with an overnight stay at the Skipton Hotel. Book your stay now for an unforgettable experience!

Terms and Conditions

1. Christmas events are subject to demand exceeding the minimum numbers required to proceed with a successful event, if not, alternative dates with availability may be offered.
2. A £10 deposit for each guest is required within 10 days of making your party reservation in order to guarantee your booking. Deposits are non-refundable or transferable.
3. The final balance is due one month prior to your event. If you make a booking within four weeks of arrival you will need to pay the full balance straight away.
4. All accommodation must be fully pre-paid at the time of booking. All payments are non-refundable, please ensure everyone in your party is aware.
5. You can add to your booking at any time (subject to availability), but if you need to reduce numbers, you will not receive a refund and your deposit cannot be transferred to cover drinks, accommodation or any other services.
6. If we have to cancel an event, you will be informed and will be offered an alternative event date or a refund/credit.
7. Table lay-outs, table sizes and room plans are at the discretion of the hotel, as this is impacted by numbers attending each event.
8. Every effort will be made to accommodate specific requests but guarantees are not possible.
9. If a specific pre-ordered wine is unavailable, you will be offered a suitable alternative.
10. Bedrooms will be available from 3.00pm on the day of arrival.
11. All prices include VAT at the current rate.
12. All bookings are subject to availability.
13. If the hotel is to be sold or control of the hotel is to change before the event, the hotel will always seek to ensure that an incoming owner commits to honour existing bookings. That being the case the hotel will specifically inform any incoming owner of the booking made under this contract and will take all reasonable steps to ensure that the new owner commits to honour it.
14. Menus published in the brochure may be subject to change.
15. The hotel reserves the right to change menu items at short notice due to supplier issues.

Dietary requirements – If you would like any information on allergens contained within any of our menu items, please speak to a member of staff who will be able to assist you.

Liabilities – The hotel shall not be liable for any failure or delay in performing any of its obligations under this agreement or liable to an attendee or guest for any loss or damage to property if the failure or delay was due to any cause beyond its reasonable control.

Room allocation and seating arrangements – Unless stated in the brochure the event location will be determined by the hotel.

Pricing – The hotel reserves the right to increase the level of VAT subject to legislative increases. All prices include items as described in this brochure, although menu substitutions are possible depending on availability of ingredients.

Timings – Dinner service will begin promptly so please arrive in good time so as not to inconvenience other guests.

All rates in this brochure are subject to availability on new bookings only and cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer. Rates are 'from' rates and will fluctuate based on demand. Blackout dates and single occupancy supplements might apply. Children are welcome over Christmas & New Year but restrictions are in place for some New Year's Eve events, for full details of our children's festive season policy please contact the hotel directly. Christmas & New Year packages require a 50% deposit at time of booking, full balance is due by 30th November 2025 at the latest. Bookings made after this date require full pre-payment. Restaurant opening times vary. For full details on all of the above products and services, please contact the hotel on 01756 700100. Full booking terms & conditions apply.

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