

## Groups Information Pack

Here at the New Theatre, we not only want your booking and Visit here to be as smooth and enjoyable as possible, but we also want to make sure that your groups get the most out of the day itself. We wanted to let you know about some of the companies that we are currently partnered with and some of their great local offers which may appeal to your group.

Our groups partnerships currently include; Café Rouge, Stagecoach Bus Company and Independent Wine Bar & Bistro 1855. Serving up the perfect trio of ingredients to add to your evening's activities as a group, so go on.... Treat Yourself!

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**CAFÉ ROUGE**  
RESTAURANT BAR CAFÉ

Café Rouge are offering a number of delicious and affordable set group menus delivering the flavours of France right to our doorstep from their restaurant based on Little Clarendon Street. These two set menus offer a really scrumptious pre show treat for groups of 8+ and have something on their for everybody to enjoy, hosting a perfect environment for all of your friends and family, adding an extra sparkle to your day.

(V) Suitable for Vegetarians

(G) Made Without Gluten



### Menu A

Two Courses: £9.95

Three Courses: £12.95

### Entrees

#### Tomato & Harissa Soup (V)

Smooth plum tomato and vegetable soup with sun dried tomato and harissa, served with bread

#### Popcorn Mussels

Crisp mussels in light tempura butter, with aioli and fresh lemon

#### Chestnut Mushroom & Leek Tartine (V)

A warm brusheno style terrine of creamed leeks, chestnut mushrooms and garlic, served on a toasted bread crouton

### Plats Chauds

#### Chicken Escalope

Breaded chicken with French fries and salad garnish

#### Quiche (V)

Light vegetable quiche served warm with French fries and rocket salad

#### Sausage & Chips

Spiced Lamb and beef sausages, with French fries and thyme gravy

### Desserts

#### Crème Brulee (V) (G)

Traditional set vanilla pod custard with caramelised top

#### Ice Cream (V)

2 Scoops of Vanilla (G), Chocolate (G) or Strawberry (G) Ice Cream

#### Profiteroles (V)

Vanilla filled choux buns with chocolate sauce

For specific booking enquiries, checking availability or for any queries regarding dietary needs, please do not hesitate to contact either;

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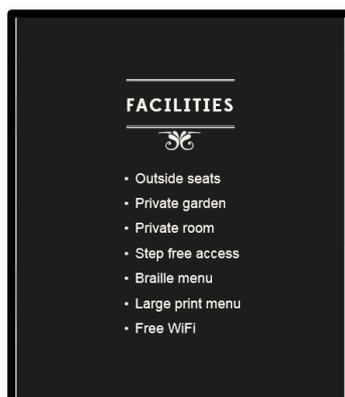
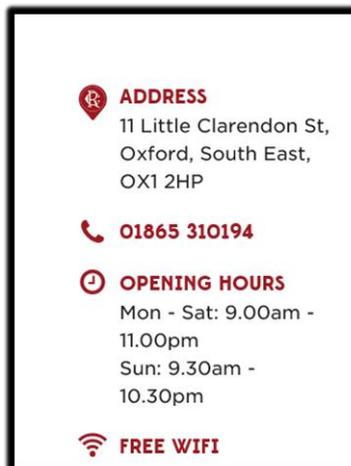
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For more exciting offers, events and deals at Café Rouge Oxford, please also visit the following website for additional information:

<http://www.caferouge.com/locations/oxford>

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## Menu C

Two Courses: £15.95

Three Courses: £19.95

## Entrees

### French Onion Soup

Signature Rouge recipe made with beef stock, finished with Gruyere cheese and croutons

### Pate

Smooth Chicken liver pate, with bread and Mediterranean chutney

### Camembert (V)

Breaded camembert, served melted with redcurrant and cranberry sauce

### Plats Chauds

### Demi Poulet

Half roast chicken flavoured with thyme and black pepper, served with French fries and select garnish

### Fish And Chips

Battered fish fillet, served with French fries and tartare sauce

### Tarte (V)

Vegetable tort with herb pastry, served with a house salad

### Minute Steak

Char-Grilled rump steak, served with French fries and garlic butter

### Beef Bourguignon

Slow cooked beef in red wine with bacon and mushrooms, served with mashed potato and garden vegetables

## Desserts

### Crème Brulee (V)

Traditional set vanilla pod custard with caramelised top and strawberry and black pepper sorbet

### Lemon Tart (V)

Signature French lemon tart, with crème fraiche

### Ice Cream (V)

2 Scoops of; Vanilla (G), Chocolate (G), Strawberry (G), Tarte Tatin, Salted caramel (G), or chocolate and raspberry fondant ice cream

Our recent partnership with Stagecoach is the perfect way to start your evening off here at the New Theatre and is something that we love to shout about!

We want to take the hassle out of parking for your group and with bus stops closely located near the venue, this is the perfect solution to your group travel queries.

#### Group Travel by bus to New Theatre, Oxford

#### **From Bicester and Gosford, take the S5**

The S5 service runs up to every 15 minutes Mondays to Saturdays and up to every 30 minutes on Sundays

It stops on Magdalen Street, stop C4, which is just around the corner from the New Theatre (on George Street)

#### **From Banbury and Deddington, take the S4**

The S4 services runs up to every 30 minutes Mondays to Saturdays, and 4 times a day on Sundays

It also stops on Magdalen Street, stop C4, which is just around the corner from the New Theatre (on George Street)

#### **From Chipping Norton, Charlbury and Woodstock, take the S3**

The S3 service runs up to every 20 minutes Mondays to Fridays, and up to every 30 minutes on Saturdays and Sundays

It stops on George Street, stop A5, right outside the New Theatre. For your return trip, you can catch the bus from Gloucester Green bus station, bay 8, a short walk from the Theatre.

#### **From Carterton, Witney and Eynsham, take the S1 or S2**

The S1 service runs up to every 15 minutes Mondays to Saturdays and up to every 20 minutes on Sundays

It stops on George Street, stop B2 and you can catch it back from stop A3 on George Street, just outside the Theatre doors.

The S2 service runs a less frequent service, up to every 30 minutes Mondays to Saturdays, with no Sunday service.

It drops off and picks up at Gloucester Green bus station, bay 8, which is a short walk from the Theatre.

### **From central London, Hillingdon and Lewknor, take the Oxford Tube**

The Oxford Tube runs 24 hours a day between Oxford and London, with departures up to every 10 minutes.

It stops in Gloucester Green bus station, which is just round the corner from Oxford New Theatre.

***Timetable leaflets are stocked in the foyer entrance for your convenience.***

### Group Ticket Options



One of the best value for money tickets is the **Dayrider Gold** ticket, which allows unlimited travel on all Stagecoach in Oxfordshire buses for 24 hours from the time of purchase.

For travel on S1, S2, S3, S4 & S5, as well as travel to and from Lewknor on the Oxford Tube, groups can purchase the Group Dayrider Gold ticket at £13.50, valid for up to 2 adults and 3 children.

Passengers from London can purchase 12 journey tickets which can be used for groups. One journey is a single journey, so the ticket would be valid for 6 return journeys between London and Oxford. For groups of up to 2 adults and 3 children, return tickets start from £40.



You can now buy your Oxford Tube tickets on your mobile with the new Oxford Tube Mobile Ticket App. More information at [www.oxfordtube.com](http://www.oxfordtube.com)

Fares correct as at February 2016.

### Further information for groups

For more ticket options, timetables and to play your journey online, go to **[stagecoachbus.com](http://stagecoachbus.com)**. You can also call Stagecoach customer service team on 01865 77 22 50



Keep up to date with current travel and traffic information concerning any of the mentioned Stagecoach services by following them on Twitter @Stagecoach\_Ox

We recommend that you always allow extra time to make your journey, especially during peak times.



We have the recent privilege of teaming up with 1855 Oxford, voted in the top 5 wine bars in the UK, 1855 offer great quality affordable wines spirits and locally sourced foods. As partners of our ATG membership scheme, a 15% discount is given on all food and wine, when you show your ATG cards or valid tickets. The atmosphere and décor, alongside the knowledgeable and superb service provides a perfect pre-theatre destination to begin your evening and to unwind amongst the beautiful and historic surroundings within the 1000 year old Oxford Castle Quarter.

Alongside phenomenal wines, 1855 also offer a mouth-watering selection of nibbles, light bights, charcuterie and cheese boards for your enjoyment.

This has been delicately put together to create a divine tasting experience introducing you to the true selection of food and drink that they have to offer and could be a great introductory event and dining experience before your visit to the performance, to help you to really make a day of it.



### Why not indulge with this tailor made ATG Oxford Board?

1855 have put together a very special set wine and mixed board tasting menu for just £12 per person. Suited for everyone from couples, to groups of 10 and over. Specifically created for our customers, this special ATG wine and board Selection was devised so that you don't have to miss out and can sample the full range of their indulgent delights, this selection would include;

- 1 x Meat or Vegetarian Board
- 1 x Cheese Board
- 1 x Bread Board
- 3 x Dip Selection
- 1 x Olives/ Nuts
- 5 x matching wine flights, complete with an insightful introduction from one of their sommeliers



1855 is situated within the Castle Quarter and can be found next to MalMaison. For specific bookings or enquiries regarding any interest and how 1855 can fulfill all your pre-show expectations with their tasting experiences, please call 01865 247 217 or alternatively enquire with [michaelbethell@theambassadors.com](mailto:michaelbethell@theambassadors.com).



We hope that your group trip to the theatre is as enjoyable and successful as you wanted and that you enjoyed the show.

We looking forward to seeing you again soon.

Additionally, for a full list of all of our ATG partners for offers and discounts applicable to our ATG card holders, please see the following website;  
<http://www.atgtickets.com/theatreCard/partner-offers/>

For anymore enquires regarding any of the partnered offers here or how else we can make your group visit more enjoyable, please do not hesitate to either contact your group booker Francesca Gaskell directly on [frangaskell@theambassadors.com](mailto:frangaskell@theambassadors.com) 01865 320772 or alternatively through Michael Bethell on 01865 320776 directly on [michaelbethell@theambassadors.com](mailto:michaelbethell@theambassadors.com) who can deal with all specific enquiries within the above partners and businesses.