

Affordable Occasions

Quality catering to suit your budget

A Guide to Our Services & Sample Menus

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Introduction

Affordable Occasions is a local business established in 2002, offering a friendly catering service. We cater for all types of functions, offering hot & cold buffets for all occasions. As our name suggests, we believe in providing affordable, quality catering tailored to suit your individual requirements. Have a look on our website for photos of our menus and customer comments.

We offer our services both in the immediate area and within a 20-mile radius of Bedford. However, special arrangements can be made to meet your needs.

Our Menus

The following menus can be used as a guide for planning your function. Please feel free to adapt our suggestions to suit your requirements, or let us customise a menu for you. We can work to your specific budget.

We provide a varied selection of menus, including vegetarian options. We pride ourselves in the quality of our ingredients, and the presentation of our food.

Delivery only buffets are served on disposable platters wrapped for freshness. Alternatively you may like us to stay to oversee the function and to cut and serve the celebration cake. We will also clear away afterwards, leaving you to enjoy your day.

Tea, coffee and desserts can be added to any menu at an extra cost stated in this booklet.

If you are not sure about any of the menus, or have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us, either on telephone or email (information at the bottom of each page). We will be happy to arrange a house visit to help organise your function.



Buffet Menu 01

Minimum number 40

Assortment of Freshly Made Sandwiches

(Fillings to be discussed to your requirements)

Pizza Slices

Cheese & Tomato / Pepperoni

Freshly made Sausage Rolls

Buffet Eggs

Cocktail Sausages

Pork Pie

Selection of Nibbles

Mini Sweet Selection is available at
an additional £2.50 per head

Delivery Only

Disposable plates & serviettes supplied. Food is laid out
on attractive foil trays, covered for freshness.

£6.75
per person

Delivery & Service

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our
clearing away services.

£8.25
per person



Unlimited Tea & Coffee

Available with Delivery & Service for an additional

£1.50
per person

Buffet Menu 02

Minimum number 40

Assortment of Freshly Made Sandwiches & Baguette Rolls

Selection of Chicken Bites

Indian selection with Mint Yogurt Dip

Mini Cheese Scones
with Cream Cheese & Tomato Topping

Sausage Rolls

Crudities

Selection of Nibbles

Mini Sweet Selection is available at
an additional £2.50 per head

Delivery Only

Disposable plates & serviettes supplied. Food is laid out on attractive foil trays, covered for freshness.

£7.25
per person

Delivery & Service

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our clearing away services.

£8.75
per person



Unlimited Tea & Coffee

Available with Delivery & Service for an additional

£1.50
per person

Buffet Menu 03

Minimum number 40

Assortment of Freshly Made Sandwiches

(Fillings to be discussed to your requirements)

Breaded Chicken Goujons
served with Dip

Sun Dried Tomato & Cheese Pastries

Freshly Made Sausage Rolls

Quiche Selection

Vegetable Sticks

Mini Sweet Selection

Muffins / Fruit Picks / Mini Scones, Jam & Cream

Delivery Only

Disposable plates & serviettes supplied. Food is laid out on attractive foil trays, covered for freshness.

£8.25
per person

Delivery & Service

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our clearing away services.

£9.75
per person



Unlimited Tea & Coffee
Available with Delivery & Service

£1.50
per person

Buffet Menu 04

Minimum number 30

Assortment of Dainty Sandwiches

(Fillings to be discussed to your requirements)

Selection of Tartlets

Mini Cheese Scones

With Cream Cheese & Grape Topping

Chicken Goujons

Cocktail Sausages with a Sweet Chilli Dip

Smoked Salmon Blinis

with Cream Cheese

Parmesan Thins

Vegetable Sticks

Served with Dips

Nuts & Crisps

Mini Sweet Selection

Fruit Picks / Mini Chocolate Eclairs / Mini Muffins

Delivery Only

Disposable plates & serviettes supplied. Food is laid out on attractive foil trays, covered for freshness.

£10.50

per person

Delivery & Service

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our clearing away services.

£12.00

per person



Unlimited Tea & Coffee

Available with Delivery & Service

£1.50

per person

Fork Buffet

Minimum number 30

Rolled Gammon Ham or Chicken Drum Sticks

Cocktail Quiche

Vol-au-Vents

Tomato & Mozzarella

Green Salad

Vegetable Sticks

Coleslaw

Selection of Breads

Desserts can be added from the dessert menu at an additional £3.50 per head, or from the Mini Sweet Selection at £2.50 per head.

Delivery Only

Disposable plates & serviettes supplied. Food is laid out on attractive foil trays, covered for freshness.

£11.00
per person

Delivery & Service

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our clearing away services.

£12.50
per person



Unlimited Tea & Coffee is available with Delivery & Service for an additional:

£1.50
per person

Wedding Afternoon Tea

Buffet style. Minimum number 30

Selection of Sandwiches on White & Brown Bread

(Egg Mayonnaise & Cress, Gammon Ham, Chicken with
Chilli Mayonnaise, Cheese & Tomato)

Open Rolls

(Red Salmon & Cucumber, Cream Cheese & Cucumber)

Freshly Made Sausage Rolls

Cheese Scones

(With Cream Cheese & Smoked Salmon)

Cheese Straws

Victoria Sandwich

Coffee & Walnut Cake

Lemon Cupcakes

Scones with Jam & Cream, topped with Fresh Strawberry

Tea & Coffee

Delivery & Clearing Away Service

White China, white linen buffet cloths and guest tables covered, serviettes and our clearing away service.

£17.00
per person

Wedding Buffet Menu 01

Buffet style. Minimum number 30

Gammon Ham

Sausage Plait

Selection of Quiche

Warm Minted New Potatoes

Mixed Salad

Vegetable Rice

Coleslaw

Selection of Breads

Desserts

Profiteroles / Cheesecake / Gateaux / Fresh Fruit Salad

All served with Cream

Tea & Coffee

Price

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our clearing away services.

£20.00

per person

Wedding Buffet Menu 02

Buffet style. Minimum number 30

Gammon Ham

Sliced Roast Chicken

Poached Salmon Fillets

Selection of Quiche

Gala Pie

Warm Minted New Potatoes

Tomato & Mozzarella

Mixed Salad

Vegetable Rice Salad

Coleslaw

Selection of Breads

Desserts

Fresh Cream Trifle / Cheesecake / Gateaux /
Cheese board & Biscuits Garnished with Grapes & Celery

Tea, Coffee & Mints

Price

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our
clearing away services.

£25.00

per person

Dessert Menu

Trifle

Chocolate Profiteroles

Fresh Fruit Salad

Cheesecake

Blackcurrant or Strawberry

Gateaux

Double Chocolate / Strawberry / Black Forest

Cheese board & Biscuits

Price

Includes disposable bowls and spoons. Chinaware and our services can be arranged at an additional cost.

£3.50
per person

Mini Sweet Selection

Chocolate Eclairs / Muffins / Fruit Picks

Scones, Jam & Cream

Price

£2.50
per person

Traditional Afternoon Tea

Buffet style. Minimum number 30

Selection of Sandwiches on White & Brown Bread

(Fillings to be discussed to your requirements)

Finger Rolls

(Fillings to be discussed to your requirements)

Freshly Made Sausage Rolls

Cheese Scones

(With Cream Cheese & Tomato)

Victoria Sandwich

Coffee & Walnut Sponge

Scones with Jam & Cream

Fruit Cake

Delivery Only

Disposable plates & serviettes supplied. Food is laid out on attractive foil trays, covered for freshness.

£10.50

per person

Delivery & Service

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our clearing away services.

£12.00

per person



Unlimited Tea & Coffee is available with Delivery & Service for an additional:

£1.50

per person

Bereavement Tea

Minimum number 30

Assortment of Freshly Made Sandwiches

(Fillings to be discussed to your requirements)

Finger Rolls

(Fillings to be discussed to your requirements)

Freshly made Sausage Rolls

Freshly made Cheese Twists

Scones with Jam & Cream

Fruit Cake

Victoria Sandwich

Delivery Only

Disposable plates & serviettes supplied. Food is laid out on attractive foil trays, covered for freshness.

£8.50
per person

Delivery & Service

China, linen buffet cloth, serviettes and our clearing away services.

£9.50
per person



Unlimited Tea, Coffee, Juice & Squash is available with Delivery & Service for an additional:

£1.50
per person

Children's Character Party Box

Minimum number 30

Sandwiches or Rolls

Fillings of your choice

Breaded Chicken Fingers

Freshly Made Cheese Fingers

Cocktail Sausages

Cake or Piece of Fruit

Banana, Apple or Pear

A Choice of Chocolate Bar or Cereal Bar

Choice of Drink

Serviette

Price

£8.00 per child

Lunch Bag

Minimum number 30

Baguette

Ham Salad / Tuna Salad / Cheese & Pickle / Cheese & Tomato / Egg & Cress

Portion of Fruit

Banana, Apple or Pear

Bag of Crisps

A Choice of Chocolate Bar, Slice of Fruit Cake or Cereal Bar

Carton of Drink or Bottle of Water

Serviette

Price

£7.75 per bag

Booking Terms & Conditions

1. Our menus can be adapted to suit your occasion
2. Our menu prices include our services for a maximum of 4 hours. We charge an extra £20 per hour thereafter
3. We do not charge V.A.T
4. A £50.00 deposit is required on booking (This deposit is non refundable in the event of cancellation within 12 weeks of the function)
5. The £50.00 deposit will be deducted from your final invoice
6. The remaining balance is to be paid on delivery
7. Final guest numbers must be advised 5 days prior to the event
8. Upon receipt, deposits will be confirmed via email / letter
9. All of our deliveries are made under temperature control
10. Please note that all of our buffets should be consumed within 4 hours of delivery.
11. Payment can be made by bank transfer (please ask for details)

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