

# PORTOFINO

# Ristorante Italiano



## ANTIPASTI - STARTERS

Combine a Starter with our Happy Hour Two Course Offer. Happy Hour Available Mon to Thurs all day & all night. Fri, Sat & Sun finishes at 5.00pm  
Does NOT apply on bank holidays, special occasions. Terms and conditions apply.  
Not available during December.  
Two Course | £14.95, £16.95 or £18.95

<b>Zuppa del Giorno - Soup of the Day</b>	£6.95
Tomato, basil and mozzarella with crusty bread.	
<b>Bucce Di Patata - Potato Skins</b>	£6.95
Deep fried potato skins, served with a selection of dips.	
<b>Bruschetta</b>	£6.95
Tomato, fresh basil and onion, marinated in extra virgin olive oil infused with garlic, served on toasted bread topped with mozzarella cheese then glazed with balsamic vinegar.	
<b>Funghi All' Aglio - Garlic Mushroom</b>	£7.95
Fresh mushrooms pan fried in garlic with double cream, finally grilled with cheese served with crusty bread.	
<b>Pane All' Aglio - Garlic Bread</b>	£7.95
Thin Italian crust pizza with a choice of garlic, cheese, tomato or cheese and tomato.	
<b>Gamberetti Piccanti - Spicy Prawns</b>	£7.95
Deep fried spicy prawns in breadcrumbs, served with a selection of dips.	
<b>Cocktail Di Gamberetti - Prawn Cocktail</b>	£7.95
Fresh tender prawns on a bed of lettuce topped with Marie rose sauce, served with bread.	
<b>Salmon Fetta -Smoked Salmon</b>	£7.95
Diced smoked salmon, mascarpone cheese, dill and lemon juice, served on toasted bread with balsamic glaze and dill and mango coulise sprinkled with baby prawns and smoked salmon.	
<b>Formaggio e Carne - Black Pudding</b>	£7.45
Pan fried black pudding stacked with toasted bread, grilled goats cheese and sweet red onion marmalade.	
<b>Pecorinoi Fritto - Goats Cheese</b>	£7.45
Sliced halloumi and goats cheese on a bed of rocket sprinkled with and drizzled with honey with a chilli jam.	
<b>Calamari Fritti - Squid Rings</b>	£7.95
Squid rings encased in flour then deep fried served with a selection of dips.	
<b>Pate All Arancio - Pate</b>	£7.45
Sweet red onion marmalade, chicken liver pate and baby prawns marinated, served with toasted bread.	
<b>Insalata Caprese - Tomato &amp; Mozzarella</b>	£7.45
Sliced baby mozzarella and tomatoes stacked and dressed with extra virgin olive oil and fresh basil pesto drizzled with balsamic vinegar.	
<b>Patata Bolognese - Loaded Wedges</b>	£7.45
Our homemade bolognese sauce topped with melted mozzarella and cheddar cheese presented with golden potato wedges.	
<b>Cozze Alla Crema - Creamy Mussels</b>	£8.95
Sea fresh mussels pan fried with garlic, cream and white wine, served with crusty bread. Subject to availability due to season.	
<b>Cozze Alla Arrabiata - Tomato Mussels</b>	£8.95
Sea fresh mussels pan fried with tomato, garlic and chilli, served with a slice of crusty bread. Subject to availability due to season.	
<b>Nachos Mexicana - Loaded Nachos for Two People</b>	£10.95
Crispy nachos on a bed of Neapolitan tomato sauce loaded with melted cheese, bolognese sauce, jalapenos, sour cream and guacamole. Available to share in two course offer.	
<b>Antipasto - Sharing Platter</b>   Not included in Happy Hour' for 2 £20.95 for 4 £27.95 A selection of hot and cold starters for two people. We recommend choosing one of our 'special' wines to compliment this starter.	

## POLLO - CHICKEN DISHES

Combine Any Starter & Chicken Main For £18.95 Happy Hour Available Mon to Thurs all day & all night. Fri, Sat & Sun finishes at 5.00pm  
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<b>All Chicken Breast served with homemade chunky wedges &amp; fresh crispy house salad</b>	
<b>Plain Chicken Breast</b>	£16.95
<b>Traditional North East Chicken Parma</b>	£16.95
Flattened chicken breast, coated in golden breadcrumbs, topped with creamy béchamel and grilled with cheddar cheese served with garlic mayo. Not Italian, but we know how to make the best.	
<b>Hotshot Parma</b>	£16.95
Flattened chicken breast, coated in golden breadcrumbs, topped with creamy béchamel and grilled with cheddar cheese topped with jalapenos, pepperoni, served with garlic mayo. Not Italian, but will heat you up.	
<b>Pollo Milano</b>	£16.95
Flattened chicken breast, coated in golden breadcrumbs cooked in garlic and herb butter and served on a bed of spicy tomato spaghetti, served with fresh salad. Tasty Italian chicken	
<b>Pollo Pescatora</b>	£16.95
Chargrilled chicken breast in a creamy mixed herb, garlic with baby prawns and mixed peppers. Our own recipe for your enjoyment.	
<b>Pollo Supremo</b>	£16.95
Bread crumbed flattened chicken breast layered with neapolitan tomato sauce, ham and mozzarella cheese. Traditional parmesan with an Italian twist.	
<b>Pollo Caprino</b>	£16.95
Chargrilled chicken breast, topped with Mediterranean vegetables and roasted goats cheese, dressed in a balsamic vinegar glaze. This dish has masses of Mediterranean flavours.	
<b>Mexican Enchilada</b>	£16.95
Chicken, peppers, onions, pan fried in Cajun seasoning wrapped in a tortilla, topped with spicy arrabiata sauce then grilled with cheddar, jalapenos and mozzarella cheese, served with chips and salad.	
<b>Pollo BBQ</b>	£16.95
Chargrilled chicken breast topped with bacon, BBQ sauce and melted mozzarella. A traditional Italian dish, with a British flair.	
<b>Pollo Al Dolce Latte</b>	£16.95
Chicken breast cooked in a sauce of Italian blue cheese, white wine, spring onion, garlic, pesto and cream. Creamy, Cheesy, Original.	
<b>Pollo Al Pepe</b>	£16.95
Chargrilled chicken breast in a peppercorn sauce, homemade by our chef with over 30 years' experience. We think it's the best in the north east.	
<b>Pollo Alla Diane</b>	£16.95
Chargrilled chicken breast in a creamy Diane sauce with mushrooms and onions, infused with red wine, french mustard and cream. For rich, creamy sauce lovers.	
<b>Pollo Alla Crema</b>	£16.95
Chargrilled chicken breast cooked with mushrooms and onion in a creamy white wine, garlic and mixed herb sauce. A light sauce infused with lots of flavour.	
<b>Fajita Mexicana</b>	£16.95
Chicken strips marinated with Cajun spices, onions and peppers, served with salad, tortilla bread and a selection of dips on a sizzling platter.	

## PASTA

Combine Any Starter & Pasta Main Course For £14.95 Happy Hour Available Mon to Thurs all day & all night. Fri, Sat & Sun finishes at 5.00pm  
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<b>Spaghetti alla Bolognese</b>	£12.95
Spaghetti pasta cooked with our delicious, homemade bolognese sauce.	
<b>Tagliatelli Picanti</b>	£12.95
Tagliatelli pasta cooked with onions, fresh tomato, extra virgin olive oil, garlic, chicken and chilli flakes.	
<b>Spaghetti alla Amatriciana</b>	£12.95
Spaghetti pasta cooked with bacon, onions, mushrooms, cream and tomato infused with garlic and black pepper.	
<b>Tagliatelle alla Carbonara</b>	£12.95
Pasta ribbons cooked with bacon, onions, black pepper and garlic in a creamy sauce, finished with Parmesan cheese.	
<b>Penne Arrabiata</b>	£12.95
Penne pasta cooked with onions, garlic, tomato, extra virgin olive oil and chilli.	
<b>Penne Ruspanti</b>	£12.95
Penne pasta cooked in a creamy tomato sauce with mixed peppers, chicken and herbs.	
<b>Penne Alfredo</b>	£12.95
Penne pasta cooked with chicken, mushroom and onions in a creamy and garlic sauce.	
<b>Lasagne</b>	£12.95
Layers of oven baked pasta filled with bolognese and tomato sauce topped with béchamel sauce and cheese. Not available as half portion.	
Gluten Free based Pizza available on request. £2.00 supplement applies	
<div>Half Pizza, Half Pasta Combine Any Pasta &amp; Pizza Main Course for £14.95 Not included in Two Course Happy Hour</div>	

## LA PIZZA - PIZZAS

Combine Any Starter & Pizza Main Course For £14.95 Happy Hour Available Mon to Thurs all day & all night. Fri, Sat & Sun finishes at 5.00pm  
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<b>Margherita Pizza</b>   Mozzarella cheese and tomato sauce.	£12.95
<b>Funghi Pizza</b>   Mozzarella cheese, tomato sauce and mushrooms.	£12.95
<b>Venezia Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato sauce, chicken, mushroom and chilli.	£12.95
<b>Hawaiian Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato sauce, ham and pineapple.	£12.95
<b>Pollo Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato sauce, chicken and garlic.	£12.95
<b>Bolognese Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato sauce and homemade bolognese sauce.	£12.95
<b>Mediterranean Pizza</b>   Tomato base, goats cheese, sweet onion marmalade and peppers.	£12.95
<b>Pizza Portofino</b>   Tomato base, goats cheese, fresh tomato, Parma ham and rocket.	£12.95
<b>Diavola Pizza</b>   Pepperoni, Jalapenos, Parma ham, mozzarella and tomato sauce.	£12.95
<b>Vegetariana Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato sauce, onions peppers, mushrooms and aubergines.	£12.95
<b>Pescatore Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato sauce, onions, prawns and mussels.	£12.95
<b>BBQ Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato sauce, BBQ sauce and chicken.	£12.95
<b>Calzone Pizza</b>   Folded pizza with ham, cheese, tomato sauce, mushroom and onion. Not available as half portion.	£12.95
<b>Pepperoni Pizza</b>   Cheese, tomato base, topped with pepperoni.	£12.95
<b>Hot Shot Calzone Pizza</b>   Folded pizza with pepperoni, jalapenos and Parma ham, served with tomato sauce and cheese. Not available as half portion.	£12.95

## COLAZIONI E PRANZI LEGGERI BREAKFAST & LIGHT LUNCH Served until 3.30pm

<b>Full English Breakfast</b>	£9.95
2 rashers of bacon, 2 sausages, 2 fried eggs, baked beans, grilled tomato, mushroom, black pudding and toast.	
<b>Scrambled Egg on Toast with Bacon or Sausage</b>	£7.95
<b>Scrambled Egg on Toast</b>	£7.50
<b>Poached Egg on Toast</b>	£7.50
<b>Beans on Toast</b>	£6.50
<b>Scrambled Egg and Salmon</b>	£7.95
<b>OMELETTES</b>	£8.95 each
<b>All served with hand-cut wedges, salad and coleslaw</b> Choose from either: Mixed Omelette Ham and Cheese Mushroom Salmon Cheese Plain	

## FRESH CRISPY SALADS

<b>Enjoy a refreshing salad with a selection of hot or cold toppings.</b> Choose from either: Tuna Chargrilled Chicken Ham Prawn Marie Rose Chargrilled Chicken and Bacon Scottish Oak Smoked Salmon Mediterranean Veg with Goats Cheese	£9.95 each
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## SANDWICHES

<b>All served with Hand-Cut Wedges, Salad and Coleslaw.</b> Choose from either: Tuna Mayonnaise Ham and Cheese Chicken Mayonnaise Prawn Marie Rose Scottish Oak Smoked Salmon and Cream Cheese	£7.95 each
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## PANINIS

<b>All served with Hand-Cut Wedges, Salad and Coleslaw and Contain 100% Melted Mozzarella.</b> Choose from either: Chicken Mayonnaise Barbeque Sauce & Chicken Mediterranean Vegetable and Goats Cheese Pepperoni Ham Union Tomato and Basil Tuna Mayo	£8.95 each
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## TOASTIES

<b>All served with Hand-Cut Wedges, Salad and Coleslaw and Contain Melted Cheddar Cheese.</b> Choose from either: Cheese / Ham / Tuna Mayo Chicken Mayo Union and Tomato Bacon	£7.95 each
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## SPECIALITY PASTA & RISOTTOS

Combine Any Starter Speciality Pasta Main Course For £16.95. Happy Hour Available Mon to Thurs all day & all night. Fri, Sat & Sun finishes at 5.00pm  
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<b>Linguine alla Pescatora</b>	£14.95
Linguine pasta cooked in a creamy mixed herb and garlic sauce with chicken, mixed peppers and baby prawns. You'll regret not trying this.	
<b>Linguine Frutti Di Mare</b>	£14.95
Linguine pasta with mixed seafood cooked with onions fresh tomato, extra virgin olive oil, garlic and chilli. The best the sea has to offer, in a bowl.	
<b>Linguine Gamberoni</b>	£14.95
Linguine pasta with three garlic butter king prawns, cooked with onions, fresh tomato, extra virgin olive oil, garlic and chilli. Fit for a king.	
<b>Risotto Vegetariana</b>	£14.95
Arborio rice cooked in a creamy mixed herb sauce with onions, mushrooms and mixed peppers. Tasty vegetarian rice.	
<b>Risotto Alla Pescatora</b>	£14.95
Arborio rice cooked in a creamy mixed herb and garlic sauce with chicken, baby prawns and mixed peppers. You'll regret not trying this.	
<b>Risotto Ai Frutti Di Mare</b>	£14.95
Arborio rice with mixed seafood and shellfish cooked with spring onion, fresh tomato, olive oil, garlic and chilli. The best the sea has to offer in a bowl.	
<b>Risotto Can Pollo</b>	£14.95
Arborio rice cooked in a creamy mixed herb, garlic and tomato sauce with chicken and mixed peppers. The best Mediterranean flavours in a bowl.	

## SPECIALITY FILLED PASTA

<b>Cannelloni</b>	£14.95
Rolled Pasta Filled with creamy ricotta cheese and fresh spinach Served on a bed of neapolitan sauce topped with béchamel baked with mozzarella cheese.	
<b>Raviolacci Ai Funghi Porcini</b>	£14.95
Filled with ricotta cheese, porcini mushroom parcels, cooked in a cream and white mushroom sauce. Just classic Italian	
<b>Agnolotti All Aragosta</b>	£14.95
Round parcel pasta filled with lobster, cooked in extra virgin olive oil, cream, tomato and baby prawns, finished with fish stock and herbs. Try something different.	
<b>Gnocchi al Forno</b>	£14.95
Gnocchi in a creamy tomato sauce with chicken, onion, garlic and peppers finished with mozzarella cheese Italian dumpling potato. Something you know.	
<b>Tortelloni alla Bolognese</b>	£14.95
Cooked with beef mince, onions, tomato and chilli sauce. The best Mediterranean flavours in a bowl.	
<b>Tortelloni all Astice E Granchio</b>	£14.95
Fresh Pasta filled with Fish, Scallop and Prawn, cooked in extra virgin olive oil, cream, tomato, and baby prawns, finished with Fish stock and herbs.	

## LE BISTECCH E - SIRLOIN

All our steaks are locally sourced and at least 28 day matured, marinated overnight in extra virgin olive oil, garlic and fresh herbs to make it tender.

<b>Sirloin Semplicia - Plain</b>	£24.95
Chargrilled Steak cooked to your specification, served the natural way, with chunky hand cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad.	
<b>Sirloin Al Pepe</b>	£25.95
Chargrilled Steak in a peppercorn sauce served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. For all meat lovers.	
<b>Sirloin Alla Diane</b>	£25.95
Chargrilled Steak in a creamy Diane sauce with mushrooms and onions, infused with red wine, french mustard and cream, served with hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. For all meat lovers.	
<b>Sirloin Alla Portofino</b>	£27.95
Chargrilled Steak on a bed of spring onions, garlic, fresh tomato and chilli, topped with melted mozzarella, served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. Steak, our way.	
<b>Sirloin Dolce Latte</b>	£27.95
Chargrilled Steak in a sauce of blue Italian cheese, spring onion and cream, served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. Sirloin with one of the best Italian cheesy sauces.	
<b>Sirloin Alla Pescatora</b>	£27.95
Chargrilled Steak in a creamy mixed herb, garlic and mixed peppers, served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. Steak, in our own recipe sauce.	

## FILLETTI - FILLET

All our steaks are locally sourced and at least 28 day matured, marinated overnight in extra virgin olive oil, garlic and fresh herbs to make it tender.

<b>Fillet Semplice - Plain</b>	£28.95
Chargrilled Fillet Steak, cooked to your specification. Served the natural way, with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad.	
<b>Fillet Al Pepe</b>	£30.95
Chargrilled Fillet Steak in a peppercorn sauce served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. For all meat lovers.	
<b>Fillet Alla Dianne</b>	£30.95
Chargrilled Fillet Steak in a creamy Diane sauce with mushrooms and onions, infused with red wine, French mustard and cream, served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. For all meat lovers.	
<b>Fillet Alla Pescatora</b>	£30.95
Chargrilled Fillet Steak in a creamy mixed herb, garlic and mixed peppers, served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. Steak, in our own recipe sauce.	
<b>Fillet Alla Portofino</b>	£31.95
Chargrilled Fillet Steak on a bed of spring onions, garlic, fresh tomato and chilli, topped with melted mozzarella cheese, served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. Steak, our way.	
<b>Fillet Mare Monti</b>	£32.95
Fillet Steak cooked in garlic butter with king prawns, served with chunky hand-cut wedges, onion rings, mushrooms and salad. Our Surf and Turf.	

## HAMBURGER DELLA CASA

<b>Classic Burger</b>	£12.95
Served with wedges, salad and dips.	
<b>Mediterranean Burger</b>	£13.95
Classic burger topped with peppers and goats cheese served with wedges, salad and dips.	
<b>BBQ Burger</b>	£13.95
Classic burger topped with bacon, BBQ sauce and melted mozzarella served with wedges, salad and dips.	
<b>Marmellata Burger</b>	£13.95
Classic burger with sweet red onion marmalade and grilled goats cheese served with wedges, salad and dips.	
<b>Hawaiian Burger</b>	£13.95
Classic burger with pineapple, bacon, and melted mozzarella served with wedges, salad and dips.	
<b>Pomodoro Burger</b>	£13.95
Classic burger topped with tomato, lettuce and mayonnaise served with wedges, salad and dips.	

## CONTORNI - SIDE ORDERS

<b>Homemade Wedges</b>	£4.45
<b>Mixed Salad</b>	£4.45
<b>Garlic Bread</b>	£7.95
<b>Onion Rings</b>	£4.95
<b>Coleslaw</b>	£4.45
<b>Homemade Fresh Flatbread &amp; Olives</b>	£5.95
<b>Sauces</b>	£4.45
Peppercorn / Dianne / Pescatora / Dolce Latte / Alla Crema / Garlic Butter	

## FRUTTI DI MARE - SEAFOOD

<b>Salmon Pescatora</b>	£19.95
Oven baked salmon in a creamy mixed herb and garlic sauce with baby prawns and mixed peppers served with baby potatoes and salad. Salmon in our own recipe sauce.	
<b>Seabass Brushetta</b>	£19.95
Daily delivered fresh seabass, oven baked, served on top of a traditional bruschetta, dressed with balsamic vinegar. Served with baby potatoes, international fish, served the Italian way.	
<b>Salmon Dolce Latte</b>	£19.95
Oven baked salmon cooked in a sauce of Italian blue cheese, white wine, spring onion, garlic, pesto and cream served with sautéed baby potatoes and crispy salad. If you like salmon, you'll love this.	
<b>Seabass Arrabiata</b>	£19.95
Daily delivered fresh seabass, oven baked in a sauce of spring onions, tomato, olive oil, garlic and chilli, serve with sautéed baby potatoes. For the seafood and spice lover.	
<b>Gamberoni Dolce Latte</b>	£20.95
Six King Prawns cooked in a sauce of Italian blue cheese, white wine, spring onion, garlic, pesto and cream served with sautéed baby potatoes. For the king prawn lover, looking for a twist.	
<b>Gamberoni Provencale</b>	£20.95
Six King Prawns cooked in a sauce of tomato, olive oil, garlic and chilli served with sautéed baby potatoes and crispy salad.	
<b>Mussels and Chips</b>	£15.95
Fresh mussels with a choice of spicy tomato, garlic and cream.	

## VEGETARIAN

<b>Melenzane Al Piselli</b>	£14.95
Oven baked aubergines in a rich tomato sauce, garden peas, onions and mixed herbs topped with mozzarella and parmesan cheese, with chips and salad.	
<b>Risotto Vegetariana</b>	£14.95
Arborio rice cooked in a creamy mixed herb sauce with onions, mushrooms and mixed peppers. Tasty vegetarian rice.	
<b>Cannelloni</b>	£14.95
Rolled pasta filled with creamy riccotta cheese and fresh spinach, served on a bed of neapolitan sauce topped with béchamel baked with mozzarella cheese.	
<b>Raviolacci Funghi Porcini</b>	£14.95
Filled with ricotta cheese, porcini mushroom parcels, cooked in a cream and white mushroom sauce. Just classic Italian	
<b>Penne Arrabiata</b>	£12.95
Penne pasta cooked with onions, garlic, tomato, extra virgin olive oil and chilli.	
<b>Funghi Pizza</b>	£12.95
Mozzarella cheese, tomato sauce and mushrooms.	