——THE WILTONS HISTORY——

Always in the St. James's area, WILTONS originally opened in 1742 as a stall selling oysters, shrimps and cockles in the Haymarket by George William Wilton, a local shellfish monger. Business prospered and moved in 1805 to Cockspur Street.

Over the next 50 years, the premises moved around St James's and became a fully-fledged restaurant in 1840 on Ryder Street, called Wiltons Oyster Rooms. The first Royal Warrant was received in 1884 as Purveyor of Oysters to Queen Victoria, and a second as Purveyors to the Prince of Wales.

In 1889, the restaurant moved out of the family for the first time and was bought by David Edwin Winder. In 1930, the license was taken over by Mrs Bessie Leal. Mrs Leal held the license until 1942, when a bomb was dropped on St. James's Church, Piccadilly. Mrs Leal folded her towel and declared to Mr Olaf Hambro – who happened to be eating oysters at the bar – that Wiltons was closed. Mr Hambro's response was to request that Wiltons be added to his bill.

Mr Hambro engaged the services of Jimmy Marks, then oyster man at Bucks Club, and reopened a week later. WILTONS moved to Bury Street in 1964 then to its current site at 55 Jermyn Street in 1984. The restaurant is still owned by the Hambro family.

—— WILTONS SEASONAL MENU ——

Gazpacho
Brioche croutons, basil and Verdemanda olive oil

Secret Smokehouse 'London Cure' Scottish Salmon

½ Dozen Rock Oysters

Trolley of the Day

Grilled Cod
Fennel, purslane and cucumber salad

Acquerello Risotto
Girolle, broad bean and pea risotto

Summer Fruit and Juraçon Jelly

Apple and Peach Crumble
Hazelnut crumble, lemon verbena ice cream

Choice of Two Cheese, Yorkshire Chutney and Oatcakes

2 courses 39.95

3 courses 47.95

Available Monday to Friday Lunch 12:00 to 14:30

15% discretionary service charge will be added to your bill - Prices are in Pounds Sterling and include 20% VAT
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— OYSTERS —

Jersey Rock
½ doz 30.00 / *doz* 60.00

Pembrokeshire Rock
½ doz 36.00 / *doz* 72.00

Selection of Oysters
½ doz 33.00 / *doz* 66.00

— CAVIAR —

Royal Belgian Oscietra *30g* 75.00

With buckwheat blinis and sour cream

— CRUSTACEA & MOLLUSCS —

Native Lobster Cocktail 38.00

Devonshire Crab and Avocado 29.00

Potted Shrimps *warm or cold* 18.00

— SMOKED FISH —

Smoked Eel and Horseradish 28.50

Secret Smokehouse 'London Cure' Scottish Salmon 19.50 / 30.00

Secret Smokehouse 'London Cure' Scottish Trout 19.50 / 30.00

— SOUPS —

Gazpacho 14.00
Brioche croutons, basil and Verdemanda olive oil

Beef Consommé *hot or cold* 14.00

Lobster Bisque 16.00

— HORS D'OEUVRES —

Twice Baked Colston Bassett Stilton Soufflé 18.00

Burrata 18.50
Sun sweet melon, Cobble Lane Coppa and rocket

Rocket and Parmesan Salad 14.25
12yr old balsamic vinegar, Datterino tomatoes and aged parmesan

Whitebait 12.00

Marinated Salmon with Dill and Mustard Sauce 19.50

Beef Tartare 21.00 / 30.00

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FISH & SHELLFISH

Dover Sole *grilled, goujons or meunière* 65.00

Grilled Cod 32.00
Fennel, purslane and cucumber salad

Halibut *grilled or poached* 46.00

Cornish Plaice *fried, grilled or meunière* 32.00

Native Lobster *Thermidor, Newburg or grilled* 75.00

MEATS & GRILLS

Lamb Cutlets 42.00

Lamb Kidney's 22.50

Beef Fillet 48.00

Mixed Grill 28.50
Beef fillet, lamb cutlet, kidney, black pudding, bacon and sausage

VEGETARIAN

Acquerello Risotto 28.50
Girolle, broad beans and peas

VEGETABLES

French Beans 6.50 Pea Purée 6.50

Peas 6.50 Leaf Spinach 7.00

Celeriac Purée 6.50

Roseval Potatoes 6.50

Chips 6.50

Gratin Dauphinois 10.00

SALADS

Pickled Cucumber 6.50 Mesclun Salad 7.00 / 10.00

Heirloom Tomatoes, Spring Onions and Oloroso Vinegar 8.00

Rocket and Parmesan Salad 9.50
12yr old balsamic vinegar, Datterino tomatoes and aged parmesan

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CHEESE & SAVOURIES

Selection of British Farmhouse Cheese 16.00

Welsh Rarebit 11.00 Anchovies on Toast 11.00

ICE CREAMS & SORBETS

Ice Creams *3 scoops* 8.50
Vanilla, chocolate or pistachio

Sorbets *3 scoops* 8.50
Coconut, guava or strawberry

DESSERTS

Apple and Peach Crumble 12.00
Hazelnut crumble, lemon verbena ice cream

Strawberry Soufflé 15.00
Pistachio ice cream and strawberry compote

Nectarines and Cream 12.00
Clotted cream, elderflower and champagne

Chocolate Fondant 12.00
Malibu, toasted coconut and coconut sorbet

Wiltons Summer Pudding 15.00

TEA & COFFEE

Filter Coffee 3.50

Espresso 3.75 Double Espresso 4.25 Cappuccino 4.25

Fresh Mint 4.50 Fresh Ginger 4.50

Postcard Teas 4.50
English Breakfast, Earl Grey, Darjeeling, Lapsang Souchong, Garam Assam Chai
Green Tea, Camomile, Peppermint, Lemon Verbena, Jasmine

PETIT FOURS

Selection of Petit Fours 12.00

Mocha choux, blackcurrant pate de fruit, mendiant, passion fruit and sesame macaroon

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