

Breakfast Menu

Friday 9-11.30 am Saturday 9-11.30 am

all food hours overleaf

Traditional breakfasts...

Full English

2 eggs (poached or fried), 2 rashers back bacon 2 sausages, black pudding, mushroom, hash browns baked beans, tomato, 2 slices of toast or fried bread £10

Small English

1 egg (poached or fried), 1 rasher back bacon 1 sausage, black pudding, mushroom, hash browns baked beans, tomato, 1 slice of toast £6

Eggs Benedict

2 poached eggs, 2 rashers streaky bacon brioche bun, hollandaise sauce, chives £10

Pancakes & Bacon

2 rashers streaky bacon 2 pancakes American style, maple syrup £10

Pancake & Topping

1 pancake, maple syrup or chocolate sauce £4

Extra toast £2 Marmalade 50p

The Witch & Sow (aka The Ward Arms) Guilsborough www.thewardarms.uk



Our chefs ...

The tale ...

King James I was a very superstitious man. He was convinced that all the evil in the country stemmed from witchcraft. So he sent out his Witchfinder General, Matthew Hopkins, to hunt down all the so-called witches in the land.

Hopkins received a reward each time he and his henchmen got a witch to confess. He was very thorough, but many innocents were persecuted – most of them women.

The Witches of Guilsborough, a pamphlet of 1612, recounts the trial of Agnes Browne and Joan Vaughan from this village. Their 'crime' was causing the Lady of the Manor and her brother-in-law "great pain and fits".

Legend has it that, a fortnight before the trial, Browne and Vaughan tried to escape on the back of a large female pig (or sow). The two accused, along with one Katherine Gardiner,

"did ride one night to Ravenstrop, all upon a sowes back, to visit Mother Rhoades, an old witch who lived there.

"Before they came to her house, the old witch died and, at her last, cried out that she would meet them in another place within a month after."

Sadly, Agnes Browne and Joan Vaughan both hanged at Northampton in July 1612.

... the end

Head Chef Louise Stevenson

Assistant Chefs Oksana Ivanyk Craig Hampton

Patron, Bernard – wine lover, City of London banqueting

food hours ...

Main Menu

Wed-Fri 12-2, 6-9pm Sat: 12-4, 6-9pm

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Sunday Menu

Sun: 12-4pm

<u>Please book ahead</u> to avoid disappointment:

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