

# The Brasserie

AT INGLEWOOD MANOR

## WHILE YOU WAIT

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| Rosemary & Sea Salt Focaccia    | £3.00 |
| Mixed Marinated Kalamata Olives | £2.95 |

## STARTERS

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| Soup of the Day, Crusty Bread (V)                       | £5.95 |
| Duck Liver Parfait, Duck Ham, Orange, Coriander         | £6.95 |
| Pan-fried Scallops, Sweetcorn, Chorizo                  | £9.95 |
| Mozzarella Arancini, Beetroot Balsamic Glaze (V)        | £7.95 |
| Pressed Ham Hock, Piccalilli, Toasted Sour Dough        | £7.50 |
| Smoked Salmon Hollandaise Sauce, Asparagus, Poached Egg | £8.50 |

## MAIN COURSE

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| Hake Supreme, Chorizo & Pea Chowder, Samphire  | £19.95 |
| Grilled Fillet of Plaice, Seaweed Butter, Crushed Potatoes, Spring Onion                   | £18.50 |
| Roasted Chicken Breast, Braised Thigh, Charred Gem Lettuce, Braised Peas, Onions, Pancetta | £16.50 |
| Pea & Mint Risotto, Crumbled Goats Cheese (V)  | £13.95 |
| Roast Rump of Lamb, Baby Vegetables, Parmesan Gnocchi, Mint Jus                            | £19.95 |
| 8oz Sirloin Steak, Hand Cut Chips, Field Mushroom, Confit Tomato                           | £22.00 |
| Choice of Sauce: Peppercorn sauce, Diane sauce, Béarnaise Sauce                            | £3.00  |

## SIDES

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| Seasonal Vegetables  | £3.00 |
| Hand Cut Chips       | £3.00 |
| Sweet Potato Fries   | £3.00 |
| Dressed Mixed Leaves | £3.00 |

## DESSERTS

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| Selection of Cheese, Chutney, Fig & Walnut Bread | £8.95 |
| Lemon Verbena Posset, Fruit Compote, Shortbread  | £7.00 |
| Vanilla Crème Brulee, Homemade Shortbread        | £7.75 |
| Chocolate Ganache, Blood Orange, Biscuit Crumb   | £7.00 |
| Cherry Bakewell with Clotted Cream               | £7.00 |
| Selection of Cheshire Farm Ice-Cream             | £6.95 |

*Inglewood Manor offers a traditional Sunday lunch served in the elegant surroundings of this magnificent country house.*

*The Brasserie at Inglewood Manor creates a special atmosphere to enjoy some fine food with family and friends. Our head chef devises an ever-changing three-course Sunday lunch menu based on the traditional favourites,*

**2 Course £17.95**

**3 Course £21.95**

Guests who have dinner included on their bedroom booking, have a £25 allowance per person from the Brasserie or Terrace menus (Unless you are on a Specific Package)

*Food allergies and intolerances: please inform your server before ordering if you have a food allergy or intolerance.  
All food is prepared in an area where allergens are present*

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## Our History

The Fox Family of Bankdale, 11 Dibbinsdale, Bromborough, Wirral consisted of Henry (head of the house), his wife Ellen and their three children, Ethel, Frederick and Ellen. Henry was an American Shipping Merchant and Ellen originally from South Carolina USA.

In July 1902, Henry's son Frederick Hynde Fox and bride Mary Ellen Young purchased a property on what was Badgersrake Turnpike Lane from Reginald William Uredale Corbett called Inglewood House (built circa 1860). The property, including fixtures and fittings (valued at the time at £2,500) cost a grand total of £7,500 and was purchased with the assistance of a mortgage of £5,000 from the Bank of Liverpool Ltd. At the time of the purchase the property was occupied by the Latham family.

Frederick, was a Liverpool marine insurance entrepreneur, as well as being appointed High Sheriff of Cheshire by his Majesty King George V in the City of Chester in 1915. The work to have Inglewood extended to its present size was completed in 1915, and the Fox family, their artist, stockbroker, servant and cook lived in the property. The old manor house consisted of 8 guest bedrooms, 5 bathrooms, and 4 reception rooms, as well as boasting the 38 acres of landscaped gardens.

The original estate was over 350 acres and stretched to the nearby village of Willaston. Frederick passed away in April 1939, which meant his son Henry (Harry) became the head of the family until his death in November 1963. When Henry passed away, joint auctioneers Henry Manley & Sons and Jackson-Stops & Staff auctioned off his portfolio of properties in July 1964 on behalf of his widow Marjorie Elspeth Fox and their two children David and Pamela.

These included Inglewood House, Hallwood Farm, Seidloom House Farm, The Duckery, Badgers Rake Covert and Land, New Oaks Cottage, Gardens and fish pond, Oaks Land and Buildings, Oaks Lodge and Cottage in Willaston Village

At the auction in 1964, Inglewood House and Hallwood Farm were purchased by R.Silcock & Sons Limited for £76,800 to be used as an Agricultural Training College for staff, managers and executives.

In September of 1971 R.Silcock & Sons sold Inglewood House and 38 acres of its gardens and grounds to Royal Insurance Limited for £54,000. After purchasing the property, the building was extended to create the Burton Room, our largest conference suite on the site of the old courtyard, which housed the laundry, ironing room and offices. They then altered the accommodation to create the 30 en-suite bedrooms.

Whilst under Royal Insurance ownership, selective function bookings were taken at weekends when the company did not need to use the facilities, but the property was generally closed to the public.

In October 1973 Royal Insurance built a two storey house in the middle of the estate called Buddy Newydd and in 1975 converted the milking parlour into the 'Club House'. This has subsequently been converted to offices. In November 1985 Inglewood became a listed building

In December 2003, Inglewood was purchased by three local businessmen for an undisclosed figure, as a personal venture and fully opened to the public in June 2004. The transition from conference centre to hotel began at this time.

Inglewood Manor now operates as a delightful country house hotel, with many of the original interiors as they were created by Frederick Fox in 1915. The room, which was known as the Oak Drawing room, is now the Executive Room, our main function suite. The beautifully carved oak panelling and crisply moulded floral and oak leaf ceiling still exist in their original state.

The Fox family dining room has retained its original function, and now offers visitors to Inglewood Manor an elegant restaurant in which to enjoy mouth-watering cuisine, created by our talented team of chefs.

The grounds and gardens also contain many outstanding features, some of which are individually mentioned on the Grade 2 listing.