



CAFÉ

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Food & Hot Drinks

MENU

Breakfasts served Mon-Fri 9am-12 noon  
Sat and Sun 9am-1pm

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## Rita's Full English Breakfasts

Small / Large

Rita's Full English <sup>EDGM Su</sup> £13 / £14

Crispy bacon. Poached eggs. Cheshire farm sausage. Crispy potato hash. Roasted cherry tomatoes. Heinz baked beans. Sauteed mushrooms. Black pudding. Served on Plattsville sourdough toast.

Rita's Veggie Breakfast (V) <sup>EDG Su</sup> £12 / £14

Grilled halloumi. Poached eggs. Crispy potato hash. Plant based sausage. Roasted cherry tomatoes. Heinz baked beans. Sauteed mushrooms. Served on Plattsville sourdough toast.

Rita's Vegan Breakfast (Ve) <sup>G M Su</sup> £12 / £13

Plant based sausage. Crispy potato hash. Spinach. Smashed avocado. Roasted cherry tomatoes. Heinz baked beans. Sauteed mushrooms. Served on Plattsville Sourdough toast.

Greens on Sourdough (Ve) <sup>G</sup> £12.50

Tenderstem broccoli. Kale. Spinach. Smashed avocado. Fresh lime. Chili flakes.

Salmon on Sourdough <sup>DGF</sup> £13.50

Scottish smoked salmon with cream cheese on Plattsville sourdough.

## Eggs

Served on Plattsville toast

Benedict £12

Crispy maple bacon. Poached eggs. Home-made hollandaise sauce.

Avocado £12

Smashed avocado. Poached eggs. Chilli flakes. Add grilled halloumi for £2.50

Garden Eggs £13

2 poached eggs. Tenderstem broccoli. Kale. Spinach. Fresh lime. Chili flakes.

Royale £14

Scottish smoked salmon. Poached eggs. Home-made hollandaise sauce.

Scrambled £8

Light and fluffy peppered scrambled eggs. Add parmesan £1.50 or Parma ham for £2.50

Please advise your server if you have any allergies as not all ingredients are listed.

## Breakfast Butties

Served in a toasted Plattsville bun

Builders Butty <sup>EDGM Su</sup> £10

Crispy bacon. Cheshire farm sausage. Fried egg. Crispy potato hash.

Rise & Shine (V) <sup>EDGM Su</sup> £9.50

Plant-based sausage. Fried egg. Crispy potato hash. Roasted cherry tomatoes.

Gala (Ve) <sup>G M</sup> £9.50

Plant-based sausage. Smashed Avocado. Sauteed mushrooms. Crispy potato hash.

The French Connection <sup>EDGM</sup> £11

French toast Plattsville bun with maple syrup drizzle. Crispy bacon. Cheshire farm sausages. Crispy potato hash.

## Pancakes

Stacked American style fluffy buttermilk pancakes

Sweet or Savoury <sup>(V) DGE</sup> £8

Served sweet with Canadian maple syrup and icing sugar. Savoury - add breakfast toppings including bacon and fried egg for £1.50 each.

Banoffee <sup>(V) DGE</sup> £10

Topped with banana, chocolate chips, toffee sauce and icing sugar.

Fruit Crumble <sup>(V) DGE</sup> £10

Infused seasonal fruits with a crumble topping served with maple sauce.



Photo: Mark McNulty

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## Fresh Sandwiches

Served on toasted Plattsville bread, with a side salad garnish & dressing.  
Add Rita's skin-on home-cooked chips or a bowl of soup for  
£3.00. Gluten free bread subject to availability

### Chicken & Bacon Club <sup>DEG</sup> £10

Triple stacked roast chicken and crispy bacon served with lettuce, tomato and mayonnaise.

### Classic B.L.T. <sup>EG</sup> £9

Crispy smoked bacon, fresh tomatoes, baby gem lettuce and mayonnaise.

### Fish Finger Butty <sup>GFE</sup> £9.75

Beer battered cod goujons, baby gem lettuce and home-made tartare sauce. Served with mushy peas.

### Veggie Club (V) <sup>G</sup> £9.50

Triple stacked grilled halloumi and smashed avocado with fresh tomato, lettuce and chilli flakes.

### Vegan Sausage Butty (Ve) <sup>G So</sup> £9

Plant-based sausages with red onion chutney.

### Tuna Mayo Melt <sup>GFE</sup> £9.50

Rita's home-made tuna mayonnaise topped with grilled cheddar cheese.

## Wraps

Served with side salad. Add Rita's skin-on home-cooked chips or soup of the day for £3.

### Chicken And Bacon <sup>G E Su</sup> £9.50

Chicken. Bacon. Mixed leaves. Spicy mayo.

### Hot Halloumi (V) <sup>G D E Su</sup> £9.50

Grilled halloumi. Roasted red peppers. Mixed leaves. Chilli. Garlic mayo.

### Garden Wrap (Ve) <sup>G Su</sup> £9

Tenderstem broccoli. Spinach. Kale. Sliced avocado. Houmous.

## Allergens & Dietary Requirements

(V) - Vegetarian	H - Halal	D - Dairy	L - Lupin
(Ve) - Vegan	M - Mustard	F - Fish	Su - Sulphites
G - Gluten	So - Soya	Cr - Crustacean	Pn - Peanuts
(GF) - Gluten Free	Se - Sesame	N - Nuts	E - Eggs
(GFA) - Gluten Free Available	Mo - Mollusc	C - Celery	* Available please ask

Please inform your server of any allergies or dietary requirements. Our kitchen handles nuts, gluten, and other allergens, so cross-contamination may occur despite our best efforts.

## Mains

### Rita's Beer Battered Fish & Chips <sup>G F E D Su</sup> £14

Crispy beer battered cod served with with seasonal vegetables and Rita's skin-on home-cooked chips, mushy peas & home-made tartare sauce. Served with Plattsville bread & butter.

### Beef Brisket and Guinness Pie <sup>D E G Su</sup> £14

Pulled beef brisket and potato served in a Guinness gravy with a delicious puff pastry lid served with seasonal vegetables and Rita's skin-on home-cooked chips.

### Chicken & Bacon Caesar Salad <sup>D G</sup> £13.50

Grilled chicken breast & crispy bacon served on fresh baby gem lettuce in a creamy Caesar dressing topped with shaved parmesan & home-made croutons.

### Halloumi Salad (V) <sup>D</sup> £12.50

Grilled halloumi tossed with mixed leaves with a sweet chilli dressing and fresh home-made salsa.

## Scouse

Scouse is a dish that's as famous as the city itself, and the reason that Liverpudlians are called 'Scousers.'

The word itself comes from lobscouse, a stew commonly eaten by sailors throughout northern Europe as far back as the 18th Century. The dish is believed to have been brought to Liverpool in various forms as part of the city's booming docks.

### Classic Scouse <sup>GFA D\* Su</sup> £12

Slow cooked British beef with potatoes, carrots, onions and celeriac in a rich red wine gravy served with home-made pickled red cabbage and Plattsville bread and butter.

### Blind Scouse (Ve) <sup>GFA Su</sup> £11

Vegan version of Rita's Classic Scouse. All of the love - none of the meat!

### Rita's Scouse Pie <sup>G Su</sup> £14

Traditional Scouse topped with delicious puff pastry lid served with seasonal vegetables and Rita's skin-on home-cooked chips.

### Rita's Blind Scouse Pie (V) <sup>G Su</sup> £13.50

Blind Scouse topped with delicious puff pastry lid served with seasonal vegetables and Rita's skin-on home-cooked chips.

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## Light Bites

**Soup of the Day (Ve)\*** <sup>(GF)\* D\*</sup> £6.50  
Rita's home-made vegetable soup served with Plattsville bread & butter.

**Chicken Strips** <sup>D EG</sup> £7  
Crispy chicken breast lightly seasoned. Served with a spicy mayonnaise.

**Fish Goujons** <sup>GFE</sup> £7  
Beer battered cod goujons served with home-made tartare sauce.

**Halloumi Fries (V)** <sup>D GE</sup> £8.50  
Beer battered halloumi fries served with home-made sriracha mayo.

**Salt & Pepper Chips (Ve)** <sup>D (V)</sup> £7  
Rita's chunky chips with peppers, onions and salt & pepper seasoning

**Cheesy Chips (V)** <sup>D</sup> £8.50  
A large portion of Rita's salt & pepper skin-on home-made chips, smothered with molten cheddar cheese.

**BBQ Chicken Loaded Chips** <sup>D</sup> £10  
Skin-on home-made chips, with fried chicken and BBQ sauce.

**Beef Brisket Chips** <sup>D Su</sup> £10  
Rita's chunky chips covered in pulled beef brisket, melted cheese and spicy jalapenos covered in a rich gravy

## Desserts

**Raspberry Frangipane Tart** <sup>(VE) (GF) N</sup> £6  
Served with berry coulis and vegan ice cream.

**Rita's Home-Made Sticky Toffee Pudding** <sup>(V) GED</sup> £6  
Topped with autumnal spiced caramel sauce. Served with vanilla ice cream.

**Double Chocolate Brownie** <sup>(V) GNED</sup> £6  
Served with vanilla ice cream.

**Rita's Seasonal Fruit Crumble** <sup>(V) GED</sup> £6  
Served with vanilla ice cream.

"Tabac was essential for getting a job, as my agent would telephone the cafe, as they knew I'd be there. The lovely Rita used to field calls from international agents, and I remember once told me I had a job in Monte Carlo!"

MARGI CLARKE

Photo: Mark McNulty

## Hot Drinks

Our coffee blend is 'Tabac espresso' - it is a modern take on a classic, with a deep, rich chocolatey body, pronounced toffee sweetness, a complex fruity edge, and a hint of bittersweet cocoa at the finish. Produced in Liverpool by Neighbourhood Coffee, the city's first speciality roasters.

Double Espresso	£2.90
Long Black	£3.10
Americano	£3.50
Macchiato	£3.30
Cortado	£3.30
Flat White	£3.50
Cappuccino	£3.70
Latte	£3.70
Chai Latte	£3.80
Mocha	£4.20
Hot Chocolate	£3.80

Milk alternatives are available. Please ask your server

Pot of English Breakfast Tea	£3
Pot of Decaf Breakfast Tea	£3
Pot of Earl Grey Tea	£3
Mint Tea	£3
Green Tea	£3
Fruit Teas (please ask)	£3

## Boozy Hot Drinks

Rita's Hot Toddy	£6.50
Irish Coffee	£6.50
Bailey's Hot Chocolate	£6
Bailey's Latte	£6
Gingerbread Hot Chocolate	£6
Peppermint Hot Chocolate	£6
Dirty Chai Latte	£6.25
Vanilla Latte Hot Chocolate	£6.50



Photo: Francesco Mellina

# *The Queen of Tabac*

## Remembering Rita

From trendy pop stars to artsy teens, burly builders and wannabe gangsters - Tabac in the 70s and 80's was a melting pot of backgrounds and cultures with Rita, the café's first owner, always keeping a watchful eye over all of the comings and goings.

A Liverpool institution since 1974 - Rita took immense pride in her 'little café at the top of the hill', where she ruled absolute. The Bold Street matriarch was known city-wide for her collection of fabulous hats, the crowning glory to off-set a floury pinny and marigolds.

**Her breakfasts were as legendary  
as her choice of headwear.**

Gliding like a galleon in full sail across the café floor - effortlessly glamorous at whatever time of day, Rita would tear a strip off anyone who dared to put their feet on the chairs, slapping their legs down - she'd make sure they'd never dream of doing it again.

Rita may not still be with us here at Tabac but her spirit lives on in the site, the team still care for the guests, welcome anyone and strongly believe a good cuppa can solve most problems... or maybe a punchy Bloody Mary!



Thank you for  
visiting today, Rita  
would want us to  
look after you x



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# Tabac Shaken...

## **The Occidental** £10.50

Espolon Blanco Tequila. Fresh Lime. Coriander. Jalapeno. Homemade Ginger and Jalapeno Syrup. Mint. Pineapple Juice.

## **The Voodoo Queen** £10.50

Blanco Rum. Fresh Blackberries. Almond Orgeat. Honey Water. Ginger Syrup. Fresh Lemon.

## **French 75** £10.00

Tanqueray Gin. Fresh Lemon. Luxardo Maraschino. Simple Syrup. Prosecco. Maraschino Cherry.

## **Mezcalita** £13.00

Verde Mezcal. Espolon Blanco Tequila. Almond Orgeat. Fresh Lime. House Aromatic Bitters. Smouldering Rosemary.

## **Tsarina** £10.50

Vodka, St Germain, Mixed Forest Berries, Fresh Lemon, Pomegranate Molasses. Prosecco

## **Paloma** £11.00

Espolon Blanco Tequila. Agave Nectar. Fresh Lime. Ruby Grapefruit Juice. Ting Grapefruit Soda.

## **Singapore Sling** £12.00

Cherry Heering Liqueur. Dom Benedictine. Tanqueray Gin. Fresh Lime. Grenadine. Pineapple Juice. House Aromatic Bitters.

## **Corpse Reviver No2** £10.00

Fresh Lemon. Tanqueray Gin. Lillet Blanc. Cointreau. Grande Absente. Maraschino Cherry.

## **Margarita** £10.50

- **Classic** - Fresh Lime. Espolon Tequila. Cointreau
  - **Tommy's** - Fresh Lime, Espolon Tequila. Agave Nectar.
- Have either standard or spicy.

## **Caipirinha** £10.00

Cachaca. Fresh Lime. Golden Sugar.  
Ask bar for weekly variations

## **Bees Knees** £10.00

Honey. Fresh Lemon. Tanqueray Gin.

## *Tabac Stirred...*

### **Old Fashioned**

Bourbon £11.00

Rittenhouse 100 Rye £14.00

Woodford Reserve Bourbon / Rittenhouse Rye. Maple Syrup. Golden Sugar. Orange Zest.

### **Martini** £12.00

Vodka or Gin. Dirty with a twist - or a Gobson with pickles! Aviation Gin or Ketel 1 Vodka. Dolin Dry Vermouth.

### **Manhattan**

Bourbon £12.00

Rittenhouse 100 Rye £14.00

Served Dry, Perfect or Sweet  
Woodford Reserve / Rittenhouse Rye. Carpano Antica Formula Vermouth. House Aromatic Bitters.

## *Tabac Sours...*

### **Cali Rock Sour** £10.50

Goslings Black Seal. Fresh Orange. Fresh Lime. Old J Spiced Rum. Cinnamon Syrup. Almond Orgeat. Egg White. Pimento Dram. House Aromatic Bitters.

### **Little Miss Beauregard** £10.00

Tanqueray Gin. Briottet Violette. Fresh Lemon. Simple Syrup. Egg White. Lemon Sherbet.

### **Whisky Sour** £12.00

Classic or New York Style (with a port wine float)  
Wild Turkey Bourbon. House Aromatic Bitters. Fresh Lemon. Simple Syrup. Egg White.

### **The Sicillian** £10.00

Luxardo Amaretto. Briottet Abricot. Fresh Lemon. Egg White. House Aromatic Bitters

### **Clover Club** £10.00

Tanqueray Gin. Fresh Lemon. Fresh Raspberries.  
Homemade Raspberry Syrup, Egg White

# Tabac Happy Hour

2 For £15  
From 3pm till 8pm every night

## Cosmopolitan £10.00

Vodka. Cointreau. Fresh Lime Juice. Cranberry Juice

## Breakfast Martini £10.00

Tanqueray Gin. Cointreau. Marmalade. Fresh Lemon

## Scouse & Stormy £10.50

Goslings Black Seal Rum. House Aromatic Bitters. Apple juice. Fresh Lime. Ginger Syrup. Black Walnut Bitters.

## Tabac Attack £10.00

Coconut Tequila. Melonade Liqueur. Fresh Lime. Passionfruit Puree. Pineapple Juice. Jalapeno with a homemade Tajin rim.

## Tabac Spritz £9.50

- Aperol
- Hugo
- Limoncello
- Lillet Rose
- Italicus Bergamot

All served with Prosecco and Soda and finished with the appropriate garnish.



## Non Alcoholic

**Spiced Apple Nojito** (inc in 2 for £15) £8.25

Fresh Lime. Apple Juice. Fresh Mint.  
Gingerbread Syrup. Ginger and Jalapeno  
Syrup. Ginger Beer.

**0% Bold Street** (inc in 2 for £15) £8.25

Green Tea. Pineapple Juice. White Peach  
Puree. Ginger Syrup. Fresh Lime, Passionfruit.

**0% Breakfast Martini** £8.50

Lyres London Dry Spirit. Lemon Juice.  
Marmalade.  
Apricot Preserve.

**Amaretti Sour** £8.75

Apricot Preserve. Lyres Amaretti. Egg White.  
Fresh Lemon. Simple Syrup.

**Rolling in Clover** £8.75

Mixed Woodland Berries. Fresh Lemon. Lyres  
Dry London Spirit. Raspberry Syrup. Egg White.  
Pomegranate molasses.

**0% Gin Serve** £8.75

Lyres Dry London Spirit. Tonic, Ruby Grapefruit.  
Rosemary.



## Red Wine

**Le Jardin Merlot** (Ve) Roussillon, France

125ml £5.30 • 175ml £6.65 • 250ml £8.00 • Bottle £22.50

**Inkosi Shiraz** Western Cape, South Africa

125ml £5.40 • 175ml £6.75 • 250ml £8.10 • Bottle £23.00

**Club De Campo Malbec** Mendoza, Argentina

125ml £5.60 • 175ml £7.10 • 250ml £9.15 • Bottle £27.00

## White Wine

**Pinot Grigio Primi Soli** Veneto, Italy

125ml £5.20 • 175ml £6.55 • 250ml £7.90 • Bottle £22.00

**Cloud Rock Sauvignon Blanc** (Ve) Maipo Valley, Chile

125ml £5.50 • 175ml £7.00 • 250ml £8.90 • Bottle £26.00

**Le Jardin Chardoney** (Ve) Vin de France

125ml £5.30 • 175ml £6.75 • 250ml £8.10 • Bottle £23.00

## Rosé

**White Zinfandel Rosé** California, USA

125ml £5.20 • 175ml £6.55 • 250ml £7.90 • Bottle £22.00

**Pinot Grigio Rosé Primi Soli** Veneto, Italy

125ml £5.20 • 175ml £6.55 • 250ml £7.90 • Bottle £22.00