

DON'T MISS... STRAWBERRY & CARAMEL CHOCOLATE CAKE • SPICY SLOW-COOKED LAMB • ONE-PAN ROAST CHICKEN • 10-MINUTE ICE CREAM

ON SALE 1-30 JUNE 2015 £4.10

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SIZZLING NEW BBQ MENU

From one of
London's hottest
young chefs

Doh la la!
Bistro-style
recipes in
minutes

All-new
vegetarian
Indian
ideas

Plus...

- Summer drinks special
- The dish that made Peter Gordon famous
- Lighter southern fried chicken

Courgetti spaghetti!

THE HEALTHY DISH EVERYONE'S GOING CRAZY FOR

QUICK-FIX SNACKS

Satisfaction in
the fast lane



SAVE 15% on
The Hemsley
Spiralizer
(see p69)

Bee
**better
cook**

- Step by step: gnocchi, flaky pastry
- Get it right: palmiers, beurre blanc, squid prep

hungry traveller.

Great summer escapes

Need a change of scenery? Whether your idea of the perfect break at this time of year involves being beside the sea, relaxing in a country pile or taking in stunning lakeside views, the delicious. team's top choices have it covered...»

DUNE ROAMING
The glorious
Camber Sands
in East Sussex

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Go retro by the beach at The Gallivant



THE GALLIVANT

Camber, East Sussex (thegallivant.co.uk)

CHOSEN BY KAREN BARNES, EDITOR

QUIRKINESS
FACTOR
★★★★



WHY IT'S GREAT NOW

The swanked-up former motel is a pebble's throw from Camber Sands, one of the best beaches in the country. All the better if you have a scruffy hound (dogs are welcome). I love the little touches: the morning 'recovery station', with ingredients for a hair-of-the-dog bloody mary; cake and tea on the side for everyone to help themselves to in the afternoons; the 'larder of guilty pleasures' for late-night snacking.

THE FOOD Chef Daniel Perjesi is passionate to the point of obsession about ingredients being 'hours-fresh' and local. The menu features complex-yet-light Rye Bay fish soup or crowd pleasers such as steak frites or crabcakes. Puddings range from indulgent sticky toffee pud to lighter yogurt pannacotta. The emphasis on

keeping things local even includes the sparkling wine – it's all English fizz. Impressive.

Breakfast is top-notch: fuel up for long beach walks with homemade waffles and fruit compote or The Full Gallivant with locally cured bacon.

THE ROOMS Neat but perfectly formed, with retro styling – lots of wood in muted coastal colours, simple bathrooms and comfy (though not large) beds. Many have private outdoor space – great for summer, although the beach will be calling you...

COST From £95 B&B; dinner around £35pp without wine (wine list is anything but run-of-the-mill).

SPECIAL OFFER To save 10% on the full B&B rate for stays 1 June to 30 August 2015, call 01797 225057, mentioning delicious.

THE PIG NEAR BATH

Pensford, Somerset (thepighotel.com/near-bath)

CHOSEN BY LESLIE DUNN, MANAGING EDITOR

COOLNESS
FACTOR
★★★★★



WHY IT'S GREAT NOW

The 22 acres of lush grounds at this studiously laid-back country house hotel are resplendent in summer, with kitchen gardens to explore and pizzas from the wood-fired oven to devour on the terrace. And of course, there's always the genteel savagery of croquet on the lawn, darling...

THE FOOD After a funky cocktail in the funky bar, grab a table for dinner in the conservatory and admire the artfully arranged crates of herbs. The Pig's own hens and quails supply eggs for the '25-mile menu' (only the Cornish fish cheats the rule) and its kitchen gardens provide goodies for 'literally picked this morning' items. Enjoyable fare includes Kentucky fried local rabbit, and, of course, lots of porky stuff: black pudding balls,

'hock eggs' and 'The Pig's extraordinary Bath chap' (crisp-skinned pig's cheek).

Breakfast (extra) is a winner: homemade granola, compotes and eggs for you to boil. Heftier options include eggs florentine and grilled kippers.

THE ROOMS They're on the chic side of shabby-chic, with ancient bare floorboards and bathrooms with walk-in monsoon showers lined with polished metro tiles. Your in-room 'larder' has snacks and a Nespresso machine.

COST Doubles from £149 room only. Breakfast £8-15pp. Dinner around £40pp for three courses and nibbles.

SPECIAL OFFER For Mon-Thu stays before the end of August 2015, mention delicious. when booking to receive a complimentary bottle of Nyetimber in your room.



The Pig offers a funky-up country house hotel vibe

