

# FESTIVE FANCY: AFTERNOON TEA AT WARWICK CASTLE

- \*New\* winter offering at Warwick Castle
- Available daily between 5<sup>th</sup> December 2020 and 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2021
  - (excl. Christmas Day)
  - Perfect festive treat for two



**16 October 2020:** This Christmas, treat family, friends or yourself to a very special afternoon tea as Warwick Castle offers festive fancies from the Conservatory Tea House as a brand new aspect of its winter offering.

Society hostess Daisy, Countess of Warwick, who lived at Warwick Castle from 1893 - 1924, was renowned for the events, including many afternoon teas, that she organised for high society. This Christmas, the Conservatory Tea House will be opening for the very first time over winter offering afternoon tea to Castle visitors, with seasonal decorations inspired by the beautiful birds in the Peacock Garden that it overlooks.

Enjoy a glass of spiced mulled wine as well as a choice of fine loose-leaf tea and a selection of Christmas-themed finger sandwiches (roast turkey and cranberry, Wiltshire ham and English mustard, classic cucumber, and creamy Cornish brie with sweet tomato chutney) along with succulent pigs-in-blankets with cranberry sauce. Sweet treats come in the form of traditional sultana scones, served with Cornish clotted cream and strawberry preserve, rich fruit cake and mince pies.

Christmas Afternoon Tea at the Castle is available for a limited time only, between 5th December 2020 to 3rd January 2021 (excluding Christmas Day), priced at £24.95 per person. Add some extra Christmas sparkle with a glass of Prosecco for £26.95 per person.

Full social distancing and additional measures are in place to ensure that guests can enjoy a safe and relaxing visit.

Please note that all customers must have a valid Castle Entry ticket to access The Conservatory Tea House.

Book online at <a href="https://www.warwick-castle.com/explore/castle/afternoon-tea/">https://www.warwick-castle.com/explore/castle/afternoon-tea/</a>

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### Note to editors

All tickets must be booked online in advance online.

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## Warwick Castle

Warwick Castle is easily accessible from Junction 15 of the M40, just 40 minutes from Birmingham and 1 hour 40 minutes from London. Warwick Castle is easy to reach by train from London Marylebone in only 86 minutes. The Castle, set in 64 acres of grounds designed by Capability Brown, rests on the banks of the River Avon at the heart of historic Warwick.

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