

# Little River Guest House Sample Dinner Menus

Here are some examples of the evening meals you can expect at Little River Guest House. Towards the bottom are some sample vegetarian meals.

We are more than happy to cater for vegetarians and vegans as well as cater for food allergies and intolerances, but please could you let us know before you arrive!

Evening meals cost 30 Levs per person. Please bring your own wine, beer, and / or spirits. A selection of soft drinks are provided.

# Sample Menus:

#### Starter

Salad of finely shredded white cabbage, apples, chickpeas, dill, capers, lemon zest and juice, and olive oil.

#### Main

Chicken thighs cooked with quick preserved lemons, cumin, paprika, garlic, parsley lemon juice and olive oil

Relish of walnuts, parsley, garlic, olive oil and lemon juice

Salad of chargrilled courgettes and aubergines, roasted cherry tomatoes, basil and garlic oil and preserved lemons

Basmati rice with slow cooked buttery onions and garlic with toasted pine nuts

#### Dessert

Spiced apple pudding cake made with ground almonds and served with vanilla cream

#### Starter

Salad of cherry tomatoes, cucumbers, red onion, mint, dill, lemon juice, lemon zest, garlic, green chilli and olive oil

Main

Pork and beef Kofta with onion, garlic, dill, parsley, mint, grated apple, cumin, allspice, cinnamon and mild chilli flakes

Tahini, lemon and garlic sauce

Chargrilled broccoli, flavoured with crispy garlic, chilli flakes and lemon zest topped with roughly chopped walnuts

Rice, lentils and caramelised onions flavoured with cinnamon and allspice

#### Dessert

Lemon and poppy seed cake with lemon syrup and soured cream

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#### Starter

Fennel and orange salad with dates, mixed leaves, lemon juice, olive oil, cinnamon and toasted fennel seeds

#### Main

Chicken thighs cooked until sticky, with orange marmalade, thyme, cinnamon, cumin and chilli

Bulgur, apricot, toasted pistachio, mint, parsley, orange juice, zest and blossom water, and lemon juice

Green tahini sauce

Cucumbers pickled with mustard, bay, garlic and dill

## Dessert

Zingy, light, individual orange and lemon puddings topped with zest and pistachios

#### Salad

Slaw with red onion marinated in apple vinegar, sugar and salt; white cabbage, carrot, sharp crispy apples, and toasted fennel seeds

#### Main

Roasted pork fillet, rolled in ground fennel seeds, black pepper and star anise Apple, fennel and dried cranberry chutney with coriander seeds, star anise and chilli Rice with slow cooked onions and garlic and roughly ground coriander seeds and dill Cucumbers pickled in mustard, bay, garlic and dill

#### Dessert

Hazelnut and orange cake served with cream and spiced orange syrup

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#### Salad

Tomato and pomegranate salad with cumin, sumac and pomegranate molasses

Slow cooked pork belly shawarma – ginger, garlic, lemon juice, oil, cumin, coriander, fennel seeds, star anise, cloves, cinnamon, cardamom, paprika and sumac Rice with spiced chickpeas, crispy onions, dill and parsley Fried aubergine slices
Seasoned yoghurt with garlic and olive oil Pickled chilli's

#### Dessert

Plum and vanilla cake served with soured cream

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# Salad

Cherry tomato, cucumber, red pepper, radish, orange, toasted pine nut and caper salad, with harissa, garlic, lemon juice and zest, pomegranate molasses and olive oil

#### Main

Chicken thighs with sumac, garlic, tomato paste and chilli

Bulgur, walnuts, roasted peppers, tomato paste, garlic, spring onions, paprika, mint, dill and parsley

Chargrilled aubergines, onions, and peppers with garlic, parsley, cider vinegar and olive oil

#### Dessert

Bitter orange and dark chocolate pudding cake with orange syrup and soured cream ===

# Salad

Crunchy red cabbage salad with sliced onion, dates, orange, feta, mint and chilli

#### Main

Pork ribs or belly, slow cooked with tamarind and orange Rice, lentils and caramelised onions Crushed carrots with harissa and pistachios Pickled cauliflower with turmeric, mustard, bay, chilli and cumin

#### Dessert

Chocolate and spiced dried fruit brownies

# Salad

Avocado and pink grapefruit salad with pomegranate molasses and roughly chopped walnuts

#### Main

Herby, spicy and sweet blackened roasted chicken Rice with lime zest and juice, coriander and black mustard seeds Fried aubergines with homemade harissa, honey, toasted sesame, spring onions and nigella

Chargrilled red cabbage on smoky tomato sauce topped with green tahini sauce

#### Dessert

Chocolate, almond, vanilla and pear cake served with soured cream

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#### Salad

Chargrilled courgette, mint, pine nut and sumac salad

#### Main

Roasted pork fillet rolled in sumac, roasted ground cumin and chilli Pomegranate molasses and honey sauce

Rice cooked with onion garlic and lemon zest, with chopped walnuts and parsley Babaghanoush with tahini, lemon juice, cumin, paprika and pink peppercorns Roasted cherry tomatoes with, onion, basil, garlic, sumac and sultanas

#### Dessert

Chocolate and Raspberry cake

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# Salad

Shredded Brussels Sprout salad with chickpeas, garlic, lemon juice, lemon zest, parsley and capers

#### Main

Pork and beef meatballs flavoured with dried apricots, fennel, parsley, nigella and onion Preserved lemon and mint relish

Rice with slow cooked onions and garlic, roughly ground coriander seeds and dill Sliced roasted fennel bulbs with lemon zest and topped with roasted cherry tomatoes with roasted fennel seeds

#### Dessert

Chocolate and apricot tart

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#### Salad

Caramelised onion, wilted spinach and saffron spiked sultanas in Greek yoghurt

#### Main

Grilled crispy pork belly encrusted with roasted fennel, cumin, coriander and dried pomegranate powder with cinnamon, ginger and chilli, topped with roasted cherry tomatoes with toasted fennel seeds

Cabbage cooked in cumin, coriander, nigella, mustard seeds, chilli, butter and yoghurt Roasted new potatoes with cumin, lemon zest, chilli, crispy garlic and mint

Dessert

Orange Baklava

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Salad

Fatoush with tomatoes, little gem, feta, pomegranate seeds, zatar and crispy flat breads

Main

Chicken thighs marinated in lemon, garlic, thyme and zatar Cannellini beans, lemon, feta, cumin, roasted garlic and zatar Dill marinated, fried crispy cucumbers with nigella Yoghurt with dill and green chilli

Dessert

Apricot and vanilla cake

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Salad

Pickled cucumbers

Chargrilled chicken thighs with Cumin, salt, sweet paprika and smoked paprika Pistachio and orange blossom sauce with mint, garlic, parsley, lemon and olive oil Saffron rice flavoured with cinnamon, cardamom and black peppercorns and served with crispy onions

Tomato, cucumber, and red onion salad with garlic, mint, green chilli, and dill Green tahini sauce

Dessert

Cardamom and rosewater ice cream with tuile biscuits

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# Vegetarian

Salad

Cherry tomato, cucumber, red pepper, radish, orange, toasted pine nut and caper salad, with harissa, garlic, lemon juice and zest, pomegranate molasses and olive oil

Main

Puff pastry stuffed with cream cheese, kashkaval, grated mozzarella, garlic dill and egg, with a spiced edge of mustard, caraway, nigella, sesame and nigella
Tabouleh with apricots, pistachios, mint, parsley orange juice and zest and blossom water

Chargrilled broccoli with white beans in a tahini, lemon and garlic dressing with jammy eggs and toasted sesame

Green tahini sauce

Dessert

Hazelnut and orange cake

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# Salad

Avocado and pink grapefruit salad with pomegranate molasses and roughly chopped walnuts

# Main

Beetroot, carrot, potato and parsnip fritters with spring onion, cumin, coriander and chilli flakes

Spiced tamarind and date syrup sauce

Cauliflower roasted with ginger, cinnamon and cumin, with lentils, toasted flaked almonds, dates and tahini, lemon and garlic dressing

Harissa roasted whole carrots on humus, topped with shredded mint and pomegranate seeds

#### Dessert

Chocolate and Apricot tart with soured cream

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# Salad

Roasted aubergine with mashed garlic, mixed pepper, red onion, cherry tomato salad with parsley and mint

#### Main

Kofta of mushrooms, onion, garlic, parsley, oats egg and breadcrumbs (or chargrilled chicken) encrusted with roughly ground coriander seeds, fenugreek, paprika, nigella and chilli flakes served on garlicy humus with cumin and paprika

Lemony fried aubergine slices

Yoghurt, garlic, olive oil

Roasted new potatoes with cumin, lemon zest, chilli, crispy garlic and mint Pickled chilli's

#### Dessert

Pear, almond and chocolate cake with soured cream

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#### Salad

Chargrilled courgettes with mint, sumac and toasted pine nuts

#### Main

Fennel, togsted fennel seed, dill and feta fritters topped with rogsted tomatoes with togsted fennel seeds
Relish of walnuts, parsley, garlic, olive oil and lemon juice
Cannellini beans, lemon, feta, cumin, and zatar
Dill marinated, fried crispy cucumbers with nigella
Yoghurt with dill and green chilli

#### Dessert

Lemon ice cream and tuile bicuits

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# Salad

Beetroot, yoghurt, garlic, olive oil, red wine vinegar, dill, walnuts, feta, and nigella

#### Main

Layered pie with mushrooms and onions flavoured with cumin and cinnamon, with a cream and feta cheese bottom layer and soured cream pastry.

Roasted beetroot, plum and walnut salad flavoured with red wine vinegar, chubritsa, honey and rose water

Chargrilled broccoli with crispy garlic, chilli and preserved lemon

## Dessert

Zingy, light, individual orange and lemon puddings topped with zest and pistachios

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