The Bog
Irish Bar
Menu
Open from 11.30am till late
The Bog began its legendary history as the home of the Irish in Christchurch in February 1999 at 82 Cashel Street on the site of the Fail’s Café; New Zealand’s oldest and much loved seafood restaurant. The Bog quickly became the place known for its live traditional Irish music, hearty food and the best Guinness and Kilkenny in town!

A solid base of locals quickly formed and the 100 Pint Board was born – for every pint of Guinness consumed a stamp was collected and once a punter had collected their 100th stamp their name went up on the board, with some locals completing this multiple times.

From there the 17 /17 club was created, the members on the 100 Pint Board would meet on the 17th day at 17 minutes past the 17th hour of each month where they would share a pint – plenty of great banter has been heard over the years!

In October 2008 The Bog opened its second location in Dunedin on the corner of George and London Streets, formerly the Royal Albert Hotel built in 1880. This historic building’s interior has been fully refurbished to become the most traditional and welcoming Irish pub in Dunedin while the exterior, apart from a few paint jobs over the years has remained untouched.

The Bog Dunedin is popular with a solid base of locals, the older students in town, sports teams and the visiting Cantabrians who come down to watch the Crusaders take on the Highlanders.

In February 2011 The Bog in Cashel Street shut its doors after a devastating 6.3 magnitude earthquake that hit the city. In March 2014 The Bog proudly reopened its doors again in Christchurch in its current location on Victoria Street where it quickly regained its title as the best Irish pub in Christchurch.

The 100 Pint Boards were saved from the Cashel Street location and have been rehung in the new Bog with names still being added as new punters complete their 100 pints, 17 / 17 has been relaunched and live Irish music can often be heard including the original Irish Jam Session, Jammin’ with the Jameson on a Tuesday night and The Black Velvet Band most weekends.
ENTRÉES

Available from 11.30am.

**Garlic Bread or Herb Bread** $12
Whole loaf with lashings of garlic or herb butter.
Add Cheese $3.

**Soup of the Day** $12
Ask your friendly wait staff for the soup of the day.
Served with toasted sourdough.

**Crispy Chicken** $15
Marinated chicken pieces tossed in our spice mix and served with salad and chipotle mayonnaise.

**Prawn Twisters** $12
Served with sweet chilli sauce.

**Salt & Pepper Calamari** $15
Fried calamari rings in panko crust served with salad & garlic aioli.

Vegetarian

Gluten Free option available on request.

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FULL IRISH BREAKFAST $26 With a pint $34
Bacon, sausage, hash brown, black pudding, baked beans and two eggs how you like them. Served with fresh toast.

JJ’S BANGERS AND MASH GF $24
Pork cumberland sausages served on mashed potato with caramelised onions, peas and gravy.

TRADITIONAL IRISH STEW GF $24.5
Tender lamb pieces with celery, onions, carrots, potatoes, pearl barley and herbs cooked in a rich broth served with toasted sourdough.

LAMB SHANK GF Single $26 Double $34
Slow braised lamb shank served on creamy mashed potato with caramelised onions.

PETES CASHEL MELT $22.5
Your choice of chicken or sirloin steak, served on grilled sourdough bread, topped with grilled cheese, caramelised onions, tomato sauce and aioli. Served with a side of fries.

SEAFOOD CHOWDER $16.5
Hearty chowder packed full of tender seafood served with fresh toasted sourdough.

BACON, CABBAGE AND MASH $26
Bacon slices served on creamy mashed potato with steamed herb cabbage and white parsley sauce.

BEEF AND GUINNESS HOT POT $24.5
Beef slowly braised in a rich Guinness gravy, topped with puff pastry then oven baked and served with champ. Truly a Bog favourite.

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Mains

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Famous Bog Roast $25
Roast of the day. Served with roast vegetables, steamed greens and traditional accompaniment.

The Bog Burger $24
Your choice of homemade beef patty, crumbed chicken breast or falafel patty on a flour bap with grilled cheese, lettuce, tomato and mayonnaise. Served with fries.

Fish n Chips $28.5
Beer battered or pan-fried fish, served with fries and salad or potato and vegetables and tartare sauce.

Ribeye Steak $34.5
250g Ribeye steak, cooked to your liking, served with herb roasted potatoes, steamed vegetables and your choice of garlic butter, mushroom or pepper sauce.

Rump Steak $31.5
250g Rump steak, cooked to your liking, served with herb roasted potatoes and steamed vegetables or fries and salad. Choose either garlic butter, mushroom or pepper sauce as an accompaniment.

Nachos $18
Corn chips topped with mince, chilli bean and tomato mix and finished with jalapeños, salsa, sour cream and lots of cheese. Vegetarian option available.

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CAESAR SALAD  $18.5
Fresh lettuce with crispy bacon, croutons and parmesan cheese dressed in our in-house caesar mayo, topped with a poached egg.
Add chicken $4
Add anchovy .50

CAJUN CHICKEN OPEN SANDWICH  $19.5
Cajun chicken pieces served on grilled focaccia with lettuce, caramelised onion, Spanish tomato and a roast capsicum mayonnaise. Served with fries.

BOG BURGER SLIDERS  $22
Our Bog burger miniaturised into 3 delicious sliders!
Mini Brioche buns with beef patty, lettuce, tomato, cheese and mayo, served with fries.

RIBS  Half kg $21 Full kg $35
Marinated slow cooked sticky pork ribs, served on fresh salad with chips.

SCHNITZEL  $22
Panko crumbed chicken schnitzel served with fries and salad or potato and vegetables. Choice of sauce; mushroom, gravy, pepper, garlic butter.

SIDES
Seasonal Green Salad $5
Seasonal Vegetables $6
Fries $6
Champ $5
Egg $2

SAUCES
Garlic butter $3
Mushroom sauce
Pepper sauce
House gravy

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Kids Menu $15
Available from 11.30am.

Includes a soft drink and a scoop of ice cream with your choice of topping, chocolate, strawberry or caramel and sprinkles.

Fish n Chips
Battered or pan-fried fish served with chips, salad and tomato sauce.

Kid’s Bangers
A pork sausage served on chips with gravy.

Chicken Tenders
Crumbed chicken tenders, served with fries and salad.

Kid’s Mac n Cheese
Macaroni with cheese sauce and bacon bits.

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DESSERT
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**Sticky Date Pudding** $12
Delicious warm sticky date pudding served with a butterscotch caramel sauce and vanilla ice cream.

**Chocolate Brownie** $12
Decadent chocolate brownie served with vanilla ice cream, berry coulis and chocolate sauce.

**Irish Crème Brûlée (GF)** $12
A smooth Bailey’s custard with a cracking caramelised top.

**Dessert of the Day** $12
Chef’s dessert creation of the day, ask our friendly staff for what today’s dessert is.

**Ice Cream Sundae** $12
Vanilla ice cream served with whipped cream, sprinkles and your choice of caramel, berry or chocolate sauce.

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