



## IAN GOMES

WE ARE DELIGHTED TO PRESENT THE RITZ RESIDENT PIANIST

The son of a celebrated concert violinist, Ian Gomes developed a love for the piano as a child and began his career as a classical pianist before graduating to popular music.

Extending his talent across the musical spectrum, Ian formed a successful rock band called 'The Kings' and worked with such musical luminaries as Frank Sinatra before taking up his position as resident pianist, firstly at The Savoy and since 1995, at The Ritz.

Ian Gomes is the master of the international language of the piano. He is renowned for playing frequently requested songs and melodies from every country across the globe. Today he can be heard playing during Afternoon Tea in The Palm Court, and during dinner in the Michelin-starred Ritz Restaurant. He is noted for his popular renditions of 'Puttin' on The Ritz' and 'A Nightingale Sang in Berkeley Square' which have become traditional favourites.

# *Afternoon Tea*



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## TEAS



**THE RITZ ROYAL ENGLISH**  
The Ritz own Breakfast Tea.  
An exquisite blend of Golden Kenyan,  
Assam and Orange Pekoe

**DARJEELING SECOND FLUSH**  
The Champagne of Teas,  
from the Himalayan foothills,  
Singell Estate, India

**ASSAM TIPPY ORTHODOX**  
Full-Body Black Tea from the  
Assam plains, Northern India

**CEYLON ORANGE PEKOE**  
Whole leaf Black Tea from  
Nuwara Eliya, Sri Lanka

**OO LONG FORMOSA**  
Semi-fermented Tea from  
Wen Shan forest, Taipei, Taiwan.

**RUSSIAN CARAVAN**  
A classic blend of Oolong Bao Zhong  
and Darjeeling Second Flush

**EARL GREY IMPERIAL**  
A legendary blend of  
Chinese Black Tea from Yunnan  
and the finest Bergamot

**ROSE CONGOU**  
Black Tea from Guangdong, China  
enriched with Rose Petals

**LAPSANG SOUCHONG**  
Black Tea from Fujian China,  
traditionally smoked over pine fires

**MOROCCAN MINT**  
The Tea of the Desert,  
a blend of Gunpowder Green Tea  
and Spearmint

**DRAGON PEARLS**  
A Chinese Green Tea from Guanxi,  
scented with Jasmine Blossoms

**MAO JIAN**  
Chinese Green Tea from Zhejiang,  
hand twisted, refreshing, and elegant

**THE RITZ CHAI**  
The Ritz blend of Chai Masala Spices  
crafted in House with the  
fine leaves of Assam

**PASSION FRUIT AND ORANGE**  
Apple, Hibiscus and Orange Peel  
blended with Passion Fruit

**LEMON VERBENA**  
Dry whole Verbena leaves,  
the ultimate digestif

**CAMOMILE FLOWERS**  
A calming and delicate infusion of  
Camomile Flowers from Egypt

**ROOIBOS RED TEA**  
Caffeine free, rich in Vitamin C,  
Mineral Salts and Antioxidants

**CHOCOLATE MINT ROOIBOS**  
Fine Organic Rooibos Tea blended  
with Spearmint and a hint of Chocolate

Alternatively, Ritz Filter Coffee is also available upon request

## AFTERNOON TEA



### SANDWICHES

Ham with Grain Mustard Mayonnaise on Brioche Bread  
Cheddar Cheese with Chutney on Tomato Bread  
Cucumber with Cream Cheese, Dill and Mint on Granary Bread  
Breast of Chicken with Tarragon Creamed Mayonnaise on Malt Bread  
Scottish Smoked Salmon with Lemon Butter on Sourdough Bread  
Egg Mayonnaise with Chopped Shallots and Watercress on Brioche Roll



### SCONES AND PASTRIES

Freshly Baked Plain and Fruit Scones  
Cornish Clotted Cream and Strawberry Preserve  
Assortment of Seasonal Afternoon Tea Pastries and Cakes



### TRADITIONAL AFTERNOON TEA

£67 per person



### CHAMPAGNE AFTERNOON TEA

Including a glass of  
Barons de Rothschild, "Réserve Ritz", Brut NV £89 per person  
Barons de Rothschild, "Réserve Ritz", Rosé NV £92 per person  
Barons de Rothschild, "Réserve Ritz", Blanc de Blanc NV £94 per person

### CHAMPAGNE BY THE GLASS 150ml

Barons de Rothschild, "Réserve Ritz", Brut NV £22  
Barons de Rothschild, "Réserve Ritz", Rosé NV £25  
Barons de Rothschild, "Réserve Ritz", Blanc de Blanc NV £27

Should you have any dietary requirements, our allergen menu is available upon request  
Please note that Celebration Cakes must be ordered 48 hours in advance