



THE  
DROPPING WELL  
*Est. 1847*



— EVENING MENU —

**Allergy Note:** Our restaurant prepares and serves products that contain peanuts, tree nuts, wheat, soy, milk, egg and fish. To ensure our guests' safety, we cannot guarantee any of our products are free of these allergens. If you suffer from an intolerance or allergy, please ask your server for a full list of allergens used.



To mark the 60th year since Bill Chawke first opened the doors of Bill Chawke's Pub in Adare, we are proud to honour him & the legacy within the Irish Pub trade that he started in 1959, by announcing the introduction of our first exclusive beer!

Bill Chawke's Legacy Lager is a crisp, refreshing, great-tasting lager, with light hops, & malt notes.

It's 4.3 % abv & Gluten-free.

Available now throughout the Chawke Pub Group.

Cheers Bill!



On the 2nd January 1940, Lena Chawke inherited Chawkes pub of Adare from her Mother Nora Chawke, while her brother Bill inherited the family farm. Bill, later bought Doyle's pub of Adare, now known as Bill Chawkes bar.

Aunty Lena's Pale Ale is a great tasting ale with some citrus fruit notes. it's not as heavy as some traditional ales which makes it more sessionable. It's certainly not lacking in flavour however.

It's 5.0 % abv

Available now throughout the Chawke Pub Group.

Cheers Lena!



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## Our History



Long before The Dropping Well was established, Milltown was home to a thriving silk industry, two corn mills, an iron mill, a paper mill and a sawmill which was located at Classon's Bridge on the site of the Dropping Well pub. In the late 18th Century John Classon started his own milling business at this site beside the river Dodder, he later built a bridge across the river from granite stone lifted from the Dodder bed to aid transport to and from his business, Classon's Bridge still bears his name to this day.

Since first licensed in 1847 the Dropping Well has enjoyed eight ownerships:

Mr & Mrs John Howe, Miss Williams, Joseph Brownrigg, John Maher, Edward Daly, P.H. Meagher, The Cleary Family and the current owner Charlie Chawke, we know some of this great establishment's history...



*Charlie Chawke*

**Breakfast:**

Monday-Friday:  
Saturday & Sunday:

**Lunch:**

Monday-Friday:

**À La Carte Menu:**

Monday-Friday:  
Saturday:  
Sunday & Bank Holidays:

**100% of tips go to our hard working staff, serving you today**

# WELCOME TO DINNER AT THE DROPPING WELL

We source local produce where possible and our beef is 100% Irish.

Service charge is not included; gratuities are at your discretion

IT MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE TO SPLIT LARGE BILLS DURING BUSY PERIODS  
12.5% SERVICE CHARGE APPLIES TO GROUPS OF 8 OR MORE

## STARTER SELECTION

### WILD ATLANTIC GAMBAS & NDUJA PIL PIL €16.00

Sizzling Atlantic Gambas, Spicy Nduja, Garlic & Chilli Oil, Garlic Sourdough  
[1(A), 2, 12]

### BEEF & GUINNESS CROQUETTES €14.00

Panko Crusted Braised Beef Short Rib, Traditional Beef & Guinness Stew,  
Sun Blushed Tomato Mayonnaise  
[1(A&C), 3, 7, 9, 10, 12]

### DW'S GLIN VALLEY CRISPY CHICKEN WINGS €16.00

Choose from Honey & Hot Sauce or Smokey BBQ Sauce. Served with Celery,  
and a Cashel Blue & Mint Aioli.  
[1(A), 3, 7, 9, 10]

### SEAFOOD CHOWDER €15.50

Daily Fresh & Natural Smoked Fish, Lissadell Bay Cockles,  
Roaring Water Bay Mussels & Prawns, Dill & Scallions,  
and Served with Homemade Guinness & Black Treacle Bread.  
[1 (A&C&D), 2, 3, 4, 7, 9, 12, 14]

### BURRATA BRUSCHETTA €14.00

Toasted Sourdough, Burrata, Cherry Tomatoes, Basil  
[1(A), 7]

### PAN SEARED KILKEEL SCALLOPS €18.00

Bacon Lardons, Malt Vinegar Emulsion, Parsley Panko  
[1(A), 7, 12, 14]

## SALADS

### GREEN AVOCADO SALAD €14.00

Avocado, Sundried Tomatoes, Croutons, Pine Kernels, Parmesan Cheese,  
Mixed Leaves & Pesto Dressing. [1 (A), 7, 8(PINENUTS), 12]

### THE DROPPING WELL'S CAESAR SALAD €14.00

Garlic & Herb Sourdough Croutons, Crisp Pancetta, Baby Gem,  
Aged Parmesan and a Creamy Caesar Dressing  
[1(A), 3, 4, 7, 10, 12]

### BEETROOT & GOATS CHEESE SALAD €14.00

Rocket, Kale, Smoked Almonds, Pear, Radish Frisee, Cherry Tomatoes,  
Cherry & White Balsamic Dressing.  
[7, 8(A), 12]

#### ADD PROTEIN:

Lemon & Thyme Roasted Chicken €4.50

Mediterranean Falafel €4.00

Chargrilled Chilli & Garlic Prawns 3 €6.00

## THE WELLS' SIDES

FRIES €5.50	PARMESAN TRUFFLE FRIES, TRUFFLE AIOLI €7.00
IRISH BUTTER MASH €5.50	[3, 7, 10]
[7]	CRISPY CAJUN SPICED ONION RINGS €5.00
SIDE SALAD WITH ROCKET, PARMESAN & BALSAMIC €5.50	[1(A), 7]
[7, 12]	HONEY ROAST ROOT VEGETABLES €5.50

#### ALLERGENS

1. Gluten (1A)Wheat (1B)Rye (1C)Barley (1D)Oats • 2. Crustaceans • 3. Eggs • 4. Fish • 5. Peanuts 6. Soy •  
7. Milk • 8. Nuts (8A)Almonds (8B)Hazelnuts (8C)Walnuts (8D)Cashew (8E)Pecan (8F)Brazil (8G)Pistachio  
(8H)Macadamia 9. Celery • 10. Mustard 11. • Sesame 12. Sulphites • 13. Lupin • 14. Molluscs

## FROM THE GRILL

### **HIMALAYAN SALT RUBBED 10oz RIB-EYE STEAK** €39.00

JJ Young & Sons Rib-eye Steak, Shoestring Onions, Buttered Green Beans, Chunky Fries, and Choice of Creamy Peppercorn Sauce or Café de Paris Butter

**Add Chargrilled & Garlic Prawns (2) +€6**

[1 (A), 7, 9, 10, 12]

### **8oz BLACK ANGUS FILLET STEAK** €42.00

JJ Young & Sons Fillet Steak, Shoestring Onions, Buttered Green Beans, Chunky Fries, and Choice of Creamy Peppercorn Sauce or Café de Paris Butter

**Add Chargrilled & Garlic Prawns (2) +€6**

[1(A), 7, 9, 10, 12]

### **SKEAGHANORE IRISH DUCK BREAST** €36.00

Potato Fondant, Sweet Potato Purée, Shallots, Baby Carrots Purée, Black Cherry, Micro Herbs

[7, 12]

### **DW HALF POUND HEREFORD BEEF BURGER** €19.50

Grilled Double Dry-Aged Patti, Melted Smoked Applewood Cheddar, Streaky Rasher, Crisp Lettuce, Sliced Tomato, Caramelised Red Onion & Pickle, on a Toasted Brioche Bun. Served with Fries.

[1(A), 3, 7, 10, 12]

## FROM THE SEA

### **PAN SEARED FILLET OF HALIBUT** €36.00

Wild Atlantic Halibut, Crushed Baby Potatoes, Creamed Leeks, Kilmore Quay Mussels, Mussel Velouté, Herb Oil

[4, 7, 12, 14]

### **TRADITIONAL KILMORE QUAY COD & CHIPS** €22.50

Crispy Bill Chawke's Legacy Lager Batter, with a Homemade Tartare Sauce, Garden Pea Puree & Lemon Wedge

[1(A), 3, 4, 7, 10, 12]

### **IRISH SEAFOOD PASTA** €26.00

Tagliatelle Pasta, Roaring Bay Mussels, Clams, Wild Atlantic Prawns, Parmesan, Rocket & Prawn Bisque.

[1(A), 2, 3, 4, 7, 9, 12, 14]

## HOUSE SPECIALS

### **HERB ROASTED CORN FED CHICKEN SUPREME** €24.50

With Gubbeen Chorizo Bon Bon, Carrot Puree, Kale, Roasted Shallot & Baby Carrots, Roasting Juices.

[1(A), 3, 7, 9, 12]

### **SMOKED STRACCIATELLA GNOCCHI** €23.50

Smoked Stracciatella, Roasted Tomato, Aged Parmesan, Basil Herb Oil.

[1(A), 3, 7, 6, 9, 10]

### **THE WELL'S STIR FRY** €18.50

Stir Fried Vegetables Tossed in House Ginger & Oyster Sauce Served with Rice or Noodles

**Add Chicken €4 Add Prawns (2) €6**

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## DESSERTS

### WARM STICKY TOFFEE PUDDING €9.00

Salted Caramel Sauce, Vanilla Ice Cream

[1(A), 3, 7]

### SWEET BRIOCHE BREAD & BUTTER PUDDING €9.00

Layered with Fresh Strawberry Compote, Vanilla Custard,  
& served with Honeycomb Ice-Cream.

[1(A), 3, 7]

### WARM CARAMELISED SPICED APPLE CRUMBLE €9.00

Served with Vanilla Ice-Cream

[1(A), 3, 7, 12]

### BISCOFF CHEESECAKE €9.00

Served with Vanilla Ice Cream.

[1(A), 3, 7]

### BAILEYS TIRAMISU €9.00

Classic Homemade Baileys Tiramisu made with Coffee & Mascarpone Cream

[1(A), 3, 7]

### TIRAMISU COCKTAIL €14.00

Amaretto, Kahlua, Baileys, Coldbrew Espresso, Vanilla Syrup, Fresh Cream

[7, 8(A)]

## HOT BEVERAGES

### BREAKFAST TEA €3.80

### HERBAL TEAS & INFUSIONS €3.80

Please Ask about our selection of herbal teas and infusions

### COFFEE

Café Americano €3.80

Café Latte €4.00

Cappuccino €4.00

Flat White €3.90

Café Mocha €3.90

Decaf Coffee €3.60

Espresso €3.20

Double Espresso €3.60

### HOT CHOCOLATE

Hot Chocolate 7 €4.00

### AFTER DINNER DRINKS

Teeling Small Batch Irish Coffee €8.50

Baileys Coffee €8.50

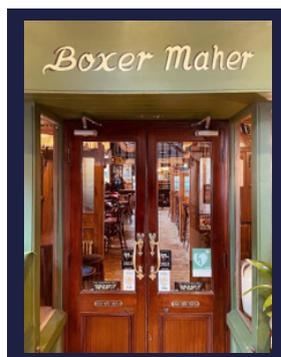
French Coffee €8.50

Espresso Martini €13.50

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## LIVE MUSIC

# LIVE MUSIC EVERY SATURDAY IN BOXER MAHER'S



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## PRIVATE FUNCTIONS

Are you planning a party, meeting, corporate or family event?

The Dropping Well can help!

With our extensive bar & restaurant area we can cater for parties & functions of all shapes and sizes. We have a great range of menu options to suit both your budget and your guest's requirements.

We can provide formal sit down meals, canapés and party platters - whatever you need we will endeavor to cater for all your needs.

Talk to a member of our team today, they're waiting to help plan your perfect party!





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THE CHAWKE PUB GROUP

Aunty Lenas & The Adare Courthouse | Bill Chawke's Bar | SEARSONS of Baggot Street  
The Bank on College Green | The Goat Grill | The Lord Lucan | The Dropping Well  
The Oval Bar | The Old Orchard & Paddy Scally's | Fired Up Pizza | BOX'D COFFEE