

SUPPLIER SHOWCASE



WoodWinters

Importer, wholesaler & retailer of wines, whiskies and artisan spirits from around the globe. Products created in harmony with nature by skilled and passionate people.

www.woodwinters.com



Tomatin Distillery

At Tomatin, we've been crafting quality whisky since 1897, rooted in a rich history and stunning natural beauty, with a community dedicated to producing exceptional single malt and blended Scotch whisky.

www.tomatin.com



Dog Falls Brewery

Dog Falls is an award-winning nano brewery, cranking out fresh, bold & distinctive beers according to one simple observation: Flavour Reigns Supreme.

www.dogfallsbrewing.com



Sea Stocks Seafood

Sea Stocks provides the UK with the finest range of shellfish, caught and landed from the seas across the North of Scotland & Shetland. Available to purchase via a range of carefully selected wholesalers across the UK.

www.seastocks.co.uk



XOKO Bakehouse

XOKO is about real comfort food made with the finest ingredients. Take a seat at the Espresso Bar, open plan through to the bakery kitchen, and wait in anticipation for cinnamon rolls to come out of the oven.

www.xoko.co.uk



Loch Ness Ice Cream

A family run business working from the heart of the Highlands producing top quality ice cream with intense flavour profiles using fresh milk, cream and real fresh fruit.

www.lochnessicecream.com



Kompassion Kombucha

Nutritious, sustainable and delicious drinks using 100% natural ingredients supporting health and good nutrition through the gut. Flavours include Elderflower & Chilli.

www.kompassion.co.uk



Simpson Game

A leading supplier of premium venison and game, Simpson Game are committed to quality and customer service, and deliver their exceptional products across the UK.

www.simpsongame.com



Black Isle Brewery

An organic brewery located just North of Inverness, Black Isle Brewery prioritises the wellbeing of the natural world. Beers are always made with 100% natural ingredients.

www.blackislebrewery.com



Rock Rose Gin

From Dunnet Bay Distillers on the north coast of Scotland, Rock Rose Gin is handcrafted using traditional methods and infused with local botanicals.

www.dunnetbaydistillers.co.uk



The Spud Hut

Located on Garguston Farm, between Tore and Muir of Ord, the forward thinking Spud Hut farm sells their rooster & kerr pink potatoes, a selection of vegetables and free range eggs in a vending machine where you can pay by cash or card.

www.facebook.com/spudhut2



Williamson Food Service

Taste of the Highlands sponsor. Established in 1957, Williamson Foodservice is a family owned and operated business based in Inverness; specialising in fresh and chilled food and drink

www.williamsonfoodservice.co.uk



WELCOME TO THE
TASTE OF THE
HIGHLANDS
DINNER

visit **Inverness**
Loch ness

FRIDAY 27th FEBRUARY 2026

WELCOME

FOREWORD

The team at Kingsmills Hotel and Visit Inverness Loch Ness are delighted to welcome you to this evening for a celebration of Highland producers, suppliers and our larder.

It's not just about what's on the plate - it's about community, culture, and the stories behind every bite.

Taste of the Highlands aims to bring this all together; a reminder that food and drink are just one of the many reasons to visit Inverness and Loch Ness and the wider Highlands.

Join us at Eden Court on Saturday 14th March for the Taste of the Highlands Food & Drink Festival - featuring 50 producers from across the region including many whom are supporting this show-stopping dinner.

OUR HOST

We are delighted to welcome Masterchef finalist Sarah Rankin to host this evening and to introduce some of our fantastic local producers - who are joining us in the room tonight.

Sarah Rankin is a chef, food writer and lover of Scottish flavours and produce and is delighted and honoured to once again be working with Visit Inverness Loch Ness to help promote food and drink tourism and showcase the amazing range of talented businesses and individuals who make a visit to the Highlands so delicious.



MENU

TO BEGIN

XOKO Bakehouse White or 'Mountain' Sourdough

Tomatin Whisky Cocktail
Black Isle Beer - Goldfinch & Helles Lager

AMUSE BOUCHE

Homemade 'The Spud Hut' Rooster Potato Scone
Hebridean 'Seastocks' Smoked Salmon Rilette - lemon roe

Dog Falls Brewery Draught 'Hoose Rice' Japanese Rice Lager
Kompassion Kombucha

TO START

Whipped 'Connage Dairy' Crowdie
rhubarb and ginger ketchup
'XOKO Bakehouse' Poppy Seed Tuile
texture of beetroot

WoodWinters Bodegas Alcenio Barinas Sauvignon Blanc 2022

INTERMEDIATE

'Gairloch' Brown Crab Broth
white crab meat - soured vegetable

WoodWinters Balio Catarratto 2024

THE MAIN EVENT

Assiette of 'Simpson Game' Venison
caramelised 'Williamson' carrot purée - pickled kohlrabi
charred parsnip - spiced plum marmalade - venison jus

WoodWinters Domaine de Castelnaud L'Enclos
Merlot-Cabernet Sauvignon 2023

TO REFRESH...

Rock Rose Gin sorbet from 'Loch Ness Ice Cream'

TO FINISH

Chocolate & Orange Torte
white chocolate & Black Isle Dairy tablet crumb -
vanilla creme fraiche - 'Loch Ness Honey Co.' honey snap

Tomatin 20 Year Old Bourbon Cask Whisky with a
Chocolates of Glenshiel Tomatin 18 Year Old
Dark Chocolate Praline

'Loch Ness Tea' -
Breakfast Tea,
Heather & Vanilla
or Hot Toddy

or
Inverness Coffee Roasting
Highland roast coffee



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