

The Thatched Cottage Bed & Breakfast

A huge welcome back to all our guests after the restrictions of lockdown.

We are very lucky to live in a beautiful place with fresh air, open countryside to enjoy and space, lots of space.

While we want you to have a wonderful stay, we also want everyone to feel safe in our home.

Government guidelines recommend the continued use of social distancing and vigilance to prevent the spread of the virus.

For your peace of mind and ours, we would like to reassure you that measures have been taken to ensure all our safety and comfort, to the best of our ability.

Soap and water, with adequate hand washing, continue to be the best measures to kill the virus.

Also hand gel, which must be of 60% alcohol content to be effective. This is available at the entrance to the property. Please use this as you come in.

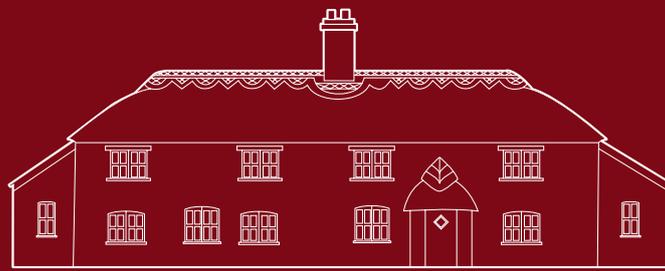
Inside, all communal touchpoints - door handles, handrail, light switches, keys, television controls etc. - are regularly disinfected.

Bedrooms: we have temporarily removed soft furnishings, cushions, bedspreads, books, maps etc. from the rooms. If you do borrow a book, magazine or map, please leave it aside when you leave for cleaning, rather than replace back on the shelf.

Dressing gowns are available, if you would like one please ask.

Complimentary tea, coffee, sugar, water and milk are for your use only during your stay and are not shared.

Similarly, for hygiene reasons, the toiletries in our bedrooms are only ever liquid bottle form.



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Breakfast arrangements: if guests would like to socially distance over breakfast we suggest different sitting times for each room. Luckily, we are small, so this is easily managed.

Food preparation: breakfast here at Thatched Cottage B&B is a substantial continental style and I will be wearing a face mask and gloves to prepare any food for you.

Anything ordinarily shared: fruit salad, ham, cheese, loaves of bread, jams, marmalades etc will be prepared individually.

Use of the snug and the honesty bar: we ask that you wash your hands before helping yourselves to drinks and ask if you would like ice from the freezer.

If you are using the kitchen for takeaway meals, we are happy to provide plates and cutlery, all of which has been washed at high temperature

You are welcome to use the garden anytime and there are plenty of seating options.

Please be mindful of recommended distancing with other guests in public areas.

As someone posted on the road sign coming into the village of Brockenhurst at the beginning of lockdown:

“Voted Britain’s best place to be in a pandemic 2020”

We hope that you enjoy your stay despite these new precautions.
If there is anything you need please do ask.

Kind regards,

Tina and Nic