

Menu

HOMEMADE SOUP OF THE DAY With a fresh bread roll	£4.50	CREAMY GARLIC MUSHROOMS Served on fresh grilled toast	£4.95
DEVILLED WHITEBAIT Served with tartar sauce & lemon	£5.25	HAM HOCK TERRINE Served with caramelised onion and toast	£5.25
DEEP FRIED BRIE Breaded brie, cranberry relish and bread crisps	£4.95	PRAWN COCKTAIL A bed of crispy lettuce topped with prawns in Marie Rose sauce, bread and butter	£5.25

Mains

PAN SEARED SALMON STEAK With buttered new potatoes and a caper, olive and tomato dressing with green vegetables			£12.95
CLASSIC FISH & CHIPS Cod fillet cooked in beer batter served with tartar sauce and a choice of garden or mushy peas		Small Large	£7.95 £9.95
CHICKEN BREAST STUFFED WITH CHORIZO AND GOATS CHEESE Served with creamy mash and spiced tomato sauce with green vegetables			£10.95
HUNTERS CHICKEN Grilled chicken breast and bacon coated in a smoky BBQ sauce and topped with cheese with a side of chips			£9.95
HOPPER LANE BURGER Choice of 8oz beef burger or chicken fillet topped with smoked bacon, mature cheddar and home cooked chips Make it a double hopper for an extra £4.50			£9.95
HOMEMADE PIE OF THE DAY Freshly prepared pie of the day served with a choice of mashed potato or chips and vegetables			£10.95
LAMB HENRY Slow braised lamb in minted gravy on a bed of mashed potato with roast carrots			£13.95
HOMEMADE LASAGNE With garlic bread or chips and green leaves			£9.75
GAMMON STEAK Served with garden peas, fried egg and home cooked chips			£9.75
SAUSAGE OF THE DAY A trio of Stamford sausages served with creamy mash and red onion gravy with garden peas			£9.75
MIXED GRILL Steak, gammon, chicken, sausage, egg, black pudding, peas, tomato, mushroom and chips			£16.95
BACON & BLACK PUDDING SALAD Warm crispy bacon and black pudding on mixed leaves and honey & mustard dressing			£8.25
CEASAR SALAD Crispy lettuce, croutons, parmesan shavings and traditional Ceasar dressing Add chicken for an extra £1.50			£7.95
ROAST BUTTERNUT SQUASH & HALLUMI SALAD Grilled hallumi, roast butternut squash on mixed green leaves & honey mustard dressing			£7.95

Side Orders

SIDE SALAD	£2.00	GARLIC BREAD	£2.75
SEASONAL VEGETABLES	£2.95	HOME COOKED CHIPS	£2.50
ONION RINGS	£2.95	CHEESY CHIPS	£3.00

For dietary or allergy information, please speak to a member of our staff

The Hopper Lane Hotel



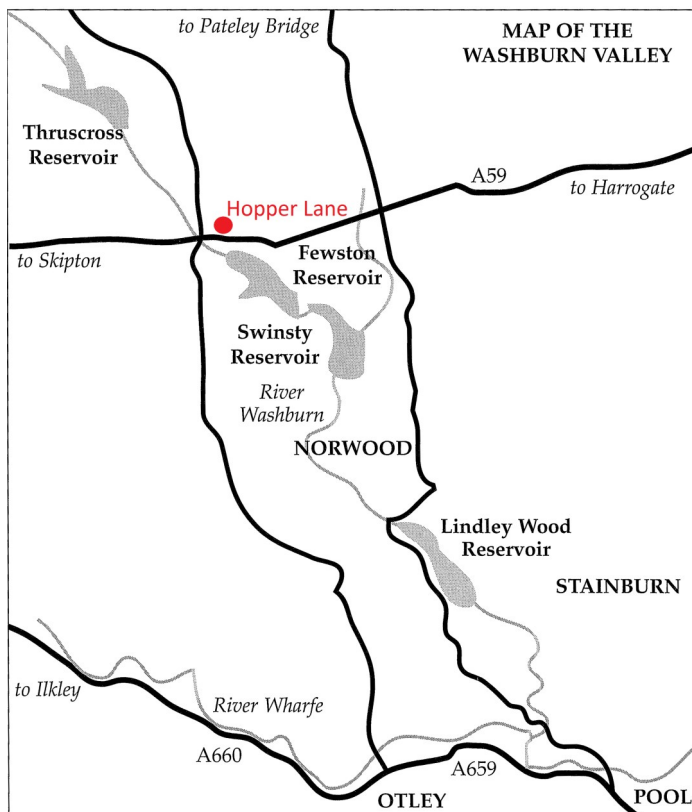
The Hopper Lane is situated in the picturesque Washburn Valley and is known to date back to 1771. It was used as a posting house and old pictures show that stage coaches stopped here for refreshments.

The name Blubberhouses was thought to come from its apprentice houses (one for girls and one for boys) where children as young as 9 came from as far afield as London to live and work in the flax Mills in the early 1800s.

Blubberhouses was a thriving community and had a joiners shop, a grocery shop, post office, mills, two pubs, churches and a school. The community was boosted in the 1870s when the Navvies came to build three reservoirs; Fewston, Swinsty and Lindley. The fourth reservoir, Thruscross, was completed later in the 1960s.

From the early 1900s it was the custom for local farmers to gather here every half year to pay their rent and enjoy a meal at the landowners' (Leeds Corporation Waterworks) expense.

Over its history, the Hopper Lane has undergone lots of changes and refurbishments;



many landlords and local characters have been and gone. However the character of the original building remains and an old well can still be seen in the pub.

Today the Hopper is a family business owned and run by the Dibbs who have lived and farmed in the Washburn Valley for the last 600 years.

Some well remembered Dibbs were Ruth & Bolland Dibb who lived in the valley from the early 1900s. Ruth Dibb, who was locally known as Grannie Dibb, was famous for providing large groups of walkers with home cooked teas and refreshments from their farmhouse which was called Washburn Farm.