

Ingredient provenance

Fish and Shellfish

Colchester fish supplies.

Deben Lamb

Supplied via Direct Meats.

Oak Smoking Chips

Supplied by Mick Dunn, Sunnymeade Great Braxted, using forestry commission oak chips from ancient oak trees as part of the ongoing conservation and tree husbandry of local woods and trees in and around Braxted.

Honey

Gathered from local hives in and around Rivenhall.

Herbs and Bay leaves

Home grown at The Ducane, given a value of £1.00 per bunch for costings.

Maldon Sea Salt

Produced in the traditional way in Maldon, from the salt marshes.

Earl Gray Tea

Colne Valley Tea Company

Shallots, Bronze fennel fern, Nasturtium Blooms

Home grown at The Ducane, given a market value for costings

Sudbury Blue

Rosemary specific to the Essex, now growing in Braxted. Given a market value of £1.00 per bunch.

Breadcrumbs

Derived from locally baked Tollesbury unbleached bloomer.

Lamb Bacon

Cured from Braxted Lamb flank/belly at The Ducane.

Redcurrant Jelly

Wilkins and Sons of Tiptree

Flour

Marriages

Beetroot

Supplied via Bonners Barn from local farms to Braxted

Blackberries/Brambles

Brambles from the hedgerows of Great and little Braxted.

Apple and Elderflower Press

Hill Holmes Farm Great Braxted

Tiptree Heath Cox's apples

Local variety grown in orchards on Tiptree Heath close to Great Braxted.

Port

Reserve vintage sourced by Grape Passions, Great Braxted.