

# Public Protection (food & safety)

## **Food Premises Inspection Report**

Name of business: The Little Red Roaster

Address of food business: 1A St Andrews Hill

Norwich

NR2 1AD

Date of inspection: 13/03/2018

Risk rating reference: 18/00234/FOOD Premises reference: 14/00166/FD\_HS

Type of premises: Restaurant or cafe

Areas inspected: Main Kitchen, Front of house, Servery

Records examined: SFBB, Temperature control records, Training certificates /

records

Details of samples procured: None Summary of action taken: Informal

General description of business: Cafe and coffee shop

#### **Relevant Legislation**

Food Safety Act 1990 (as amended)

Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 applied by The General Food Regulations 2004 (as amended)

Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 and No 853/2004 applied by Regulation 19 (1) of the Food

Safety and Hygiene (England) Regulations 2013

Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 and related regulations

Food Information Regulations 2014

### What you must do to comply with the law

The report may include **Contraventions** - matters which do not comply with the law . You must address all of the contraventions identified; failure to do so could result in legal action being taken against you.

As a guide, contraventions relating to cleaning, temperature control and poor practice, should be dealt with straight away.

Contraventions relating to structural repairs, your food safety management system and staff training, should be completed within the next <u>2 months</u>.

Health and safety contraventions should be dealt with within 3 months unless otherwise stated.

To assist you the report may also include **Observations** of current practice, useful **Information**, **Recommendations** of good practice and reminders of **Legal Requirements**.

My inspection was not intended to identify every contravention of the law and only covers those areas, practices and procedures examined at the time of the inspection. If the report fails to mention a particular matter this does not mean you have necessarily complied with the law.

### **FOOD SAFETY**

# How we calculate your Food Hygiene Rating:

The food safety section has been divided into the three areas which you are scored against for the hygiene rating: 1. food hygiene and safety procedures, 2. structural requirements and 3. confidence in management/control procedures. Each section begins with a summary of what was observed and the score you have been given. Details of how these scores combine to produce your overall food hygiene rating are shown in the table.

Compliance Area				You Score					
Food Hygiene and Safety				0	5	10	15	20	25
Structure and Cleaning				0	5	10	15	20	25
Confidence in management & control systems				0	5	10	15	20	30
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Your Total score	0 - 15	20	25 - 30		35 - 40		45 - 50		> 50
Your Worst score	5	10	10		15		20		-
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Your Rating is	5	4	3		2		1		0

Your Food Hygiene Rating is 4 - a good standard



# 1. Food Hygiene and Safety

Food hygiene standards are high. You demonstrated a very good standard of compliance with legal requirements. You have safe food handling practices and procedures and all the necessary control measures to prevent cross-contamination are in place. Some minor contraventions require your attention. (**Score 5**)

#### Contamination risks

**Contravention** The following exposed food to the general risk of cross-contamination with bacteria or allergens or its physical contamination with dirt or foreign objects:

- uncovered foods at main counter
- staff member unsure of allergens in prepared foods and stored ingredients
- worn chopping boards in main kitchen need replacing

**Observation** Observation I was pleased to see that you had dedicated work surfaces/areas for different food preparation i.e raw meat

#### Hand-washing

**Contravention** The following evidence indicated hand-washing was not suitably managed:

 when I went to wash my hands at the dedicated wash hand basin in the main kitchen there was no hot water supply. To get hot water you had to turn on a water heater via a switch located next to the sink. You informed me turning on the hot water tank should have been carried out by a staff member when the premises was opened.

**Observation** I was pleased to note hot water to the wash hand basin was made available a few minutes after the hot tank was turned on.

### Personal Hygiene

**Observation** I was pleased to see that standards of personal hygiene were high.

## 2. Structure and Cleaning

The structure facilities and standard of cleaning and maintenance are all of a good standard and only minor repairs and/or improvements are required. Pest control and waste disposal provisions are adequate. The minor contraventions require your attention. (Score 5)

## Cleaning of Structure

**Contravention** The following structural items were dirty and require more frequent and thorough cleaning:

• cobwebs to ceiling in cellar

**Contravention** The following structural items could not be effectively cleaned and must be covered or made non-absorbent:

wall next to wash hand basin due to exposed damaged brickwork.

### Cleaning Chemicals / Materials / Equipment and Methods

**Contravention** The following evidence demonstrated your cleaning materials, equipment and methods were not sufficient to control the spread of harmful bacteria such as E.coli 0157 between surfaces:

• you currently use a general cleaner/degreaser for cleaning. This product is not suitable to disinfect or sanitise work surfaces or food preparation surfaces

**Information** Ensure you use a surface sanitiser that conforms to BS EN 1276:1997 or BS EN 13697:2001. This information should be available on the label or by contacting the manufacturer.

#### Maintenance

**Contravention** The following items had not been suitably maintained and must be repaired or replaced:

damaged plaster brickwork next to wash hand basin in main kitchen

## 3. Confidence in Management

There are generally satisfactory food safety controls in place although there is evidence of some non-compliance with the law. All the significant food hazards are understood and controls are in place. Your records are appropriate and generally maintained but some deficiencies were identified. Some minor issues were identified relating to staff supervision and training. You have a satisfactory track record. The contraventions require your attention; although not critical to food safety they may become so if not addressed. (Score 10)

# Type of Food Safety Management System Required

**Observation** Your SFBB/food safety management system was in place and generally working well. I was confident you had effective control over hazards to food.

# Proving Your Arrangements are Working Well

**Contravention** The Management sections in your Safer food Better Business (SFBB) pack are intended to demonstrate you are in day-to-day control of the hazards to food. The following Management sections were either missing, incomplete or not up-to-date:

- the daily diary and or four-weekly reviews. I found blank pages to daily diary sheets. You must sign off that your opening and closing checks have been completed. By not completing and signing off the opening and closing checks you have reduced written evidence they have been carried out your food safety procedures on those days.
- you have not been calibrating your probe thermometer as per you additional checks. You must record when this task has been done i.e. in your daily diary page for that day

### Training

**Contravention** The following evidence indicated there was a staff training need:

• the early opening staff member had not switched on the hot water tank to the wash hand basin in main kitchen. This is one of your opening checks that must be carried out.

## Allergens

**Contravention** You have not yet identified the allergens present in the food you prepare.

**Contravention** You have not properly informed your customers about the presence of allergens in the food you prepare.

**Contravention** You have not warned your customers about the potential for cross-contamination with allergens.:

**Legal Requirement** Caterers must provide allergy information on all unpackaged food they sell. Catering businesses include restaurants, takeaways, deli counters, bakeries and sandwich bars etc. The potential for cross-contamination by allergens must also be made known to consumers. In addition food manufacturers must now label allergy

causing ingredients on their pre-packed foods. You can obtain more information from the Trading Standards website www.norfolk.gov.uk/abc

**Information** Allergen information could be written down on a chalk board or chart, or provided orally by a member of staff. Where the specific allergen information is not provided upfront, clear signposting to where this information could be obtained must be provided.

### **Information** The 14 allergens are:

- cereals containing gluten
- crustaceans, for example prawns, crabs, lobster and crayfish
- eggs
- fish
- peanuts
- soybeans
- milk
- nuts, such as almonds, hazelnuts, walnuts, pecan nuts, Brazil nuts, pistachio, cashew and macadamia (Queensland) nuts
- celery (and celeriac)
- mustard
- sesame
- sulphur dioxide, which is a preservative found in some dried fruit
- lupin
- molluscs, for example clams, mussels, whelks, oysters, snails and squid

**Information** The Food Information Regulations require that you know what allergens are in the food you provide. You can no longer claim you don t know what allergens are present. Neither can you simply state that all the foods you serve might contain an allergen.

**Recommendation** Make a chart listing all your meals together with the 14 allergens (if present). Bring the chart to the attention of your customers and your staff.

**Recommendation** Add allergy information to your menu