

SMOKE HOUSE TOURS

Appetiser & Epicurean Tours

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Rare and immersive epicurean experiences at a one-of-a-kind smokehouse.







Belvelly Smoke House

Belvelly Smoke House, owned by Caroline and Frank Hederman, is one of only a handful of traditional timber smokehouses worldwide where fish are hung for cold smoking.

Now in its fifth decade, it remains the only authentic smoke house in Ireland and our smoked salmon is an iconic Irish heritage food.

We are renowned for our delicious cold smoked salmon in particular, but we produce an array of cold and hot smoked seafood from eel to lobster to mussels.

In 2022 Frank's dedication to preserving this local food tradition was recognised with the first Walter Scheel Medaille to have been awarded in Ireland.

Since then we have developed a Tasting Room, with courtyard and walled garden, where the food we smoke is available to buy for gifts, or to enjoy as part of a tasting platter and tour.

Whilst chefs, food writers and independent travellers have always made a beeline for the smoke house, we are now introducing bespoke private tours and dining - unique, tailor made experiences.





Private Smoke House Tours

We offer engaging and entertaining tours of the smokehouse with Frank and Caroline for small private groups.

These tours are made especially for the culturally curious traveller who has a particular interest in local food, adventurous cooks intrigued by smoking, and smoked food and seafood lovers who enjoy new and immersive eating experiences.

What to expect

- Experience first-hand a rare, living Irish tradition.
- Fathom the deceptively simple skill of preserving and flavouring food while understanding the challenges and pressures of modern food production and distribution.
- Gain an insight to the life's work of one of Ireland's most renowned food smokers.
- Savour the most delicious smoked salmon and seafood you will probably ever have tried.





Appetiser Tour

Enjoy a tour and afterwards taste Hederman's delicious products in light, canapé-style samples. This will allow you to experience rare and unmissable mouth-watering treats without spoiling your appetite.

Canapés (6-8) & complimentary refreshments Duration: approximately 1 hour

Epicurean Tour

Come with a good appetite for a delicious meal and convivial surroundings as this tour is followed with a classic, seasonal Tasting Room menu of 3-4 courses, and you will need as much time as your schedule allows. Enjoy a leisurely, luxurious brunch, lunch or afternoon tea.

Meal of your choice, 3-4 courses, including complimentary refreshments Duration: approximately 2 hours





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