



Forever picking

Snacks inspired by the seasons. This stems from my recollection of being in the garden with my mother and picking anything that was edible.

Making & breaking

The comfort and satisfaction I get from making and eating bread stems from a long journey with many memories along the way. To me, it means comfort, satisfaction, sharing, connection, love and of course the joy you receive in the actual eating of bread.

Down to earth

(Jerusalem artichoke, carrot, mandarin)

I have always been fascinated by this wonderful vegetable due to its simple earthy flavour that is matched by no other. It can reach deep umami bomb flavours, as well as being as light as a butterfly.

Patience is a virtue

(Dover Sole, Romanesco, oyster)

Learning to be patient can be difficult, and this is something I've battled with throughout my career! The Dover Sole has a surprisingly long-life span of 58 years, and we only use those caught aged between 13 to 17. Patience is therefore a must.

Taste like chicken

(chicken, barley, truffle)

A phrase we've all heard far too many times when someone tastes something unusual!

In this instance, we really do hope it tastes like chicken. We slow age our Sladedown Farm chickens to create a tender and more succulent meat.

Not just for Christmas

(parsnip, pear, tarragon)

Now that we are officially into the closing months of the year, we are looking at alternative Winter produce to be creative with. The parsnip is a vegetable that I have always loved using pre-Christmas, as it has a natural sweetness that lends itself very well to pastry.