

Forage and Feast best buys this Christmas

Checkers' **Forage and Feast fig & almond fruit cake** (700 g) and its **Forage and Feast festive gammon** (1.1 kg) were recently identified as best buys by [Fairlady Magazine](#) in its annual Christmas taste test.

To assist consumers in putting together the best value for money festive spread, Fairlady magazine conducts this taste test through their Testhouse kitchen, including categories such as gammons, pork, mince pies, and Christmas puddings.

A panel taste and rate a selection of Christmas items in the same way that regular consumers would and the Forage and Feast fig & almond fruit cake and the Forage and Feast festive gammon received five star ratings and won in their respective categories (cooked gammon and jewelled cakes).

The Forage & Feast range (unveiled in [March 2021](#)) is available exclusively from Checkers and Checkers Hyper and consists of only the finest products to deliver uncompromised indulgence.

Sourced from the best suppliers and artisans, each Forage & Feast product is made with top quality ingredients and endorsed by South Africa's first Michelin star chef, Jan Hendrik van der Westhuizen.



FOREST AND FEAST FIG & ALMOND FRUIT CAKE 700G; R249.99; CHECKERS

This stunner is light and incredibly moist. It has a topping of green figs, almonds, cherries and chocolate bits, and it's spiced with a hint of brandy and a unique chocolate taste. We loved the mix of festive flavours.



FORAGE AND FEAST FESTIVE GAMMON 1.1 KG; R199.99; CHECKERS

Decorated with dried clementines and cloves, this luxurious gammon has a distinctly Christmassy aroma, and the juicy meat has a sweet flavour thanks to the glaze that is included. Some felt the meat was a bit chewy, but overall it's a palate-pleaser with balanced flavours.

