

# Fire up the grill!

Get ready to ignite your passion for cooking outdoors and transform your garden into a gourmet paradise with our pick of the latest barbecues and pizza ovens.



If you can't choose between the simplicity of gas and the taste of charcoal cooking, try the **Char-Broil Gas2Coal BBQ** (£699.99, amazon.co.uk). A hybrid that converts from gas to coal in seconds, this grilling giant means you can enjoy the smoky flavour of coal or the ease of using gas.

The side burner is helpful for making and keeping sauces warm or sautéing vegetables.

Editor-in-Chief Katy says: 'This is one awesome bit of kit. Having the ability to use gas or coal gives you versatility, although do note that you need patio gas canisters, not ones designed for caravans, as we discovered! The canisters can be stored in the unit which has plenty of room below the cooking area. My husband really liked the inner shelf where you place food that's cooked (when you close the lid it stays raised from the coals). The BBQ needs self-assembly, which takes an afternoon, so order it a few days in advance of when you want to use it. The Amazon version doesn't come with a cover, so it's worth buying that separately to keep it protected from the British summer weather! All in all a fab bit of kit for serious BBQ fans.'





# Digitally connected cooking

Transport your outdoor cooking into the 21st century with the revolutionary **Konnected Joe from Kamado Joe** (£1,999, directstoves.com). This WiFi-enabled 46cm ceramic grill takes the guesswork out of smoking, grilling, baking and more thanks to innovative digital controls. With the push of a button, the Automatic Firestarter ignites your charcoal while the Kontrol Fan maintains your target temperature.

### Come rain or shine

The George Foreman Indoor Outdoor BBQ Grill (£94.49, amazon.co.uk) caters to your barbecuing needs all year round. Its versatile design allows you to grill indoors when it's raining, or outside when sunny. With its collapsible stand it can be used as a freestanding grill or placed directly on your countertop for a hassle-free grilling experience.





### **TOP TIP!**

A BBQ doesn't have
to be all about the meat —
there's a whole world of other
foods to be served up and enjoyed
outdoors. From corn on the cob,
griddled courgettes and vegetable
skewers, to tofu, Quorn and grilled
halloumi — there are plenty
of non-meat options



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Grilling on the go

Perfect for intimate dinners or grilling tasty treats on the decking, the charcoal **Feuerhand Tamber Table Top Grill** 

(£99.99, berryuseful.co.uk) is ready to use in around 15 minutes, has a heat-resistant lid that doubles as a trivet and comes in great colours. The enamelled, non-stick grilling grate is dishwasher-safe and designed so liquids drain away during cooking.

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The **BODUM Picnic charcoal grill** (£99.90, bodum.com) is ideal for urban grilling, and easily transportable for spontaneous gatherings at the beach or park. Its compact size means it's easy to carry but large enough to cook four burgers or four small fillets simultaneously. Features

include a cool-touch silicone handle, clips for easy transport, and removeable cooking rack.



Perfect for easy outdoor cooking – whether you're in the garden or away camping – the **Weber Lumin Compact Electric Grill Barbecue** (£359, gatesgardencentre.co.uk) features a whole host of clever functions, including modes to sear, smoke, steam, and boil your favourite foods. As this compact barbecue is electrically powered, you'll never run out of fuel – all you need is a power-point to cook for as long as you like. There is also less mess, waste, and smoke than other forms of barbecuing, and the flame-free design makes it safer and ideal to use in no-fire campsites.



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## pizza ovens to try

Looking to make your own quick and fuss-free pizzas from scratch? These three pizza ovens from **Gozney** make a great addition to any summer BBQ with options for every budget. All available from gozney.com.





Arc (£599 and £699, gozney.com)
Available in two sizes, Arc and Arc XL, this revolutionary new pizza oven gives you more area to cook bigger, restaurant-worthy pizzas in just 60 seconds. Creating a flame that replicates a wood fire like no other, the burner's insulation and 20mm thick cordierite stone floor, plus built-in digital thermometer ensures an even heat distribution and consistency, so your pizzas cook

### **Dome** (£1,799, gozney.com)

The world's most versatile live-fire outdoor oven, this award-winning next-generation pizza oven holds the power to transform your garden into your own little slice of Italy thanks to its unrivalled performance, inspired aesthetic and innovative technology. Built to the exact ratios of a traditional Neapolitan oven, it has more insulation than any other oven on the market. It's pro-performance made easy thanks to its built-in digital thermometer, two meat probes, smart intake air

technology and stone puck system enabling you to effortlessly switch fuel sources. Enjoy a professional grade outdoor oven engineered to be easy for beginners.







### Roccbox, £399

Favoured by street pizzaiolos the world over, this pro-grade portable pizza oven cooks pizza anywhere in just 60 seconds. With a 19mm thick stone floor, rolling flame and super-efficient insulation, the Roccbox reaches temperatures of up to 500°C and stays there. With retractable legs, interchangeable burners and compact size, this oven is perfect for your outdoor adventures, from the garden to the beach.

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