

CHRISTMAS 2013

bijou

Twas the season of Christmas and all through the night
Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse.
The banquet was ready; the tables were brimming,
The tree shone like stars with oodles of trimming.

When out on the drive there arose such a clatter;
We all went to the door to see what was the matter.
There were carriages, motors and guests finely dressed
All ready to party and make Christmas blessed.

They gasped and they clapped for in front of them stood
The most beautiful house on the edge of a wood.
They ventured inside, were greeted with cheer
and knew at that moment that Christmas was near.

With seasonal toasts and gourmet delight,
They chatted and danced their way right through the night.
Then final good-byes (with hugs and a tear)
"Merry Christmas to all – we will see you next year!"

BOTLEYS MANSION, SURREY



BIJOU'S BUBBLES AND BOWLS

£50pp

Available Sunday-Thursday

Private room from 6.30pm-11.30pm

Three glasses of Jeio Prosecco pp

Bowl food

Cash bar option

A CHRISTMAS FEAST

£90pp

Available Sunday-Thursday

Private room from 6.30pm-11.30pm

Two glasses of Jeio Prosecco pp

Three course Christmas menu pp

Tea, coffee & truffles

Half a bottle of house wine pp

Half a bottle of still/sparkling water pp

Candelabras

Christmas crackers

Cash bar option

VIP DINNER AND DANCE

Price on application

Exclusive use of venue 6.30pm-11.30pm

Two glasses of Jeio Prosecco pp

Canapés

Table names and table plan

Three course Christmas menu pp

Tea, coffee & truffles

Half a bottle of house wine pp

Half a bottle of still/sparkling water pp

Candelabras

Christmas crackers

Chair covers & sashes

DJ

PA System

OPTIONAL EXTRAS:

Popcorn machine

Chocolate fountain

Sweetie cart

Place names

Table plans

Floral arrangements

Drinks / cocktail packages

DJ

PA System

Accommodation

CAIN MANOR, SURREY/HAMPSHIRE



CANAPÉS

Please choose three options

Wild mushroom

Sautéed wild mushrooms, toasted
brioche and Hollandaise (V)

Rabbit

Confit rabbit torchon, chestnut sable and
sticky mulled pear

Lamb

Mini South-Down's lamb shepherd's pie
served in a tiny pastry shell

Goats Cheese

Golden cross goats cheese on a cheddar
shortbread with red onion marmalade (V)

Cod

Baked Atlantic cod, warm celeriac puree
and shaved black truffle

Artichoke

Jerusalem artichoke veloute and vanilla (V)

Salmon

Home cured beetroot salmon tartare,
horseradish blinis and chive

Sausage

Mini Cumberland sausages with creamy
mashed potato to dip and crispy shallots

NOTLEY ABBEY, BUCKINGHAMSHIRE/OXFORDSHIRE



BOWL FOOD

Please choose three options

Beef

Sticky shin of beef with creamy mash, sautéed winter greens and a Chianti Jus

Stilton

Chicory, hazelnut, pear and Colston Basset salad (V)

Christmas pudding

Traditional Christmas pudding, fresh double cream

Haddock

Buttery smoked haddock & quail egg kedgerree

Lamb

Flaked shoulder of lamb shephard's pie

Panacotta

Tonka bean and caramel panacotta and fresh pomegranate

Traditional Christmas turkey

Norfolk bronze turkey breast, duck fat parmentier potatoes, sprout leaves and cranberry jus

Fish and chips

Breaded cod fillets, chips, minted pea puree and tartar sauce

Apple crumble

Spiced Bramley apple crumble with cinnamon ice cream

Winter stew

Winter root vegetable stew with herb dumplings (V)

Nut roast

Nut roast beignet, parsnip crisps and cranberry (V)

Winter Eton Mess

Crushed meringue, poached rhubarb and passion fruit cream

Wild mushroom

Wild mushroom risotto, black truffle and parmesan fricos (V)

Pork belly

Slow cooked middle white pork belly with crispy crackling and apple sauce

Prawn cocktail

Mediterranean prawns, crisp baby gem, Marie rose and tomato concass

Fish pie

Cod, salmon and prawn fish pie, truffled fish sauce and a brioche persilade

SILCHESTER HOUSE, HAMPSHIRE/BERKSHIRE



CHRISTMAS MENU

*Please choose one principle and one
alternative option per course*

STARTER

Parsnip soup
Creamy celeriac soup, black truffle and
crispy shallots (V/GF)

Goats cheese
West country goats cheese curd,
beetroot, chicory and hazelnut salad (V)

Game terrine
Pheasant and partridge terrine, cranberry
and winter leaf salad, apple chutney and
toasted sour dough

Smoked trout
Flaked smoked trout, parsley, caper,
shallot and poached potato with baby
watercress

Ham
Ham hock & tarragon terrine with quails
eggs and piccalilli

MAIN COURSE

Sea bass
Pan fried fillet of Sea bass, sautéed
Jerusalem artichokes, buttered spinach
and woodland mushroom

Guinea fowl
Roasted breast of guinea fowl, trio of
thyme fondants, winter greens and turnip
puree

Beef
8hr braised sticky beef, horseradish mash,
buttered baby leeks and parsnip crisps

Traditional Christmas dinner
Norfolk bronze turkey breast, duck fat
roast potatoes, pigs in blankets and
winter vegetables

Wild mushroom
Individual wild mushroom and chestnut
puff pastry pie with creamy mashed
potato, roasted root vegetables and
sautéed kale (V)

DESSERT

Clementine
Clementine crème brulee with whisky
jelly's and lavender shortbread

Christmas pudding
Individual Christmas pudding, candied
orange, fresh double cream and a
brandy butter ice cream

Chocolate
Valrhona chocolate tart, pomegranate
sorbet and white chocolate snow

Cheesecake
Baked rum and raisin cheesecake with
spiced winter fruits

Cheese
A selection of local cheese accompanied
with Millers damsel biscuits, a selection of
fruits and Christmas chutney



WINE LIST

All wines and vintages are subject to condition and availability. All prices exclude VAT

BUBBLES

Freixenet Carta Nevada Reserva NV,
Spain, £27.50

Jeio Prosecco Valdobbiadene DOCG
Brut NV, Italy, £28.50

Perrier Jouet Brut, NV, France, £48.00

Perrier Jouet Blason Rosé NV
Champagne, France, £65.00

Perrier Jouet, Belle Époque Prestige
Cuvee 2004, France, £95.00

Perrier Jouet, Belle Époque Rosé Prestige
Cuvee, France, £95.00

DESSERT WINES

d'Arenberg Sticky Chardonnay, McLaren
Vale, 2008, Australia, 37.5cl, £18.00

Sauternes Chateau du Levant, Roussillon,
2007, France, 37.5cl, £25.00

WHITE WINES

La Croix Vermentino Sauvignon VdP,
2010, France, £18.38

Citta Del Ponti Pinot Grigio Veneto, 2010,
Italy, £19.43

Spee Wah Chardonnay, Australia, £20.00

Les Nuages Touraine Sauvignon Blanc
Loire Valley, 2010, France, £21.00

Riva Leone Gavi Piedmonte, 2010, Italy,
£21.00

Dinastia Vivanco Rioja Blanco Viura
Malvasia Rioja, 2009, Spain, £23.10

Johnson Estate Sauvignon Blanc,
Marlborough, 2010, New Zealand, £24.25

Chablis Jean Defaix Burgundy, 2008,
France, £25.20

Sancerre Le Pierrier Domaine Thomas,
Loire Valley, 2009, France, £27.30

ROSE WINES

Belle Combes Cotes de Ventoux Rose,
Rhône, 2009, France, £19.43

Chateau St Baillon Cotes de Provence,
2009, South West France, £24.15

RED WINES

La Croix Carignan Merlot VdP, 2009,
France, £18.43

Argento Reserva Malbec, Mendoza, 2009,
Argentina, £19.43

Spee'wah Shiraz, Australia, £19.43

Chilcas Reserva Merlot, San Rafael, Chile,
£20.43

Chilcas Cabernet Sauvignon Reserva,
Chile, £20.43

Spee'wah Cabernet Petit-Verdot,
Australia, £21.43

L'Hospitalet Pinot Noir, 2009, France,
£25.20

Dinastia Vivanco Crianza Rioja, 2007,
Spain, £25.20

Fleurie Millesime Cave de Fleurie,
Burgundy, 2007, France, £26.40

Chateau Lamartre St-Emilion Grand Cru,
Bordeaux, 2008 France, £29.40

Chateau St. Jean, Chateaufort du Pape,
France, £30.40

BOTLEYS MANSION

Surrey

A grand, award-winning Palladian mansion set in Surrey parkland, just 45 minutes from London.

LOBBY & LOUNGES
120 standing

GREEN ROOM
80 seated
130 standing

FOUNTAIN & TEMPLE
WINGS
100 seated
130 standing

ATRIUM
144 seated
200 standing

Please note that the Wings and Atrium can combine to create one larger space

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CAIN MANOR

Hampshire/Surrey

An Elizabethan oak hideaway, complete with open fires and a warm and welcoming atmosphere.

LIBRARY & LOUNGE
100 standing

MUSIC ROOM
123 seated
200 standing

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NOTLEY ABBEY

Buckinghamshire/Oxfordshire

An ethereal, medieval masterpiece that was once the home of Sir Laurence Olivier and Vivien Leigh.

LOBBY & LOUNGE
180 standing

ABBOT'S HALL
100 standing

MONKS' REFECTORY
192 seated
200 standing

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SILCHESTER HOUSE

Hampshire/Berkshire

A home-from-home offering a blank-canvas and plenty of space for the ultimate party with personality.

LOBBY & LOUNGES
170 standing

MUSIC ROOM
80 seated
120 standing

MARQUEE
170 seated
170 standing

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