



Celebrate Christmas

Canterbury Cathedral Lodge is situated within the inspirational, private grounds of Canterbury Cathedral. Offering outstanding hospitality with traditional values, it's the perfect venue to enjoy a festive lunch or party night with family, friends or colleagues.



A Warm Welcome

Dear Guest,

May I take this opportunity in advance of the festive season to wish you a truly wonderful Christmas and New Year.

This year we hope to welcome you to one of our ever popular Christmas Lunches or Party Nights. From a lunchtime catch-up for two, to a magnificent party for up to 120, we can host groups of all sizes, both private and corporate. Please do not hesitate to contact our dedicated Events Team who will be happy to discuss any special requirements and check available dates.

Our New Year's Eve Gala dinner was a great success last year and an enjoyable evening was had by all. We are pleased to confirm there will be a live band and Scottish Piper, guaranteed to entertain and get the dancing started. We hope you will enjoy the opportunity to ring in the New Year in Canterbury's most prestigious venue and with views of the Cathedral from the Kentish Barn – we guarantee a New Year to remember!

We look forward to welcoming you to the Cathedral Lodge in 2017!

Yours sincerely,

Richard Moppett General Manager



Christmas Lunches

Christmas lunches in our wonderful, modern Refectory Restaurant are available on selected dates throughout December. We can cater for anything from a table for two, to a private party for up to 60 people.

In addition, we are delighted to offer our Clagett Auditorium for private Christmas lunches for larger parties of 60 to 120 guests.

£23.95 per person

Christmas Party Nights

Party, Party, Party! Our fun traditional party nights are held in the Clagett Auditorium on evenings throughout December. Whether there are eight of you or 120 – we guarantee you'll have a night to remember!

For shared party nights the Auditorium Foyer Bar opens for drinks from 6.30pm, with seating for dinner at 7.15 pm. Our resident DJ plays all your favourite hits through to carriages at 11.00pm.

£35.95 per person – Friday and Saturday nights £29.95 per person – Monday to Thursday nights £27.95 per person – Sunday nights

From only £25.95 we can offer a quieter dinner in our Refectory Restaurant within the Lodge for private groups of 25-50 people.



Christmas Menu

Starter

Spiced Carrot Soup with toasted Cumin Seeds (V)

Cranberry cured Pollock with pickled and puréed Chestnuts and Watercress

Duck Terrine with Orange Gel, Brioche Crumb and Pomegranate Seeds

Goats Cheese Mousse with Olive Tapenade, pickled Grapes and Pine Nut Granola (V)

Main Course

Traditional Turkey with all the trimmings

Braised Ox Cheek with Fondant Potato, Blackcurrant and Rosemary Jus

Fillet of Hake with New Potatoes, Sauce Vierge and Pea Medley

Beetroot, Squash and Lentil Wellington (V)

All main courses are served with seasonal vegetables

Dessert

Christmas Pudding with Brandy Sauce (V) White Chocolate Blondie with Raspberries (V) Morello Cherry Delice (V)

Tea or coffee, with Mini Mince Pies

Please note that our menus are correct at the time of print and are subject to changes at our discretion. Our food may contain traces of nuts. Please call for any specific dietary requests and let us know at least 6 weeks prior to the event.



New Year's Eve Gala Night

We cannot think of a more spectacular backdrop to seeing in the New Year than from our Kentish Barn which overlooks Canterbury Cathedral. We are hosting a fabulous New Year's Eve Gala Dinner, with a glass of Prosecco on arrival, a 5-course gala dinner, DJ and live music, followed by a glass of Prosecco and a Scottish piper at midnight.

If you would like to stay the night with us and enjoy a late brunch on New Year's Day, bedrooms are available. Please note that this event is strictly Black Tie. We begin with drinks at 6.30pm, through to carriages at 1.00am.

Welcome Prosecco with Canapés

Starter

Hot Smoked Salmon, Smoked Haddock Scotch Egg, Curried Cauliflower Purée, Cucumber and Horseradish Ketchup and Pickled Samphire

Camembert, Fig and Onion Tart with Golden Raisin Purée, Shallot Rings and a Truffle and Chive Oil (v)

Kir Royale Sorbet (v)

Main Course

Braised Short Rib of Beef, Fillet Steak (served medium), Pomme Mousseline with Swede, Swiss Chard and Parsnip Crisps

Wild Mushroom and Tarragon Suet Pudding with Roast Cauliflower, Sauté Broccoli and Spinach (v)

Dessert

Dark Chocolate Cremeux with Raspberry Wheat Beer Granita (v)

Canterbury Cheesemakers Board Tea, Coffee and Petits Fours

 £99.95 per adult (Gala Dinner only)
Residential New Year Package: 30th & 31st December or 31st December & 1st January
£450 per double or twin room for double occupancy including Gala Dinner
£330 per double room for single occupancy including Gala Dinner



Stay a little longer

Why not turn your Christmas party into a Christmas break? As well as being a great venue, Canterbury Cathedral Lodge is one of the finest hotels in the city. Its stylish rooms offer stunning Cathedral views as well as en-suite facilities, LCD TVs and Wi-Fi. Guests even receive complimentary entrance to Canterbury Cathedral to complete their experience.







Terms and Conditions

Upon confirmation of your festive lunch, dinner or party night, a deposit of £10 per person is required if booking before the 1st August 2017. After this date, full payment is required. This must be received within 14 days of booking and is non-refundable and non-transferable against other goods or services. Please bring the deposit conditions to the notice of all persons in your party.

All menu choices and pre-orders for wine should be advised at the time of final payment. Any changes to the menu choices must be notified no later than 7 working days prior to the event. To view our allergen information for our Christmas and New Year menus, please see our website or ask one of our event co-ordinators for more details.

Please note that we do not permit the consumption of alcoholic or non-alcoholic beverages on the premises other than those purchased from the Lodge. This includes gifts and raffle prizes between guests at events. Failure to adhere to this policy may result in confiscation of beverages brought on to the premises and/or ejection of guests that fail to adhere to this policy".

All balances must be paid 6 weeks prior to the event. If you cancel your booking in full after paying, you will be fully liable and any amount cannot be transferred to other goods or services.

All guests attending our Christmas party nights receive a 10% discount off our published accommodation rates, which include full English breakfast. To book, just call 01227 865350 and state which event you are attending.

Once final numbers have been confirmed, party organisers are not able to use lost deposit amounts towards the final balance if numbers are reduced. If a party night has to be cancelled by the Lodge, due to insufficient interest or any other reason such as adverse weather conditions, an alternative date will be offered.

Any guest whose behaviour gives the Lodge concern in any way whatsoever, will be asked to leave or will be refused admission. Any damages caused will be charged for.

The cost of all additional on-the-night goods and services must be paid for by the end of the night.

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