



Here at The Worcester Whitehouse Hotel, we believe the festive season is a time for joy, togetherness, and a little sparkle. That's why we've created a magical line-up of Christmas events perfect for gathering with friends, family, and colleagues.

From indulgent feasts to twinkling party nights, we invite you to eat, drink, and be merry in the warmest of surroundings — with great food, fine wines, and a truly festive atmosphere.

But be quick! Our Christmas events fill up fast, so don't miss your chance to make this season unforgettable. Call us today to book your place and let the celebrations begin!

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#### What's On

Festive Fayre
Party Nights
Murder Mystery Nights
Christmas Day Lunch
New Years Eve Celebrations

In addition, Foregates Brasserie is available for private lunches and dinners for up to 50 guests, the County Suite for up to 30 guests and the Severn Suite for up to 24 guests. The Gheluvelt Suite can accommodate dinner dances for up to 120 guests; minimum numbers apply for this room.

Please contact the Events Office for further information on private dining. We would be delighted to offer bespoke events throughout the festive season – please just ask!

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#### **Early Bird Bookers**

Receive 15% discount off all wines pre-booked and paid for by 31 October 2025 for the above events.

Please call the events team on 01905 24308 or email events@worcswhitehouse.com for more information or to make your reservation.

#### **Accommodation Party Rate**

Receive a 15% discount if staying overnight when attending an event. Rates are valid from 8 – 23 December 2025 inclusive subject to availability when attending a function at the hotel.

#### **New Years Eve Celebrations**

Enjoy a 4-course meal with coffee served at 8pm, entertainment, overnight accommodation, and brunch served from 8am - 11am on New Year's Day with late checkout at 12 noon, just £260 per twin/double room and £160 per single room.

#### **Late Night Snacks**

For those of you who get the 'midnight munchies', assorted sandwiches and coffee/tea can be pre-ordered to be delivered to your table at a time of your choice for £9.50 per person (minimum order for 6 guests)

All rates are inclusive of VAT at the prevailing rate up to 20%.

#### Car Parking

Parking is available at the hotel but unfortunately as facilities are limited, cannot be guaranteed. Please ensure you prebook your transport home

#### Cloakroom

Please note that the hotel does not accept liability for articles damaged or lost when this service is used.



### Festive Fayre

Foregate's Brasserie The place to dine for good food and drink...

#### Starters

Leek & potato soup VG GF

Chicken liver & cognac pate with plum & apple chutney & toasted brioche GFA Classic Prawn cocktail topped with Marie rose sauce GF

Pear, walnut & blue cheese tart with watercress & balsamic glaze VN Sweet potato falafel bites with minted soya yoghurt VG GF DF

#### Mains

Grilled supreme of salmon coated in tomato & dill sauce GF

Traditional roast turkey with sage & onion stuffing, sausage wrapped in bacon, & rich gravy DF

Slow cooked diced beef cooked with button mushrooms, baby onions, smoked bacon strips, tomato, red wine & herbs GF DF

Roasted loin pork steak topped with cranberry & brie, accompanied by a red wine jus GF

Cumin spiced butternut squash & lentil filo Wellington served with vegetarian gravy VG DF

Served with seasonal vegetables & roasted new potatoes GF VG DF

#### Dessert

Christmas plum pudding draped with brandy sauce V N GFA Baked vanilla & ginger crème brulee cheesecake V N GF Caramel & chocolate tart GF VG DF N

Coffee served with mince pies

**Dates available:** Lunch and Dinner 1 – 24 December 2025 inclusive **Price:** £30.00 adult | £10.00 children under 12 includes Festive Novelties

**Deposit**: £10.00 per person (non-refundable)

Opening times: 12.30pm - 2.30pm & 6.30pm - 9.30pm

Available for 10 or more guests



### ABBA and Disco Diva Nights

Enjoy a night of ABBA and Disco Divas



#### Starters

Leek & potato soup VG GF Chicken liver & cognac pate with plum & apple chutney & toasted brioche GFA

#### Mains

Traditional roast turkey with sage & onion stuffing, sausage wrapped in bacon & rich gravy DF Cumin spiced butternut squash & lentil filo Wellington served with vegetarian gravy VG DF Served with seasonal vegetables & roasted new potatoes GF VG DF

#### Dessert

Christmas plum pudding draped with brandy sauce V N GFA Caramel & chocolate tart GF VG DF N

#### Coffee



Dates available: Wednesday 10 December 2025 | Wednesday 17 December 2025

This menu is available on other mid-week dates for private events

**Price:** £29.00 adult - Includes Festive Novelties **Deposit:** £10.00 per person (non-refundable)

Seating times: Arrival 7.30pm, dinner served at 8.00pm Bar Open until 11:30pm Function End: Midnight

# Weekend Party Nights

Good food followed by dancing 'till late!



#### Starters

Leek & potato soup VG GF
Chicken liver & cognac pate with plum & apple chutney & toasted brioche GFA
Classic Prawn cocktail topped with Marie rose sauce GF
Sweet potato falafel bites with minted soya yoghurt VG GF DF

#### Mains

Grilled fillet of salmon coated in tomato & dill sauce GF
Traditional roast turkey with sage & onion stuffing, sausage wrapped in bacon, and rich gravy DF
Cumin spiced butternut squash & lentil filo Wellington served with vegetarian gravy VG DF
All served with seasonal vegetables & roasted new potatoes GF VG DF

#### Desserts

Christmas plum pudding draped with brandy sauce V N GFA Baked vanilla & ginger crème brulee cheesecake V N GF Caramel & chocolate tart GF VG DF N

#### Coffee





**Dates available:** Fridays and Saturdays throughout December 2025

Price: £42.00 per person

Includes Festive Novelties

Deposit: £10.00 per person (non-refundable) Seating times: Arrival 7.30pm,

dinner served at 8pm

Bar open: until 12.30am | Function end: 1.00am



## Murder Mystery Nights

in conjunction with Murder 57

Revel in an evening of mystery, intrigue, suspense and murder! Enjoy good food whilst professional actors entertain you. A great night out in the heart of the city!

#### Starters

Leek & potato soup VG GF
Chicken liver & cognac pate with plum & apple chutney & toasted brioche GFA
Classic Prawn cocktail topped with Marie rose sauce GF
Sweet potato falafel bites with minted soya yoghurt VG GF DF

#### Mains

Grilled fillet of salmon coated in tomato & dill sauce GF
Traditional roast turkey with sage & onion stuffing, sausage wrapped in bacon, and rich gravy DF
Cumin spiced butternut squash & lentil filo Wellington served with vegetarian gravy VG DF
Served with seasonal vegetables & roasted new potatoes GF VG DF

#### Desserts

Christmas plum pudding draped with brandy sauce V N Baked vanilla & ginger crème brulee cheesecake V N GF Caramel & chocolate tart GF VG DF N

#### Coffee





Seating times: The suspense starts @ 7.30pm, dinner served at 8pm

Function end: Approximately 10.30pm - 11.00pm

To book your places directly with our partner Murder 57, please use the link: Worcester Whitehouse Hotel | Murder 57

Reservations cannot be made directly with the hotel.

## Murder Mystery Nights

#### Thursday 4 December 2025 – The Great Christmas Mystery

Alex Holmes, the great, great grandchild of the famous Victorian detective has followed in Sherlock's footsteps and has themselves established a reputation for solving the unsolvable. Tonight is the Metropolitan Police Commissioner's Christmas ball. A whole host of VIPs have been invited and of course Holmes and their good friend Dr Watson are on the guest list... however, when the Commissioner is discovered dead in a sealed room deep in the depths of Scotland Yard – Holmes is brought into action once again...



#### Thursday 11 December 2025 - Deck the Halls

The Hargreaves family have made a fortune in the Christmas decoration business and are celebrating tonight with an unforgettable Christmas party after having yet another successful year.

Patriarch of the family is Sir Declan Hargreave, who established the business many years ago. Tonight, he is promising to reveal some important news. Everyone is expecting him to announce his retirement and who will succeed him as head of the company. The new head will instantly be in control of a multimillion-pound business and reap the rewards that kudos would bring... Is everyone excited about this possible news – surely nothing sinister could happen at Christmas?



#### Thursday 18 December 2025 – Murder under the Mistletoe

It is Christmas in 1899 and the Prime Minister, Robert Gascoyne-Cecil, is hosting a lavish party. Spirits are high at the turn of the century, commerce and politics are doing well. It is also 7 years since the infamous Jack the Ripper was last active. But is everyone who they say they are? And has the Ripper really finished his work?



# Christmas Day Luncheon Menu

#### Starters

Spiced carrot & cumin soup with sour cream & chives V GF

VG & DF options are served without the sour cream

Pork, chicken, leek & mushroom terrine accompanied by apple & walnut relish with toasted brioche GFA

Smoked salmon, asparagus & spring onion tart with watercress & balsamic glaze

Tomato, avocado, feta cheese & rocket salad draped with honey & mustard vinaigrette dressing V GF

Vegan option is served without the feta cheese

Sweet potato falafel bites with minted soya yoghurt VG GF DF

#### Intermediate

Poached plaice fillet filled with a prawn & dill mousse coated in white wine cream GF Champagne sorbet V GF VG

#### Mains

Salmon supreme with a prawn, tomato & spinach sauce GF

Roast striploin of beef & Yorkshire pudding served with madeira & mushroom sauce Traditional roast turkey with sage & onion seasoning, sausage wrapped in bacon, cranberry sauce & rich gravy DF

Cumin spiced butternut squash & lentil filo Wellington served with vegetarian gravy VG DF Served with seasonal vegetables & roasted new potatoes GF VG DF

#### Dessert

Christmas plum pudding draped with brandy sauce V N GFA
Baked vanilla & ginger crème brulee cheesecake V N GF
Cheddar, brie & stilton cheese platter served with chutney, grapes & biscuits V GFA VGA
Caramel & chocolate tart GF VG DF N

Freshly brewed coffee & mince pies

Price: £79.00 per adult £25.00 children under 12
Alternative children's menu available on request

Price includes a welcome drink, novelties & a gift for all children from Santa **Deposit**: £25.00 per person (non-refundable)

Seating time: 2.00pm



### New Year's Eve

#### **Gheluvelt Suite**

The night of the year to celebrate in style. Good food followed by dancing into the early hours of 2026.

'Fizz' reception with canapes from 7.30pm

#### Starters

Chickpea, lemon grass, tomato & coconut soup topped with fresh coriander VG GF Hoisin glazed chicken skewers
Grilled halloumi, orange & mint salad with rocket, spinach leaves & toasted pecan nuts V GF Wild boar & plum pate served with a sticky fig relish & toasted brioche

Sweet potato falafel bites with minted soya yoghurt VG GF DF

#### Intermediate

'Haggis, neeps and tatties' Champagne sorbet V GF VG

#### Mains

Salmon supreme coated in a sun-dried tomato & pesto hollandaise sauce GF Slow Braised lamb shank cooked in red wine & rosemary jus GF Breast of chicken

filled with goat's cheese, garlic & thyme wrapped in smoked bacon draped in a white wine cream sauce GF

Cumin spiced butternut squash & lentil filo Wellington served with vegan gravy VG DF Served with a selection of seasonal vegetables & herby diced potatoes VG

#### Desserts

Mango, pear & ginger crumble served with thick cream V
Lemon & raspberry parfait V
Cheddar, brie & stilton cheese platter served with chutney, grapes & biscuits V
Caramel & chocolate tart GF VG DF N

Freshly brewed coffee with petit fours

New Year's Eve Residential Package available – please refer to the inside of the front cover for details.

Price: £85.00 per adult Deposit: £20.00 per person (non-refundable)

**Seating times**: 7.30pm for 8pm **Bar open**: 5pm until 12.45am

Function ends: 1.00am Dress Code: Lounge suit and cocktail dress

### Terms and Conditions

#### **Terms & Conditions**

1. Deposits

Once you have made your reservation, the deposit is required within 14 days. If the deposit is not received within this time, your booking will be automatically released.

#### 2.Payment

Full payment for all events is required by 01.11.25 or 21 days prior to your event whichever date is earliest, this is non-refundable. If full payment is not made by this date the booking will be treated as cancelled, and the cancellation policy below will apply. Any reservations made after 01.11.25 must be paid in full at the time of booking.

Unfortunately, personal cheques are not accepted.

#### 3.Cancellations

If you cancel your confirmed reservation any deposit/full payment will be retained by the hotel as a cancellation charge. All deposits and payments are non-refundable and non-transferable

i. Unless the booking is re-sold for the same value, without the hotel incurring additional advertising/administration costs.

ii. If there is a difference, the cancellation charge will be adjusted accordingly.

iii. Cancellation charges cannot be offset against other items or services provided by the hotel such as wine/drinks etc.

iv. Any cancellations received within 7 days of the date of the event will be charged in full Our cancellation policy will be enforced whatever the circumstances of the cancellation.

We reserve the right to cancel any events if the hotel is unable to go ahead with the function due to circumstances beyond our control (eg: fire, flood etc). In such circumstances we shall endeavour to provide an alternative date or refund any payments in full but will not be under any obligation to provide you with any further compensation. The hotel reserves the right to amend any menus, packages etc as detailed in this brochure and provide a suitable alternative if items or services are unavailable to the hotel.

#### 4.Conditions

i. No food or drink is to be brought into the hotel for consumption.

ii. The management reserves the right to refuse admission.

iii. Please do not bring with you or organise anything that may offend or cause discomfort to other hotel guests. Silly string and aerosol sprays are not permitted.

iv. We cannot guarantee seating plans at public events.

v. All prices are inclusive of VAT at the appropriate rate with gratuities at your discretion.

vi. All bookings and room reservations are subject to availability.

vii. Limited parking is available at the hotel but unfortunately cannot be guaranteed as based on 'first come, first served'. Charges for parking apply.

viii. For us to provide the best possible food and service, details of your menu and dietary requirements are required 14 days prior to your event

#### 5.FAQ's

- i. Special diets can be catered for; please advise us of your specific requirements 14 days prior to your event
- ii. Children under 18 years are not permitted to attend party nights or the New Year's Eve Dinner Dance
- iii. We do recommend that you reserve your taxi home before the event, as we cannot guarantee one will be available at this busy time of year.

ALLERGIES - Some dishes on our menu contain nuts and other allergens. As a result, traces of these could be found in other items served here. Please make staff aware of any allergies you or your guests may have. We shall do our best to provide you with suitable food, but we cannot guarantee that any of our foods are free from cross-contamination of allergens.

 $V-denotes\ suitable\ for\ vegetarians\ |\ VG-denotes\ suitable\ for\ vegans\ |\ GFA-denotes\ free\ from\ gluten\ containing\ ingredients\ |\ DF-free\ from\ dairy\ containing\ ingredients\ |\ N-denotes\ possible\ traces\ of\ nuts$ 

The hotel cannot guarantee that its food products do not contain any genetically modified additives.