





COMPANY OF COOKS



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The Honourable Society of Gray's Inn



Welcome to the Honourable Society of Gray's Inn

Gray's Inn has been home to the Legal Trade since the 14th Century and is today one of the four Inns of Court. The Inn, steeped in history and headquartered in its vast, immaculately manicured central London estate, is responsible for the education and training of barristers, before and after their Call to the Bar.

A true hidden gem conveniently located a short walk from Chancery Lane station, the venue exudes tradition, grandeur and charm, yet feels a world away from the hustle and bustle of busy central London. Our historic site offers six remarkable event spaces, available all year round for meetings, conferences, private events and weddings.

Company of Cooks is the on-site hospitality partner responsible for the exceptional food and drink offering, crafted and executed to every client's specification, and aimed at exceeding the expectations of the most discerning palates. Executive Chef Gordon McCartney and his team of talented chefs apply the utmost ingenuity, imagination and attention to detail in producing creative and exciting food with a focus on sustainable and ethical ingredients from small, local and independent suppliers, whenever possible.

At Gray's Inn we ensure impeccable planning and attention to detail for whatever occasion, allowing you complete peace of mind, knowing you are in the capable hands of a well-seasoned and professional team of hospitality experts. Please get in touch if you are planning your next event, either private or corporate, as we would love to hear from you.

Jo Da Silva General Manager



We're more than just a company of cooks

We're in every detail of your event. From artisanal snacks and incredible canapes, to memorable dinners. From hand-picked wines to stylish design.

Everything is overseen by our amazing team of chefs, wine experts, event sales teams, and operators to ensure your experience stands out. Getting to know you and your plans gives our team the power to craft moments and memories that last.

Our obsession with craft, creativity, and community drives everything we do, because we believe that amazing food, drink, and service sit at the heart of every guest experience. When these three elements come together, something very special happens.

See more of what we do by visiting <u>www.companyofcooks.com</u> or simply click to watch the video above.





Our commitments to people, place and planet

In short, we are committed to providing great food, drink, and service that has a meaningful and lasting impact on the people and places we work with and for – all the while safeguarding the planet for future generations.

Our focus as a business is bringing handcrafted food and drink to the table each and every day while simultaneously supporting the communities we work with. Employment opportunities for local people, sourcing from our hand-picked larder of artisan suppliers, and an absolute focus on minimising the impact of our operations on the planet are key objectives of every partnership.

Our commitment is clear throughout this menu brochure: we are proud to exclusively offer the very best in British meat and cheeses. None of our fresh produce is transported by air freight, and the fish we purchase and serve will be rated MCS 1, 2, or 3. As a wider business, we aim to be net zero by 2040.



SPARKLING

Ridgeview Bloomsbury, East Sussex, England VE, Sp

Ridgeview signature blend Bloomsbury is light golden in colour with a fine, persistent mousse. Citrus fruit aromas with hints of melon and honey.

Prosecco Le Contesse, Italy VE, Sp

Straw yellow in colour and has a fine and persistent perlage. It has an aromatic bouquet, fruity and floral with reminiscences of acacia flowers and wisteria. Refreshing on the palate with balanced acidity and pleasant dry aftertaste.

Ridgeview Fitzrovia Rosé, East Sussex, England

Chardonnay brings freshness and finesse, whilst the Pinots add the classic red fruits for which England is so acclaimed. A raspberry and redcurrant nose carries through to a fresh fruit-driven palate.

Azzillo Prosecco Spumante, Italy VE, Sp

Fresh and light on the palate, with balanced acidity and body; harmonic with a long persistent aftertaste.

Champagne Lombard Extra Brut, NV VE, Sp

Crisp apple, citrus and stone fruit, accompanied by notes of bread and brioche. The extra brut dosage brings a subtle freshness with fine mineral notes.

Laurent Perrier La Cuvee Brut, Champagne, France VE, Sp

This is beautifully balanced with fine streams of flowing bubbles, leading to delicate citrus and subtle floral notes on the nose.

ROSE

Heppington Vineyards Pinot Noir Rose, England VE, Sp

This beautiful Pinot Noir Rosé has delicate notes of nectarine, crisp red apple, pomegranate and cranberry.

Pinot Grigio Ramato 'Il Barco', Carlo Botter, Italy VE, Sp

Has a perfumed aroma of peach and rose petals and soft, red fruit flavours on the palate. It is dry and well balanced, excellent to drink with fish and white meats.

Rioja Rosado, Bodegas Taron, Spain VE, Sp

A wine with a delicate pale pink colour with notes of peaches and cherry blossom on the nose. The palate is crisp with summer fruit flavours and a fresh acidity.

Château Paradis Rose 'Essenciel' Coteaux d'Aix en Provence, France, V, Sp

Essenciel rosé wine has a rose-petal colour and is elegant and dry with aromatic fruit aromas derived from a vibrant blend of Cabernet and Syrah.

Malbec Rosé, 'ES Vino, Mendoza, Argentina VE, Sp

An explosion of redcurrants, raspberries red cherries and blackberries with a citric acidity that cuts through the sweeter berry flavours resulting in a smooth and velvety wine, expressing very fruity and fresh flavours.

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WHITE

Heppington Vineyards Chardonnay, England VE, Sp

This elegant Chardonnay has a palate of orchard fruit, crunchy peach and grapefruit zest. Elegant and refined with a fresh feel on the finish.

El Zafiro 'Extremadura' Blanco, Pardina/Chardonnay, Spain VE, Sp

A fresh and lively white from the far west of Spain that combines the local Pardina grape variety with the renowned Chardonnay.

Hamilton Heights, Chardonnay, Australia Sp

An elegant Aussie Chardonnay, bright lemon in colour with a fresh nose full of ripe peach and citrus.

Boatman's Chenin Blanc, South Africa VE, Sp

Made from 100% Chenin Blanc, this wine is a pale lemon in colour with a bouquet of apple and white flowers.

Les Jardins de Gascogne Blanc, France VE, Sp

Apricot, orange blossom and subtle tropical notes of dried pineapple combine with a fresh grapefruit acidity leaving a refreshing impression on the palate.

Viognier La Playa , Chile VE, Sp

This is a terrific, lively wine with an exotic aroma of dried apricots, pineapple, banana and lychee.

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Fiano 'Lunate', Sicily VE, Sp

A crisp and fresh wine with stone fruit flavours and is complimented by a refreshing acidity making this wine beautifully balanced.

Picpoul de Pinet 'Sel et Sable', France VE, Sp

Delicate aromas of citrus on the nose as well as notes of acacia and flint. The palate is dry and refreshing with citrus, floral note, some tropical fruits and a distinctive mineral edge.

Wairau River Sauvignon Blanc, New Zealand Sp

Intense lifted notes of ripe tropical fruits and citrus on the nose. Refined and elegant, displaying a finely textured palate with flavours of guava and stone fruit. Wonderfully expressive with a fresh, dry finish.

Bourgogne Blanc Chardonnay, Maison Nuiton-Beaunoy, France VE, Sp

Medium bodied with flavours of fleshy stone fruits, particularly peach and nectarine with ripe pear and apple peel. These fleshy fruit flavours are balanced and elegant with a refreshing acidity and a mineral note on the finish

Gavi di Gavi 'Ca da Bosio', Terre da Vino, Italy VE, Sp

The soils in the central zone of Gavi di Gavi impart a perfumed mineral character adding complexity to lively aromas of ripe fruit and flowers. Concentration. `Ca da Bosio` is further refined by extended lees contact which imparts a soft-textured dry finish.

RED

Heppington Vineyards Pinot Noir, England VE, Sp

This delightful Pinot Noir offers a hint of oaky savouriness with bright notes of raspberry sorbet and a cherry finish.

El Zafiro 'Extramedura' Tinto, Tempranillo/Shiraz, Spain VE, Sp

This inspired blend combines cherry and strawberry fruit character of the local Tempranillo with the spice and structure of Shiraz.

Hamiton Heights, Shiraz, Australia VE, Sp

Bright ruby red, bursting full of inviting blackcurrant and blackberry aromas on the nose. The palate is smooth and soft.

Merlot 'Le Tuffeau', Languedoc, France VE, Sp

A juicy Merlot, bursting full of ripe black plum, damson and elderberry. Well balanced with soft tannins and a medium acidity which complements the ripe fruit flavours.

'Punto Alto', Malbec, Argentina VE, Sp

Dark purple in colour with bramble fruits and black cherries on the nose.

Tunante Rioja Tempranillo Tinto, Fincas de Azabache, Spain VE, Sp

Exhibiting typical Tempranillo character of cherry, raspberry and plum with notes of liquorice.

Montepulciano d'Abruzzo Riserva, 'Tor del Colle', Italy VE, Sp

Vibrant savoury spicy dark fruits and warm oak make this excellent value Montepulciano d'Abruzzo Riserva.

Château Le Gardera, Bordeaux Superieur, France Sp

Busting full of ripe berry fruits with generous tannins, balanced acidity and a subtle toast and sweet spice character from 12 months ageing in French barrels.

Beaujolais Villages 'Vignes de 1940', Jean-Michel Dupre, France VE, Sp

Dark ruby in colour with notes of sweet blackcurrants on the nose. The palate has fresh black cherry and berries with a mineral character on the finish.

Polish Hill River Shiraz, Paulett, Australia VE, Sp

A richly flavoured wine with candied fruits, blackcurrants, black cherries, game and spicy white pepper with mineral nuances.

Wairau River Pinot Noir, New Zealand VE, Sp

An excellent expression of varietal character with concentrated notes of raspberry, cherry and wild berry fruits, accompanied with rich savoury bramble, hints of oak and supple tannins for an elegant structure.

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COCKTAILS

Cosmopolitan

Vodka, Cointreau, lime juice, cranberry juice

Elderflower Collins

Gin, elderflower liqueur, lemon juice, fresh cucumber (infused), sugar

Old Fashioned

Whiskey, Angostura Bitters, Fresh oranges (infused)

Negroni

Gin, Martini Rosso, Campari, Fresh oranges (infused)

Strawberry Daiquiri

Rum, strawberry liqueur, lime juice, sugar syrup, strawberry puree

Mojito

White rum, lime juice, sugar syrup, fresh mint

NON-ALCOHOLIC COCKTAILS

Bellini

white grape juice, peach juice, soda water, natural fruit extracts

Paloma

pink grapefruit juice, soda water, lime juice, natural fruit extracts

Mojito

lime juice, sugar syrup, fresh mint, sparkling water

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LOW ALCOHOLIC WINE 0.5%ABV

Noughty Organic White Produced using 55% Chenin Blanc and 45% Chardonnay grapes harvested from dry-land farmed vineyards in the Western Cape region.

Noughty Organic Sparkling Rose

Beautifully crafted Provençal-style Rosé Wine from South Africa

Noughty Organic Red

Produced with Syrah grapes from dryland farmed vineyards in Darling, South Africa.

BEER AND CIDER

Peroni Gluten Free 330ml

Peroni 0.0% 330ml

Peroni Nastro Azzurro 330ml

AsahiSuper Dry 330ml

London Pride 330ml

Meantime Pale Ale 330ml

Meantime London Lager 330ml

Cornish Orchard Gold Cider 500ml

HOUSE SPIRITS

2 5 m l

VSOP Cognac

Smirnoff Vodka

Gordon Gin

Bacardi White Rum

Bell's Whisky

SOFT DRINKS

2 5 0 m l

Coca cola

Diet cola

Lemonade

Tonic water

Soda water

PORT

Croft Vintage Port 2000, Portugal 75cl

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Allergens

Do you have a food allergy or intolerance? We provide allergen information on the 14 major allergens.

Please speak with your event manager / sales executive, and details of allergens in any of our dishes can be provided for your consideration.

At your event, there will be an allergen folder located at all buffet stations on your event catering floor. This folder will make delegates aware of all allergens contained in your chosen menu and help them make an informed decision.

Please note, as with every catering establishment, there is always a potential for cross-contamination to occur. While we endeavour to prevent this as much as possible, the nature of an allergen means we cannot fully quarantee that cross-contamination may not have occurred. We encourage our customers with food allergies and intolerances to let our staff know, so we can better cater for them. We are happy to provide further detail on ingredients and how they were handled to allow you make an informed decision as to whether the food is suitable for you.







MOLLUSCS





CRUSTACEANS



FISH





SULPHUR DIOXIDE



SOYBEAN





SESAME



GLUTEN



PEANUTS



CELERY



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If you have any concerns

please speak to a member of staff



Thank You

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