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Christmas Programme 2016





Christmas Calendar 2016

At the Slieve Donard Resort, Christmas remains one of the most magical times of the year. You'll enjoy the warmest of welcomes, the finest festive dining and the most luxurious accommodation, along with attention to detail and personal touches that will make this Christmas and New Year a truly memorable one.

CHRISTMAS EVENTS

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Christmas Party Nights

We are delighted to present our Christmas Party Nights for you to celebrate with friends, family and colleagues. Relax and enjoy fine dining and fabulous music from our line-up of entertainment. Featuring live Big Band Boogie with Johnny Bravo & The Riviera playing a wonderful selection of favourite hits of the 50's & 60's to the present day. Then dance the night away with celebrity U105 Compere and DJ, Paul McKenna.

PARTY NIGHT DATES Friday 9th and Saturday 10th December

For only **£48 per person**, it's the perfect way to celebrate this Christmas! Stay over from just **£55 per person** sharing, bed & breakfast, including full use of the Active Floor in the Spa. (£30 single supplement applies)

MENU

Chef's Homemade Winter Warming Soup with Signature Wheaten Scone *** Traditional Roast Turkey and Ham with all the Trimmings OR Slow Cooked Prime Irish Daube of Beef in a Red Wine Jus OR Roast Vegetable and Goat's Cheese Tartlet All served with Chef's Selection of Vegetables and Potatoes *** Traditional Christmas Pudding OR Millionaire's Rich Chocolate Torte *** Tea or Coffee and Festive Frivolities





Hop on board for some Christmas magic!

We are delighted to announce the return of Santa's Polar Express experience at the Slieve Donard Resort from Wednesday 14 – Tuesday 20 December 2016

This event will be a traditional and festive occasion with a host of attractions for all the family, including story-telling with Mrs Claus, letter writing workshop and North Pole Postbox, Christmas movies and of course Santa's Polar Express train adventure. Most importantly, Santa and his elves will be here, ready to welcome the children into their busy workshop.

OPENING TIMES

ADMISSIONS

Wed 16 – Mon 21 December

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from 4.00pm to 9.00pm each day

Adult - £15 Child - £19

Price includes complimentary tea, coffee or mulled wine for adults and refreshments for the children, a personal photo with Father Christmas and Gift for every child.

We recommend that you arrive at the Percy French Inn at least 15 minutes before your booked time slot.

Please note that babies under 1 go free unless you would like them to receive a gift from Father Christmas.

There will be a range of dining packages and options available in both the hotel and Percy French – please contact the hotel for further information.

Tickets for the Polar Express Experience will be on sale from August on our website – www.hastingshotels.com





Santa's Sunday Lunches

Sunday 27th November, Sunday 4th, 11th and 18th December

On Sundays in December, join us in the Oak Restaurant for a fantastic five course festive Buffet feast.

Each Sunday our chefs will prepare scrumptuous seasonal cuisine with an extensive array of Starters, Roasts and a delicious choice of Desserts.

£38 per adult, £20 for children under 12

Festive Afternoon Tea*

Enjoy traditional Afternoon Tea with a festive twist throughout December.

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Festive Afternoon Tea Festive Afternoon Tea with Mulled Wine Festive Afternoon Tea with Prosecco Festive Champagne Afternoon Tea Served every day from 3pm – 5pm £27 per person £30 per person £32 per person £37 per person

Christmas at the Percy French

The Percy French Inn, set in the grounds of the Slieve Donard Resort, is the perfect place for a relaxed Christmas celebration. With its unique setting, huge roaring fire and the warmest of welcomes, the Percy French offers the finest local festive produce and hospitality.

FESTIVE DINING

Our special four course festive menu is available for both lunch and dinner throughout December. An à la Carte menu is also available on request.

Lunch served 12.30 - 5pm daily

Dinner served 5.30 - 9.30pm daily

£25 per person and £13 for children (4-14 years)

CHRISTMAS DAY AT THE PERCY FRENCH

Join us for a sumptuous Christmas Day lunch in the **Percy French**! Enjoy a fabulous festive feast with all the trimmings, including a delicious choice of starters, traditional roast Turkey and Ham, and a selection of decadent Desserts. With a Mulled Wine Reception, a visit from Santa with gifts for all the kids and musical entertainment from our pianist, the Percy French is the perfect spot in which to enjoy your Christmas celebrations.

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Lunch is served 12.30 – 2.00pm £60 per adult, £35 for children (4-14 years)

Festive Programme

CHRISTMAS EVE - SATURDAY 24TH DECEMBER

11am - 5pm	Relaxation and time in the Brunel Lounge
2.00 - 4pm	Welcome Afternoon Tea
3.00 - 5pm	Whiskey Tasting
5.30 - 6pm	Mulled Wine Drinks Reception with Canapés Festive Choir
From 6pm	Dinner in the Oak Restaurant

CHRISTMAS DAY - SUNDAY 25TH DECEMBER

8 - 10am	Christmas Breakfast in the Oak Restaurant
11am	Family Treasure Hunt - Concierge Desk
11am - 5pm	Relax in the Brunel Lounge
12noon - 2pm	Horse and Carriage - Concierge Desk
1 - 2.30pm	Light lunch and live entertainment for all residen
2.30pm	Arrival of Santa Claus
3.30 - 4.30pm	Children's pool party in the Spa
From 5.30pm	Bucks Fizz Drinks Reception
From 6pm	Dinner in the Oak Restaurant
9.30pm - 11.30pm	Live Musical Entertainment

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BOXING DAY - MONDAY 26TH DECEMBER

8 -10am	Boxing Day Breakfast in the Oak Restaurant
11am - 12noon	Massage Demonstration by Therapist in the Sp
11am - 1pm	Horse and Carriage - Concierge Desk
11am - 5pm	Relax in the Brunel Lounge
11.30 - 12.30pm	Magician Children's Party
1 - 2.30pm	Light lunch for all residents
2.30-3pm	Bingo
3 - 3.45pm	Wine and local Cheese Tasting
4 - 5pm	Spa – Body and Pedicure Demonstration
From 5.30pm	Kir Royale Aperitif
From 6.00pm	Grand Buffet Dinner in the Oak Restaurant
9.30 - 11.30pm	Live Musical Entertainment

TUESDAY - 27TH DECEMBER

8 - 10am	Breakfast in the Oak Restauran

*Dress code in the Oak Restaurant - Smart Casual

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Christmas Residential Experience

Experience the joy of Christmas in the luxury of the Slieve Donard Resort and Spa.

One Night	from £230 per person sharing
Two Nights	from £430 per person sharing
Three Nights	from £510 per person sharing

Single supplements apply

Upgrade accommodation - prices available on request

For the one Night Residential Package dinner will be served in the Percy French, our very own rustic-style Bistro set in the grounds of the Slieve Donard Resort and Spa

Children - £85 per night

The above rate applies to a maximum of two children under 14 who are sharing with two adults. For children under 14 who require separate accommodation, they will be charged 75% of the adult rate. Children under 2 years stay free of charge when sharing with adults.

Alternatively you can find our best available accommodation offers on our website www.hastingshotels.com or contact us to organise your own bespoke Christmas holiday to suit your requirements.

To make your Christmas Residential reservation, please contact Jackie on 028 4372 1018 or email res2@sdh.hastingshotels.com

THE PRIESTS

SINGING LIVE AT THE **SLIEVE DONARD RESORT AND SPA**

THURSDAY 22ND DECEMBER

DOORS 7.30 MULLED WINE AND MINCE PIES **SHOW 8.45 PM**

Tickets £45 from Ticketmaster or at the Slieve Donard Resort and Spa

> Tel: 028 4372 1066 or email conf@sdh.hastingshotels.com Doors: 7.30pm Show: 8.45pm



Christmas Day Grand Buffet Lunch

Our Christmas Day Grand Buffet Lunch in the Oak Restaurant is a sensational event. The Slieve Donard chefs prepare an extravagant buffet using the best local produce. Help yourself to Langoustines, Dundrum Bay Oysters, Dry Aged Sirloin of Beef, County Down Turkey, Bread and Butter Pudding and Pecan Pie – amongst umpteen other delectable choices.

As well as fabulous food there's also music, festive fun and even a visit from Santa with gifts for all the children.

£105 per adult

£55 for children

To make your Christmas Day reservation, please contact our Reception Desk on 028 4372 1003

A deposit of 50% is required to confirm the booking. Final full payment is required three weeks prior to Christmas Day.

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Boxing Day Lunch & Dinner

Treat yourself to a magnificent Lunch at the Slieve Donard this Boxing Day.

Lunch in the Oak Restaurant	£40
Served 12.30 – 2pm	
Grand Buffet Dinner in the Oak Restaurant Served from 6pm	£65

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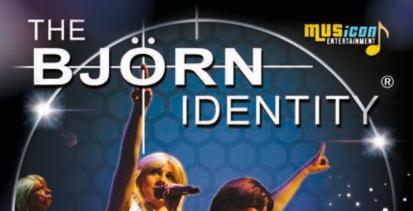
Food served all day at the Percy French

ADRIAN KNIGHT HILARIOUS HYPNOTISM

TUESDAY 27TH DECEMBER 2016 DOORS: 7.30PM SHOW: 8.45PM

An experienced performer and professional hypnotist, Adrian Knight has delighted and excited audiences for years. We guarantee you'll love his side-splitting entertainment, packed with fast-moving stories and audience participation.

Tickets £15 from Ticketmaster or directly from Slieve Donard Reception Desk Tel: 028 4372 1066 Email conf@sdh.hastingshotels.com Slieve Donard Resort & Spa Presents



THURSDAY 29TH DECEMBER 2016

Tickets £18 from Ticketmaster or at Slieve Donard Resort & Spa

Tel: **028 4372 1066** or **email conf@sdh.hastingshotels.com** Doors: 7.30 Show: 8.45pm

New Year's Eve Getaway 31st December 2016

Our dining and festivities are legendary, with gourmet food and premier entertainment. Pay us a visit, stay, feast and relax. Wave farewell to 2016 in style.

New Year's Eve Getaway Celebration 31st December 2016

2.30 - 5pm	Afternoon Tea and Mince Pies in the Oak Restaurant
7pm	A sparkling Prosecco Snipe Welcome Reception with General Manager, Stephen Meldrum, in the Annesley Lounge
7.45pm	Hogmanay Gala Banquet in the Oak Restaurant (including address to the Haggis)
9.45pm	Live entertainment
Midnight	Piper to lead in the Celebrations

New Year's Day - 1st January 2017

7-10.30am Breakfast in the Oak Restaurant





New Year's Eve at the Slieve

Gala Banquet Menu

Organic Irish Chicken Liver and Brandy Pâté served with homemade Grape Chutney, Watercress and Melba Toast *** Haggis, Neeps and Tatties served with Yellow Swede Fondant, Mashed Potatoes and a Drappie o' the Cratur *** Dexter Rare Irish Breed Beef Fillet slow Roasted

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Slieve Donard Grand Dessert - A selection of four mini Desserts

Thompson's Finest Tea and Bewley's Resort Blended Coffee with Edinburgh Fudge

£195 per person sharing (£30 single supplement) Hogmanay Gala Banquet only - £100 per person Black Tie Event

To make your New Year's Eve reservation, please contact Jackie on 028 4372 1018 or email res2@sdh.hastingshotels.com

New Year's Eve at Percy French

The atmospheric Percy French is the perfect venue to enjoy fine cuisine with family and friends this New Year's Eve.

Welcome Drinks

Homemade Ballybrie Wedge on a bed of Mixed Leaves with a Cumberland Dressing

Duck Liver Pâté served on Irwin's Toasted Soda Bread with Rocket and Red Onion garnish and Spiced Pear Chutney

Classic Prawn Cocktail, Prawns in Marie Rose Sauce, served with Irwin's Guinness Wheaten Bread, Salad and twist of Lemon Fan of Melon with a Fruit Coulis

> *** Cream of Leek and Potato Soup

Glenarm Organic Salmon served with Basil Mash, Steamed Broccoli and Sun Dried Tomato Tapenade

Northen Irish Sirloin Steak served with Causeway Chips and Peppercorn Sauce

Rump of Irish Lamb braised and served on a bed of Mint Mash, with a Red Wine, Pear and Lime Chutney Jus

Roast Butterflied Half Chicken, locally reared Carnbrooke Chicken, roasted with Lemon and Hastings homegrown Rosemary and accompanied by Sweet Potato Chips and a warm Bean Salad Locally Sourced Vegetable Goulash served with Creamy Mash

All main courses are served with Seasonal Vegetables and Potatoes

*** Chef's Selection of Desserts

*** Thompson's Finest Family Tea and Bewley's Resort Blend Coffee

> £45 per person All bookings must be pre-paid at time of Reservation Please call 028 4372 3175 to book Served from 5-9.30pm

The Spa at Slieve Donard

The Spa at the Slieve Donard is Northern Ireland's premier sanctuary for both body and mind. Treat yourself or someone special to a little luxury in our divine spa.

Christmas Special Spa Treatments

ESPA Aromatherapy Back, Neck and Head Massage*	
25 minutes	£40
ESPA Boutique Facial* 25 minutes	£40
File and Polish* 25 minutes	£25
ESPA Full Body Massage – choose from muscle relaxing, stress relieving, toning and detoxifying	
55 minutes	£65
Luxury Manicure and Pedicure 1 hour 10 minutes	£70
*These treatments are special rates for hotel residents	

Ultimate Detox

Counterbalance any festive over-indulgence with our Ultimate Detox package. Enjoy a welcome Foot Ritual, then a Detoxifying Body Massage followed by a Personalised Boutique ESPA Facial to regenerate and improve radiance. **1 hour 45 minutes** £130

For further information or reservations contact the Spa at Slieve Donard on **028 4372 6166**.

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Christmas Gifts AND VOUCHERS

At Hastings Hotels, we offer an extensive range of Gift Cheques, Spa Vouchers and Special Gift Experiences to take the stress out of Christmas shopping.

Gift Cheques can be spent at any of the six Hastings Hotels and allow family and friends to choose the perfect present for themselves - from a gourmet dinner, to a romantic break, spa treatment or even a round of drinks at the bar!

Gift cheques and vouchers can be purchased at all Hastings Hotels Receptions, online at **hastingshotels.com** or at Hastings Head Office on **028 9047 1066.**

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