

**IT'S THE MOST MAGICAL TIME OF YEAR
AT THE LANESBOROUGH, LONDON -
AN ENCHANTING REGENCY RESIDENCE FOR A VERY BRITISH
CHRISTMAS**



Part of the prestigious [Oetker Collection, The Lanesborough, London](#), is at its most magical during the festive season, softly sparkling with Christmas décor and full of merriment. The grand Regency residence is transformed into an enchanted country house filled with stunning seasonal displays. Whether it be for the ultimate city staycation or a Christmas shopping break to remember, The Lanesborough has something for all ages to enjoy during the holidays, with a variety of festive-filled experiences and exclusive packages to create unforgettable memories. The hotel is once again set to fill Londoners with Christmas cheer with a seasonal display titled “Magical Regency Splendour” created by Leanne Roberts-Hewitt from Wildabout Flowers.

The coveted installation will encompass the exterior Portico and entrance to the hotel which will be draped with a luxurious pine garland which will swag across the top balcony facade, fully decorated with warm festive lighting finished with luxurious oversized red bows. The exterior main pillars to the entrance will be adorned with opulent red satin ribbon cascade wrapped around each column. To finish a fabulous giant 5ft diameter luxury wreath smothered in gorgeous pine, richly decorated in red, green and golds finished with warm twinkly lights. A bespoke red Lanesborough sleigh will sit to the right of the entrance with the back piled up with presents and luxurious rugs and cushions.

On entering The Lanesborough you will be greeted by our beautiful fireplace dating back to 1719 which will be lit and adorned with luxury pine and overlaid with decorations and foliage. The reception area will feature a stunning statement custom made pine arch overlaid with traditional decorations, red ribbons to match the rest of the theme which will be created over a loveseat to create a perfect insta photograph moment.

Two clusters of mixed height luxury pine trees with stunning decorations adorned with warm lights will flank each side of the reception desk. The first cluster to the left of reception against the wall framing the entrance to the Withdrawing Room – the second cluster before the dividing arch from the main lobby to the concierge desk. This will then lead you to the 12ft tall pine tree, traditionally decorated to create a stunning visual centre piece.

Festive Shop and Stay - Private In-suite Shopping and Concierge Service in Partnership with Harvey Nichols Located in one of London’s best shopping districts, just a short stroll to Knightsbridge, The Lanesborough makes the perfect base from which to purchase Christmas gifts and soak up the city’s festive spirit. Back by popular demand, the hotel has once again partnered with neighbouring luxury department store, Harvey Nichols, to offer the ultimate private shopping experience. The exclusive partnership provides guests the luxury of a bespoke shopping appointment in the privacy of their very own suite. Shopping has never been more personalised, as each visitor will have exclusive access to a dedicated Harvey Nichols Private Shopping Consultant who will arrange a pre-appointment consultation to discover their exact needs and requests, and curate the most customised selection of goods. The Private Shopping Consultant will then present the meticulously selected items beautifully in the comfort of one’s suite, at their leisure, while one of The Lanesborough’s butlers keeps the Champagne flowing to truly elevate the experience. Harvey Nichols also offers a special edition Christmas Gift Concierge Service, designed to look after customers’ personal and gift shopping needs and take the stress out of any last-

minute gifting dilemmas. For the utmost ease, residents of The Lanesborough can count on their dedicated Private Shopping Consultant to source the most meaningful and specific gifts for loved ones, that are then gift wrapped in true Harvey Nichols' style with luxurious packaging before they are hand-delivered to the hotel. Combined with a stay at The Lanesborough *Deluxe Room's starting from £1,035 based on 2 adults, Junior Suite starting from £1,785 based on 2 adults including daily English breakfast served in-room or at The Lanesborough Grill and festive welcome treats on arrival.*

Christmas in Residence

The Lanesborough offers a magical home away from home this festive season with the Christmas in Residence package; perfect for a decadent Regency escape in the capital. During two or three days in residence at the hotel, guests will enjoy a magical Christmas Eve with mulled wine or hot chocolate on arrival, a beautifully decorated Christmas tree in their room or suite with festive amenities, a chauffeur-driven car to Harvey Nichols or Hamleys to pick up any final presents, and onto St. Paul's Church in Knightsbridge for a jolly evening service – with the benefit of having a dedicated Butler on hand to help with any last-minute present wrapping. Christmas Day will dawn with a delightful Champagne breakfast, hand-delivered by the Butler and served in bed if preferred, while little ones enjoy their personalised Lanesborough stocking. After the excitement of exchanging gifts, residents can join loved ones around the table at The Lanesborough Grill for a sumptuous five-course Christmas Day lunch, followed by a live broadcast of the King's Speech. Boxing Day begins with a quintessential English breakfast and the opportunity to take a chauffeur-driven car to Harvey Nichols to make the most of the Boxing Day sales.

The Christmas in Residence package starts from £1,677 in a Deluxe room based on 2 adults staying for 2 nights or more and Junior Suite's starting from £2,430 based on 2 adults staying for 2 nights or more. Rates are based per room per night available from 24th – 27th December 2023.



Festive Dining Experiences

The Lanesborough's flagship modern British restaurant, The Lanesborough Grill will play host to a series of celebratory and immersive dining experiences from 17 November 2023 to 7 January 2024. The exclusive **Festive Set Menu** has been created by acclaimed Executive Chef, Shay Cooper to honour the very finest British produce, including Duck liver parfait, mandarin chutney, hazelnut milk roll, Norfolk turkey Wellington, caramelised parsnip, sprout leaves, madeira and truffle, Lanesborough Christmas pudding caramelised milk ice cream, brandy sauce. Throughout December, The Lanesborough Grill will also embrace the run-up to Christmas with intimate **Festive Live Nights** sessions on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, including live entertainment from the hotel's resident musicians in the regal surroundings of the palatial dining room.

The Festive Set Menu is priced at £55 per person for three-courses with a supplement of £45 per person for wine pairing, £90 per person for fine wine pairing, The Live Night sessions are priced at £95 per person for three-courses and a glass of Champagne with a supplement of £45 per person for wine pairing and £90 per person for fine wine pairing.



Festive Private Dining Experiences

The Lanesborough's luxurious private dining rooms are perfect for getting into the spirit of Christmas, whether it is a sleek cocktail and canapé reception or sumptuous Festive celebration. Our beautifully crafted menus by Executive Chef Shay Cooper, paired with fine wines, excellent service will ensure that all your guests enjoy a party and event to remember.

The latest edition being The Wine Cellar at The Lanesborough, the perfect setting to linger over a cosy private lunch or dinner for up to 12 guests, or as an intimate venue for hosting tutored wine tastings, canapé and wine pairings and small receptions. *Three-course lunch or dinner menu at £135 per person, wine choices as per wine list.*



Queen Charlotte Festive Afternoon Tea

It doesn't get much more festive or Instagrammable than The Lanesborough's Queen Charlotte Festive Afternoon Tea. Taken in the richly decorated dining room of The Lanesborough Grill, the tea pairs one of London's most beautiful dining settings with the expertly crafted delicacies created by the hotel's talented team, led by Head Pastry Chef, Salvatore Mungiovino. Queen Charlotte: A Bridgerton Story, created in partnership with Netflix and Shondaland combines a wintertime immersion into a celebration of charming yuletide features, regal hues, and exquisite tastes. The festive tea will feature some of The Lanesborough's signature essentials such as finger sandwiches, scones, clotted cream, and jam, as well as the bespoke afternoon tea blends exclusive to the hotel. Savoury highlights include sandwiches such as Roast turkey, chestnut stuffing and cranberry mayonnaise. Beetroot cured salmon, yoghurt fill with lemon zest. Organic cucumber, sage cream cheese. Truffled egg mayonnaise with watercress. Cornfed chicken, prune and turkey pie.

Mungiovino's curated cake and sweet treat concept will include four signature highlights, including: **Your Majesty** – dedicated to the star of the show Queen Charlotte, sitting regally atop the cake stand – Your Majesty is an exquisite hand-crafted sharing cake, with hues of gold and red this elegant and delicate strawberry scented cream bavaroise, infused orange gel, almond crunchy base, sprayed with red chocolate. The crown is edible and made from Royal Icing fitting for a Queen. **King George - Dreams of Venus** – in honour of King George III and his love of astronomy, The King George is a cake of distinction and his pet nickname for his Queen, to the planet Venus. A planet sphere made of 54% chocolate mousse, Jasmin infused dark chocolate ganache, coca sable, glazed on blue and white and universal stars. **Queen Charlotte's – Christmas Tree** - inspired by Queen Charlotte introducing the first Christmas tree to the UK in 1800. A beautifully presented festive Black Forest gâteau, cherry mousse, spiced chocolate-soaked sponge covered in red chocolate, tonka meringue and a chocolate Christmas tree. **Danbury Delight** - Inspired by Lady Danbury's love of hats and jewels, a Madagascar vanilla cinnamon and caramelized almond delicé, vanilla bavarois, cinnamon Chantilly, caramelized almond praline with a chocolate glaze.



To accompany tea, guests should sample a classic glass of chilled Champagne or try the The Queen Charlotte Festive cocktail; a refreshing recipe combining Fords Gin, Chambord liqueur, cranberry, exotic lychee, home vanilla sweetness and lime sunshine, topped with Champagne for the Royal seal of approval, served with a festive garnish. Or Non-Alcoholic; Naughty Sparkling Rosé, served with cranberry juice, exotic lychee, home vanilla sweetness and lime sunshine.

The Lanesborough's festive Afternoon Tea is available from 10 November 2023 to 7 January 2024 and is priced at £90 per person with the Festive Cocktail or Mocktail, or £95 with a glass of Champagne.



Lanesborough Land of Snow – Weekend Afternoon Tea

On the 2nd and 3rd December, the grand ballroom of Belgravia will be transformed into a utopia of The Land of Snow for a special magical afternoon tea service experience. Guests on these two days will experience a perfect setting of twilight winter, white gypsophila covering the floor, while Christmas Trees line the room creating a magical twinkly woodland. In addition, on Saturday 2nd December, a special ballet stage performance will take place with four enactments from the nutcracker including Clara and the nutcracker, and the sugar plum fairy to accompany afternoon tea.

Priced at £120 per person for adults for Afternoon Tea including a glass of Champagne and £75 per child on Saturday 2nd December to include the Nutcracker ballet performances. Afternoon Tea slots are at 12.30pm and 3.30pm prompt.

£105 per person for adults for Afternoon Tea including a glass of Champagne and £65 per child on Sunday 3rd December (no ballet performances on Sunday 3rd). Afternoon Tea slots are at 12.30pm and 3.30pm prompt.

Christmas Eve Dinner

A pre festive celebration choice four-course Christmas Eve dinner will be available in The Lanesborough Grill, to kick off the festive celebrations, with live entertainment.

Christmas Eve Dinner is priced at £175 per person with a supplement of £70 per person for wine pairing and £130 for fine wine pairing.



A Very British Christmas Day Lunch

Those seeking a well-deserved break from their kitchens can treat themselves to an exceptional British **Christmas Day Lunch** in the richly decorated dining room of The Lanesborough Grill. Naturally illuminated during the day by a domed glass roof while seductively aglow under softly lit chandeliers in the evening – it is the perfect setting for an unforgettable Christmas Day with loved ones. The five-course choice menu will feature modern classics such as Mushroom parfait, charred celeriac, Jerusalem artichoke, truffle brioche, London cure smoked salmon, Baerri caviar horseradish cream, buckwheat blini, traditional roast Cotswold turkey with traditional festive

garnish, and Lanesborough Christmas pudding with brandy sauce and vanilla ice cream – served with a glass of Champagne to get in the celebratory spirit.

Christmas Day Lunch is priced at £370 per person with a supplement of £120 per person for wine pairing and £190 per person for fine wine pairing.



Christmas Day Buffet Lunch

A lavish Christmas Day buffet will also be served in The St George's Room with views to the Wellington Arch, erected at the same time as the hotel building, in celebration of Britain's victory in the Napoleonic Wars. High ceilings, chandeliers, period artworks, a cosy lit original Regency fireplace featuring beautiful wood marquetry make for majestic surroundings to enjoy Christmas Day lunch. A selection of dishes including shellfish cocktail, Champagne jelly, caviar, dressed duck liver pâté, truffle butter, toasted sourdough bread, game consommé, truffle chicken dumplings, Lambton & Jackson smoked salmon, crème fraîche, capers, blini, cep parfait, madeira jelly, fig brioche, Colston Bassett Stilton tartlet, apple, port, celery, traditional Christmas turkey carved in the room, served with all the trimmings, nut roast, served with traditional Christmas accompaniments, Salmon coulibiac, Pommery mustard sauce. To finish a selection of British cheeses, nuts, dates, figs, mandarin, grapes, biscuits and crackers, traditional Christmas pudding, brandy sauce, vanilla cream, Sherry trifle, mince pies.

Christmas Day Buffet Lunch is priced at £275 per person and £135 per child – served at 12.30pm in the St George's Room.



New Year's Eve in Residence

Guests can ring in the new year in serious style with The Lanesborough's New Year's Eve in Residence package. Checking in on 31 December, residents will be greeted with a bottle of Moët & Chandon Champagne to toast to good health and prosperity when the clock strikes midnight. To usher in 2024, the package includes a spectacular seven-course dinner with live festive entertainment in The Lanesborough Grill. The following day, guests in residence can kickstart the New Year by indulging in a traditional English breakfast served in the comfort of their room by their very own personal butler. A late check-out of 6pm allows plenty of time for R&R before departure, in the luxurious surrounds of The Lanesborough Club & Spa.

The New Year's Eve in Residence package starts from £2,190 based on 2 adults in a Deluxe Room and £2,940 in a Junior Suite and is valid for a one-night stay on 31 December 2023.

New Year's Eve Dinner and New Year's Day Lunch

Those who aren't staying overnight, but don't want to miss out on the fun, can welcome the New Year at The Lanesborough Grill over a glamorous seven-course **New Year's Eve Dinner**, with live music, prepared by Executive Chef, Shay Cooper. Featuring world-class Champagne and dishes such as Dorset crab, lovage, green apple, white almond gazpacho, Orkney scallop, winter tomato, macadamia nut, lemon kosha, citrus vinegar, grilled native lobster, quail ravioli, Parmesan, truffled chicken broth, Hereford beef fillet, braised lettuce, smoked ox tongue, shallot, green peppercorn bearnaise, Lancashire bomb, muscovado, walnut and date cake, molasses and to finish a raspberry parfait, Champagne, lime - served with a glass of Champagne to get in the celebratory spirit.

There will also be a celebratory three-course **New Year's Day Lunch** at The Lanesborough Grill.

New Year's Eve Dinner is priced at £355 per person for seven courses with a supplement of £170 per person for wine pairing and £240 per person for fine wine pairing. New Year's Day Lunch is priced at £105 per person for three-courses with a supplement of £60 per person for wine pairing and £100 for fine wine pairing.



New Year's Eve – The Library Bar at The Lanesborough

Alternatively, one can raise a glass to 2024 in the privacy of [The Library Bar](#) – a sanctuary away from the hustle and bustle of city life, with dimmed lighting, grand surrounds, and the UK's best Cognac and single malt Whisky selection with bottles dating back to 1770. The Library Bar exudes old-world charm and provides a truly unique experience, serving London's finest champagne tipples and twists on timeless classics. Ignite the magic of the party season together with Moët & Chandon, as we raise a glass to 2024 and dance our way into the new year. *Tickets are priced at £200 per person and include entry to the Library Bar for the night, half a bottle of Moët & Chandon, a selection of canapés served from 9pm to 11pm and a DJ set from 9pm to 2am.*

During the Festive Season in The Library Bar – The Library Bar team of talented mixologists have created a delicious new cocktail, **The Festive Indulgence** to toast the season. A luxurious blend of Belvedere Vodka infused with Madagascar vanilla, shaken with mint & chocolate liqueurs, a layer of red berries foam mixed with Chambord liqueur, topped with marshmallows. The ultimate in festive indulgence.

The Festive Indulgence Cocktail priced at £19 per person and available from 17th November 2023 to 7th January 2024.



Lanesborough Club & Spa Festive Winter Warmer

After a busy day of shopping – indulge in the ultimate luxurious treat with an immersion at The Lanesborough Club & Spa. The Festive Winter Warmer package starts with a 60-minute, amethyst wrap, consisting of a warm oil painting ritual, an amethyst gel body wrap with a face and head massage to relax and balance the nervous system, stimulate circulation and regenerate skin cells and boost cell growth. Followed by a 60-minute deeper connections full body massage the magical hands of our therapists can: relax body, mind and spirit in a luxurious and nourishing way or be more dynamic to encourage circulation, tone muscles and stimulate the whole body, restoring energy, using warm oils and targeted deep tissue massages to untie the knots, release the tension and instil calm to troubled physiques. To finish a 24-carat pure gold + Led Lumijade ritual, which is a 75-minute ultimate manicure or pedicure experience delivered by our most experienced therapists using L'Atelier Green organic plant-based skincare. The treatment includes shaping, buffing, cuticle care, moisturising, a soothing gold jelly mask with a hot towel and an indulgent 20-minute massage. The next step is the application of 24-carat pure gold leaves which has an antioxidant action and helps the process of skin cells renewal. Led Lumijade light therapy and 24-carat pure gold, has been shown to uniquely reduce inflammation and decrease cell degradation, are combined in this luxurious manicure treatment. Finally choose your favourite colour from Evergreen gel or Naked Nails polish and a mist of organic Rose water La Douceur Rose.

Priced at £500 per person including lunch in The Lanesborough Club & Spa Restaurant and use of all the Club & Spa facilities including the spa relaxation lounge, hydra pool, sauna, steam, rain showers. Available from 1st October 2023 to 7th January 2024.

For more information, please visit www.oetkercollection.com/hotels/the-lanesborough/festive/

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About The Lanesborough

With its enviable location at the heart of London in prestigious Knightsbridge, and panoramic views of Hyde Park, The Lanesborough has long been considered one of the world's most luxurious hotels. The hotel's legacy lies with it having been built on the former home of Viscount Lanesborough and remains one of London's most revered Regency landmarks. The elegant surroundings, exquisite cuisine, unsurpassed attention to detail and world-renowned service is second to none. The Lanesborough captures the sense of a grand residence and offers 93 guest rooms, including 48 suites, and a personal butler service for all guests across all room categories. Oetker Collection manages the hotel, bringing their expertise to the United Kingdom for the first time. www.oetkercollection.com/hotels/the-lanesborough

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