



PRESTONFIELD

PRESTONFIELD HOUSE EDINBURGH



FESTIVE CELEBRATIONS 2017

A photograph of a grand, historic dining room. The walls are a deep red with vertical wood paneling and several framed portraits. A large, ornate chandelier with many lit candles hangs from the ceiling. Large windows with dark, patterned curtains let in natural light. In the foreground, a round table is set with white linens, glassware, and a small floral centerpiece. A chair with a pink and black floral pattern is visible. In the background, another table is set, and a fireplace is visible on the left.

**“Rhubarb
is a remarkable
experience”**

The Guardian

Celebrate at Prestonfield

Built as the grand home of Edinburgh's Lord Provost, Prestonfield was designed for impressive entertaining. That tradition continues today.

During the festive season, James Thomson's uniquely individual style is given full reign, with abundant decorations, blazing log fires and candles throughout Prestonfield's sumptuously furnished rooms. Prestonfield is the perfect place to celebrate, relax and enjoy exceptional dining with family, friends or colleagues. We have a host of exciting options to inspire your festive celebrations:

Festive menus throughout December in Rhubarb

Traditional Christmas Day Lunch and Dinner

Festive dining in our exquisite private dining rooms

Festive Champagne Afternoon Tea

Winter Wonderland Christmas Nights Friday/Saturday 9, 15, 16 & 22 December 2017

Prestonfield's Gala Hogmanay Ball Sunday 31 December 2017

Prestonfield's Burns Supper Thursday 25 January 2018

**Prestonfield's selection of gift vouchers valid year-round or
Just for January and February – an exceptionally affordable way
to dine or stay!**

However you choose to celebrate, you'll find the very best of Scottish hospitality, along with an attention to detail and personal touches that have become the hallmark of Prestonfield.

We look forward to welcoming you to Prestonfield this festive season.

Prestonfield Festive Dining

Seasonal dining in the most opulent of settings for both lunch and dinner throughout the festive season.

Jerusalem artichoke pressing, pain d'épices, goats' cheese, rosemary and salted lemon
Confit hake in seaweed butter, celeriac, vegetable à la Grecque, crab biscuit, dill oil
Cauliflower velouté, Kalamata olive gnocchi, crowdie, caper brown butter
Pressé of goose confit, mandarin, spiced plums, pickled navet

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Scottish Borders pheasant and Parma ham boudin, crushed, spiced ironbark pumpkin,
sage rosti, wild mushrooms and cranberries

Slow-Braised feather blade of Angus beef, parsnip purée, pomme Berrichonne
Brussels sprouts

Pan-seared fillet of bream, tomato and fennel fondue, mussel broth and saffron potatoes
Malted barley risotto, roast Roscoff onions with sage, pickled mushrooms on toast,
St Duthac's blue cheese, crispy kale

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Warm Christmas pudding, spiced rum custard, vanilla ice cream, brandy snap
Dark chocolate delice, tangerine, salted caramel ice cream, muscavado, crumble
Pink Lady apple tart fine, ginger crumble ice cream, lingonberries
Whipped Katy Rodger's crowdie, pickled sultanas, celery salt and walnut bread

Available from Thursday 30 November until Thursday 4 January
Lunch £35 and Dinner £44

Lunch 12-2pm (Sunday from 12.30 – 3pm) Dinner 6-10pm

Not available on 25 and 31 December

Reservations 0131 225 1333 or online at prestonfield.com

Christmas Day

White bean and smoked ham hock broth, sundried tomato dumplings, basil pesto croûte
Salt-baked beetroot tartare, goats' curd, orange blossom, pickled and caramelised walnuts,
winter truffle and quails' egg

Hand-picked white crab meat, hass avocado, langoustine beignet, puffed red wild rice and
brown crab mayonnaise

Pressing of goose and foie gras, spiced brioche, pineapple chutney, Madeira jelly

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Butter-poached St Brides free range turkey, apple and cinnamon stuffing, goose fat roast
potato, pigs in blankets, bread, cranberry and gravy sauces

Fillet of Scotch beef, curried oxtail croquette, gratinated leeks, roast Jerusalem artichokes

Home-smoked salmon fillet, fennel and tomato stew,
Riesling butter sauce, steamed mussels

Egg yolk ravioli, roast butternut squash, gorgonzola, pickled grelots, almond gremolata,
chestnut mushrooms

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Warm Christmas pudding, Baileys butter cream, orange confit, vanilla custard

Vanilla and cranberry gateau mille-feuille, cranberry sorbet, almond brittle, lime confit

Milk chocolate and praline gateau, apple crumble ice cream, caramel sauce,
poached blackcurrants

Pear gingerbread and butter pudding, spiced pear sorbet, molasses sauce

Lunch 12-3pm or Dinner 6-9pm £120 per person
£60 non-refundable prepayment per person
with full payment by 1 December

"A **stunning** mix of
opulence, **grandeur**
and **comfort**."

Scotland on Sunday



Festive Private Dining

Celebrate the festive season with friends, family or colleagues in the most exquisite and sought-after private rooms in the city.

Entertain in distinctive style in Prestonfield's unique private dining rooms. Decorated to suit the season, they are perfect for parties from 10 up to 100 and will enhance any festive celebration.

Stuart Room. With dramatic red, gold and black décor, this theatrical room seats up to 24 guests in dramatic and memorable style.

Italian Room. Dramatic painted panelling and an open log fire make this an impressive setting for parties of up to 24 guests.

Garden Room. Chic and elegant, with hand-painted Chinese scenes and a covered private terrace, the Garden Room seats up to 50 guests.

Rhubarb. Prestonfield's indulgent and stylish restaurant, Rhubarb, is the ultimate in Christmas entertaining for festive groups of up to 50 or 100 guests.



Stuart Room



Garden Room



Italian Room

**For an exceptional event call 0131 662 2323 or
events@prestonfield.com**

A photograph of a luxurious hotel reception area. In the center is a plush red velvet sofa with gold-colored metal framing and curved legs. Behind the sofa is a dark wood panelled wall with a large, ornate chandelier featuring multiple pink lampshades. A red carpet with gold stripes runs down the center of the room. The walls are dark wood, and there are red curtains on the sides.

**“Triple A-rated
spoil me factor”**

Tatler

**“...this is the swankiest,
most swoon-some
hotel imaginable”**

The Telegraph

Reception at Prestonfield

Winter breaks at Prestonfield

In winter, Edinburgh sparkles with over a month of festivities from late November through to Hogmanay and beyond.

Our 23 rooms and suites are the perfect cossetting retreat, with every modern convenience hidden behind the silk and velvet upholstered walls. Beds are piled high with cushions, opulent furnishings abound and our bathrooms have lashings of exclusive products and oh so fluffy towels and robes.

Revel in the grand-luxe indulgence of dining in Rhubarb or enjoy a malt in the Whisky Room! A leisurely afternoon in front of the fire in the Leather Room or a DVD with room service in your suite? The choice is yours - why not indulge a little?

Pre-Christmas indulgence Indulge before the festive season or do your Christmas shopping in affordable style with a luxury room, breakfast and 3-course table d'hôte dinner for two for just £245 per room. ***You'll even find a complimentary bottle of Champagne in your room on check in, this exceptional offer must be booked by 1 December 2017, and is available on selected dates from Sunday 3 – Friday 22 December (not available on Saturdays).***

Hogmanay Break Enjoy an indulgent Hogmanay break from £425 per room per night including Champagne and breakfast between 29 December to 1 January subject to a 3-night stay.

Just for January and February Buy our January and February only vouchers to dine, stay or enjoy afternoon tea at Prestonfield at the best prices you'll see all year with bed, breakfast and Champagne for two from £199 or an amazing £225 including a 3-course table d'hôte dinner for two. Suites are available at a £100 supplement (Not available on Saturdays).

Bookings are subject to availability and allocation with a limited number of rooms available at these rates. Terms and conditions apply.

Reservations 0131 225 7800 or online at prestonfield.com

Festive Afternoon Tea

Escape for an afternoon of fireside indulgence and spoil yourself with a decadent Champagne Afternoon Tea.

With its sumptuous historic rooms adorned with seasonal decorations, twinkling Christmas trees and roaring open fires, nowhere is more welcoming than Prestonfield.

And all of this is just minutes away from Edinburgh's shopping delights.

Alongside all of the traditional sandwiches, warm savouries, scones and home-baked cakes you'll enjoy a glass of chilled Billecart-Salmon Champagne and a selection of speciality teas and coffees.

Afternoon Tea makes a memorable gift voucher.

**Festive Afternoon Tea £30 or Champagne Afternoon Tea £40 per person
served daily 12-7pm (Sunday 12.45pm – 7pm)
Not available on 25 December 2017**



Afternoon Tea at Prestonfield



Rhubarb Restaurant



Tapestry Room

Reservations 0131 225 7800 or online at prestonfield.com

The Gift of Prestonfield

Buying the perfect Christmas gift just couldn't be easier....

Choose from a selection of indulgent Prestonfield Gift experiences including:

Champagne Afternoon Teas

Lunch or Dinner in Rhubarb

Indulgent overnight stays in our rooms or suites

Or choose from the exceptionally-affordable gift voucher experiences that are available
Just for January and February

Alternatively you might prefer to purchase a Prestonfield Gift Voucher with a monetary value and let your friends, family or colleagues decide how they wish to indulge themselves!

Our vouchers also make an impressive corporate gift.

Buy online, by telephone, or in person. Prestonfield Gift Vouchers are beautifully presented and can be delivered to you, or sent directly to the recipient.



Churchill Suite



Yellow Room



Prestonfield

prestonfield.com or 0131 225 7800

“Get frocked up,
it’s Showtime!”

The List



WINTER WONDERLAND

**Christmas parties in unique Prestonfield style with a welcome cocktail,
3-course dinner and exceptional entertainment from just £55.**

Our Winter Wonderland Christmas Party nights offer an exceptional evening of fine food and a fabulous festive caberet show during and after dinner, in the lavish setting of Prestonfield's glittering ballroom.

Start your evening with a Winter Cocktail before a 3-course choice menu with coffee and mince pies included from just £55 per person or £65 with a half bottle of wine included. Our big band sound will entertain between courses, and after dinner too, with everything from seasonal festive classics to lively ceilidh. Expect a packed dance floor!

Baked potato, sour cream and leek soup

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Treacle-roast ham hough and confit chicken pressé, mustard fruits, date ketchup,
buttermilk dressed endive

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Traditional roast turkey, goose fat roasters, sage and onion stuffing,
pigs in blankets, cranberry and bread sauces

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Smoked hake, orange and parsley crumb, tomato and fennel fondue,
saffron potatoes, white wine sauce

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Warm Christmas pudding, brandy snap, orange clotted cream, custard

or

Milk chocolate cheesecake, salted caramel sauce, Chantilly cream

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Tea coffee and mince pies

Saturday 9, Friday 15, Saturday 16 and Friday 22 December
Tickets are £55 per person or £65 inclusive of a half bottle of wine
On Friday 15 December, tickets are priced at £60 per person
or £70 inclusive of a half bottle of wine
Reservations 0131 662 2323 or events@prestonfield.com

Hogmanay Ball

An unrivalled evening of spectacular food, drink, and entertainment in the velvet and gilt splendour of Prestonfield's Stables Ballroom.

Welcome in the New Year in traditional Prestonfield style with a Champagne reception, lavish 4-course dinner and Celtic cabaret. A lively ceilidh band will play until midnight, when a disco will see you back on the dance floor until carriages at 1am.

Smoked salmon, saffron aioli, dill cucumber, salmon tartar, pink grapefruit, caper relish

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Lobster bisque, caramelised Jerusalem artichoke and shiitake mushroom pressing, truffle, preserved lemon

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Roast fillet of Scottish Borders Angus Beef, salted-baked celeriac, pommes Anna, crispy kale, Bordelaise sauce

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70% dark chocolate and hazelnut delicé, salted caramel ganache, beetroot and lime

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Tea coffee and fudge

**Prestonfield's Hogmanay Ball is £120 per person
£60 non-refundable prepayment per person with full payment
by 1 December. Seating is on tables of 10**

Dress code: black tie/tartan

**Prestonfield's restaurant, Rhubarb, is open for Lunch & Dinner
throughout the Hogmanay celebrations. Reservations 0131 225 1333**

Ball reservations 0131 662 2305 or events@prestonfield.com



“A baroque
extravaganza

where **more** is most
certainly **more!**”

Scotland on Sunday

The Stables at Prestonfield

Just for January and February...

Why not take the opportunity to enjoy exceptionally affordable experiences at Prestonfield with a range of Just for January and February vouchers? Experience luxury stays, fine dining and our renowned afternoon teas at exceptionally low *Just for January and February* rates.

Just for January and February overnight stay only £199 per room for two.

Enjoy a luxurious Prestonfield room with a bottle of Champagne on arrival, spend time experiencing all that Prestonfield has to offer and enjoy Prestonfield's full Scottish breakfast before you depart. *Just for January and February* you could stay in a luxurious Prestonfield suite for a £100 supplement. Not available Saturdays.

Just for January and February overnight stay with Champagne, Scottish breakfast and dinner just £225 for two.

Our very best rate of the year. A luxurious Prestonfield deluxe room, a bottle of chilled Champagne, plus a 3-course table d'hôte dinner in Rhubarb and our full Scottish breakfast before you depart. £100 supplement for suites. Not available Saturdays.

Just for January and February Champagne Afternoon Tea only £60 for two.

Enjoy an indulgent and memorable Champagne Afternoon Tea for two with a substantial saving.

A great way to enjoy Prestonfield's unique atmosphere and historic setting with sparkling silverware and all the trimmings! Includes a glass of Champagne, speciality teas, traditional sandwiches, scones with preserves and home-baked patisserie.

Just for January and February vouchers can be redeemed between 2 January & 28 February 2018 subject to availability.

Advance booking is required and full terms and conditions are available at prestonfield.com

Buy online at prestonfield.com or 0131 225 7800

PRESTONFIELD'S BURNS SUPPER 2018

Join us on Thursday 25 January 2018 for Prestonfield's annual Burns Supper, supporting Prostate Scotland.

Prestonfield's Annual Burns Supper returns with its usual mix of wit, wine, whisky and wisdom accompanied by fine seasonal food and one or two musical surprises.

The inimitable broadcaster, Grant Stott, will be our host and introduce an entertaining range of speakers including celebrated actor David Ashton and Football Director Jacqui Low, with music from Brigid Mhairi and Richard Dunn.

With tempting lots for auction too, this is a memorable evening and a great way to start the New Year in style at just £50 per person inclusive of welcome drink, 3-course dinner with coffee and exceptional entertainment.

To reserve your place call 0131 662 2323 or events@prestonfield.com

THE TOWER

"Exceptional
views

and **tastes** to match.

The Tower has just
about **got the lot"**

The List

"An **obvious** place
to take visitors and
important clients"

Food Illustrated

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TOWER FESTIVE MENU

An exceptional setting with delicious food, inspirational wines and deft service makes James Thomson's rooftop Tower a memorable choice for spectacular private and corporate festive dining.

Inverawe Loch Etive smoked trout, beetroot gel, lemon crème fraîche

Game terrine, pickled pear, walnut croutons

Spiced celeriac and apple velouté

Tower pork pie, homemade piccalilli, Stornoway black pudding

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Pan-seared fillet of hake, crushed heritage potatoes, mussels, saffron butter sauce

Braised Jacob's Ladder beef, horseradish croquette,
artichoke purée, wilted greens

Winter squash risotto, crisp kale, parmesan shavings

Free-range turkey wrapped in Ayrshire streaky bacon, rosemary stuffing,
roasted root vegetables, red wine jus

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Dark chocolate terrine, Maldon salt, honeycomb

Isle of Mull Cheddar, Stilton, quince jelly, oatcakes

Tower's flaming Christmas pudding, brandy sauce

Bramley apple and cinnamon crumble, caramel ice cream

Festive Afternoon Tea and Brunch available daily.

Available 30 November – 30 December Lunch £29.95 Dinner £38.

**Lunch 12 - 4.30pm and Dinner 5 - 11pm £15 per person
non-refundable deposit required to confirm group bookings**

Reservations 0131 225 3003 or online at tower-restaurant.com

THE WITCHERY[®]

by the castle



FESTIVE CELEBRATIONS 2017



THE WITCHERY®

by the castle

Festive Menu

**Dine in the baroque surroundings of the original oak-panelled Witchery,
or in the elegant charms of the Secret Garden.**

This is festive dining at its most magical.

Jerusalem artichoke & parmesan velouté, artichoke crisps

Duck wing & leg confit terrine, pistachio, blood orange & gem

Home-cured gravlax, whipped Roquefort cheese, toasted walnut, pear gel

Roast Scottish Borders Partridge, Savoy cabbage & bacon, liver crouton, Cumberland sauce

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Roast cutlet of rare breed pork, veal & pecorino fagottini, sage & pancetta jus

Flat Iron steak, celeriac dauphinoise, watercress pureé with béarnaise or bordelaise sauce

North Sea hake fillet, lobster beignet, sea beet, fennel cream, lemon oil

Baked baby Cauliflower, twice-baked goats' cheese soufflé

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Warmed dark chocolate & beetroot sponge, spiced clementine, mascarpone cream

Pear tarte tatin, star anise caramel, milk ice cream

Valrhona caramelito chocolate mousse, roast banana, coconut anglaise

Witchery cheese selection

Available 30 November - 30 December. Lunch £36 Dinner £39.95

Lunch 12 - 4.30pm. Dinner 5.00 - 11.30pm last reservation

£15 per person non-refundable deposit required

to confirm group bookings

Reservations 0131 225 5613 or online at thewitchery.com

THE WITCHERY®

by the castle

The Witchery Suites

Hidden in the historic buildings at the gates of Edinburgh Castle are a collection of nine theatrical and decadent suites.

Frequently featured on lists of the world's most unique places to stay, each is perfect for those looking for the most magical setting. Whichever suite you choose, you'll find wall-to-wall decadence, romantic décor and roll-top baths for two.

The Witchery's unforgettable experience is from £345 per suite per night, inclusive of a welcome bottle of complimentary Champagne and the Witchery's continental breakfast served in your suite, or inclusive of our cooked breakfast by candlelight in the oak-panelled Witchery itself. For just a lucky few searching for a unique Christmas experience, the Witchery's suites are now available for guests to stay in over Christmas itself.

Stays at the Witchery Suites are also available as a gift voucher.



Old Rectory Suite

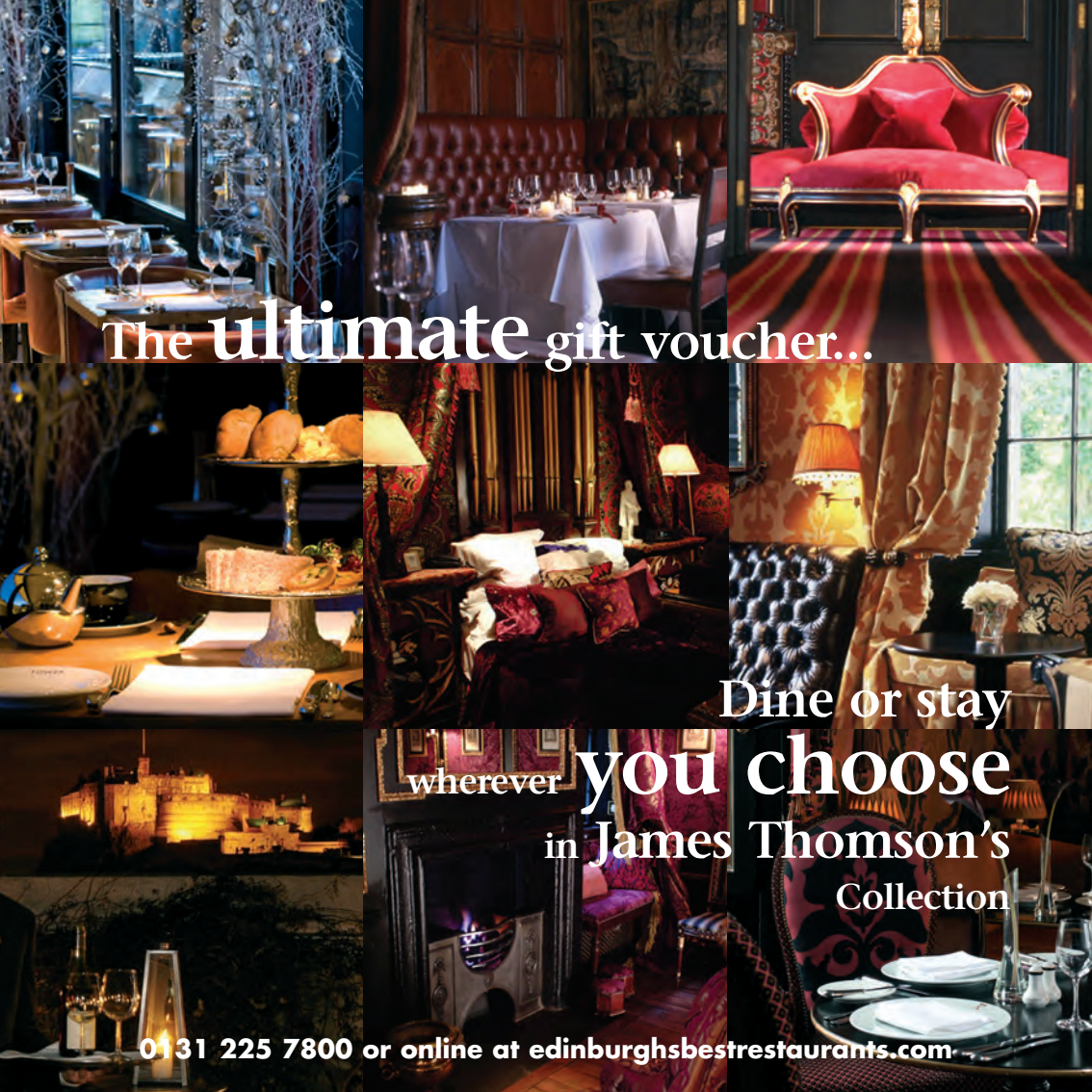


Guardroom Suite



Sempill Suite

Reservations 0131 225 5613 or online at thewitchery.com



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in James Thomson's
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