

Welcome to the first class news of 2005



Class news comes to you three times a year bringing you news, views, competitions and the latest up to date information within the world of hospitality, keeping you informed with all the latest developments.

We would very much like this to be a two way communication with our client's so if there is anything you think we should include in our news letter then please contact karen@classevents.co.uk and we will do our best to include them.



Donnington Valley Hotel Newbury The Wow Factor at Donnington!

Guests are being wowed by the newly refurbished bedrooms at Donnington Valley Hotel. With over a third of the bedrooms and bathrooms completely redecorated, they are now stylishly presented in three contemporary colours, creating a comfortable ambience with all the amenities, leisure or corporate guests would expect from a 4-star hotel room.

As well as white Egyptian cotton duvets, new furnishings, marble bathrooms, lighting and décor, the rooms also now have safes, mini bar facilities and a range of services for guests with physical disabilities, including vibrating pillows for the deaf, wheelchair access, a newspaper reading service and the hotel compendium in Braille.

Ben Danielsen, General Manager at Donnington Valley said, 'We are extremely proud of how the new bedrooms look, and guest feedback has been ex-

Class Events Prize Draw



Class Events Limited are pleased to bring you their spring prize draw which will take place on the 31st July 2005 .

As usual for every piece of confirmed business placed through Class Events between 1st May 2005 and 31st July 2005 you will be entered into our prize draw.

This quarters prizes are :-

1. Weekend for two people at Hilton Hotel Brussels for two nights inc Breakfast
2. Full Afternoon Tea for two at Kilworth House Hotel (restrictions apply)
3. Sunday Lunch for four people at the Donnington Valley Hotel

Congratulations to the winners from the last news letter

tremely positive. By September all 58 of our rooms will be refurbished, and I would encourage guests to come along and see Donnington Valley for themselves.'

There are special rates available during May and June when booked through Class Events.



Kilworth House Hotel Breast Cancer Appeal



Kilworth House Hotel

North Kilworth, Leicester

Midsummer Ball – Friday 24th June 2005

The next big event in the fundraising calendar will be a Midsummer Ball that promises to be a memorable evening. The whole hotel will be reserved for guests attending the ball and places will be limited to just 128. The aim is to raise over £10,000 from this event alone!

The evening starts at 7pm. with a champagne reception on the terrace, followed by a four-course dinner in the magnificent Kilworth Orangery. After dinner, there will be an auction hosted by television auctioneer Philip Allwood, with some fantastic prizes. You can then dance the night away in our Terrace Marquee to the great sounds of top band, Cloud Nine.

The price for this unique evening is £125 per person or £1,000 for a table of eight. Why not make it the perfect Country House experience and stay overnight from just £125 per room including breakfast

Kilworth House Hotel hope to raise £30,000 during 2005 for the Breast Cancer Appeal, the summer ball is just one event helping them to do this. If you are interested in booking a place please do not hesitate to contact us for tickets.

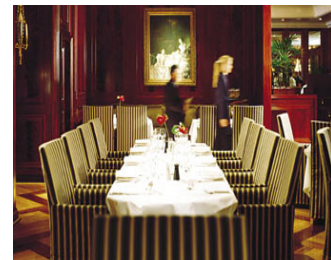
This gorgeous venue is suitable for any type of event , so keep it in mind for your next conference.



SITE INSPECTIONS

Why not come and see some of these possible venues for yourself. Planned future site inspections include :-

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| 1. | Corus Hotel | Leicester |
| 2. | De Vere Belfry Hotel | Wishaw |
| 3. | The Grange Hotel | Bracknell |
| 4. | Kilworth House Hotel | Leicester |
| 5. | Millennium Madjeski Hotel | Reading |
| 6. | Radisson Edwardian | Heathrow |



If any of these venues are of interest to you then contact **KAREN** today and put your name on the list to join us.

Places fill fast so call **0845 634 2200** to avoid disappointment.

We have more site inspections planned over the next few months, we will put our reports in the next news letter, in the meantime if you are looking for a venue for a forthcoming event then please do call us as we already have a full list of venues and destinations that we have visited.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MAY 2005

30-1	Guineas Festival	Aintree
30-7	Kylie "Show Girl" Tour	Earls Court
2-5/6	Hickstead Horse Show	Hickstead
4-6	Chester Races	Chester
9	Rod Stewart Live	Earls Court
12-15	British Masters	Twickenham
21-22	Monaco Grand Prix	Monaco
21	FA Cup Final	Cardiff
23- 5/6	French Open	France
24-28	Chelsea Flower Show	London

JUNE 2005

2-6	Wales Open	Celtic Manor
3-4	Vodafone Oaks & Derby Day	Epsom
6-11	Stella Artois Tournament	Queens Club
14-18	Royal Ascot	York
19	Natwest Tri-Nations England V Australia	Bristol
20-3/7	Wimbledon	London
29-3/7	Henley Regatta	Henley

JULY 2005

2-3	Warwick Castle Summer Concert	Warwick
5-10	Hampton Court Palace Flower Festival	Hampton Court
8	British Grand Prix Ball	
9	British Grand Prix	Silverstone

AND FINALLY

Class Events are delighted to announce that Penny Gurland has joined us as an Account Director. We wish her success in her new role. If any one would like a visit from one of our sales team please contact the office to arrange an appointment to suit you.