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Welcome

Welcome to the March issue of Cadogan VIP.

It feels as though Spring is on the way, with snowdrops emerging at Chelsea Physic Garden, lighter evenings and new season collections tempting us to shop.

A personal highlight of the month for me is the return of BADA to Duke of York Square. I'm delighted to say that we have complimentary tickets for our members, so I do hope that you will be able to visit and enjoy it.

We also have suggestions for Mother's Day presents and dining out, in addition to some inspiring Easter getaways.

Until next month,



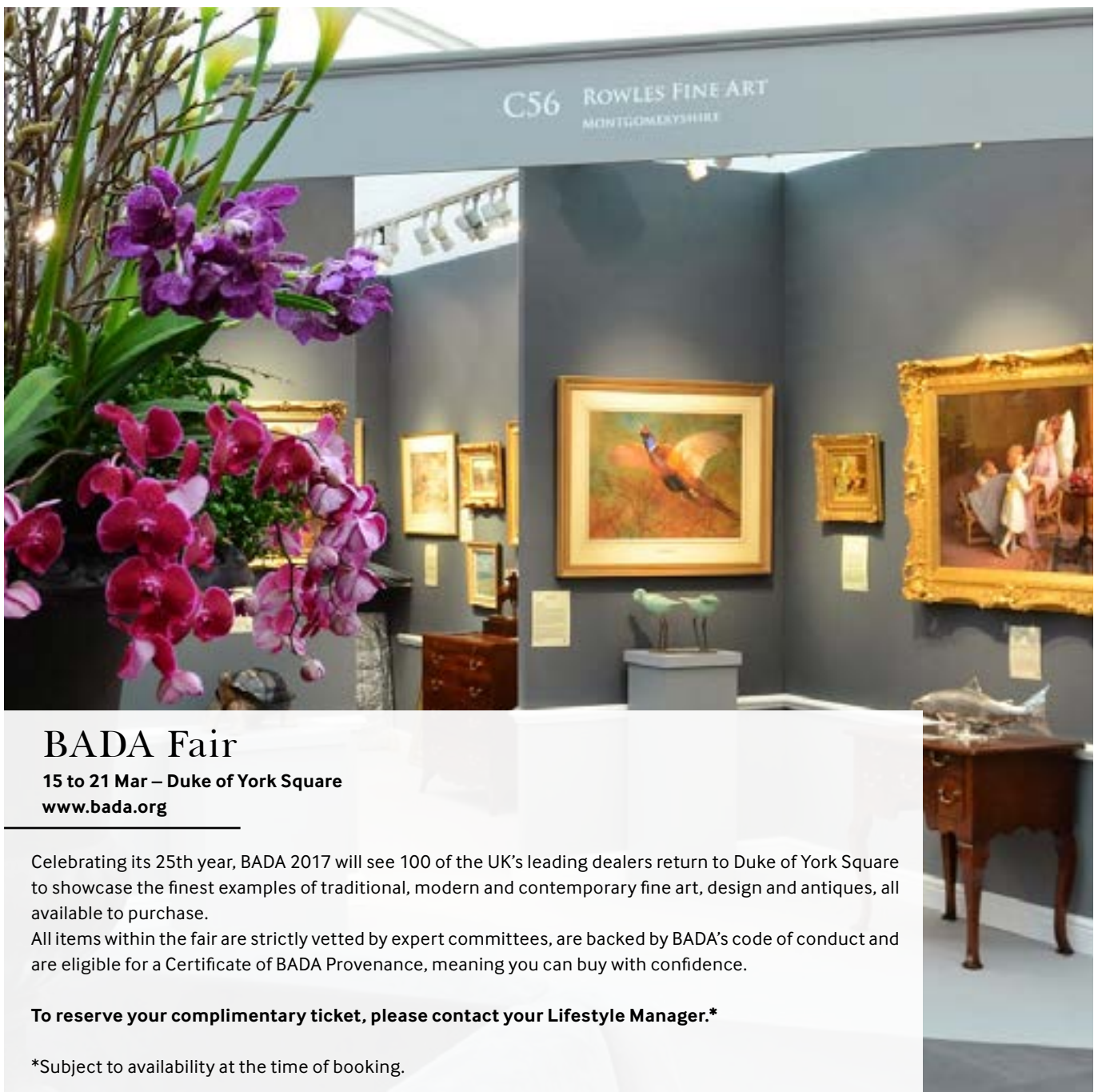
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What's on in Chelsea

MUSIC • ART • THEATRE • EXHIBITIONS • FOOD



BADA Fair
15 to 21 Mar – Duke of York Square
www.bada.org

Celebrating its 25th year, BADA 2017 will see 100 of the UK's leading dealers return to Duke of York Square to showcase the finest examples of traditional, modern and contemporary fine art, design and antiques, all available to purchase.

All items within the fair are strictly vetted by expert committees, are backed by BADA's code of conduct and are eligible for a Certificate of BADA Provenance, meaning you can buy with confidence.

To reserve your complimentary ticket, please contact your Lifestyle Manager.*

*Subject to availability at the time of booking.

The Kid Stays in the Picture

7 Mar to 8 Apr – Royal Court
www.royalcourttheatre.com

From James Bond producer Barbara Broccoli comes this new piece of theatre, capturing the rise and fall of one of Hollywood's most powerful figures. Behind blockbuster hits *The Godfather* and *Chinatown*, producer Robert Evans was the host of *Tinsel Town* before his life spiralled out of control, brought to life by the Royal Court and director Simon McBurney of the critically acclaimed *Encounter*.

Magic of Motown

3 Mar – Cadogan Hall
www.cadoganhall.com

Magic of Motown arrives at Cadogan Hall for a non-stop journey through the greatest hits of this musical genre. Critically acclaimed and now seen by over a million people worldwide, get ready for classic songs from the greats including Marvin Gaye, Lionel Richie and Diana Ross, perfect for an energising evening of uplifting music.

Michael J Austin

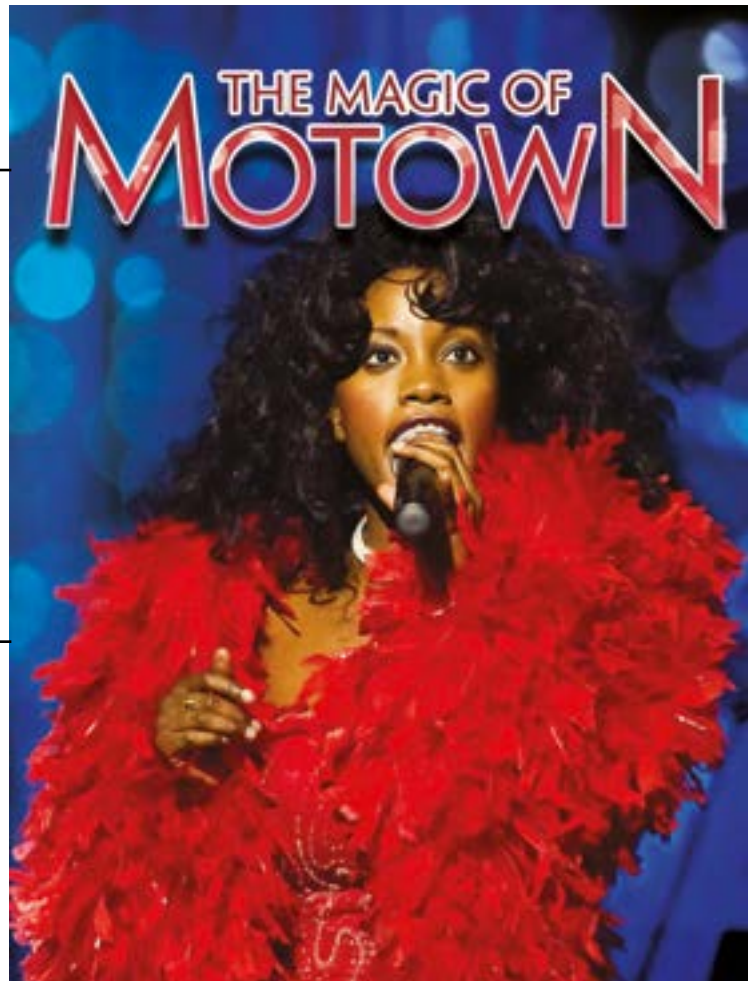
20 Mar to 30 Apr – Jonathan Cooper
www.jonathancooper.co.uk

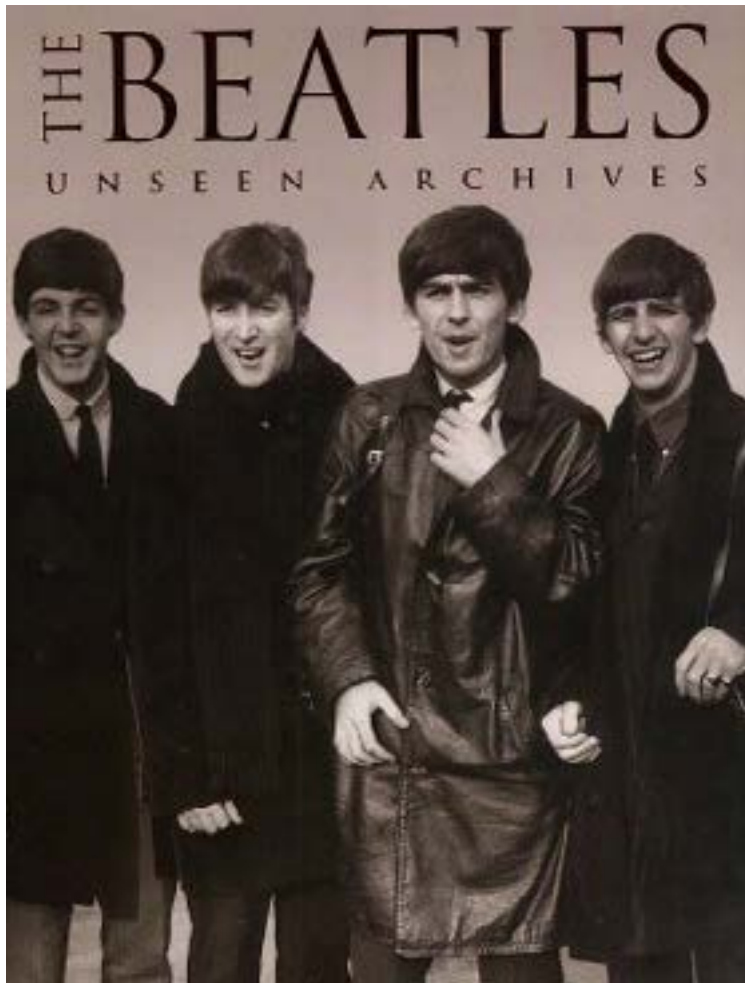
Following a Royal Tour of the Middle East when he accompanied HRH The Prince of Wales, British painter Michael J Austin presents works inspired by this once in a lifetime trip. With breath-taking landscapes and portraits, this exhibition captures the importance of the tour for this artist and the distinctive character of the Middle East.

Diana: Her Fashion Story

On now until the end of the year – Kensington Palace
www.hrp.org.uk

Princess Diana was a Chelsea style icon whose timeless wardrobe still inspires legions of fashion fans today. To celebrate her life and pay respect to her inimitable style as the original 'Sloane', trace Diana's first foray into fashion right through to the glamorous outfits that cemented her status as one of the world's most photographed women.





Salon 001: Tsuyoshi Maekawa

On now until 14 May – Saatchi Gallery
www.saatchigallery.com

Japanese artist Tsuyoshi Maekawa takes over Saatchi's new Salon space. A member of Japan's most significant avant-garde post-war collective, the Gutai Art Association, Maekawa's pieces highlight the importance of this significant movement in East Asia's artistic history.

The Beatles Unseen

16 Mar to 14 May – Proud Chelsea
www.proudonline.co.uk

One of the world's most popular music groups, discover some of The Beatles' candid moments at Abbey Road, as captured by photographer David Magnus. A relationship that developed when the band was widely unknown right through to 'Beatle mania', Magnus' photos depict the group's more relaxed moments while still showcasing their legendary influence within pop culture.

Desire Jewellery & Silversmithing Fair

3 to 5 Mar – Chelsea Old Town Hall
www.rbkc.gov.uk

A must for contemporary jewellery and silverware enthusiasts, Chelsea Old Town Hall plays host to Desire, a showcase of superb craftsmanship. Meet the exhibitors, find out more about their offering and perhaps purchase something special – items are available across a range of metals, mixed media and finishes, ideal for fans of statement or unusual jewellery.



Living Medicine: Skin

19 Mar – Chelsea Physic Garden
www.chelseaphysicgarden.co.uk

Bring your skincare back to nature with the Physic Garden's herbal workshop. Address skin conditions including eczema, insect bites and acne with Medical Herbalist Alex Laird, who will help you select – and even taste – the most suitable herbs to create your own treatments.

Retail Therapy

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Be inspired with chic gift ideas to celebrate Mother's Day...



Spot Border Tassel Scarf,
The White Company
£55

Leather Clutch,
Michael Kors
£825



Gommino Driving Shoes With Hearts,
Tod's
£380

Baja Bracelet,
Monica Vinader
£195



Cotton Mix Jacket,
LK Bennett
£275



Vanity Case Handbag, Chanel
£3,160



Charlotte Tilbury 'Daytime Chic'
Gift Set, Peter Jones
£55





Bloom & Blossom Mother-To-Be Gift Set,
Space NK
£45



No.9 Eau De Parfum,
Liz Earle
£49



Charbonnel Et Walker Strawberry Truffles,
Partridges
£12.95

Hefner Velvet Shoes,
French Sole
£190



Mallory Bunch Mug,
Cath Kidston
£7



Mother's Day Fuschia Notebook,
Smythson
£35



Louise Bedspread,
Yves Delorme
£349

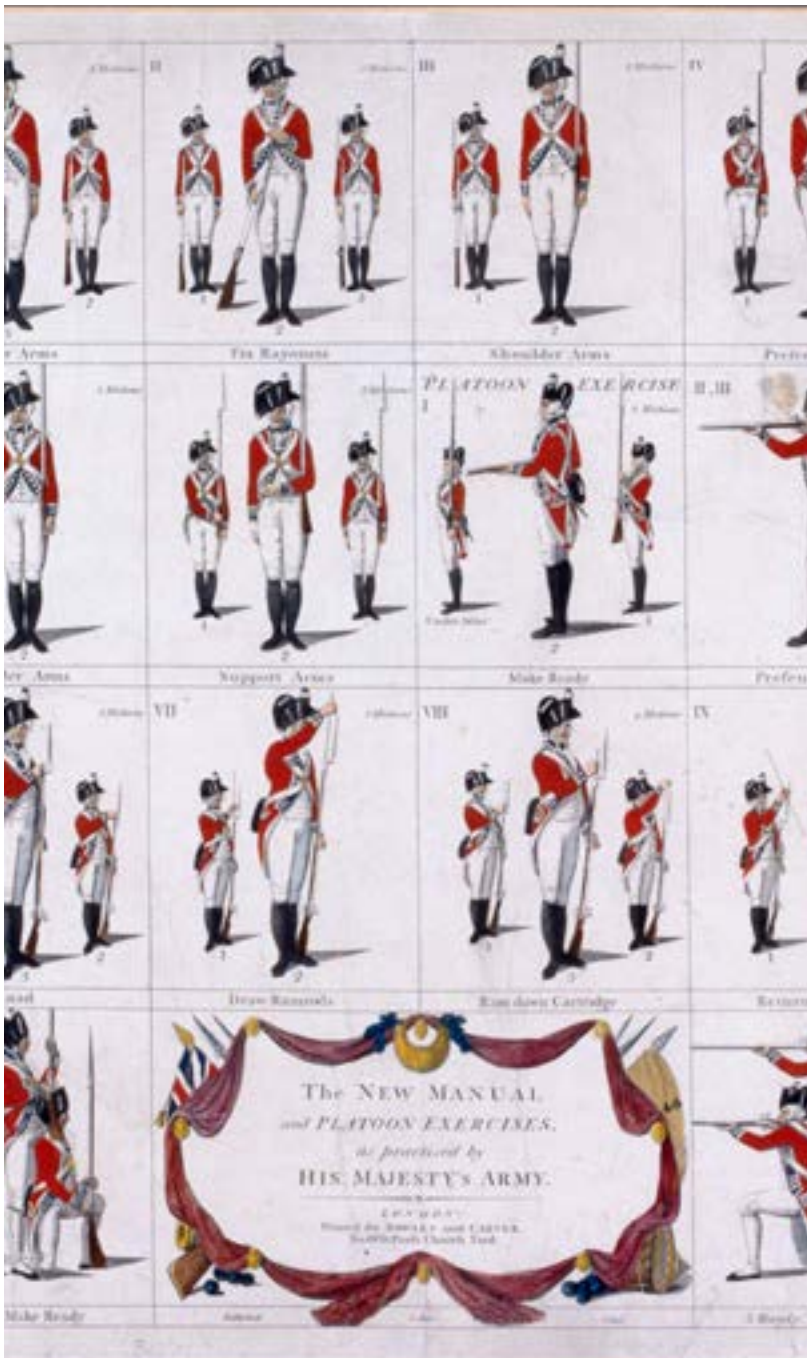


Cashmere Breton Jumper,
Brora
£259



Laurent-Perrier Birdcage Edition,
Harvey Nichols
£70

National Army Museum



The National Army Museum has undergone a £23.75 million transformation of a lifetime. The now fresh and contemporary museum boasts an impressive line-up of renovated spaces including five new galleries, a temporary exhibition space, study centre, café, kids play area and a collection of 2,500 fascinating artifacts.

Here is a glimpse of what to expect on your visit...

The five thematic galleries - Soldier, Army, Battle, Society and Insight, are configured around the heart of the building. A bright and airy atrium aimed to best showcase each gallery allows visitors to choose the direction of their visit, creating a new welcoming approach to the four-storey museum.



SOLDIER

The first gallery explores the personal battles faced by soldiers on the front line, from joining, to fighting and finally returning home. The gallery brings to life the physical and emotional human experience of war, taking visitors on a thought-provoking and inspiring journey. Visitors are able to take a series of interactive tests in the gallery to find out if they are soldier material.

ARMY

'Army' is a fascinating analysis into the British Army as an institution, playing a vital role in the development of the UK. The gallery charts a historical timeline showing how it has adapted over the years to political policy changes but also demonstrates the ways it has remained relevant in the modern day through new recruitment processes.

BATTLE

Have you ever driven a tank or drummed a battle command? Now you can at the Battle gallery, where visitors can delve into the evolution of battle tactics. The gallery shows how they have changed in light of technological advances and the detrimental effects if the army doesn't keep up to speed.



SOCIETY

The army is brought to life in a different light as visitors explore the army's cultural and societal impacts. It touches on customs, music, film, fashion and fiction (think Burberry coats and War Horse) to reveal a truly striking side to the army showing how military life affects us all.

INSIGHT

The Insight gallery exposes the global impacts of The British Army. No other country's army has seen service in so many different parts of the world as the British army - this final gallery, Insight, looks at its impact in areas around the globe.

A BITE TO EAT

The onsite café is a perfect spot to recharge after a visit, simply meet friends and family or alternatively pop down to soak up the Chelsea life with its all-glass front giving a dynamic street-level view.

'Jimi Classic Colour, 1967', by Gered Mankowitz, going on display in the new Society gallery



TAKE THE CHILDREN TO PLAY BASE

Play Base offers a rich and stimulating soft play area for 0-7 year olds. With a variety of engaging activities it teaches young children an initial understanding of the army, aiming to inspire little minds and parents alike. The central part of the facility is an assault course and other areas such as The Cookhouse, Field Training Area and Command Liaison Vehicle are positioned nearby. The museum will also host artistic events for children throughout the year.



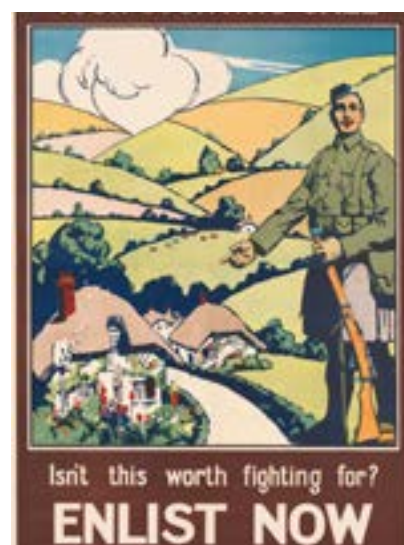
ENJOY THE MUSEUM DIFFERENTLY

- Visit on the first Wednesday of every month for late night openings, including hosted events, talks and themed 'lates'.
- Hire the museum for a fantastic venue space. Whether taking over the complete museum or just a spacious area such as the Atrium, entrance foyer, café or the boardroom which overlooks Royal Hospital Road.
- Host your child's most imaginative birthday party. Up to 20-30 children can enjoy the entire Play Base for an hour's creative play, followed by party food, cake, party bags and a gift for the special birthday boy or girl in the mess area.
- Search for your family history. Book a slot in the bright and modernised study space and delve into the museum's archives into the army background of your family past.

For bookings or more information, contact your Lifestyle Manager.

FACT FILE

- The National Army Museum has over 80,000 uniforms in its collection.
- The original Burberry trench coat was designed in 1912 by Thomas Burberry to keep officers protected against wind and rain.
- The largest object in the museum is The Siborne Model of the Battle of Waterloo which is over 6 metres long and 6.5 meters wide.
- The objects on display date back from 1642 to 2016.
- There is a piece of the Berlin Wall on display in the museum.



Exclusively for you



Michael Charalambous at Nyumba

www.nyumbasalon.com

Known for its enviable clientele ranging from royalty to fashion insiders, Nyumba lends itself well to today's 'anti-salon' feel. The exotic Tanzanian salon was created to be a home-away-from-home, with 'nyumba' translating to 'home' in Swahili.

Michael Charalambous is delighted to invite Cadogan Concierge members to enjoy a 20% discount off a stylish haircut with either the Maestro himself or one of his exceptional stylists, along with a relaxing full body massage or reflexology.

For more information or to book an appointment, contact your Lifestyle Manager.

*Valid for the month of March on a haircut, full body massage and reflexology only

Plan Your Easter Escape



Whilst we patiently wait for summer to arrive, why not start planning an Easter escape to one of the UK's most picturesque countryside retreats?

COWORTH PARK, BERKSHIRE

www.dorchestercollection.com/en/ascot/coworth-park

Coworth Park, set in 240 acres of private estate within the leafy Berkshire countryside, offers a quintessentially British experience in a Georgian manor. As part of The Dorchester Collection, Coworth Park is a country house, hotel and spa with a cosy traditional feel but a modern, eccentric spirit.

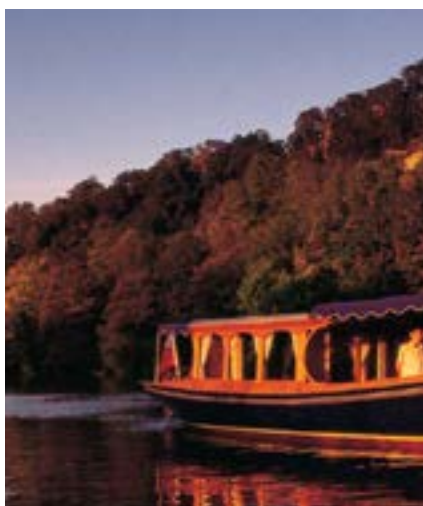
Coworth Park is the only hotel in the UK where you can learn how to play polo, watch the renowned Guards' Polo Club train or learn how to handle a mallet on horseback at the Polo Academy. Winner of 'Best Destination Spa 2017', unwind and rejuvenate in the indoor heated pool, while enjoying underwater music and the 'Spatisserie' serving afternoon tea and bubbles. The hotel also offers cookery masterclasses and for those avid golfers, Royal Wentworth Golf Club is within a stone's throw and Royal Ascot for some racing.



CLIVENEN HOUSE, BERKSHIRE
www.clivedenhouse.co.uk

One of Britain's grandest hotels within an hour from London, Cliveden House is an Italianate mansion and estate overlooking the Thames. On 376 acres of National Trust-owned land, Cliveden's majestic beauty is the ultimate weekend getaway for the discerning traveller. The secret walled garden that kick-started the historic Profumo affair, is home to the heated pool and outdoor bubbling hot tubs, where waiters serve drinks and snacks to reclining guests.

Team your weekend at Cliveden with a champagne river cruise or a vintage boat picnic on the Thames, tailor-made to your specification by Cliveden's Michelin-starred chef Andre Garrett (formerly Galvin at the Windows). Andre has given Berkshire another iconic dining destination, with Cliveden being the proud birthplace of the £100 club sandwich, not to mention home to Heston Blumenthal's Fat Duck nearby.



STOKE PARK, BUCKINGHAMSHIRE
www.stokepark.com

Most famous as a film set and host to some leading sporting events, Stoke Park is iconic among hotels and country clubs within England. Renowned for two Bond movies, the rowing scene in Bridget Jones's Diary and host to the annual Boodles Tennis Tournament, it's the perfect get-away just 35 minutes from London.

With an array of activities to keep you occupied, explorers can visit Windsor Castle nearby, tee off on the 27-hole Championship golf course, practise on one of the 13 tennis courts, or relax in one of the country's largest spas.

THE PIG, HAMPSHIRE
www.thepighotel.com

On the edge of the New Forest lies The Pig, the UK's best 29-bed country house experience. The Pig is an imaginative, foodie paradise where the menu changes daily (sometimes hourly) based on what the forager returns with each day. All of the food is sourced from the on site garden and within the New Forest's boundary lines, offering the '25 Mile Menu'. The intense culinary focus in no way detracts from the effortless style of the hotel itself, with crackling open fires, shabby-chic interiors and a mismatched vintage feel.

Combine this with idyllic views, outdoor activities such as walks in the New Forest and fly fishing on a private estate lake, with picnics prepared by The Pig's chefs - it's the perfect escape. The hotel also offers horse riding, falconry or visits to Warborne's Farm nearby.





Dining Out



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Celebrate Mother's Day in style at one of these local favourites...

GALLERY MESS, DUKE OF YORK SQUARE
www.saatchigallery.com/gallerymess

For those wine connoisseurs, spend some quality time with Mum over a fabulous three course meal and wine pairing. With each course, you'll enjoy wines to tease your palate and complement each delicious dish. **As a Cadogan Concierge member, you'll receive a complimentary glass of fizz on arrival to make the day extra special. Contact your Lifestyle Manager to book.**

BLUEBIRD, KINGS ROAD
www.bluebird-restaurant.co.uk

Dine among Chelsea's most-chic for a stylish Mother's Day. Renowned for their tantalising menu and buzzy atmosphere, spoil your Mum to a special breakfast in the courtyard with Bluebird's popular buckwheat pancakes, or enjoy a lunchtime rendezvous for a laid back, dreamy afternoon.



THE BOTANIST, SLOANE SQUARE
www.thebotanistlondon.com

For a touch of indulgence, taste the culinary delights of The Botanist with their European-British inspired a la carte menu. On the day, they'll present each Mother with a bag of homemade truffles to take away - it's always the little things that say the most.

MANDARIN ORIENTAL, KNIGHTSBRIDGE
www.mandarinoriental.com

Set against a perfect Knightsbridge backdrop and luxurious furnishings, The Rosebery Lounge offers a sinful afternoon tea fit for a queen, or Mother! Indulge in the menu's decadent selection of cakes, scones and savoury delights matched with the world's finest teas handpicked by their dedicated Tea Master.



DAPHNE'S, CHELSEA
www.daphnes-restaurant.co.uk

Show your Mamma the best of Italian charm at local's favourite Daphne's elegant and refined restaurant. Feast on Italian classics delicately laden with truffles, tuck into a rich ragu pasta or opt for their lighter carpaccio seasonal salad dishes. Whatever you choose, every Mother will receive complimentary daffodils to celebrate.



THE IVY CHELSEA GARDEN, KINGS ROAD
www.theivychelseagarden.com

Surround yourself in Chelsea's botanical paradise bliss with beautiful flowers and plants in The Ivy's idyllic garden décor. Don't miss their delectable Lavender Lady cocktail, a gin creation shaken with orange blossom, peach pulp, Briottet creme de peche and fresh lavender sweetened with agave. Perfect for a refreshing celebratory drink.

OXO TOWER, SOUTH BANK
www.southbanktower.com

Enjoy breath-taking views of London's most iconic skyline at the top of the world renowned OXO Tower with a special three-course set menu and a glass of bubbly. The Restaurant or Brasserie is the perfect place to celebrate, as you relax over exceptional food and an extensive wine list looking out on the hustle and bustle of London's shimmering lights.



VIP Social Diary

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Cadogan Concierge is here to enhance your social diary. We can access tickets for a range of occasions including many sold out or unobtainable events. Please contact us for further details of events covering the world of theatre, sport, exhibitions, comedy, film premieres and concerts...

THE WEEKND

6 to 7 Mar – London O2
www.theweeknd.com/tour

For two dates only, the multi-platinum selling and Grammy award-winning artist will grace the stage at London's O2 for a world tour first. Expected to sell out fast, don't miss one of the most talked about R&B singers of today.



WOW- WOMEN OF THE WORLD FESTIVAL

7 to 12 Mar – Southbank
www.southbankcentre.co.uk

Be inspired by the incredible achievements of women and girls around the world at The WOW festival as it champions gender equality. The week-long celebration showcases their accomplishments but also the challenges faced by females. Listen to influential speakers, take part in workshops and see the best of female music and comedy.

CHELTENHAM FESTIVAL

14 to 17 Mar – Cheltenham
www.cheltenham.thejockeyclub.co.uk

Witness the finest Jump race of the season as the world's greatest jockeys, horses and trainers descend to Cheltenham Festival for a calendar highlight. Over the week, teams will battle it out to win the highest accolade in Jump racing, providing non-stop entertainment and an electrifying atmosphere.

HOLI FESTIVAL WITH DISHOOM

12 Mar – York Hall
www.dishoom.com/holi

The March full moon involves the most boisterous of Hindu festivals in India, throwing colourful powder. Holi waves goodbye to winter and welcomes in spring with a rainbow of colours at York Hall, courtesy of London's Dishoom restaurant. Expect superb Dishoom street food and tipples, charming entertainment and a joyful colour play.



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MENU OF SERVICES



To ensure a seamless service, we have a dedicated Lifestyle Manager based at Cadogan's Head Office, who will be available (with a support team) 24 hours a day, 365 days a year to assist with any and all of the requests you may have:

A

Airport lounge bookings
Art advisory

B

Babysitters
Beauty and wellbeing services
Bicycle repair and servicing
Butlers

C

Car hire
Catering
Chauffeur
Corporate hospitality
Cleaning

D

Dry cleaning and laundry
Domestic staff

E

Event design and management

F

Fitness experts
Flight booking
Floristry
Food delivery service

G

Gift service
Grocery delivery

H

Hotel reservations
Holiday itineraries
Handyman services
Housekeepers

I

IT and home entertainment support
Interior design

M

Meal delivery
Moving service

N

Newspapers and magazines
Nightclub guest list and table booking
Nutrition advice and tailored dietary delivery

P

Pampering, massages and haircare
Private chef
Personal styling and shopping
Private tutors
Party planning

R

Restaurant reservations

S

Shoe-care
Sommelier

T

Tickets and events
Travel advisory and booking

V

VIP access
Valet service

W

Wardrobe detox

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