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Set in peaceful Sussex countryside yet close to the road network, The Hickstead Hotel is the perfect location for celebrating Christmas and New Year with friends, family and colleagues.

We are delighted to bring you our exciting Christmas and New Year Programme 2011 here in the heart of Mid-Sussex. Only 20 minutes from Gatwick and the centre of Brighton, and with ample free car parking and fantastic deals for overnight stays, our rural location is the ideal spot to enjoy some seasonal fun.

Our Oak Tree Bistro is perfect for enjoying a festive lunch with a fabulous menu prepared by our enthusiastic kitchen team, after you've relaxed over a festive drink in The Grange Bar.

We've put together a selection of Christmas Party Night dates – bring a table or join other groups to dance the night away with our Resident DJ Jon Hill, in our fabulous air-conditioned Courtyard Suite. There's a themed night to suit every taste and a mouth-watering

menu to get you going. All you need to bring are your dancing shoes!

For New Year's Eve, you can welcome in 2012 with a sumptuous banquet and raise a glass at our New Year's Eve Gala Party.

Call Dawn on **01444 248023** to discuss your plans and let us help you organise a party to remember.

We look forward to welcoming you to The Hickstead.

Giles Paul
General Manager

Celebrate at The Hickstead



Make a night of it?

Stay over at The Hickstead for just **£35.00 per person** based on two people sharing a twin or double room and including full English breakfast.

£45.00 per double room for single occupancy.

Call us on **01444 248023**

This offer applies between 25th November and 23rd December. Rates only available to those attending Christmas Parties.

Skool Disco Night

Thursday, 8th December
Gymslips, mischief and a trip down memory lane...

£29.95

Christmas Lunches

Throughout December (*see right for menu*)

2 courses:

£16.50

3 courses:

£21.50

Party Nights:

Saturday, 3rd December

£35.95

Friday, 9th December

£32.95

Saturday, 10th December

£35.95

Thursday, 15th December

£33.95

Friday, 16th and Saturday, 17th December

£35.95

Thursday, 22nd December

£30.95

Friday, 23rd December

£32.95

Abba Themed Party Night

Tuesday, 20th December
Be a Dancing Queen all night and celebrate the world's most famous band.

£30.95

Motown Themed Night

Wednesday, 21st December
The most soulful and best dancing tunes from that great music era.

£30.95

Festive Menu

Our three-course menu is followed by coffee and mince pies. Party nights and theme nights include hats, crackers and novelties, our Resident DJ, a warm welcome and a great party atmosphere.

Cream of Pumpkin Soup, with rosemary infusion
Cantaloupe Melon, seasonal fruits, with ginger syrup
Chicken Liver Pate, toasted brioche, red onion chutney

Traditional Breast of Turkey, cranberry stuffing, chipolata and bacon, sage turkey gravy

Roast Fillet of Salmon, white wine and chive butter sauce
Smoked Cheddar and Basil Risotto Cake, with a roasted tomato relish

All mains served with roast potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Traditional Christmas Pudding, brandy sauce
Lemon Possett with shortbread biscuits
Dark Chocolate Cheesecake, sweet cream and red berry compote

Freshly Brewed Coffee/Tea and Mince Pies

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Christmas Day Lunch

Celebrate with family and friends over a traditional Christmas Day Lunch with all the trimmings and served in our Oak Tree Bistro.

Duck and Peppercorn Terrine,
plum and redcurrant chutney
Roasted Parsnip and Apple Soup,
served with crisp croutons and chopped parsley
Oak-smoked Salmon, served with a compote
of capers and lemon and wholemeal bread

Traditional Roast Turkey served with chestnut stuffing,
bacon, chipolata and cranberry relish

Sea Bass, braised fennel,
Jerusalem artichoke puree, herb oil
Tomato and Basil Tart,
seared baby spinach and timbale of ratatouille

*All served with seasonal vegetables and
a selection of potatoes*

Traditional Christmas Pudding with
a sweet brandy sauce
Chocolate Parfait, Bailey's Anglaise,
homemade shortbread
Platter of Stilton, Brie and Cheddar, served with grapes,
walnuts and a selection of cheese biscuits

Adults: £67.00

Children under 12: £33.50

New Year's Eve Celebration

*Served in The Courtyard Suite with Christmas
novelties and crackers to make things go with
a bang!*

Confit of Breast and Duck Leg Terrine
with compote of morello cherries

Lemon Sorbet and Rhubarb Granitta

Roast Rack of Lamb with herb crust, rosemary and
redcurrant sauce, served with market vegetables

Chocolate Mint Truffle, blood orange jus, tuile biscuit

Selection of English Cheeses, biscuits,
celery and classic chutney

Freshly brewed Coffee/Tea and Petit Fours

£180.00 per couple

*to include the Gala Dinner, accommodation and
full English breakfast*

*Stay an extra night on Friday, 30th December on a
bed and breakfast basis for a total package price of
£249.00 for two nights including the Gala Dinner
and a bottle of wine in your room on arrival.*



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Out and about...

The Hickstead is perfectly located for exploring the lovely county of Sussex and the sea is only a few miles away. Here are some ideas for day's out:

Blue Bell Railway - this heritage steam railway runs through the glorious Sussex countryside. Check out the special events programme over the Christmas period which includes lunch with Santa.

Sheffield Park Garden - delightful gardens with an 18th century landscape overlaid with 20th century planting. Famous visitors over the centuries include Henry VIII and WG Grace who played for Lord Sheffield's Cricket Team.

Jack & Jill Windmills - these handsome windmills stand above the scenic South Downs with spectacular views of the Sussex Weald. They are easily accessible by road and from here there are several walks over the South Downs for the most magnificent scenery.

Brighton and Hove - even in wintertime the seafront at Brighton makes for a bracing walk, then you can warm up in the numerous shops and cafes.

A Magical Winter Wedding?



To plan your wedding day for Winter 2011 or 2012 please call us for details of our packages.

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Terms & Conditions

Provisional reservations will be held for up to 14 days.

For party night reservations a non-refundable deposit of £10 per person is required within 14 days of making the reservation. The Hotel reserves the right to amalgamate Party Nights to ensure optimum numbers. Please note that shared party tables may apply to groups of less than 8 guests.

Full prepayment is required by 14th November 2011, or if you book after this date then full payment is requested at time of booking.

Deposits and any final payments made for guests who subsequently cancel are unable to be refunded and cannot be off set against final balance for the revised number of guests that finally attend.

For Christmas residential packages, a non-refundable deposit of 25% of the total bill per person is required within 14 days of making the reservation and the balance is due no later than 1st December 2011.

For Christmas Day luncheon bookings, a non-refundable deposit of £15 per person is required within 14 days of making the reservation and the balance is due no later than 1st December 2011.

If deposits are not received within 14 days, the reservation may be automatically released without prior notification.

All prices include VAT at 20%. Prices and details are based on classic accommodation and are subject to availability.

Supplements apply to bedrooms booked for single occupancy and upgraded room types.

All details in this brochure are correct at the time of going to press but may be subject to alteration without prior notice.

Certain functions may not be suitable for children under 18 years old. Please ask for details.

All pre-paid monies are non-refundable and non-transferable to any other hotel service.

Children under 3 dine free. Children 3 to 12 are half adult menu prices.





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