

# STEVENTON HOUSE HOTEL

*Events & Celebrations*

*Where Oxfordshire comes together to celebrate.*

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*Every celebration deserves a place that feels like it was made for the occasion — and that's what we do here.*

Steventon House is a characterful Victorian hotel set in private Oxfordshire gardens, with two beautiful event spaces, a contemporary terrace bar, and 18 boutique bedrooms for guests who want to stay the night.

Whether you're planning a milestone birthday, a christening lunch, an anniversary dinner, a baby shower, a corporate social, or a memorial gathering, our team will take care of everything — so you can simply be present with the people who matter most.

*No stress, no fuss — just a really good day, done properly.*

## Why Steventon House feels different

### **Two private event spaces**

Intimate or spacious — the Singer Room for smaller gatherings, the Conservatory Suite for larger celebrations up to 180.

### **A genuine food USP**

Our authentic Indian-fusion menu is unique to us — no other venue in Oxfordshire is offering this.

### **Beautiful outdoor spaces**

A contemporary terrace bar and private gardens — perfect for arrival drinks, summer celebrations, and golden-hour photographs.

### **18 bedrooms on-site**

Guests can stay the night — no taxis, no early exits, and preferential rates for your party.

### **Simple, honest pricing**

Clear packages, no hidden extras, and a minimum of just 30 guests Sunday to Thursday.

### **A team who genuinely care**

Easy access from Oxford, Abingdon and Didcot, with ample free parking. We treat every celebration like it matters — because it does.

# Our Spaces

*Two private event spaces. One beautiful Victorian setting.*

Whether you're hosting an intimate baby shower or a 150-strong milestone celebration, we have the right space for you — and all within one beautiful Victorian house.

## THE SINGER ROOM

### Up to 35 guests

*Intimate, warm and perfect for smaller gatherings.*

#### Ideal for

- Baby showers & christenings
- Milestone birthday lunches
- Afternoon teas
- Private dining
- Memorial gatherings

## THE CONSERVATORY SUITE

### Up to 180 guests

*Our signature event space — light-flooded, spacious, opening straight out to the gardens.*

#### Ideal for

- Big birthday parties & anniversaries
- Corporate dinners & socials
- Wedding receptions
- Evening celebrations with dancing
- Live entertainment

## TERRACE BAR & GARDENS

### Your summer secret weapon

*Contemporary bar with outdoor seating, lawns and private terrace.*

#### Ideal for

- Arrival drinks & canapés
- BBQ & summer celebrations
- Golden-hour photos
- Garden games & lawn areas
- Evening drinks under the stars

*All three spaces work beautifully together — most celebrations flow naturally across them throughout the day.*

# Our Most Popular Packages

*Simple, all-inclusive, no stress.*

## Most of our events choose one of these three packages.

Each one bundles room hire, food and a welcome drink into a clear per-person price. Book the package, turn up, enjoy your day.

### THE DAYTIME GATHERING

*Relaxed daytime celebration*

**£44.50pp**

*Baby showers, christenings, birthday lunches, family celebrations.*

- Private room hire (5 hours, daytime)
- Arrival Prosecco or Elderflower Sparkling
- Celebration Buffet (choose any 6 dishes)
- Tea & Coffee
- Dedicated event coordinator
- Full set-up & service

**Upgrade to Signature Feast +£7pp**

*Min. 30 guests*

### THE EVENING CELEBRATION

*Our most popular evening package*

**£54.50pp**

*Bigger birthdays, anniversaries, and evening parties with dancing.*

- Private room hire (5 hours, evening)
- Arrival Prosecco or Peroni beer (330ml)
- Two canapés per guest
- Celebration Buffet (choose any 6 dishes)
- Use of terrace & gardens
- Dedicated event coordinator

**Upgrade to Signature Feast +£7pp**

*Min. 30 adults Sun–Thu · 50 adults Fri/Sat*

### THE SIT-DOWN OCCASION

*Full dining experience*

**from £69.50pp**

*Milestone anniversaries, corporate dinners, formal celebrations.*

- Private room hire (5 hours)
- Arrival Prosecco & three canapés
- 3-course plated dinner
- Half a bottle of house wine
- Tea, coffee & chocolate mints
- Dedicated event coordinator

*Min. 30 guests · one menu for the group*

Most celebrations typically range between £1,500 and £5,500, depending on guest numbers, package and extras — we'll always guide you to the best option for your budget.

# The Celebration Buffet

*Our most popular food choice — flexible, generous, and included in every package.*

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Generous, informal, and designed for guests to enjoy while socialising. The Celebration Buffet lets you pick exactly the dishes your group will love — no compromises, no one-size-fits-all.

**Choose any 6 dishes from the menu opposite. That's it.**

**£26.50** per person

*Additional dishes £3.00 per person*

## Perfect for

- Baby showers, christenings, birthday lunches
- Corporate socials, team drinks, work parties
- Evening celebrations with mingling and dancing
- Memorial gatherings and family get-togethers
- Any celebration from 30 guests upwards

*Add a Celebration Dessert Table for £6.50pp · Welcome drinks and canapés available as add-ons · Upgrade to a Signature Feast (+£7pp)*

## HOT DISHES

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- Puff pastry sausage rolls
- Honey mustard chipolatas
- Breaded chicken goujons, citrus mayo
- Sticky teriyaki chicken skewers
- BBQ chicken wings
- Duck spring rolls, hoisin sauce
- Halloumi fries, sweet chilli dip (v)
- Vegetable spring rolls, sweet chilli (v)
- Vegetable samosas, tomato chutney (v)
- Onion bhajis, mint chutney (v)
- Potato skins, cheddar & spring onions (v)
- Crispy skin-on fries (v)

## COLD DISHES & SALADS

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- Assorted finger sandwiches
- Falafel bites, hummus (v)
- Chicken, bacon & herb pasta salad
- Balsamic glazed Mediterranean vegetables (v)
- Tomato & mozzarella salad, basil oil (v)
- Homemade creamy coleslaw (v)
- Spring onion & chive potato salad (v)
- Mixed house salad (v)
- Greek salad, feta & olives (v)

# The Indian Street Food Feast

*Our Signature Feast — unique to Steventon House.*

**If you're looking for something different from the usual buffet or BBQ, this is what sets us apart.**

*Our hotel restaurant is Indian-fusion, and this is the menu our guests remember and ask for by name.*

Rich, colourful, generous — and genuinely different from what every other venue in Oxfordshire is offering. It's become the reason many people choose us.

**£29.50** per person

## **Chicken Tikka Shashlik**

*Marinated overnight in yoghurt and spices, chargrilled with peppers and onions*

## **Lamb Seekh Kebabs**

*Hand-rolled, chargrilled, served with mint yoghurt*

## **Vegetable Samosas & Onion Bhajis**

*Crisp, golden, served warm with tamarind chutney*

## **Masala Fries**

*Skin-on fries tossed in our chef's signature spice blend*

## **House Salad & Raita**

*Cooling, fresh, the perfect balance*

## **Served with**

*Warm naan, mint yoghurt and tamarind chutney*

*“The Indian Street Food feast was the talking point of the whole evening — every single guest mentioned it. Absolutely unique.”*

*— Priya & Tom, August 2025*

*Min. 30 adult guests Sun–Thu · Min. 50 adult guests Fri/Sat · Children 4–12 half price · Under 3 eat free*

# More Signature Feasts

*Premium feast upgrades — generous, shareable, designed for celebrations.*

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*Alongside our Indian Street Food Feast, we offer two other premium feasts. Choose one as a standalone at £29.50pp.*

*Children 4–12 half price, under 3 eat free.*

## The BBQ Terrace Feast

*Our summer favourite — all food freshly prepared in our kitchen. Turns any celebration into a proper occasion.*

- Flame-grilled beef burgers in brioche buns
- Peri-Peri chicken skewers
- Grilled vegetable & halloumi skewers (v)
- Greek salad, feta & olives
- House slaw
- Skin-on fries
- Fresh garnishes & sauces

## Add a Celebration Dessert Table

*A beautiful sharing centrepiece to finish the evening in style. Choose any two from the selection below.*

- Mini cakes & brownies
- Macaroons
- Eton mess cups
- Chocolate-dipped strawberries
- Seasonal fruit platter

**£6.50 per person · choose any 2**

## The Grazing Feast

*A relaxed, crowd-pleasing spread — perfect for evening celebrations where people want to mingle and help themselves.*

- Buttermilk chicken strips with garlic mayo
- Pulled pork sliders in brioche buns, apple slaw
- Halloumi fries, sweet chilli dip (v)
- Loaded fries (cheese, crispy onions, jalapeños)
- Lamb kofta with mint yoghurt
- House slaw & mixed house salad
- Selection of dips, sauces & relishes

## Minimum numbers

*Min. 30 adult guests Sun–Thu · Min. 40 adult guests Fri/Sat · Children 4–12 half price · Under 3 eat free*

All food is freshly prepared in our kitchen and served buffet-style. Gluten-free, vegan and other dietary options always available — just let your coordinator know.

# Daytime Celebrations

*Warm conversations, raised glasses, the easy unhurried afternoons.*

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## The Daytime Gathering Feast

*For events between 10am – 5pm only*

**£24.50** per person

*Served to the centre of the table or buffet-style – comforting, generous, crowd-pleasing. Ideal for baby showers, christenings, birthday lunches, and memorial gatherings.*

- Chicken Caesar mini wraps
- Falafel, hummus & roasted vegetable wraps (v)
- Teriyaki chicken skewers
- Tomato, mozzarella & basil salad (v)
- Fresh house salad & slaw (v)
- Crudités with hummus & dips (v)
- Mini sweet bites or seasonal fruit platter

## Upgrade to a Signature Feast +£7pp

*Min. 20 (Singer Room) · Min. 40 (Conservatory)*

## Traditional Afternoon Tea

**£26.50** pp · **£34**pp with a glass of Prosecco

### Delicate Finger Sandwiches

*Wiltshire roast ham & wholegrain mustard*

*Scottish smoked salmon & chive cream cheese*

*Taw Valley extra mature cheddar & caramelised red onion chutney*

### Warm Sultana Scones

*Served with Cornish clotted cream and strawberry preserve*

### Freshly Prepared In-House Patisserie

*Chocolate & salted caramel brownie · Raspberry panna cotta · Assorted macarons · Chef's petits fours*

A selection of fine teas and freshly brewed coffee

*Min. 8 guests*

# Plated Dining

Three tiers of sit-down dining — ideal for more formal occasions and celebrations.

## TWO COURSES

**£30pp**

*Starter & main, or main & dessert. A relaxed dining option for small gatherings and informal events.*

## THREE COURSES

*Our most popular*

**£39.50pp**

*Our classic three-course dinner & coffee. Perfect for traditional celebrations and group dining.*

## PRIVATE DINING EXPERIENCE

**£56.50pp**

*Includes a glass of Prosecco on arrival, 3 canapés, three-course plated dinner, coffee & chocolate mints, and full table service.*

### Starters

- Goat's cheese tart, caramelised onion & rocket (v)
- Roast tomato & basil soup, warm artisan roll (v)
- Smoked salmon crostini, lemon crème fraîche
- Chicken liver parfait, toasted brioche & red onion chutney
- Heritage tomato & mozzarella, basil oil (v)

### Mains

- Roast chicken breast, lemon & thyme jus, baby potatoes & seasonal veg
- Roast sirloin of beef, Yorkshire pud, duck-fat roasts, seasonal veg & red wine jus
- Pan-seared salmon fillet, dill & white wine cream, fondant potato & green beans
- Pork loin roasted glaze, dauphinoise potatoes & buttered carrots
- Butternut squash risotto, sage & toasted seeds (v)

### Desserts

- Sticky toffee pudding, warm toffee sauce
- Raspberry & white chocolate cheesecake
- Chocolate brownie, dark chocolate sauce
- Vanilla crème brûlée with buttery shortbread
- Lemon posset, berries & shortbread
- Cheese course (+£4.50 supplement)

### Optional extras

- Half bottle of house wine per guest — £12.50pp
- Individual menu choice — £10pp supplement

*Alternative dishes can be provided.  
One menu for the group.*

*Min. 30 guests.*

# Welcome Drinks & Canapés

*The arrival moment — set the tone, greet your guests.*

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## Welcome Drinks

*Create the perfect arrival moment on the terrace or in the bar.*

Prosecco	<b>£7.50</b>
Aperol Spritz	<b>£8.50</b>
House Champagne	<b>£13.50</b>
Elderflower Sparkling (non-alcoholic)	<b>£3.75</b>

*Prices per glass. Full wine and drinks list available on request.*

## Canapés

Choose any three · **£12.50** per person

- Smoked salmon blini
- Tomato & basil bruschetta (v)
- Red pepper & feta crostini (v)
- Vegetable samosa (v)
- Chicken tikka
- Honey mustard chipolatas
- Crispy duck spring rolls
- Beer-battered fish bites

*Upgrade to four canapés for £15pp.*

# Room Hire & The Day

*Booking room hire without a package? Here's how it works.*

## Room Hire Rates

Standard hire is a 5-hour celebration — enough for food, speeches, drinks and dancing. Choose daytime (12pm–5pm) or evening (7pm–midnight). Extra hours £100 each, subject to availability.

Room	Sun–Thu	Fri/Sat
Singer Room (all year)	£250	£300
Conservatory — Jan–Apr & Oct–Dec	£600	£750
Conservatory — Jun–Sep & key Dec dates	£600	£950

*All prices include VAT. Alternative timings may be available midweek — just ask.*

## A Sample Evening Celebration

*Every celebration is different. This is how a typical evening might flow — your coordinator will shape it to suit you.*

**7:00pm** Guests arrive — welcome drinks served on the terrace

**7:15pm** Canapés circulated while everyone mingles

**8:00pm** Feast menu served — generous, sharing-style

**9:00pm** Speeches, cake cutting, toasts

**9:30pm** Music and dancing begin

**11:45pm** Last orders at the bar

**Midnight** Last song — and those staying over head up to their rooms

# What Our Guests Say

*A few words from recent celebrations.*

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*We were over the moon with how perfect the day was. A massive thank you to the whole team — the planning support was invaluable and on the day the staff were absolutely fantastic, always ensuring we were happy and kept up to date with everything. Steventon House has fabulous, friendly and professional staff.*

— Emma & James, May 2024

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*The perfect day for us — and many of our guests commented it was one of the best celebrations they had been to. The food was lovely and beautifully presented, the whole day was very well organised, and the staff were helpful, friendly and professional throughout.*

— Sophie & Marcus, July 2025

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*The Indian Street Food feast was the talking point of the whole evening — every single guest mentioned it. Absolutely unique.*

— Priya & Tom, August 2025

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*We couldn't believe how much they made it feel like ours for the day — it felt like a private estate.*

— Sarah & James

# Frequently Asked Questions

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## **How many guests can you accommodate?**

Our Singer Room hosts up to 35 guests for intimate gatherings. The Conservatory Suite holds up to 180 for larger celebrations. Minimum numbers vary by menu — most start at 30 adult guests.

## **Can we stay the night?**

Yes — we have 18 en-suite boutique bedrooms on-site. We'll hold a block of rooms for your guests at preferential rates. They book directly with us, so it's simple and stress-free.

## **Is there parking?**

Plenty of free on-site parking for you and all your guests — no parking stress on your day.

## **Can we customise the menu?**

Absolutely. All menus can be adapted, we cater for every dietary requirement, and we're happy to build something bespoke — just tell us what you're imagining.

## **Can we bring our own suppliers?**

Yes — DJs, florists, photographers, stylists, cake makers. All we ask is that external suppliers hold valid PLI and PAT certificates.

## **What time does the evening finish?**

The bar and music run until midnight. Your coordinator will help you plan the evening, so everything flows exactly as you'd like.

## **Are children welcome?**

Absolutely — we love having little ones at celebrations. Children aged 4–12 are half price on most menus. Under 3s eat free. Highchairs available on request.

## **Can we have confetti?**

Yes, we love a confetti moment. Confetti is welcome indoors following any ceremony or key moment.

## **Are fireworks permitted?**

Unfortunately, not — we're close to neighbouring properties and livestock. We do welcome cold sparkler cannons and light-up alternatives.

## **How do I book a viewing?**

Call or email us and we'll arrange a private show-round at a time that suits you. No pressure — most people just want to see the space and meet the team before deciding.

# Ready to make it yours?

*Here's how it works.*

**1**

## **Get in touch**

Call or email. We'll check availability and send a quote within 48 hours.

**2**

## **Come and see it**

Informal viewings anytime. Walk the rooms, see the gardens, meet the team.

**3**

## **Secure your date**

A deposit holds the date. Final numbers and full payment four weeks before.

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*Peak dates book 6–12 months in advance — we'd hate you to miss out.*

