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Happy New Year and welcome back!

Another year has passed and we are now focusing on what 2020 has in store for both us and our guests, hoping it will be just as successful and enjoyable as 2019!

Speaking of success, the festive season saw a record number of guests celebrating the most important days of Christmas. Whether it was the fan-favourite Festive Afternoon Teas, Christmas Party Lunches & Nights, festive feasting on those key December dates or celebrating the New Year in style, all involved enjoyed celebrating the end of another year.

Now that the festivities are over it is time to look towards our upcoming events. Valentine's Day, Mother's Day, Easter Sunday and Father's Day, as well as our popular Wine Dinners, will soon be upon us. We can guarantee a dining experience to remember, so book by calling **01539 980 980**.

Our 2 AA Rosetted Restaurant is once again serving our superb Specials Menu where diners can get two courses for £15.95 or three courses for £19.95. If you have missed our Traditional Afternoon Teas, do not worry, they are back! Available daily from 12 noon until 5pm. We are also serving delicacies from our Brasserie and A La Carte Menu as well as our weekly offers.

For those who got engaged over the Christmas season, we have a date for your diaries. Our next Wedding Fayre will take place on Sunday 16th February from 11am. This is the ideal opportunity to start the wedding preparations. There will be free fizz on arrival, goody bags, prizes to be won, over 30 wedding exhibitors, bridal catwalk shows and much more!

We look forward to welcoming you all back to The Villa Levens soon.

Jayne Taylor

Operations Director



On 23rd January it will be Cumbriashare's 1st birthday! To celebrate, they will be hosting a get-together for all their members. A fantastic opportunity for local businesses to network and make new connections.



Associates Of Alfred Wainwright Come Together

On Monday 11th November, Chris Butterfield, an Alfred Wainwright enthusiast and Archivist hosted a get-together with associates of Wainwright in The Villa's Pavilion. Here is what he had to say...

"Once everyone had been introduced at the venue lobby, there were several group photographs taken. Everyone then entered the main function room and were all seated. I gave a talk for nearly an hour about how I discovered my passion for Wainwright, and in turn thanked everyone for the encouragement on my journey.



All guests were given an opportunity to speak and share their memories and experiences with discovering Wainwright, and what he had meant to them. The event was a complete success and lasted for four hours. With the success of the event, I am hoping to plan another on a grander scale in the future.



A big thanks to all staff at 'The Villa Levens' for being the perfect hosts at this wonderful event."

Fantastic Baby Shower Testimonial

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Hi Emily,

I just wanted to drop you an email to say thank you for hosting us yesterday. It was perfect and everyone, including the Mum to be, had a lovely time. The food was great and the service was outstanding! The staff were fab and the lady who showed me through and explained everything was an exemplary member of staff, kind, professional, friendly and attentive.

Thank you once again, I will be in touch for a future booking, I can guarantee this.

I have attached a couple of the pictures of the room made up, as 'The Orangery' made for a truly beautiful setup.

Kind regards,

Andy Bond



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The Villa Levens was originally Brettargh Holt, a family home for the Brettargh-Yates family designed by local architect, Joseph Bintley in 1871. In 1920 the estate was auctioned off and soon became the Levens Hotel and was altered to designs by Malcom G Shaw (Kendal) in 1928. Due, it seems, to failure to obtain a liquor licence, Sam Ashcroft sold the estate to the Sisters of the Sacred Heart and in 1944 it became a convent followed by a home for single mothers in 1946 with accommodation for up to 35 mothers and babies. Most, but not all the children were adopted, the society arranged between 30 and 40 adoptions a year. Admissions ceased in June 1968 and The Salesian Sisters of St John Bosco ran the house and grounds from the 70's as a retreat, mainly for youth groups, entertaining Scouts and Brownies for many years, the large grounds providing the perfect camping area. In the summer of 2012 the sisters moved out and in 2014 Simon Rigby bought the magnificent building and grounds and transformed it into the beautiful hotel that it is today.



Welcome Back Furness U3A Birdwatching Group



On Wednesday 4th December, the Furness U3A Birdwatching group returned to The Villa for a Christmas lunch. It was great to see the group back at The Villa.

Thank you for choosing The Villa and we look forward to hopefully welcoming you back again next year!



Visit Our Sister Hotel The Villa Wrea Green

Next time you plan on taking a trip to Lancashire, be sure to visit our other hotel. The Villa Wrea Green is located just off the M55. Surrounded by acres of rolling parkland, this one-time Gentleman's Residence has a superb 4-star Country House Hotel that boasts 31 luxurious bedrooms, 2 AA Rosetted Restaurant, and stunning function facilities.



Call 01772 80 40 40 or email reception@thevilla.co.uk for more information

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

VALENTINE'S DAY

Friday 14th February 2020

Three course dinner, including a glass of Prosecco on arrival £40 per person

Three course dinner and stayover in a luxurious en-suite bedroom with full Cumbrian breakfast £160 per couple

*£10 per person non-refundable deposit required

Mother's Day

Sunday 22nd March 2020 | 12pm - 8.30pm

Three course meal including a gift for all Mums

£29.95 per person *Half price for under 12's

*£10 per person non-refundable deposit required

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday 12th April 2020 | 12pm - 8pm

Three course meal including a chocolate egg for all children

£26.95 per person

*Half price for under 12's

*£10 per person non-refundable deposit required

SPANISH WINE DINNER

Friday 24th April 2020 | 7pm for 7.30pm

Five course dinner with wines to accompany £60 per person

Five course dinner, wines and luxurious stayover with full Cumbrian breakfast £200 per couple

*£20 per person non-refundable deposit required

To make sure you don't miss out, call 01539 980 980 to book today!



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SAVE THE DATE!

WEDDING FAYRE

Sunday 16th February 2020
11am - 3pm

FREE Fizz, Goody Bags, Prizes, Bridal Catwalk Shows, Wedding Stalls, Bedroom Show-Rounds and more!

Take a look at our Facebook page for more info



TAKE A LOOK AT OUR WEDDING PACKAGES

Late Availability Package

If you are eager to tie the knot and do not want to wait any longer to start your happily ever after, take a look at our fantastic wedding package that runs right through until the end of July 2020.

BASED ON 50 DAY GUESTS AND 100 EVENING GUESTS:

- Civil Ceremony
- Celebratory Drinks after the Ceremony
- Ivory or white table linen
- Three Course Wedding Breakfast
- One large glass of House wine plus a top up
- One glass of Prosecco for the toasts
- Complimentary B&B accommodation for the newlyweds
- Supper for 100 guests - Bacon and Sausage Barms with Chips
- Evening Pavilion Room Hire
- Resident DJ

ALL FOR THE SPECIAL PRICE OF **£3,950**

We reserve the right to change, alter or withdraw prices/offers at any time without further notice | Subject to availability | T&C's Apply | All information & prices correct at time of printing/publishing | New bookings only

Special Festive Wedding Packages

What could be more romantic than tying the knot over the most festive time of year? We have the stunning facilities, affordable packages and experience to ensure the perfect Christmas Wedding.

BASED ON 50 DAY GUESTS AND 100 EVENING GUESTS:

Available from 1st November - twelfth night of Christmas

CHOOSE FROM

FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA RECEPTION

Served with a glass of sparkling wine for the toast

Choice of hot fork food for the evening reception

TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS RECEPTION WITH CRACKERS AND PARTY BOXES

Traditional three course meal with a glass of sparkling wine for the toast

Bacon or sausage barms and hand-cut chips for the evening reception

ALL FOR THE AMAZING PRICE OF **£3,950**

WEDDING SHOWCASE DAY | 15.03.2020 11am - 3pm | Room Set-Ups, Suppliers & More!

Testimonial

Mr & Mrs Pye married 14/12/2019

"We couldn't have picked a better venue to host our special day. All of the staff worked so hard to make sure our day ran smoothly and everything was better than we could have imagined. The Villa was ideal for us as both the grounds and the inside of the hotel itself led to some incredible photos which was perfect for our December wedding. A huge thank you to Keely who ensured no request was too big and made us and all our guests feel special. We loved every second of our day at The Villa and would highly recommend to anyone."



James Hicks Photography

Dining at The Villa Levens

Specials Menu

Monday - Saturday 12pm - 9pm
2 Courses £15.95, 3 Courses £19.95



Brasserie Menu

Monday - Saturday 6pm - 9pm
Sunday 12pm - 8.30pm



A La Carte Menu

Monday - Saturday 6pm - 9pm
A selection of fine cuisine



Fish Friday Special

Beer battered fish with hand-cut chips,
mushy peas & tartare sauce
Small - £7.95 | Large - £9.95



Sunday Menu

Traditional Family Sunday Roast Lunch
2 Courses £19.95, 3 Courses £24.95
Served in the Restaurant 12pm - 8.30pm



Children's Menu

1 Course £5.95, 2 Courses £7.50,
3 Courses £10
Served daily from 12pm



Breakfast Menu

Served Monday - Friday 7am - 9am
Weekends 8am - 10am
Unless stated otherwise



The Villa Levens Afternoon Teas

Cream Tea
£9.50pp



Traditional Afternoon Tea
£17.95pp



Luxury Afternoon Tea
£20.95pp



His & Hers Afternoon Tea
£40 per couple



All of our scones, breads and cakes are made in our own Villa bakery using the finest and freshest local produce. They are presented on tiered stands together with your choice of beverage.



3 for 2

From our Specials Menu

This voucher is promoted by The Villa Levens, Brettargh Holt, Levens, Kendal, Cumbria, LA8 8EA. Tel: 01539 980 980. Email: reception@thevillalevens.co.uk. Web: www.thevillalevens.co.uk. This voucher entitles you to 3 courses for the price of 2 off our Specials Menu. By using this voucher you are agreeing to comply with these terms and conditions of use. This voucher is only redeemable against the Specials Menu at The Villa Levens and cannot be used elsewhere. This voucher can only be used Monday-Friday up until 30th April 2020. It can only be used once in a single transaction and cannot be used in conjunction with any other vouchers or promotions. There is no cash alternative and this voucher cannot be transferred. The Villa Levens reserves the right to vary the terms of the offer or replace the offer at any time. Present this voucher upon payment.



Don't forget to book for Valentine's Day at The Villa! ❤️

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