



Voco Oxford Spires Hotel

Reunion Order of March

THE HOTEL OPERATES A CASHLESS SYSTEM

Friday 9th October

1. The Official Hotel check-in time is from 1500hrs
2. Afternoon Meet and Greet, Hotel Bar/Earl of Monmouth pub!!
3. 1830 Meet for pre dinner drinks.
4. 1930 Dinner in the hotel restaurant
5. Casual evening, mingling with the gang, Nighty Night – Late!!

Saturday 10th October

1. 0730 - 1030 Breakfast in the Deacons Restaurant
2. 1100ish – Historical/Nature walk(**Not organised.**) Any interested personnel meet in the Bar/Reception Area.
3. 1715 - Pre Gala Dinner drinks in the Cathedral Bar. **Please be on time, we have a small but special event prior to the group photograph.**
4. 1800 - Group Photograph, Conducted and orchestrated by Dave Walker, (Location dependant on the weather.)
5. 1830 - Gala Dinner in the Cathedral Suite.
6. Entertainment will commence after dinner with music until 0030 presented by **Paul Hudson, “Solid Gold 60's”**
7. Nighty night, whenever you see fit, OR when “She” who must be obeyed, says “To bed David!!”

Sunday 11th October

- 1. 0730 – 1030 Breakfast in the Deacons Restaurant**
- 2. 1030 – The AGM, in the Cathedral Suite**
- 3. 1400 - General Knowledge/Fun Quiz, in the Cathedral Suite**
- 4. 1830 - Meet for pre dinner drinks.**
- 5. 1900 – Buffet in the Cathedral Suite.**
- 6. Disco entertainment provided by the hotel. This will commence after the buffet until 0030, (Sweet Caroline is banned unless Gordon wants to sing!!)**
- 7. Nighty Night - Probably not Late!!!!**

Monday 12th October

- 1. 0800 - 1000 Breakfast in Deacons Restaurant**
- 2. After Brekkies “Fall Out” Boooo, see you at the 2027 Recce.**
- 3. 1100hrs - Hotel check-out.**

VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please ensure that you register your car at the hotel reception on arrival, failure to do so will result in a £100.00 parking fine, **per night**. The car park is monitored by an independent company and the hotel is unable to reverse any parking charge notices that are issued.

AVOID OXFORD AREA EMISSION CHARGES

To reach the Voco Oxford Spires Hotel without paying emission charges, you should approach from the south via the Oxford Ring Road and Abingdon Road.

KEY NAVIGATION TIPS

1. The hotel is located on Abingdon road (OX1 4PS), which is safely outside the current Oxford zero emissions zone, pilot area.
2. Avoid the City Centre, e.g. High Street, Corn market, or Queen Street as these are within the emission zone and will trigger a daily charge for non-electric vehicles between 0700-1900hrs.
3. Approach on the Oxford ring road (A423) until you reach the Kennington Roundabout.
4. Take the first exit signed **City Centre** onto the (A4144) Abingdon road.
5. After approx 0.9 miles turn right into the **Voco Oxford Spires** approach road.

****Some route planners/Sat Navs may direct you off the A423 via the **Old Abingdon Road**, this is ok.**

Turn off the A423, drive for approx half a mile, turn left at the Travel lodge junction traffic lights into Abingdon road, after approx 0.6 miles, turn right into the **Voco Oxford Spires** approach road.

1. This is also IMPORTANT!! To enable the Gala Dinner raffle to be organised more easily, please ensure that you hand your raffle prizes to Syd or Bridget Wilson at breakfast on Saturday morning.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

2. Please make every effort to attend the AGM. There are always important Club issues to discuss, including the venue for 2027.

3. Those members who are not staying on Sunday night and/or will not be attending the AGM, please ensure that your annual subscriptions are paid to our treasurer, Bob Cook, prior to your departure.

4. The Quiz on Sunday is “As Required.” There are an abundance of options for you to visit around the area, rather than listening to the Quiz master, (Aldous,) ramble on!! Please let him know if you want a quiz. No takers, DEFINITELY, no offence taken.

5. Anyone staying for additional(Shoulder nights) outside of the normal 3 day reunion, will have their Breakfast and Evening meals served in the Hotel Restaurant

6. The hotel bar will be open for drinks when ours closes!!

7. Although the hotel is operating on a cashless basis, you will all need loads of proper folding money to purchase your raffle tickets and for the staff gratuity.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If anyone has need to cancel their reunion booking and to avoid any problems that may arise due to this, having holiday insurance in place will help?