

THE BUGLE

ONE YEAR ON...



There were so many highlights over the holidays – Christmas Day was great, and New Year’s Eve everything we expected (and more) - but the Winter Solstice and the picturesque snowfall

just tipped it for us. We intend to make this a yearly tradition. In fact, we might even have to make it a seasonal tradition. Plans are already afoot for the Summer Solstice.

FIND US ON FACEBOOK

We now have a Facebook page. This is great way to keep up to date with all the latest events we’re putting on, and to find out about impromptu events organized by some of the Jockey regulars. During January’s white out, a post marked “snowball fight at 1pm on the Green” will go down as a very memorable event in H&J history.

Look for **Horse & Jockey, Charlton** on Facebook or follow this link:

<http://www.facebook.com/home.php?ref=home#/group.php?gid=158560400460>

Welcome

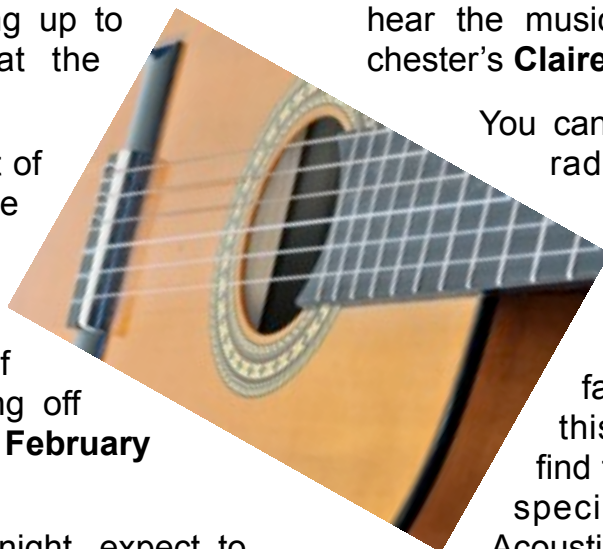
A very Happy New Year to everyone! After a very busy run-up to the holiday season and a lovely Christmas at The Horse & Jockey, it’s time for the second edition of The Bugle. We have plenty in store for the next couple of months, so use this as your guide to what’s on at your local, The Horse & Jockey.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT

February is shaping up to be busy month at the Jockey.

Interested in a spot of live music? We're introducing a monthly **Acoustic Night**, on the third Wednesday of each month, kicking off on **Wednesday 17 February at 8pm**.

For the inaugural night, expect to



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hear the musical styling of Manchester's **Claire Mooney**.

You can check out Claire's radio show on BBC Radio Manchester on Monday nights.

As St. Paddy's Day falls on a Wednesday this year, expect to find the craic with a very special edition of our Acoustic Night.



Valentine's Day is just around the corner, and we'll be

celebrating this with a special menu on **Sunday 14 February from 6-9pm**. There will be a three-course couple's menu, with sinfully delicious desserts. Booking is advised as we expect this to be a busy night.

*Planning to surprise your loved one? Let us know, and we'll be pleased to set up a surprise table for you.

Make your reservation by calling 0161 860 7794 or email us at info@horseandjockeychurlton.com.

BEER FESTIVAL

Of course good winter food goes hand in hand with good winter ale. Mark your calendars for **Fri 26 - Sun 28 Feb** for the Jockey's first annual Winter Ale Festival.

Sourced from all four corners of the UK, we're planning to showcase 50 ales over the weekend, and

10 different types of cider and perry. Expect to see weird and wonderful names from the award winning Dunham Massey, Spitting Feathers, Phoenix and Hornbeam.

We're sourcing from the continent as well with a selection of bottled beers from Bel-

gium and Germany. We're so confident that you'll like them we'll be stocking at least two dozen of these regularly.

Keep an eye out for a special menu of tasting notes and food pairings for these Belgian and German beauties.



LOOKING FOR SOMEWHERE DIFFERENT TO HOST A MEETING OR SEMINAR?



*Above: The snug
Below: The Tap Room*



Look no further! The Jockey makes a great place to do business when you want to think outside of the box.

The Horse & Jockey offers a range of packages to accommodate your business needs.

We have suitable premises for private events, in addition to seating in the pub for more informal events or business lunches.

We can offer both a buffet lunch or sampling platters to suit your needs. Vegetarian and Vegan options are available. Platters may also include dessert and hot drinks, as requested.

We are able to customize packages to suit individual needs.

We also offer a loyalty card for frequent diners of the Horse & Jockey.

We have business materials to facilitate your seminar or meeting, that include; a projector and screen, a white board, as well as wireless broadband throughout the pub. We can easily accommodate any needs that you might have.

Please contact us to arrange your event.

We are also available for Wakes & Memorial Gatherings. Please contact so that we might ease your burden at a difficult time.

ARTS AND CRAFTS

In September, we hosted our first Arts & Craft Fair at the pub. These have been regular occurrences on the last Saturday of every month, from 10-4.

The market is a great place to find unusual gifts from some of Chorlton's finest artists. With vendors changing every month, you'll find items as diverse as jewellery, handmade scarves, knitted hats, baby toys, photography, paintings, handmade gift cards and unusual knick-knackery. Come down and make a day of it! There's **face painting** and **activities for the kids**, and we're sure the staff can find a drink to please the parents.

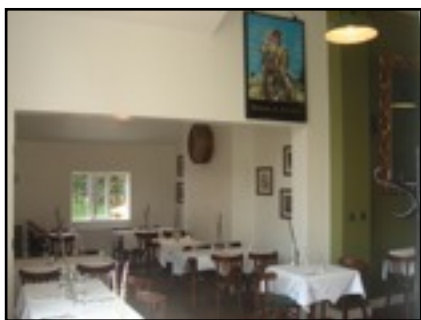
We've been building momentum with the Arts & Craft Fair over the last few months with a view to establishing a **Farmer's Market** come spring. Chorlton is one of the few boroughs without a Farmer's Market, and most definitely a place where it would thrive. Stay tuned for more on that as we develop this plan.



LOYALTY CARDS AT THE HORSE & JOCKEY

WE WILL SOON BE INTRODUCING A LOYALTY SCHEME FOR REGULARS AT THE JOCKEY. PLEASE ASK AT THE BAR HOW YOU CAN GET ONE TO START EARNING YOUR REWARDS.....

NEWS FROM THE JOCKEY



Above: The Dining Room.

A Free House Milestone

Variety certainly is the spice of life. We have now dished up in excess of 250 guest ales since becoming a free house, ringing in 100 of these ales over the holiday period. And there's still more to come; but we need your help. Is there a beer you've tasted and simply cannot find anywhere? Get in touch and we'll see if we can include this in our range! We've already pleased a number of regulars already by bringing in their favourite brew.

Farmer's Market

Know someone who produces lush jams or irresistible scones, grows their own herbs to sell? Or someone who is just generally crafty? Put them in touch with us, we're on the lookout for vendors to make the

Farmer's Market a unique success. Please call the Jockey on 0161 860 7794 and leave a message for Cheli Nolan.

Ladies who lunch?

Afternoon teas are now available at the Jockey, with a selection of cakes and cupcakes for the most discerning sweet tooth. Our baked goodies feature Organic & Free Range ingredients. We are pleased to offer Mr. Scruff Teas, as well as specialty coffees.

Spring is coming

Looking forward to the Easter Bank Holiday? The Horse & Jockey is pleased to announce that we'll be extending our hours for both Thursday April 1, and Sunday April 4, 2010. We look forward to celebrating the Easter long weekend with you and your family.

Sundays

We have recently adjusted our Sunday times to provide a better service to our customers. Sunday Lunch, with all the trimmings, is now served in both pub and Dining Room from 12 til 4pm. Afternoon tea follows between 4 and 6pm. Our Evening Menu is now served in the Dining Room as well as the pub from 6 til 9pm, giving you a choice of environments once our famous Quiz Night gets underway in the pub.



CALENDAR

Sat 30 Jan
Arts & Craft Fair

Sun 14 Feb
Special Valentine's Menu

Wed 17 Feb
Acoustic Night
Launch

Fri 26-Sun 28 Feb
Beer Festival

Sat 27 Feb
Arts & Craft Fair
(Same weekend as
The Beer Festival)

Wed 17 March
St. Paddy's Acoustic
Night

Sat 27 March
Arts & Craft Fair

Thu 1-Mon 5 Apr
Easter weekend

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