

# RED LION

PUB, INN & DINING





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In the heart of the high street, and the hub of the local community, we want you to settle into your room, relax, re-set and enjoy our hospitality.



### **ABOUT US**

Part of the Surrey-based New Dawn Pubs collection, we take the greatest pride in creating quality pubs that have earned their place in the local community, proudly serving a high-quality hospitality experience. Our promise is to deliver stylish and relaxing environments within our pubs, with a sharp focus on great service, and providing top-quality, delicious food and drink... always.

During your stay here at The Red Lion, everything is under one roof. All seven of our boutique bedrooms are located above the pub. Situated across two floors, here in our Grade-II listed building, each of the rooms have been lovingly refurbished with stylish, quality furnishings, with your comfort and pleasure in mind.



We want you to feel right at home whilst staying here with us

...so let's get started with what you'll find here in our pub and inn, and outside, in Odiham and its surrounding areas.



### **OUR ACCOMMODATION**

Each of our bedrooms may differ slightly in layout or view, but they all support the importance of enjoying a great night's sleep.

Every attention to detail has been accommodated, from the steaming warmth of the welcoming rainshower and relaxing essential oils of ESPA toiletries; the luxury quality of beds, and thread count of the linen, to the black-out blinds, and ear plugs for those seeking pure, dark, silence.

When you're not sleeping, but seeking peaceful vibes, enjoy dulcet tones in the background with our retro Roberts Radio, whilst you pour yourself the perfect cup of tea, or chilled glass of wine to sit back, and relax.

We've tried to think of everything that you will need during your stay, but if we've missed anything, do let us know as quickly as possible, so that we can do our best to fill the gap.





If you happen to be in one of our two rooms located on the second floor, you are lucky enough to be enjoying a room that sparkles with historical character, including the original beams of the room. On hot days, we are aware how warm it can get that high up, and so, for your comfort, you will find a superduper fan to keep you feeling fresh. Sadly, to protect the Tudor's work, we are not able to install air-conditioning and thus, we thank you for your understanding.

If there is anything, we can do to assist you during your stay, please do not hesitate to ask one of our team who will be more than happy to help.

Wishing you an enjoyable stay, **The Red Lion team** 

### **IMPORTANT BITS**



### WIFI

We hope you will want to switch off during your stay and enjoy some screen-free time to enjoy the wonders of Mother Nature and the terrific array of activities available nearby, but if you would like to stay connected, or you are working remotely, wireless internet access is available throughout the premises using the following details:

LOG IN: The Red Lion PASSWORD: redlion2017

### **DEPARTURE**

On the day of departure, please be ready to check out of your room at:

Monday to Friday - 10am Saturday to Sunday - 11am

If you would like to arrange a later check out, please speak to a member of our team and we will do our best to accommodate your request, subject to availability.

### **ACCESS**

You are free to come and go as you please and there is a Residents' Door located at the back of the pub (at the foot of the stairs as you depart your room), should you prefer to use this entrance during your stay.

Please note, the pub staff do not remain on-site overnight, therefore, should you be planning a night out on the town (or you're an early riser and heading out for fresh air), please don't forget your room key, as this will give you access to the main Residents' Door.

### **ROOM FACILITIES**

Want to look your best? We have ironing boards and irons located in the communal guest services cupboard, along with a hairdryer that will actually dry your hair (we all know how often this isn't the case in hotels!). Should you have forgotten any key items for a big day, do let us know and we will be happy to direct you to the closest pharmacy, convenience store or retail outlet to ensure you feel, and look, great!

### REFRESHMENTS

There's nothing quite like enjoying a good cup of tea to help you settle in. Here in the room, you will find a Nespresso Coffee Machine (please refer to User Instructions located next to the machine), and Mozzo coffee capsules, alongside the kettle and a selection of Birchall tea to enjoy. Fresh cow's milk, and dairy-free alternatives can be obtained from the bar downstairs, or we have UHT milk in the room.

### MINI BAR

Everyone loves a minibar, but not usually the inflated prices! The joy of staying overnight in your favourite pub, is that the prices are exactly the same as you'd find downstairs. Need ice and a slice? No problem, just ask at the bar.

You will also find a bottle of freshly chilled tap water located here too.

#### SOFT DRINKS

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Coke	2.95
Diet Coke	2.95
Double Dutch Tonic (200ml)	2.95
Double Dutch Ginger Ale (200ml)	2.95
Still water (330ml)	3.00
Sparkling water (330ml)	3.00
PREMIUM WINES (18.7cl)	
Red/White	5.50
Extra Dry Prosecco	6.00
PREMIUM SPIRITS (50ml)	
Bacardi	6.00
Gin	6.00
Vodka	6.00
Whiskey	6.00

4.25

**BOTTLED BEER (330ml)** 

Premium lager

### **IMPORTANT BITS**



### FIRE INSTRUCTIONS

Please do read and refer to the evacuation plan on the **back of your room door** for important fire safety information.

### **SMOKING IN ROOMS**

In line with government rules, we are a nonsmoking and non-vaping establishment. Please do step outside should you wish to have a smoke (please don't forget to take your key with you).

### **SMART TELEVISIONS**

Our smart TV's allow you to log in to your own Netflix, Disney and Prime accounts, so you can continue watching all your favourite series and box-sets, right here with us.

### **TOILETRIES**

We want to provide only the best, so we are delighted to offer full-size (less waste) luxury ESPA toiletries to enjoy during your stay, with our compliments. If you've left any key toiletries at home, don't panic, there is a pharmacy, and Co-Op convenience store right here on the high street. Do ask a member of staff for directions, if needed.



### **EATING & DRINKING TIMES**

Whether you're after a great coffee or something a little stronger, our drinks list is perfectly tuned to suit every palate and mood.

For the most up-to date food serving hours, please visit our **HOME** page. Should you know that you will be arriving late, and in need of a meal, please do call the team in advance of your arrival so that we can put some plans in place to support your requirements.

We know the importance that fresh, quality ingredients play in your home life, and we're no different. Every ingredient and supplier we work with offers 100% traceability, ensuring all you need to worry about is whittling down your choice of dish to order from all the delicious options on offer!

### BREAKFAST TIMES

Breakfast is included in your room rates. All our food is freshly prepared. Should you be checking out early, please let our team know in advance and we will be pleased to provide a take-away breakfast ready for you to take upon departure.

### **Monday to Friday**

7am – 9am

Delicious continental breakfast served in the restaurant.

### Saturdays & Sundays

9am - 10<u>.30am</u>

Cooked and continental breakfast options available, served in the restaurant.

### **IMPORTANT BITS**



### HOUSEKEEPING

Should you require additional bed linen, towels or pillows, please do let us know and our team will deliver these to your room.

### **DOGS**

We are delighted to be offering a small selection of dog-friendly rooms, should you wish to bring your pooch with you for an overnight stay. Please note, a £15 supplement per night is charged to cover the additional cleaning costs. Bookings must be made by phone, so that these rooms can be allocated. To learn more about what is included for a pooch stay, check the **STAY-PACKAGES** page on our website.

### CHARITABLE SUPPORT

Supporting our local community, for our local community is so important to us. New Dawn Pubs are keen to support the underdog charities that simply don't get the awareness or support that the bigger, national charity campaigns can generate. Each of our pubs take pride in supporting local charities that are important to its local residents. For more information about the local charity that we actively support here at The Red Lion, please check the **LOCAL** page on our website

### **BETTER THAN AIRBNB**

Did you know that our bedrooms can be hired out exclusively, ideal if you're planning a weekend away with friends or family. Book our 'Escape with Friends' package and enjoy a three-course dinner and breakfast alongside your favourites for just £99 per person (£1,386 per night) for up to 14 people. To find out more about this offer, check our **STAY-PACKAGES** page on the website, or ask a member of staff.

# SPREAD THE LOVE OF NEW DAWN PUBS

Want to know what makes New Dawn Pubs so amazing? Our people...

Great friends Mark Robson, Mark Williams and Julian Clarke were the original founders, brains and success behind the Red Mist Leisure brand, which they sold to Red Lion Holdings after 18 years of great success.

In July 2022, the three friends, along with their original senior leadership team, who between them have over 100 years of priceless experience in hospitality, opened New Dawn Pubs. Keen to keep its portfolio of quality pubs intimate, the collection includes The Castle Pub in Farnham, The Gomshall Mill near Guildford, and here, The Red Lion on Odiham's high street.

This stunning collection of destination pubs has enabled Mark and the team to get back to doing what they love; keeping the English pub experience alive. A social hub for young and old, knitting the local communities back together, whilst at the heart, a superb team serving great food and drink, sourced from local suppliers, makers, and growers.

Help us to spread the love of New Dawn Pubs, and become an advocate of our pubs.

Sign up to our loyalty club, to enjoy great discounts and benefits, and be the first to attend our special events.



### **USEFUL INFORMATION**



Odiham is a quaint market town in Hampshire, filled with history and close links to the Royal Air Force. We hope you find the following information useful to best plan your time here with us.

### HIGH STREET PARKING

On-street parking is available along the breadth of the high street every day. Please be aware, between the hours of  $8\,\mathrm{am}-6\,\mathrm{pm}$  you can stay for a maximum limit of  $2\,\mathrm{hours}$  without charge. If you are arriving in the evening, you can park for free on the high street between  $6\,\mathrm{pm}-8\,\mathrm{am}$ . Please avoid parking directly across from the pub on a Thursday evening as a Friday Street Market is setup from here and parked cars will be

### PAY & DISPLAY CAR PARKING

blocked in (signs will be in place).

The Deer Park View Car Park (RG29 1JY), located just behind the pub is ideal for those who wish to park their car all day or when there are no spaces on the high street. The cost for all day parking is £4 (Mon – Sat). Free parking is available on Sundays, Bank Holidays and every day after 6pm. The ticket machine accepts coins, card and is also linked to the parking app MiPermit. For ease, the quickest way to access the car park from the pub is to exit the Residents' Door and turn right towards the residential dwellings, keep walking and you will enter the car park (a minutes' walk).

### **NEAREST TRAIN STATIONS**

Hook train station is 2.6 miles away and is on a direct line to Basingstoke and London Waterloo. We would recommend pre-booking a taxi to pick you up as this is a quiet station. Alternatively, you may prefer to get off at the earlier stop of Fleet train station (7.1 miles in distance from the pub), which offers a more frequent train service. Whilst Fleet station is further away, there are always taxis sitting outside.

### TAXI SERVICES

 Brighter Taxis
 Star Taxis
 Station Taxis

 01252 279 444
 01256 520 518
 01256 767 676

### HOSPITAL

The nearest hospital with an A&E department is Basingstoke and North Hampshire Hospital, which is 10.1 miles away (one junction down, off the M3). The full address is: Aldermaston Road, Basingstoke, RG24 9NA.

# JOIN OUR NEW DAWN PUBS LOYALTY CLUB

You simply can't replicate the atmosphere and feel of a great pub, and we want you to gain the most out of your local New Dawn Pub. Sign up to our loyalty club today to start earning points and rewards.



### Download our app now

Once you've signed up, you can collect points every time you eat, drink and stay with us.

Earn 1 point for every £1 you spend. As a thank you for your continued support, we'll reward your loyalty with special discounts, reward vouchers and so much more.

For further information, visit the **LOYALTY CLUB** page on our website.

### **EXPLORING** THE LOCAL AREA



Whether you're planning ahead or looking for some last minute activities, there's plenty going on right here in Odiham, and further afield, making us the perfect base to stay for a few nights.

We are positioned just minutes from the M3 and close to the A30\*, ideal for days spent exploring.

\*M4, A3 and M25 are all within easy reach

### **ACTIVITIES FOR FOODIES & DRINK FANS...**

### Bombay Sapphire Gin Distillery, Whitchurch

### bombaysapphire.com

World renowned, explore a hosted tour of Bombay Sapphire's distillery, as you discover the ten exotic botanicals used to make this famous gin so special. A variety of tours available.

### Gorilla Spirits Distillery, Upton Grey

### gorillaspirits.co.uk

Award-winning small batch spirits distillery, based in the neighbouring village. Choose from a tour, gin cocktail masterclass or gin school where you get to produce your very own gin creation.

### Hattingley Valley Vineyard, Lower Wield

### hattingleyvalley.com

Award-winning Hampshire sparkling wine, this is simply a must-visit if you are a lover of bubbles. Learn its history and everything you need to know about producing an award-winning range of sparkling wines.



### Hogs Back Brewery, Tongham

### hogsback.co.uk

If you love a really good local ale, then you simply must book in for a tour at this family-owned, award-winning brewery. From its famous TEA, and RipSnorter to its Hogstar Lager and Hazy Hog cider to their creation of the world's first real chocolate lager using Montezuma chocolate, we promise you won't be disappointed!

### Newlyn's Farm Shop, Café & Cookery School, Warnborough

### newlyns-farmshop.co.uk

Located just a few minutes down the road, this terrific family-owned, popular farm shop and café, is also home to a terrific culinary cookery school. Book onto one of their fantastic and hugely popular cookery courses, both kids and adult courses available, based on half day and full day experiences.

### Penn Croft Vineyard, Crondall

### penncroftvineyards.com

Making waves in the industry, enjoy year-round tours to learn all about their sustainable efforts and how they develop their award-winning wines.

# ADVENTURES FOR (BIG) AND SMALL KIDS



### Birdworld, Holt Pound

### birdworld.co.uk

Set in 26 acres of landscaped gardens, Birdworld is one of the largest bird parks in the UK. In addition to birds from around the world, Birdworld is also home to the Jenny Wren Farm featuring more fluffier residents for petting.

# Boating on the Basingstoke Canal, Odiham galleonmarine.co.uk

Available between March – October, simply turn up at the canal centre (situated at the base of the high street, opposite The Waterwitch pub) to hire a paddle board, rowing boat, canoe or kayak. Please note, this service is closed on Wednesdays.

### Chimera Virtual Reality, Fleet

### www.chimera-vr.com

A great activity if it happens to be raining or you have young teens to entertain. Enjoy single player and multi-player virtual reality gaming and multi-player virtual reality escape rooms. Open 7 days a week.

### Frensham Ponds, Frensham

### surreyhills.org

Frensham Great Pond and Little Pond are two delightful locations to walk around and explore. Built in the Middle Ages to provide fish for the Bishop of Winchester's estate, it's the perfect place to picnic, with plentiful walking trails, including its very own sandy beach (and coffee shop). The landscape is beautiful too, with far reaching views across Frensham Common.



### Go Ape (Alice Holt Forest), Bucks Horn Oak

### goape.co.uk

Head for the skies with this terrific, adrenaline-pumping, tree-top adventure in the royal forest of Alice Holt. Once you've climbed, balanced and zipped there's still plenty more to enjoy, including beautiful woodland walks, Gruffalo sculptures and play areas. Why not head there for 9am on Saturday mornings to join in on the weekly parkrun (please check the parkrun website for latest information).

### iFly, Indoor Skydiving, Basingstoke

### iflyworld.co.uk

Enjoy the soaring feeling of flying, within this indoor 14ft wind tunnel as you enjoy the feeling of a sky dive.

### Open Water Swimming at The Quays

### www.quayswim.co.uk

Fancy open water swimming in a crystal-clear, spring-fed lake? Early morning and evening open water swimming sessions available, both at weekends and also on Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout the season. Wet-suit hire is available if required.

### Wellington Riding, Heckfield

### wellingtonriding.co.uk

Wellington Riding is an international competition venue and leading UK equestrian training centre offering outstanding facilities. Whether you're wanting to get in the saddle for the first time, or you're already experienced and looking to be worked hard, the team at Wellington Riding can offer kids and adults a terrific riding experience, set within the 300 acres of the Duke of Wellington's Hampshire estate.

# EXPLORE LOCAL PLACES OF INTEREST



### Farnham Castle Keep

### english-heritage.org.uk

Standing on the crest of a hill overlooking the town of Farnham are the impressive motte and 'shell keep' of a castle founded in 1138 by Henry of Blois, Bishop of Winchester and brother of King Stephen. The castle was rebuilt in the late 12th and early 13th centuries, but a viewing platform reveals the buried remains of an earlier tower.

# Highclere Castle (Downton Abbey), Newbury highclerecastle.co.uk

Enjoy the history, the glamour and so much more on a visit to Highclere Castle. There are between 250 and 300 rooms in the Castle and during your tour you will explore the main state rooms, so familiar from "Downton Abbey". You will see some of the bedrooms before taking the stairs down to the cellars and old staff quarters where you will find the Egyptian Exhibition, celebrating the 5th Earl of Carnarvon's discovery of the tomb of Tutankhamun.

### Jane Austen's House, Chawton

### janeaustens.house

Feel the history as you visit the pretty Hampshire cottage that Jane Austen revised, wrote and had published all six of her treasured novels. Today you can step back in time to 1816 and follow in Jane's footsteps, see the rooms where she composed her books and created her timeless characters. Explore her home, discover objects that belonged to her and wander in the beautiful cottage garden.





### Odiham Castle, North Warnborough

### hants.gov.uk

Known locally as 'King John's Castle', Odiham Castle is located within a tranquil site adjacent to the Basingstoke Canal. The site has witnessed and been part of many historical events, from the signing of the Magna Carta, a French siege to the ownership of the de Montforts, a revolt and even the imprisonment of a Scottish King.



### **Waverley Abbey**

## english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/ waverley-abbey

Visit the very first monastery founded in Britain by the reforming Cistercian religious order. A small group of monks from France settled in this quiet spot by the River Wey in 1128, and Waverley soon became the springboard for Cistercian settlement in southern England. The impressive remains include the fine 13th century vaulted refectory or dining hall for the lay brothers, the Cistercians' labour force.

# EXPLORE DAYS OUT (A BIT FURTHER AFIELD)



### Chessington World of Adventures, Chessington

### chessington.com

Enjoy the thrills and spills of Merlin's favourite family theme park with over 40 rides and attractions to entertain young and old, plus enjoy a picnic in the grounds, walk around the zoo (which is 90 years old) and visit the terrific Sea Life Centre.

#### London

#### Various locations

What could be better than heading into the country's capital, London, to enjoy the street entertainment and theatre, alongside sight-seeing by foot, bus or boat! Visit Buckingham Palace, the Tower of London, London Dungeons, Shrek and so much more. Super easy to travel in by train (directly into London Waterloo), or you may prefer to drive in, just don't forget the congestion charge!

### **RHS Garden Wisley**

### rhs.org.uk

Wisley is the flagship garden of the Royal Horticultural Society and remains one of the UK's most visited and best-loved gardens, attracting around one million visitors each year. The garden has expanded hugely over the years to its current size of 97ha (240 acres). The coffee shops also serve great coffee and cake, a great place to while away the day.

### Seaside and coastal visits, South Coast

#### **Various locations**

There are plenty of coastal locations to enjoy that take up to an hour from The Red Lion, including West Wittering, Lymington, Lee-on-the Solent and Southsea. Travel for a little longer and head to Isle of Wight, Brighton and so much more. When you feel windswept and sunkissed, come on back to The Red Lion to relax and refresh.

### Thorpe Park Resort, Chertsey

### thorpepark.com

The most thrilling theme park here in the UK, according to its website, Thorpe Park has a host of adrenalin-pumping rides and attractions for you to enjoy including Stealth, Black Mirror Labyrinth, Tidal Wave, Vortex and so much more. Plus, they have themed events including Oktoberfest and Fright Nights in the autumn.



### Winchester

### visitwinchester.co.uk/things-to-do

From world class attractions including architecture, unrivalled shopping and delicious dining, to countryside trails for walking and cycling – there's plenty to discover for a whole day of exploring.



There are also an array of wonderful local walking and bike trails, places to eat and independent shops in and around Odiham that you really must visit.

For more information, simply ask a member of staff and they will be delighted to offer further recommendations.

# BUYING THE PERFECT EXPERIENTIAL GIFTS



Us Brits really do have a long-standing love affair with the great British pub, that dates back centuries.

Here at New Dawn Pubs, we love that we are able to gift you and your loved ones 'time'. Quality time to set aside and spend with one another, whether multi-generational over the family Sunday roast, a weekend away visiting friends, or simply intentional time that you plan to spend with one another.

Order your gift vouchers online now, give the gift of time, and let us look after the rest. For more information, visit the **GIFTS** page on our website.











