



Private Functions

Thank you for contacting us with regards your event, we love to throw a good party!

We have two floors for you to choose from, our upstairs Clubrooms (40-80 guests) which has it's own private loos on the floor above or, as an alternative, for the same hire charge & times, our self contained ground floor (60-120 guests) is also available to hire most Friday & Saturday evenings throughout the year.

Private hire includes bar staff & security and is from 7pm until Midnight (bar closes 11.30pm). Contact us with your preferred date & we'll let you know if it's available & what the hire charge will be.

We can provide a drinks reception from £4 for your guests or they can simply order & pay at the bar all evening or you can put a set sum behind the bar or we can give out a ticket per guest for a bar tab if you wish. There is a link to our website at the bottom of this page where you can find our current drinks menu.

A buffet or canapés can be supplied, we do not allow outside catering with the exception of celebration cakes. If you would like us to cater for your event please see our website for our current catering options.

Under 18's are allowed all evening on either floor & we require the venue hire as deposit to secure your booking.

Music wise we can recommend a DJ (£220) depending on availability, or you can hire your own. We can put forward some suggestions for live musicians (approx £175 upwards) or we can stream your own Spotify playlist through our system free of charge. We have also hosted casino themed nights and murder mysteries & can put you in touch with relevant companies should you wish.

We'd recommend coming to see our lovely first floor rooms & checking that they're suitable for your guests as they are accessed by a beautiful but long Grade 2 listed staircase with no lift. Our ground floor is accessed by 6 steps with a handrail and we have a ground floor disabled loo. There is a link on our website that takes you to a 3D virtual tour of our building. The Gin Palace bar and function rooms are on the first floor.

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Please note that for certain key dates over the Christmas period we may require a minimum spend. If you need any more information, or to arrange a viewing, you can contact us via Email info@thebookcafe.co.uk or call & ask to speak to a Manager on 01332 294008.

Kind regards, The Bookcafe



Wedding Reception & Parties

Thank you for contacting us with regards your Wedding, congratulations to you both! You can have a fantastic day in our city centre venue which is a brief stroll from the Registry office and close by to an array of hotels. If you're looking for a classy & informal venue that won't break the bank, we might be your perfect venue.

Hire Charges

The private hire charge is for our upstairs Clubrooms which has it's own private restrooms on the floor above. Minimum numbers are 20 daytime & 40 in the evening up to a maximum of 80, our seating is a mixture of tables & chairs with soft seating. Wherever possible we allow you access to the first floor rooms the day before or earlier that day to bring in your props & decorate your tables.

As an alternative, for the same hire charge & times, our ground floor is available to hire from 7pm for up to 120 guests on selected evenings throughout the year including most Fridays & Saturdays. Quite often couples will have their daytime celebration upstairs & move downstairs for the evening. Under 18's are allowed all evening. We require the venue hire as deposit, any other payment for reception drinks/pre ordered drinks or catering is due a week before your big day. Contact us with the date & times you require & we'll check availability & get a hire quote for you

Drinks & Catering

We can provide a drinks reception (Prosecco/wine/gin & tonic/Pimms etc) for your guests or they can simply order & pay at the bar. Alternatively you can put a set sum behind the bar or we can give out a ticket per guest for a bar tab if you wish. There is a link to our website at the bottom of this page where you can find our current drinks menu.

We have had quite a few Weddings @ Bookcafe & each is different, from fizz & canapés afternoon/early evening to afternoon tea served to your tables as a Wedding breakfast, a really decent homemade 'posh pub' or hot fork buffet. We don't charge any more than we do for any other party or celebration just because we hear the word 'Wedding'. We don't allow outside catering with the exception of your Wedding cake, see our current catering options for further information.

Music & Entertainment

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