

WEDNESDAY 9 FEBRUARY 2022

THE PAVILION BALLROOM, WESTOVER ROAD, BOURNEMOUTH

COST: £42 PER PERSON

We are pleased to confirm that our Annual Lunch will be back for 2022, once again at The Pavilion, Bournemouth. You are invited to join your President, Neil White, at what will be one of the Society's most prestigious events of the year.



Our speaker will be **GYLES BRANDRETH**.

Gyles Brandreth is a writer, broadcaster, actor, former MP and Lord Commissioner of the Treasury, now Chancellor of the University of Chester and one of Britain's most sought-after award ceremony hosts and after-dinner speakers.

A star of *Celebrity Gogglebox*, a veteran of *QI* and *Have I Got News For You*, a reporter on *The One Show*, a regular on *This Morning*, and for many years one of the stars of *Just a Minute* BBC Radio 4.

His many books include nine detective novels (among them *The Oscar Wilde Murder Mysteries*), biographies (notably *Philip: The Final Portrait*) and three recent best-sellers: *The 7 Secrets of Happiness*; his celebration of good English, punctuation, spelling and grammar, *Have You Eaten Grandma?*; and his anthology of poetry to learn by heart, *Dancing by the Light of the Moon*.

In 2021/22, pandemic permitting, he is appearing on stage with Dame Judi Dench at the Bridge Theatre, on TV with Sheila Hancock in *Great Canal Journeys*, and on tour throughout the country with his one-man show, *Break a Leg!* He presents a weekly podcast with Susie Dent about words: *Something Rhymes With Purple* - Best Entertainment Podcast at the British Podcast Awards, 2020. His latest book is *The Oxford Book of Theatrical Anecdotes*. His next is an autobiography, *Odd Boy Out*, to be published in September 2021.



Wednesday 9 February 2022 (12:00 for 12:45)

Menu

Smoked Duck Breast

Blood orange gel and a lightly dressed Asian salad

or

Roasted Chestnut and Rosemary Arancini (v, vg)

Baby fennel confit, pickled shallots and a cauliflower puree



Breast of Cornfed Chicken

Chateau potatoes, creamed cabbage with bacon, confit of carrot with a cranberry and thyme jus

or

Sussex Halloumi and Red Pepper Wellington (v)

Honey roasted parsnip, sauteed sprouts and chestnuts with a red wine jus



Black Forest Torte (v)

Berry Sorbet, chocolate soil, berry coulis and edible flowers

or

Sticky Toffee Pudding (v)

Vanilla pod ice cream, lavender scented crumb and toffee sauce



Tea or Coffee

BOOKING FORM

Please complete and return this slip with your payment by Wednesday 19 January 2022

To: Mrs Mandy Heath, Bournemouth and District Law Society, Borough Chambers, Fir Vale Road, Bournemouth
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BDLS Annual Lunch (Wednesday 9 February 2022 – 12.00 for 12.45 pm) £42 per person

From: _____
 Company / Firm: _____
 Address: _____
 Email: _____
 Number of Places required: _____
 Cheque/BACS for: _____

Table Plan Enclosed / To Follow – please delete as appropriate*

* Table Plans to be received by Wednesday 19 January at the latest. Please note that round tables take up to a maximum of 12. If your party is fewer than 8 then you may be sharing with another party. We can also provide long tables for larger parties if you would like your party to sit together on one table.

Menu choices - Please indicate your guests' requirements in the boxes below:

Starter Duck
 Arancini
 Main Chicken
 Wellington
 Dessert Chocolate
 Toffee

Cheques: payable to "Bournemouth & District Law Society"
BACS: Account Name: Bournemouth & District Law Society
Account No: 56568851 Sort Code: 56-00-35.
Important: Please quote reference "Lunch/your firm name"

Forename	Surname	Starter	Main	Dessert