

## PRESS RELEASE

## CELEBRATE LOVE ACROSS COVENT GARDEN THIS VALENTINE'S DAY

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Covent Garden, one of London's most romantic neighbourhoods, has announced a line up of exclusive dishes, romantic gifts, and charming experiences this Valentine's Day - providing the perfect destination for an intimate date night, Galentine's celebration, weekend break, or trip with friends this February.

For date night options to cater to every taste, Covent Garden's wide selection of dining and drinking destinations offer deliciously innovative menus and limited edition drinks. Visitors can enjoy a selection of exclusive Valentine's menus in ultra-cosy restaurants including **The Petersham, Cinnamon Bazaar, Monmouth Kitchen, Cora Pearl, The Oystermen** and London's most romantic **Clos Maggiore**. To dial up the romance, visitors can enjoy a candle-lit dinner at **Palm Court Brasserie**, or feast on sharing menus at **Lima Cantina, SUSHISAMBA, Sticks 'n' Sushi, The Ivy Market Grill, Story Cellar** and **The Barbary**. Iconic restaurant, **Balthazar** is pulling out all the stops with live entertainment, bespoke cocktails and new desserts especially for the occasion, whilst **Gaucho** is offering an exclusive *Cherry Kiss* cocktail or bottle of Laurent-Perrier Cuvée Brut Rosé and tempting chocolate truffles in their private 'Love Nook' booths. **Ave Mario** will be treating lovers and friends to a brand new signature dessert featuring a giant choux bun filled with fior di latte gelato, topped with fresh raspberry jam and crunchy pink praline and finished off with a warm chocolate sauce.

For a sweet Valentine's treat, **Blondies** will be offering a personalised message on a selection of their famous cookies in-store for Valentine's weekend, while **Ladurée** and **Pierre Herme** will offer limited edition Valentine's Day collections. For the perfect after-dinner date for any chocolate lover, guests can visit **Laderach, Lakrids, Godiva, Neuhaus** and more.

Those seeking the perfect gift can visit Covent Garden's retailers for endless Valentine's Day 2024 options. From forever jewellery gifts at **Astley Clarke, Astrid & Miyu, Dinny Hall, Mejuri, Missoma** and **PDPAOLA** through to timeless luxury at **Bucherer, Messika** and **Tiffany & Co.**, as well as **Girard Perregaux, Hublot, Tag Heuer, Tissot** and **Tudor** which currently house a number of stunning limited edition timepieces. Shoppers can also browse **Mulberry** and **Strathberry** for the perfect accessory, and fragrance connoisseurs can visit **Parfum de Marley, Creed, Le Labo, Guerlain, Jo Malone London, Miller Harris** and **Penhaligons** to seek out their perfect Valentine's scent.

For a romantic retreat in the heart of the capital, guests can stay at one of Covent Garden's renowned hotels, including **The Henrietta Hotel, NoMad London, Rosewood, Radisson Blu Edwardian Mercer St, Amano** and **St Martin's Lane**. While culture seekers can visit the **Royal Opera House** for a one of a kind backstage tour, or buy tickets to shows including the Royal Ballet's *Manon* or *Festival of New Choreography*, catch the end of Macbeth running until the 10th February at the iconic **Donmar Warehouse** or visit **Somerset House** to enjoy the new *Cute* exhibition.

For further information on Valentine's Day in Covent Garden visit [Coventgarden.london](https://www.coventgarden.london)

For anyone looking for pancakes this Pancake Day, Covent Garden offers one of London's largest and most innovative selections, including crepes, American style, sweet and savoury options available at restaurants across the estate. Highlights include **Apple Butter Café's** variety of flavoured pancakes, including Lotus Biscuit, Chocolate Orange, Toffee Apple and more, as well as a delicious stack of buttermilk pancakes courtesy of **The Ivy Market Grill** and **Balthazar**. **The Breakfast Club** will serve its mouth-watering stack of pancakes with flavours including Cream and Berries, The All American, The Big Stack and The Blueberry and Bacon. Other pancake options include **Din Tai Fung's** iconic Crispy Golden Prawn Pancake and **Brasserie Max's** Bacon and Maple syrup pancakes - perfect for a Shrove Tuesday pancake fix.

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