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THE STORY OF THE RICHMOND GATE HOTEL

The four star Richmond Gate Hotel is an elegant eighteenth century building situated at the top of Richmond Hill. Described as a boutique 'grand house' rather than a hotel - with fabulous lounge rooms, beautiful open fires, a stunning Conservatory and a magnificent Victorian walled garden, we are a very popular choice in the area. To the right of the hotel is Richmond terrace, where the magnificent view across the Thames Valley has, for centuries been an inspiration for poets and painters. To the left are 2,500 acres of Richmond Royal Park, home to herds of red and fallow deer.

The oldest surviving parts of the Richmond Gate Hotel date back to around 1715 and have been affectionately named after the occupants of that time – Lady Stanley and Lord Crawford – as the Stanley and Crawford Cottages. One of the original occupants, however, was William Penkethman, a well-known comedian of the time and founder of Richmond's first theatre.

In 1993 the Conservatory was added, the "Cottage" bedrooms created and in September 1994 work began on a £4million health and leisure club, adjoining the Richmond Gate Hotel. Cedars Health & Leisure Club – named after 250 year old Cedar of Lebanon tree – opened in December, 1995. More recently the hotel has benefited from a multi-million pound refurbishment of all bedrooms, meeting rooms, restaurants and public areas making us a very popular choice in the area.

Just 7 miles away from London's West End and within easy distance from London Heathrow Airport, Richmond Gate is ideally located for visiting Twickenham Rugby Ground, Wimbledon Tennis, the new Wembley Stadium, Kew Gardens and Hampton Court Palace. Today the Richmond Gate Hotel features 68 beautifully refurbished bedrooms, 5 meeting and function rooms for up to 70 delegates with an added benefit of complimentary WiFi and car parking, 2 AA Rosette 'Gates on the Park Restaurant' and Leisure Club & Spa with indoor swimming pool, state-of-the-art gym and sauna.

Whether you want to escape the hustle and bustle of the city for your meeting or team building activity or looking for a weekend away, you can be sure of friendly and relaxed atmosphere; our team of experienced, professional staff are always at hand to assist.



You will enjoy more than just a good night's sleep at the Richmond Gate Hotel. Each one of the hotel's 68 bedrooms is individually designed and finished to the highest possible standard to offer you a perfect place to relax at the end of the day.

Bedrooms range from Standard Doubles and Twins overlooking the garden to spacious Junior Suites and Four Posters. All our bedrooms are fully air-conditioned and offer crisp white duvets and bedding, luxurious toiletries, flat screen TV with satellite, tea and coffee making facilities, mini bar, complimentary WiFi internet access and laptop safes.

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COTTAGE

Our luxurious 2 bedroom cottage is nestled in the grounds of the hotel, offering an ideal home from home, perfect for guests travelling on long term business or families relocating to the area.

Gates Cottage features 2 beautifully furnished bedrooms – a private study, bathroom, spacious kitchen and a Conservatory dining room leading onto a private garden.

Guests staying at Gates Cottage can enjoy the hotel facilities and complimentary access to Cedars Health and Leisure Club.



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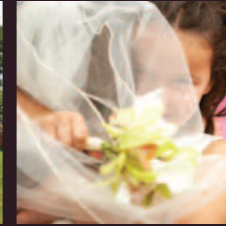
MEETINGS & EVENTS

The Richmond Gate Hotel offers a unique venue for both private and corporate events. For the discerning business guest, the hotel represents an ideal venue for executive board meetings, seminars and residential courses. Six function rooms are available for up to 70 delegates, and with a flexible approach we aim to meet all your requirements and 'go the extra mile'.

The elegant ground floor Terrace Room blends traditional design with modern facilities you would

expect from a professional business venue, perfect for a conference for up to 50 delegates or an informal event for 70 guests. The Terrace Room features crystal chandeliers, fireplace, natural daylight and direct access from the car park with added benefit of an anti-room which is ideal for breaking out for tea and coffee. The Morshead Room is a more intimate function room, featuring large bay windows with lots of natural daylight, set up for a boardroom meeting or for private dining for up to 15 people. The Conservatory is a truly unique room overlooking the delightful Victorian walled garden, great for teambuilding, corporate entertainment and barbeques.

A further 2 meeting rooms are also available with capacities from 2 to 10 delegates all boasting wireless internet access, air conditioning and natural daylight.



WEDDINGS

From the moment you arrive outside this elegant eighteenth century building situated at the top of Richmond Hill and take in the magnificent view that inspire poets and painters for centuries, the scene will be set for a wonderful day.

Celebrate in the magnificent Conservatory, a truly unique room overlooking the delightful Victorian walled garden, ideal for drinks receptions and barbeques for up to 120 people or perhaps you will fall in love with the soft gold and green colour scheme that compliments the crystal chandeliers so beautifully in the Terrace Room. If your wedding is a more intimate affair, the exquisite first floor Morshead Room with its handsome long bay windows is the ideal choice, or the luxurious 'Gates on the Park' restaurant with its large bay windows.

As we hold a civil service licence for three of our suites with seating for up to 50 guests, you can even choose to say your vows at Richmond Gate, enabling you to spend the whole of your day in the one perfect location.

Your personal Wedding Planner is waiting to meet you and your partner so you can begin planning a day that will live in your memory forever. It's your day – you deserve the very best!



RESTAURANT

Gates on the Park Restaurant boasts 2 AA rosettes and is a perfect choice for fine dining with a modern twist. Imaginative menus have been thoughtfully created to offer a wide range of dishes, all freshly prepared with the greatest attention to detail. Over 60 wines from around the world are available to perfectly complement every meal.

Gates Bar also serves a light food menu, along with two additional lounge areas in the hotel offering open fire places, the perfect place to relax with the newspapers or indulge in a traditional afternoon tea with perfectly cut sandwiches and freshly baked scones.

We have a range of options for private dining, celebrations or events, from intimate dinners for 6 guests up to seated banquets for 70 guests. For a standing buffet or canapé reception we can accommodate up to 120 guests. Our chef will be happy to discuss a suitable menu for your special occasion.

Please be advised that Gates on the Park Restaurant is closed on Sundays but alternative options are available in the Gates Bar, Lounge or via Room Service.

CEDARS HEALTH CLUB & SPA



Situated at the top of Richmond Hill, this prestigious health and leisure club offers a wide range of facilities in a friendly and welcoming environment. Our team of dedicated, qualified instructors will guide you towards achieving your fitness goals.

Cedars Leisure Club facilities include:

- 20 x 8 meter, indoor swimming pool
- 6 meter spa pool
- Cardiovascular Gymnasium
- Resistance Gymnasium
- Personal training
- Ofsted registered Crèche
- Over 50 classes per week, including Zumba, Spinning, Yoga and Pilates
- Private individual and group swimming lessons for all ages and abilities



Cedars isn't all about working-out though; you can spend time simply relaxing with friends or why not escape from the stresses of everyday life at The Balcony health and beauty. You can choose from a wide variety of luxurious Elemis treatments and products as well as alternative therapies that will ensure total health and well-being.

Spa Gift Vouchers are available in a variety of denominations. We can also create a specific voucher tailored to any combination of treatments of your choice. For bookings and information call 020 8939 0385 or email spa.cedars@akkeronhotels.com