

**Chair. & Treasurer Tim Hodges**

**Secretary. Hilary Rylands**

**Committee. Angela Britland, Anne Saville, Sharon Bailey,**

**Coopted Jane Wynne-Williams, Val Bishop (Graphics)**

**Wine Steward. Paul Bishop**

Dear Members and Friends

We are delighted to invite you and guests to our annual Christmas

Party which this year will be held at the aforesaid venue. A long time

favourite of both M & Mid Cheshire branch and Manchester and one which has stood the test of time, for good food and fine wine events.

We present our Menu for the evening: -

**\*\*\*\*Canapes on arrival\*\*\*\***

**The Society’s Exhibition Cotes de Provence**

**\*\*\*\*Starter\*\*\*\***

**Fleetwood smokers & poached Cornish mackerel pate, red onion & beetroot chutney, fresh leaves & sourdough toast**

**Grillo Sicilia Isola della Fiamma, Cantine Rallo 2022**

**\*\*\*\*Main course\*\*\*\***

**Duo of game - Mini pigeon & ale pie, sous vide haunch of venison,**

**celeriac & truffle puree, glazed carrots & fresh herbs. Madeira jus.**

**D’Arenberg d’arras original McLaren Vale Grenache Shiraz**

**\*\*\*\*Dessert\*\*\*\***

**An asset of miniature dessert favourites**

**Samos Anthemis 2016**

**\*\*\*\*Selection of cheeses\*\*\*\***

**COFFEE OR TEA**

**Vegetarian & allergen intolerance option available on request**

**Please send your payment to Tim by 9 November**

Forward events for 2024

La Boheme, Lymm, dinner 18 January 2024

Chester Zoo- Lunch February

Forge Restaurant, Chester March

AGM – Buckleys Restaurant Warrington – lunch 18 April

Awards Lunch Catering College Competition (non branch) May venue TBA

Boat trip in association with Nomad wines, Northwich, June.

Kindest regards and wishing everybody a happy Christmas and a healthy New Year

Hilary Rylands

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**Wishing you all a very Happy Christmas and Prosperous Healthy New Year**

**Tim & the committee**

**MERSEYSIDE & MID CHESHIRE BRANCH**

**90th YEAR OF THE IWFS &**

**EARLY CHRISTMAS BLACK TIE**

**CELEBRATION AT ‘ASPIRE'**

**Restaurant at Trafford Catering College, Manchester Road. West Timperley, Altrincham, WA14 5PQ**

**6.FOR 6.30PM 23 Nov 2023**

**Aperitif only £46 Wine £53**

