

## Local Restaurants, IBM Hursley



### Hotel du Vin & Bistro

[www.hotelduvin.com](http://www.hotelduvin.com)

Southgate Street, Winchester, Hampshire, SO23 9EF.

Tel: 01962 841 414

The original Hotel du Vin is housed in the fine architecture of one of central Winchester's most important Georgian buildings, dating back to 1715. The smallest within the group, with 24 bedrooms, it has an intimate ambience emphasised by the cosy Bistro and Champagne Bar.

Described by one journalist as "hotels with substance and wit", they conjure up images of wonderful wines, great cocktails and cigars, serious showers, divine Egyptian linens and classic bistros with a twist.

Location: Central Winchester

Menu price (from): £30.00 (3 courses)

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### Loch Fyne Fish Restaurant

[www.lochfyne.com](http://www.lochfyne.com)

18 Jewry Street, Winchester, Hampshire, SO23 8RZ.

Tel: 01962 872 930

This 16th century jailhouse is one of the oldest buildings in Winchester and has retained many of its original features, including galleried dining areas and original high-beamed ceilings.

Having now been sympathetically restored, it provides the perfect setting for a feast. The pretty courtyard area is also very popular with guests, who you will frequently see sitting out eating and drinking till the early hours.

Location: Central Winchester

Menu price (from): £15.00 (2 courses)

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### **The Old Vine**

[www.oldvinewinchester.com](http://www.oldvinewinchester.com)

8 Great Minster Street, Winchester, Hampshire, SO23 9HA

Tel: 01962 854 616

The Old Vine bar and restaurant is a smoke free spacious area offering an extensive A La Carte menu with a specialty in fish and seafood cooked daily on the premises.

The Old Vine Hotel was established as an Inn in the mid sixties. The building is steeped in history. It was originally named The Wine Stores and then later The Minster Cafe. Today The Old Vine still has a grade I listed 14th Century vaulted cellar. The Old Vine still has the atmosphere pertaining to it's past with its wonderful oak beams and wooden floors.

Location: Central Winchester

Menu price (from): £15.00 (2 courses)

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### **The Chesil Rectory**

1 Chesil Street, Winchester, Hampshire, SO23 0HU.

Tel: 01962 851 555

The oldest house in the historic city of Winchester, the Chesil Rectory dates from 1427, though most of the building you see today is 16th century. The restaurant has all the atmospheric period features you'd expect: low ceilings, beams and an inglenook fireplace, set off by simple modern decor.

The four-course dinner menu includes an appetiser and refresher course of the chef's choice. The quality of the ingredients is superb. Local produce is important, notably south coast seafood.

Location: Central Winchester

Menu price (from): £45.00 (3 courses)



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### Lainston House Hotel

[www.exclusivehotels.co.uk](http://www.exclusivehotels.co.uk)

Sparsholt, Winchester, Hampshire, SO21 2LT.

Tel: 01962 776 088

This charming 17th Century country house is a luxurious hotel, encapsulated in 63 acres of Hampshire parkland.

The restaurant at Lainston House offers stunning views of the spectacular avenue of Lime Trees and inspires those who treasure tranquil Hampshire life. Thoughtfully prepared dishes offer an ideal blend of traditional cooking with simplicity, freshness and purity. The extensive menu is ostensibly English with a regional French influence.

Location: Sparsholt (15 minutes from central Winchester)

Menu price (from): £50.00 (3 courses)

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### The Plough Inn

Sparsholt, Winchester, Hampshire, SO21 2NW.

Tel: 01962 776 353

The Plough in Sparsholt near Winchester is a former farmhouse, it was converted into a pub in 1909 and is set to celebrate its centenary as a massively successful business.

The dining tables to the left of the entrance have a view across open fields to wooded downland, and it's at this end you'll find a blackboard menu offering lighter dishes, the menu board at the right-hand end of the bar offers meals of a slightly more serious nature - lamb shank with braised red cabbage and rosemary jus; seabass fillets with lemon mash and buttered leeks; and tomato, olive and courgette tart with a roasted pepper coulis.

Booking is definitely advised for any meal.

Location: Sparsholt (15 minutes from central Winchester)

Menu price (from): £20.00 (2 courses)



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### Olive Tree

[www.olivetreee.co.uk](http://www.olivetreee.co.uk)

29 Oxford Street, Southampton, Hampshire, SO14 3DJ.  
Tel: 02380 343 333

At the Olive Tree they create menus around local produce. The majority of fish is delivered daily. The meat is cooked simply in its own natural jus or char-grilled with a modern Mediterranean twist.

The Olive Tree is regarded to be one of the best restaurants in Southampton, known for great food and a friendly service. The decor features rare limestone-topped tables, Brazilian slate flooring and fashionable artwork.

It is advisable to book well in advance.

Location: Central Southampton (20-25 minutes from IBM Hursley)  
Menu price (from): £17.50 (2 courses)

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### DockGate 4

[www.dockgate4.co.uk](http://www.dockgate4.co.uk)

1 South Western House, Southampton, Hampshire, SO14 3AS  
Tel: 02380 339 303

Dockgate 4 is situated in the former ballroom of South Western House, at the entrance to the ever popular Oxford Street area of Southampton. Once a hotel and restaurant for passengers sailing to the United States - including the passengers of the infamous Titanic.

After you've sampled the delights of Dockgate 4's excellent restaurant, spend some time in Southampton's most exciting bar for one, or maybe two, of the hundreds of cocktails available.

Location: Southampton (20-25 minutes from central Winchester)  
Menu price (from): £ ( courses)

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### KUTI'S BRASSERIE



#### Kuti's Brasserie

[www.kutis.co.uk](http://www.kutis.co.uk)

37-39 Oxford Street, Southampton, Hampshire, SO14 3DP  
Tel: 02380 233 025

Kuti's Brasserie is Southampton's most exclusive and exciting Indian Restaurant. They serve truly authentic Indian Cuisine in a Bangladeshi style, with a selection of traditional and innovative new dishes created by a combination of superb new facilities and a long standing local reputation for excellence.

If you do not see the dish you would like on the menu or would like a slight variation, the world famous Chefs from Bangladesh & India (Romis Miah & Jay Ganesh) would be happy to oblige.

It is advisable to book well in advance.

Location: Central Southampton (20-25 minutes from IBM Hursley)  
Menu price (from): £17.00 (2 courses)

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#### Oxford Brasserie

[www.theoxfordbrasserie.com](http://www.theoxfordbrasserie.com)

33 Oxford Street, Southampton, Hampshire, SO14 3DS  
Tel: 02380 635 043

With exclusive French cuisine on offer, this stylish restaurant is a popular choice for both business and leisure diners. The restaurant specialty is fresh fish, or you can choose from an extensive a la carte menu.

The two-course set meals are particularly worth investigating, costing around GBP10 at lunch and GBP13 at dinner. There are over 120 bottled wines to choose from. The brasserie can be found on Oxford Street, close to the docks and the waterfront in Southampton.

Location: Southampton (20-25 minutes from central Winchester)

Menu price (from): £15.00 (2 set courses)

