



FORDE
SUITES



Ignite Your Aspirations

THE JOHNSTOWN ESTATE, CO. MEATH



Down to Business

Experience the newly transformed Forde Suites at The Johnstown Estate. Its modern and luxurious look exudes sophistication from the moment delegates enter through the private entrance, right down to the finest of details. Forde Suites now boasts a lobby lounge, opulent meeting rooms, a grand Gala Ballroom, and a captivating Orangery perfect to host a multiday conference, intense brainstorming or strategy sessions, and so many options in between. So, let our professional Events Team help you to get down to business.



Conferencing

Versatility is key: our flexible, multipurpose facilities - include a 890m² ballroom without pillars, which divides into four separate suites, and switches with relative ease from exhibition, to seminar, to dining space. The Ballroom holds up to 1,200 delegates, has its own private entrance and foyer, and is suffused with natural daylight.

The private entrance area includes a light filled Orangery featuring a stylish cocktail bar and

an adjoining terrace overlooking the beautiful walled garden that allows you to include barbecues or summer lunches in your event programme.

You can also depend on our high speed complimentary WiFi, both in the conference area and throughout The Estate.





Manor House Meeting Rooms

Echoing The Estate's luxurious Georgian provenance, we have 8 tastefully decorated meeting rooms of various sizes in the original Manor House Meeting Rooms, the majority of which have beautiful solid oak boardroom tables for between four and 16 people. Others are flexible for up to 30 people for training or seminars.

All have natural daylight, or overlook our light-filled, glass-ceilinged atrium. The Mezzanine Gallery connects all the Manor meeting spaces and is the perfect spot for coffee breaks and checking emails.





Networking

Good business gets done over great food, so when the hard work of the day is complete, your group may want to kick back and relax a little. We offer Gala Dinners, relaxed Summer Barbecues, Christmas parties, bespoke menus in

our contemporary fine-dining restaurant, Fire & Salt, and impeccable cocktails at our captivating garden terrace cocktail bar, Parterre.





Eating

Food is our calling card, with fresh, seasonal ingredients a corner stone of the menus which are designed by our Executive Chef. Our culinary team offer lots of options in addition to traditional banqueting, and all menus can be tailored to your event's specific requirements.

For private dining, Fire & Salt - our contemporary fine-dining restaurant - is available, and our manor dining rooms - The Burgundy, The Willow and The Rose - are an atmospheric and unique option for group dining.

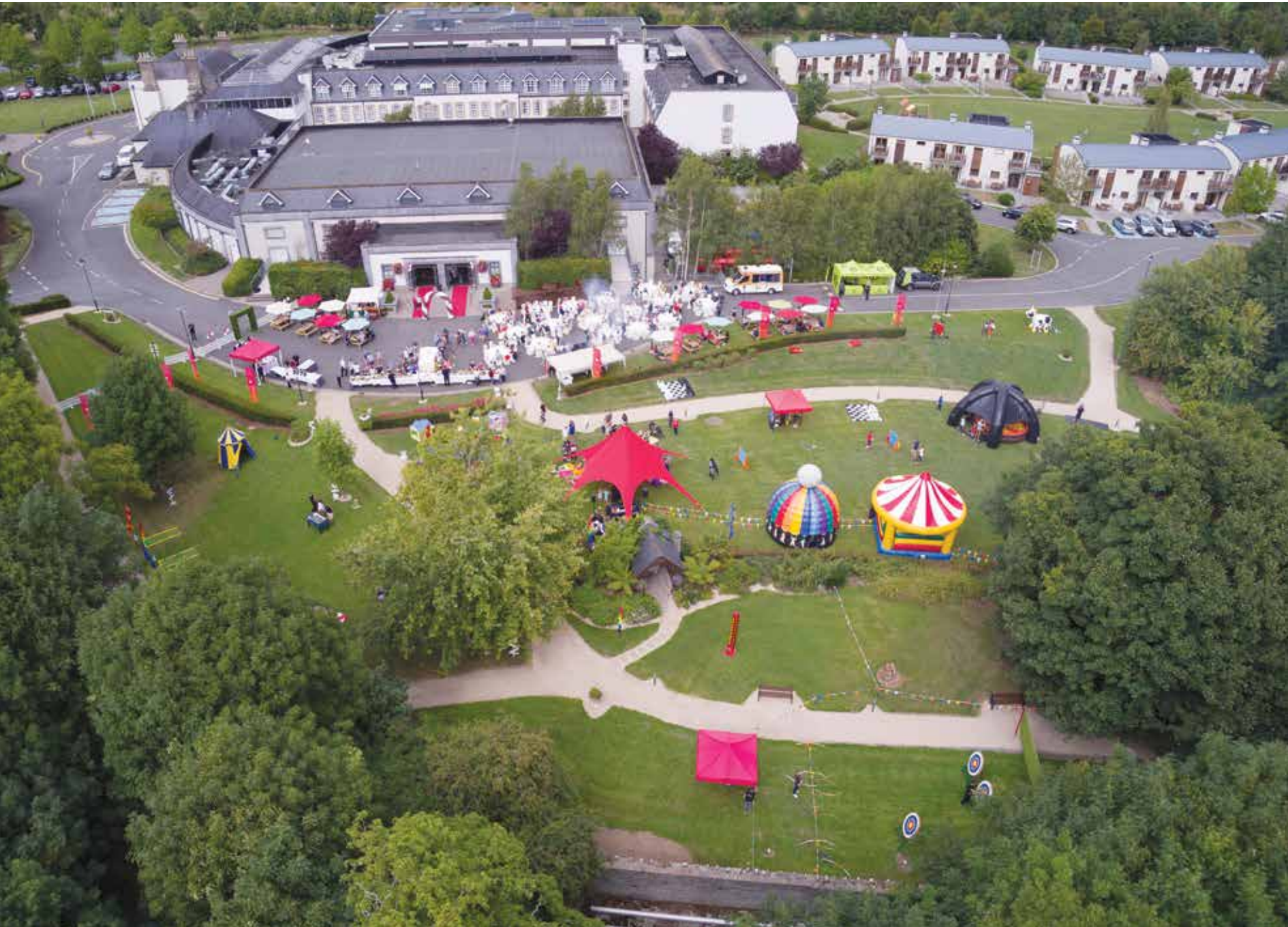


Relaxing

Residential delegates have a variety of options to choose from, including 67 Deluxe bedrooms featuring free WiFi, workstation and trouser press, plus a further 55 Executive Deluxe bedrooms which have additional luxuries such as an Espresso machine, robe and slippers. We have 6 luxury suites with separate lounge and dining

areas in each; and for the ultimate indulgence, The Lady Margaret Suite spans 3 rooms at the front of the original manor and is perfect for any CEO or Chair of the Board. Finally there are 40 two-bedroom lodges offering space and flexibility for longer stays.





Teambuilding

Surrounded by 120 acres of woodland and countryside, there are boundless possibilities for teambuilding fun. Yoga, meditation, kayaking, clay pigeon-shooting, archery or treasure hunts can all be arranged onsite. Also, there are perfect spaces for more sedentary and refined pursuits such as whiskey or wine tastings. We have the options; the only constraint is your imagination.





Refreshing

Not everything has to be about work. Sometimes the best thinking is done when the mind is refreshed and the soul calmed.

Residential guests can enjoy an empowering work-out, an energising circuit class or an

invigorating swim in The Leisure Club, and the outdoor hot-tub is the best place to relax and enjoy some hard-earned, post-exercise endorphins.



The Forde Suites



THE GRAND BALLROOM

BOARDROOM	N/A
U-SHAPE	N/A
CLASSROOM	500
CABARET	560
THEATRE 1	200
BANQUET	750
RECEPTION	1000
EXHIBITOR	70
ROOM DIMENSIONS	36.1 x 16.5
AREA SQ	890
CEILING HEIGHT	4.8
NATURAL LIGHT	YES
AV	Video Wall LED Screen - P2 Resolution 6 x 2.75 Drop Down Screen & HD Projector 4 x 2.75 Drop Down Screen & HD Projector 3 x 2.75



THE BALLROOM

BOARDROOM	130
U-SHAPE	170
CLASSROOM	300
CABARET	350
THEATRE	710
BANQUET	460
RECEPTION	650
EXHIBITOR	40
ROOM DIMENSIONS	36.1 x 16.5
AREA SQ	595
CEILING HEIGHT	4.8
NATURAL LIGHT	YES
AV	Video Wall LED Screen - P2 Resolution 6 x 2.75

THE SHACKLETON

BOARDROOM	82
U-SHAPE	97
CLASSROOM	160
CABARET	200
THEATRE	380
BANQUET	260
RECEPTION	350
EXHIBITOR	22
ROOM DIMENSIONS	19.2 x 16.5
AREA SQ	320
CEILING HEIGHT	4.8
NATURAL LIGHT	YES
AV Video Wall LED Screen - P2 Resolution	6 x 2.75



THE YEARS

BOARDROOM	60
U-SHAPE	60
CLASSROOM	140
CABARET	100
THEATRE	350
BANQUET	240
RECEPTION	340
EXHIBITOR	22
ROOM DIMENSIONS	14.2 x 19.3
AREA SQ	274
CEILING HEIGHT	4.0
NATURAL LIGHT	YES
AV Drop Down Screen & HD Projector	4 x 2.75
Drop Down Screen & HD Projector	3 x 2.75



THE WILDE

BOARDROOM	72
U-SHAPE	86
CLASSROOM	150
CABARET	150
THEATRE	330
BANQUET	200
RECEPTION	300
EXHIBITOR	18
ROOM DIMENSIONS	19.2 x 16.5
AREA SQ	270
CEILING HEIGHT	4.8
NATURAL LIGHT	YES
AV Drop Down Screen & HD Projector	4 x 2.75

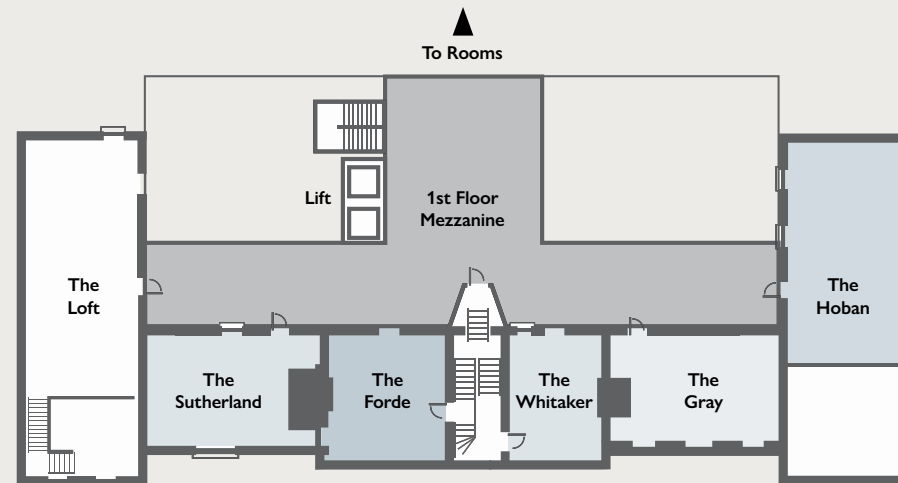
THE MABEL

BOARDROOM	46
U-SHAPE	46
CLASSROOM	80
CABARET	60
THEATRE	200
BANQUET	150
RECEPTION	200
EXHIBITOR	12
ROOM DIMENSIONS	14.2 x 11.7
AREA SQ	165
CEILING HEIGHT	4.2
NATURAL LIGHT	NO
AV Drop Down Screen & HD Projector	4 x 2.75

THE KAY

BOARDROOM	34
U-SHAPE	40
CLASSROOM	60
CABARET	50
THEATRE	150
BANQUET	90
RECEPTION	140
EXHIBITOR	10
ROOM DIMENSIONS	14.2 x 7.6
AREA SQ	110
CEILING HEIGHT	4.0
NATURAL LIGHT	YES
AV Drop Down Screen & HD Projector	3 x 2.75

Manor House Meeting Rooms



1st Floor Mezzanine Level



THE SUTHERLAND

M ²	50
L - W - H (METRES)	8.6 - 5.8 - 3.2
THEATRE	30
CLASSROOM	15
BOARDROOM	16
U-SHAPE	15
CABARET	16
DINNER	24
DAYLIGHT	✓
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓



THE FORDE

M ²	35
L - W - H (METRES)	5.8 - 6 - 5
BOARDROOM	10
DAYLIGHT	Indirect natural daylight
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓



THE GRAY

M ²	48
L - W - H (METRES)	9 - 5.2 - 3.2
U SHAPE	16
DAYLIGHT	✓
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓



THE WHITAKER

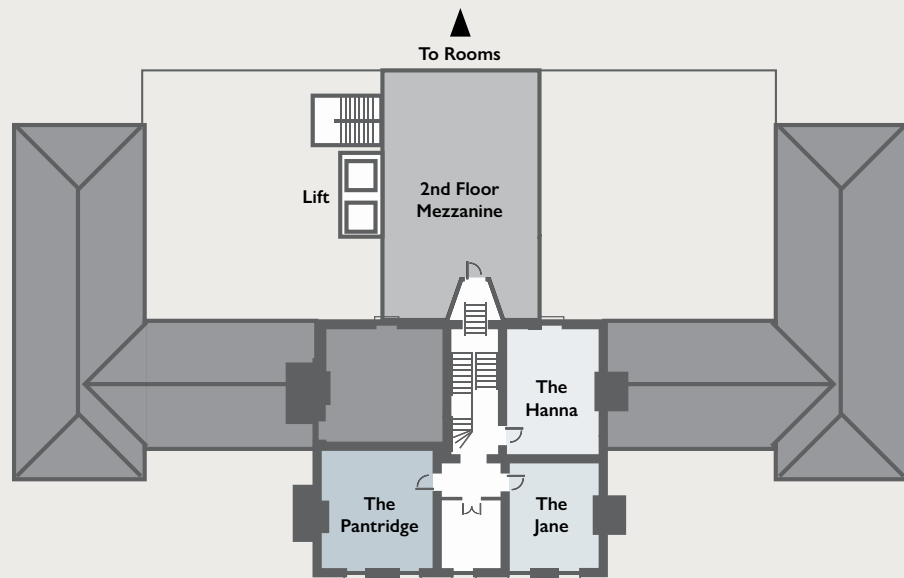
M ²	35
L - W - H (METRES)	6 - 4 - 3
BOARDROOM	8
DAYLIGHT	Indirect natural daylight
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓



THE HOBAN

M ²	48
L - W - H (METRES)	9 - 5.3 - 4.9
THEATRE	35
CLASSROOM	18
BOARDROOM	20
U-SHAPE	18
CABARET	25
DINNER	30
DAYLIGHT	✓
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓





2nd Floor Mezzanine Level



THE JANE

M ²	29
L - W - H (METRES)	4.6 - 5 - 2.4
U SHAPE	8
DAYLIGHT	✓
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓



THE PANTRIDGE

M ²	28
L - W - H (METRES)	5.5 - 5.1 - 2.4
BOARDROOM	10
DAYLIGHT	✓
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓

THE HANNA

M ²	29
L - W - H (METRES)	5.5 - 5 - 2.4
U SHAPE	10
DAYLIGHT	Indirect natural daylight
WIFI	✓
AUDIO	✓
AC	✓
PLASMA SCREEN TV	✓



Our Location



We are only 35 minutes from Dublin City Centre and the International Airport, and easily reached from the rest of Ireland.

GPS-coordinates: 6°49'48"W, 53°24'35"N

We have complimentary parking for up to 750 cars and for those lucky enough to travel by helicopter, we can accommodate you with our helipad.



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Our facility uses 100% green energy only
We also support The Jack & Jill Children's Foundation and The Peter McVerry Trust as our chosen charities