

LODE VILLAGE SAFARI DINNER (organised by Lode Tennis Club)

5th JULY 2014



After the great success of our last safari dinner party, we have decided to hold another one on 5th JULY 2014. Same principal as before (so open to everyone not just tennis club members) with everyone meeting up in one house for canapés, and then dispersing in groups of 4 (or maybe 6 [or more]) to another person’s home for a starter course, and at a preset time moving on to reconvene in different groups for a main course in a different person’s home and finally all meeting up in one house for a final dessert course. We already have the venues for the canapés and the dessert so now we need people to take part as diners and for some of those to volunteer to prepare a starter course or a main course. The idea is that you can sign up to either:

- a) just be a diner;
- b) be a diner and to prepare and serve a starter course (and say how many you can cater for);
- c) be a diner and to prepare and serve a main course (and say how many you can cater for); or
- d) be a diner and bring along a dessert course to the final house.

If you are a preparer you will receive a portion of the entry money depending on which course you prepare.

The cost for being a diner will be £12 per head (you will be expected to provide your own wine or anything else you want to drink). Of that, £2.50 per head will be paid out to the hosts of the starter course, and £4.50 per head will be paid out to the hosts of the main course (so for example, if you are preparing a main course for 6 diners you will receive £27 to cover your costs) and £2.00 per head will be paid for the desserts.

Early confirmation is essential so that we can start to organise and plan the whole evening (including allocating the diners to the houses where they will eat!). The starting point we need is - the number of people that will take part. Once we have a better idea of numbers and who wants to prepare each course we can make sure that we have the correct ratio of preparers for the various courses. So please let us know asap and definitely before 21/06/14.

The venue for the meeting up/canapés (John & Jackie Lince’s house) and for the desserts (Will & Sally Jaggard’s house) have already been sorted out.

If you would like to be involved or have any questions then phone Denise Bardan C 811948 or Jeff Kempster on C 812283, or fill out the reply slip below and return it to 20 Mill Road, Lode (preferably with your payment).

Name (s)

Address and contact phone number.....

Yes please, I / We would like to take part as follows (please tick one of the options):

- a) Just as diner(s)..... Insert number of diners @ £12 here
- b) I can prepare a starter course..... ...and... I can seat a maximum of diners
- c) I can prepare a main course..... ...and... I can seat a maximum of diners
- d) I can bring a dessert for 6 to the dessert venue
- e) I can be flexible and do any of the coursesand... I can seat a maximum of diners

Please note any special dietary considerations here – ie vegetarian or allergies etc

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