



MEMSAHIB'S LOUNGE

'Memsahib' (pronounced mem-shah-hib) was the term given to namely European women famed for empowering women in India in the early 20th century. They were known to host magnificent feasts and events at their homes for families and friends alike, celebrating a mixing of cultures through delicious food and drink.

Our 'Memsahibs' Wall' has original, charcoal hand-drawn sketches of five influential 'Memsahibs' who lived in both India and Cheltenham and were crucial to the progression of women in both societies.

Thank you for joining us at Memsahib's Lounge. This is your opportunity to indulge, to celebrate, to feast and be our guest exploring the best of our contemporary Indian cuisine.

Litu & The Memsahib's Lounge Team.

BAR SNACKS

Masala puffed rice & Bombay mix (ve)	£5
Masala chips with parmesan and lemon salt (v / gf)	£6
Sweet potato fries green ketchup (v / gf)	£6
Papadum basket three chutneys (ve / gf / df)	£6
Chicken / vegetable samosa white chai tamarind (df)	£6
Chicken pakora with garlic cumin mayo (gf / df)	£6
Fried vegetable dumplings, soya reduction (ve / df)	£6

HOME OF INFUSION

In the world of our Memsahib's alchemy, we infuse London dry-style gin, rum and vodka with seasonal and exotic herbs and teas, then filter and preserve for serving.

All infused liquor are served 35ml measure with herbs-infused ice and are perfectly paired. We like it that way!

HOUSE-CRAFTED GIN - £10

Indian Masala

Whole garam masala, cloves, star anise, bayleaf, Indian tonic.

Asian Ginger Tea

Ginger, lemongrass, punch phron, light tonic.

Mango and Friends

Mango, pineapple, tangerine, safflowers and strawberries, light tonic.

Flower of Asia

Oolong tea, lychee, passion fruit, chamomile, aromatic tonic.

Rhubarb & Saffron

Fresh rhubarb, grapefruit, saffron, orange & elderflower tonic.

HOUSE-CRAFTED VODKA - £10

Minty Mango

Premium vodka, ripe mango, Mediterranean tonic.

Trio of Berries

Slow and long infused berries, lemonade.

Thyme and Lemon

Citrus and botanical, Indian tonic.

HOUSE-CRAFTED RUM - £10

Memsahib's Garam Masala

Fermented white rum, kaffir lime, rosemary, orange and cinnamon with ginger ale.

Minty Blueberry

Blackberry, cool mint, mixed berries, ginger beer.

Gold and Chilli

Aged in wooden casks rum, tropical chilli. Coca-Cola.

Peach marries Mango

Double distilled white rum, Chilean mango and peach, lemonade.

Asian Flowers

Dark rum, flower of Asia tea. Perfectly paired with Coca-Cola.

SIGNATURE TEAPOT COCKTAIL

WITH ALCOHOL £18 /NON ALCOHOLIC - £14

Cucumber

Refreshingly light cucumber teapot with hints of mint and basil.
Paired with elderflower tonic.

Blood Orange

Sweet and sour blood orange teapot with fresh lime and mint syrup. Paired with a light tonic.

Watermelon

Fruity watermelon teapot with a perfect summer flavour. Paired with an aromatic tonic.

COCKTAIL

CLASSIC WITH A TWIST - £11

Memsahib Star

Tropical mango gin, mango and pineapple juice, lime, vanilla and Prosecco.

Cheltenham Sling

Masala rum, vodka, orange liqueur, green apple, lime, ginger syrup, angostura and orange bitters and ginger ale.

Gold and Chilli Negroni

Aged in a bottle - made with house crafted chilli rum, vermouth and Campari served on orange smoked ice.

Rooh Afza Cosmopolitan

Thyme and lemon vodka, Cointreau, cranberry, hibiscus ice

Masala Chai Martini

Thyme and lemon vodka, Kahlúa and Frangelico

MOCKTAIL - £8

Kolkata Pink Fizz

Memsahib non-alcoholic gin, pink grapefruit, raspberries, rosemary and pink lemonade.

Emperor's Garden

Memsahib non-alcoholic Gin, apple juice, lime juice, mint syrup and elderflower tonic.

SOFT DRINKS

Juice: Orange | Apple | Pineapple | Mango £3.50

Coca Cola | Diet Coke | Sprite £3.50

Ginger Ale / Ginger Beer / Tonic Water £2.50

Still / Sparkling Water 330ml - £2.50 | 750ml - £5

BEER, ALE AND CIDER

Becks Blue (Non-alcoholic beer) 275ml - £3.90

Memsahib's Beer/Ale 500ml - £4.90

Memsahib's Cider 500ml - £4.90

San Miguel Half Pint - £3.50 | Full Pint - £5.50

Brooklyn Lager Half Pint - £3.50 | Full Pint - £5.50

GIN AND TONIC

IT'S AN EXPERIENCE

Sibling

Subtle notes of fresh citrus and light juniper lead with distinctive tones of vanilla and blueberry. Perfectly paired with a light tonic.

25ml - £8.99
50ml - £10.99

Cotswold Dry

Well-balanced juniper-led with crisp citrus and spice. Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

25ml - £8.50
50ml - £10.50

Penrhos Apple & Elderflower

This apple and elderflower gin is delicious British mix of the delicate floral tones of elderflower with crisp fruity edge of apple. Perfectly paired with Mediterranean tonic.

25ml - £8.50
50ml - £10.50

Brockmans

If you are in love with blueberries, blackberries and citrus flavours this is the perfect gin for you. Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

25ml - £7.25
50ml - £10.25

Hendricks

The unexpected infusion of cucumber and rose petals result in a most iconoclastic gin. Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

25ml - £7.50
50ml - £10.25

Tanqueray 10

Distilled in small batches using whole citrus fruits and hand-selected botanicals. Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

25ml - £6.90
50ml - £9.90

Bombay Sapphire

A complex, aromatic liquid that delivers a broad, balanced flavour. Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

25ml - £6.50
50ml - £8.50

GIN AND TONIC

Whitley Neill Rhubarb & Ginger

Inspired by the glory of an English country garden. Perfectly paired with Elderflower tonic.

25ml - £7.20
50ml - £9.90

Whitley Neill Quince

Inspired by the flavours of Persia, with juice of Turkish quince adding sharp, sweet notes. Perfectly paired with Mediterranean tonic.

25ml - £7.20
50ml - £9.90

Monkey 47 Dry

A third of the ingredients come from the Black Forest. Forty-seven handpicked ingredients in total. Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

25ml - £9.50
50ml - £13.95

Monkey 47 Sloe

Peppery and tangy spirit made by macerating Black Forest sloes in spirit for three months. Perfectly paired with elderflower tonic.

25ml - £9.50
50ml - £13.95

Gunpowder Irish

An Irish gin made with juniper, angelica, orris, caraway, coriander, meadowsweet, cardamom and star anise as well as vapour-infused oriental lemon and lime, fresh grapefruit and gunpowder tea! Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

25ml - £7.50
50ml - £10.50

RoKu

Crafted by Japanese artisans, Roku is a multi-layered, perfectly balanced gin combining both traditional and 6 uniquely Japanese botanicals. Sakura flower, Yuzu peel, Sencha tea, Sansho pepper, Sakura leaf, Gyokuro tea. Perfectly paired with a light tonic.

25ml - £7.95
50ml - £10.95

Gin Mare

Distilled from olives, thyme, rosemary and basil in Barcelona. Perfectly paired with a light tonic.

25ml - £8.50
50ml - £11.50

GIN AND TONIC

Malfy Rose Pink Grapefruit

25ml - £7.20
50ml - £10.50

This ace Italian gin is built around the awesomeness of Sicilian pink grapefruit and features a hint of rhubarb too. Perfectly paired with a light tonic.

Malfy Blood Orange

25ml - £7.20
50ml - £10.50

Italian oranges combined with a selection of ripe Sicilian blood oranges are blended with the finest botanicals and handpicked puniper to create a succulent and vibrant flavour. Perfectly paired with a Mediterranean tonic.

The Alchemist 's Copperhead

25ml - £8.50
50ml - £12.50

Made in copper still using a recipe based on five essential botanicals. Perfectly paired with orange and elderflower tonic.

Opihr

25ml - £7.70
50ml - £9.70

Exotic and intense, oriental spiced with botanicals from the ancient spice route. Perfectly paired with aromatic tonic.

Manchester Marmalade

25ml - £8.20
50ml - £10.50

Crafted using real Manchester marmalade, giving a classic bittersweet flavour and a delicate aroma. Perfectly paired with Indian tonic.

NON-ALCOHOLIC GIN

Seedlip Garden 108

25ml - £7.95
50ml - £9.95

A floral blend of peas and hay; traditional garden herb distillates in celebration of the English countryside. Perfectly paired with a light tonic.

RUM

SERVED WITH SODA, JUICE OR GINGERALE

Neptune Rum	25ml - £7.50 50ml - £10.50
Pusser's Rum Gunpowder	25ml - £8.99 50ml - £11.99
Barcelo Imperial	25ml - £6.99 50ml - £9.99
Barcelo Gran Anejo	25 ml - £5.99 50ml - £8.99
Spytail Ginger Rum	25ml - £7.99 50ml - £10.99
Bacardi Spiced	25ml - £5.99 50ml - £7.99
Kraken	25ml- £7.99 50ml - £9.99
Plantation Pineapple Dark	25ml - £8.99 50ml - £11.99
Brugal Dominican Golden	25ml - £5.99 50ml - £8.99

WHISKEY

SERVED WITH SODA, COLA OR NEAT

Jim Beam	25ml-£6.99 50ml-£8.99
Jameson	25ml-£6.99 50ml-£8.99
Akashi Japanese Blended	25ml-£7.99 50ml-£10.99
Laphroaig Islay Single Malt	25ml-£8.99 50ml-£11.99
Highland Park	25ml-£8.99 50ml-£11.99
Aberlour 12	25ml-£7.99 50ml-£10.99
Bulleit bourbon	25ml-£6.99 50ml-£8.99

BRANDY

Remy Martin vsop

25ml - £7.99 | 50ml - £10.99

Calvados

25ml - £7.99 | 50ml - £10.99

TEQUILA/MEZCAL

Olmeca Gold

25ml - £5.50 | 50ml - £8.50

Mezcal San Cosme

25ml - £6.50 | 50ml - £9.50

VODKA

Grey Goose

25ml - £8.25 | 50ml - £12.25

Absolut

25ml - £6.5 | 50ml - £8.50

WINE, PROSECCO & CHAMPAGNE

SPARKLING

Lunetta Prosecco Spumante Brut Veneto, Italy

A deliciously light and fruity Prosecco

Glass - £7
Bottle - £27

Lunetta Prosecco Rosé Extra Dry Veneto, Italy

Fresh berry aromas and a fine mousse lead to redcurrant and citrus notes

Glass - £7
Bottle - £27

Laurent-Perrier

£90

Pale gold with a fine mousse, a delicate citrus and white flower nose and a complex palate of white fruit, peach and citrus fruit.

Laurent-Perrier rose

£125

Fresh red fruits of raspberry, redcurrant and strawberry on the nose with a rounded palate

Dom Perignon

£295

The palate is very fine, with vibrant white fruits and touches of ginger, tobacco and toasted nuts.

HOUSE WINE

Mont rocher Malbec

Ripe plum, blackberries and cherries on the nose. Rich with perfectly balanced tannins.

175ml - £6
250ml - £9
Bottle - £23

Mont Rocher viognier

A haunting honeysuckle and apricot aroma and rich, almost unctuous palate that is somehow still dry, tangy and refreshing

175ml - £6
250ml - £9
Bottle - £23

Mont Rocher Rose

Soft red berry fruits, strawberry and raspberry flavours are supported by deliciously fresh acidity.

175ml - £6
250ml - £9
Bottle - £23

WINE, PROSECCO & CHAMPAGNE

RED WINE

Listening Station Shiraz - Australia

Bright, aromatic and juicy on the nose. Bright fruit and soft silky elegance.

175ml - £7
250ml - £10
Bottle - £28

St Esteve Merlot - France

The palate is silky and fresh with a nose of soft plum, cassis and a touch of black olive

175ml - £8
250ml - £11
Bottle - £30

Uggiano Chianti riserva La Scoperta - Italy

A well-structured, complex and authentic Riserva with rounded tannins and Ripe red berry aromas with a touch of spice.

£34

Tabali Pedrogoso Carmenere Gran Reserva - Chile

With smooth tannins on the palate there is perfect integration between oak and fruit, followed by a long and elegant finish.

£37

Mas Martinet Menut Priorat - Spain

The nose is heady and expressive, with dark fruits, plum, blueberry, spicy pepper. This wine lingers long on the finish.

£40

Alpha Box & Dice Enigma - Australia

With the colour of arterial blood, the nose reveals wild berries, rhubarb and custard.

£46

Calmel Joseph Les Elmes - France

A gleaming ruby red with rich, intense, mellow aromas, characteristic red fruit and laurel accompanied by grilled, earthy notes and underwood.

£60

Domaine Jaeger Defaix Rully Rouge - France

Beautiful bright ruby-red colour. Aromas of raspberry, red currant and blackberry. Pretty and refined on the nose.

£70

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WHITE WINE

Myth of Moto nui Sauvignon blanc - Chile

Bright, aromatic and crisply textural. Delightfully fresh and a lovely creamy smoothness.

175 ml - £7
250 ml - £10
Bottle - £28

L'Ormarine Duc de Morny Picpoul de Pinet - France

Clear delicate golden yellow with a touch of green and firm fruit flavours of pears

175ml - £8
250ml - £11
Bottle - £30

Lagar de Bouza Albarino - Spain

Aromas of ripe citrus fruit crushed flowers and underlying minerality give way notes of flint and delicate salinity.

£36

Produttori du Manduria ZIN - Italy

Intense and complex sweet apple and pear. Dry, well structured and a palate that reflects the delicious aroma.

£42

Tabali Barranco Viognier - Chile

The nose is elegant and subtly scented with floral notes, dry white fruits and spices.

£48

Delaire Graff Chenin Blanc - South Africa

Layered expressions of citrus and tropical fruit with subtle layers of honey and almonds in the background.

£50

Domaine Defaix Chablis 1er Cru Cote de Lechet France

A full and flavoursome wine with a firm backbone of acidity.

£70

Domaine Vessigaud Pouilly Fuisse - France

The acidity is pronounced and balances the fruit well, giving a long, refreshing finish.

£75

WINE, PROSECCO & CHAMPAGNE

ROSE WINE

Borgia by Borsao Rosado

Pretty pale raspberry colour with lots of ripe berry fruits and strawberry.

£27

Domaine Montrose Prestige Rose

Attractive pale colour with a complex nose of ripe citrus fruits, mandarin, spices. Full and delicate mouth, with subtle red and stone fruits.

£40

Rimauresq Cru Classe Rosé Cotes de Provence

Pure salmon-pink in colour with an appealing herb-spiked and fruity nose. The palate is finely balanced; quite rich, spicy red fruit is accented with bright acidity.

£60

SEASONAL TEAS

Exclusively sourced for memsahibs by London Tea Exchange

EACH POT £5

Masala Chai

Masala means spice, and chai means tea. Therefore, masala chai means tea with spices. Made with loose leaf black tea like assam, whole milk, a variety of fragrant and warming spices, and sugar.

Chocolate & Coconut

A creamy and indulgent tea with three types of Belgium chocolate, cocoa pieces and coconut flakes. A sweet and blissful remedy to transport you away from the stresses of life.

Milk Oolong

This premium Oolong is produced entirely by hand. After withering, the slightly wet leaves are heated in milk water steam which creates a truly distinct creamy and fruity taste.

Flower of Asia

Fragrant and aromatic, this high quality Taiwanese oolong is expertly blended with fresh ripe passion fruit, apples, pink rosebuds, chamomile and sweet, flowery lychee tea.

Sea of Blossoms

This rare infusion has been masterfully blended with an array of blossoms with hints of raspberries, rhubarb and cherries. A soothing and relaxing cup ensuring a sublime moment of peace.