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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



CHAMBER UPDATE

Our latest newsletter shares details of:

- President Julian Dale's Report - 2024 Round Up

- Networking Event - Desborough Bowling Club

- Events From Last Month

- Windsor & Maidenhead District Business & Community Awards
- Opening of the new Presto Italian - Bridge Street Maidenhead

- Member News

- Filling Good
- Swim Networking - Gardner Leader & UK Business Advisors
- Plants not Flowers

HAPPY NEW YEAR!



2024 ROUND UP

Welcome to our New President - Mr Julian Dale



Happy New 2025 from us all!

We hope you had a great Christmas and New Year, we are all looking forward to seeing you in 2025 at one of our many events and executive meetings through this coming year.

As a Chamber the highlight of the year was the amazing Business and Community Awards event held at the Castle Hotel, Windsor, which saw some 200 people gather to enjoy a prestigious event of awards and recognition.

We are grateful to all the Sponsors who supported the awards evening and ensured it was a great success. Sorbon Estates, Goyals, MyWorkSpot, Bombay Story & Leisure Focus.

Our dedicated team pulled out all the stops this year to create a certainly memorable event.

Special thanks go to our Chairwoman Seema Goyal, President Julian Dale, Emma Frankland and Raman Bharj who made this happen.

Our event management team were RKEvents who were amazing with bringing the magic sparkle to the whole event.

Through the year the Chamber have been very active in attending many local events, supporting businesses, schools, and the local community.

It is our pleasure to introduce our new President for the year 2025 Mr Julian Dale , who as a local business owner for the past 25 years and actively working in the community will be bringing his experience and energy into the Chamber with the rest of the team.

December visits saw Presto Italian have their grand launch event in Maidenhead, starting out with a small street stall they moved onto a takeaway and now have their own restaurant in the new riverside quarter. A true success story from small beginnings to growth and expansion

We hope that you will be able to join us for our first Networking Event of 2025 at Desborough Bowling Club with our guest speaker from Gardner Leader.

JANUARY NETWORKING EVENT

MDCC Networking Event - Desborough Bowling Club, Green Lane, Maidenhead, SL6

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Guest Speaker - Sheyi Lawale - Gardner Leader 'Buying property in the current market as an investor or to live in'

Chamber Networking Event
15th January - 6pm - 7:30pm
Desborough Bowling Club, Green Lane, Maidenhead
Guest Speaker - Sheyi Lawale - Gardner Leader -
Partner - Residential Property 'Buying property in the
current market as an investor or to live in'.



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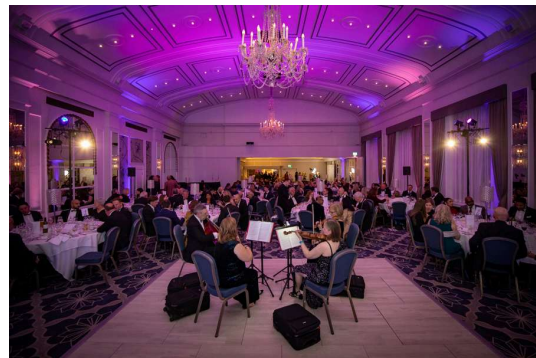
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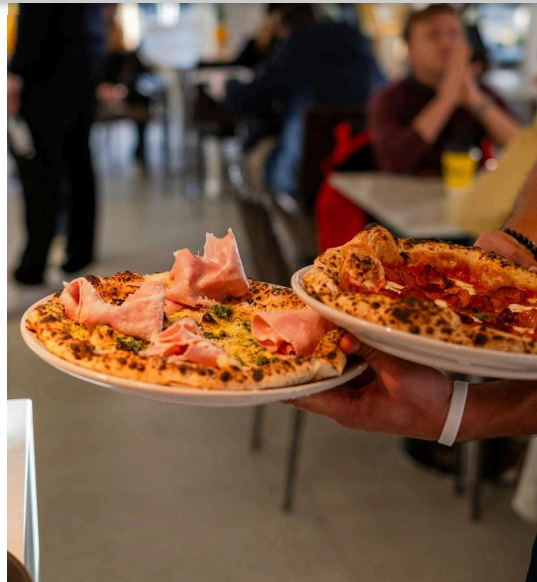
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EVENTS FROM LAST MONTH

Maidenhead & Windsor Business & Community Awards



Opening of Presto Italian



Member News

Filling Good

FILLING



GOOD

Filling Good is Maidenhead's community zero waste store. Not-for-profit and primarily run by volunteers, our purpose is to help people reduce their plastic consumption and waste by refilling their containers instead of throwing away lots of packaging!

We can also help your business make a difference!



Circular economy : we can supply you with closed loop cleaning products, reducing your plastic and waste footprint



Ways of working : we can share with you our carbon reduction journey, and how we embedded sustainability in our daily operations



Team building : we can provide you with fun and informative zero waste workshops

For any enquiry contact us shopping@fillinggood.co.uk



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You can also become a member of our cooperative and volunteer in the shop. From 1 shift every 4 weeks, you would get a generous 10% discount on your purchase!
<https://www.fillinggood.co.uk/>
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SWIM

NETWORKING

Second Wednesday in Maidenhead

Join Gardner Leader and UK Business Advisors at their monthly SWIM event, where you can foster meaningful connections and showcase your business in a laid-back and friendly networking environment.

Date: Second Wednesday of every month

Time: 12:30pm - 2:00pm

Venue: Norden Farm, Altwood Rd, Maidenhead, Berkshire SL6 4PF

Sign up here to secure your spot: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/second-wednesday-in-the-month-swim-tickets-327309129417>

Plants Not Flowers



"We're Jake & Josh, a plant enthusiast and his (long suffering, but ultra supportive converted plant lover) husband who believe that plants are more than just pretty decorations. They're living, breathing companions that bring joy, calm, and a touch of nature to any space.

logos and brainstorming names "back of a napkin" style in a Costa Coffee - purely to pass the time.

So, what can you expect from our little corner of the internet? Well, we've got everything from the popular Monstera Deliciosa (also known as the Swiss Cheese Plant) to rare beauties like the Philodendron Pink Princess that will make your friends go green (or pink...) with envy.

So, what are you waiting for? Dive into our virtual greenhouse and let the plant magic begin. Plants not Flowers is here to bring nature's beauty into your life, one leaf at a time. Let's grow together!"

<https://plantsnotflowers.co.uk>

We are happy to include the news, offers and events of our Chamber members in our regular newsletters. If you would like to include something in the next or a future newsletter then please email a summary of the details, with a photo to marketing@maidenheadchamber.com

Your Chamber is always here to support you. If you would like to talk through your business issues with somebody who will understand and provide good advice, either write to president@maidenheadchamber.com or telephone 01628 670573 and our President, Julian Dale, or one of the other directors or executive team will phone you to see how we can help.

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