



CASTLE HOWARD

A Night Like No Other

Experience the *next chapter*
at Castle Howard

Saturday 13 March 2027
Castle Howard, York, North Yorkshire



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Welcome
to our home

The 2027 Gala Dinner hosts *are pleased to welcome you*



We are delighted to welcome you once again to Castle Howard for *A Night Like No Other* Gala Dinner in support of Yorkshire Cancer Research. Cancer has touched our family, as it has so many others, and it means a great deal to us to be able to support the charity's vital and pioneering work across the region. We are proud to host this special evening in such meaningful partnership and to play a part in helping fund research that will make a positive difference to lives across Yorkshire.

The Hon. Nicholas and Victoria Howard

Welcome from Dr Kathryn Scott,
Chief Executive, Yorkshire Cancer Research

A Night Like No Other is a wonderful celebration of Yorkshire, and I am grateful to Nicholas and Victoria Howard for, once again, generously opening their home and welcoming guests to Castle Howard for this special event. Since 1925, Yorkshire Cancer Research has worked alongside researchers, cancer experts, volunteers and supporters to save lives across the region. Thank you for being part of this important evening. Your support will help fund ground-breaking research and life-saving services for people with cancer in Yorkshire, bringing us closer to our mission to create a Yorkshire free from cancer.



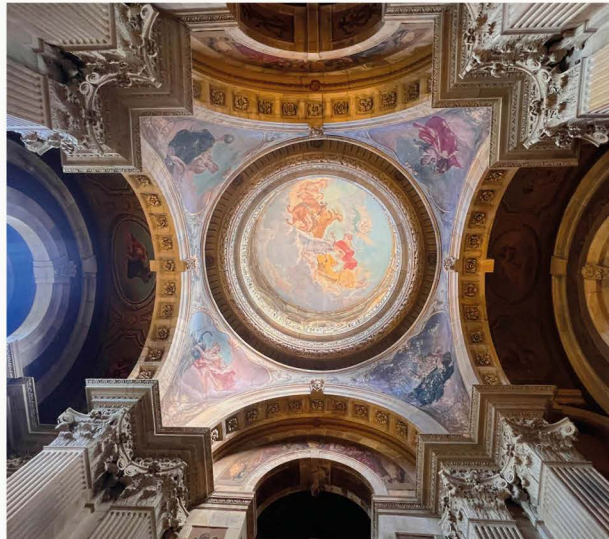
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The 2027 chapter



A Night Like No Other *in A Place Like No Other*

A Night Like No Other is designed as a journey through the heart of Castle Howard, inviting guests to experience the house in a unique and magical way. The evening will begin beneath the awe-inspiring dome of the Great Hall, where theatrical entertainment sets the tone for what is to come, before guiding you down the historic Antique Passage and into the elegant Long Gallery. During the evening, you will enjoy a Michelin-star tasting menu created to celebrate spring, as the house comes alive with artfully presented musical and theatrical performances. An auction and series of engaging fundraising moments will unfold throughout the evening, giving guests the opportunity to support the life-saving research funded by Yorkshire Cancer Research, while sharing an intimate and unforgettable night with us at Castle Howard.



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Bringing the event to life



Joe Rooke

Award-winning actress and Omaze presenter Joe is the master of ceremonies and auctioneer for the evening. Joe has presented at many high-profile events, including the Olympics, her voice can be heard daily on television and she stars across gaming and animation.



Briony Harford

Briony Harford, known as “Bee”, is a leading British antiques expert, auctioneer and TV personality. As regional manager for Yorkshire and the North East at Bonhams, she’s respected for her expertise and engaging style, and is a familiar face on programmes such as The Travelling Auctioneers and Antiques Road Trip.



Charlotte Lloyd Webber

Charlotte creates extraordinary installations and live events at heritage properties across the UK. Each event works in harmony with its setting — whether a stately home, private house or garden. CLW Event Design, a collective of theatrical practitioners, designers and artists, combine experience, research and original design to deliver high-quality, nationally recognised visitor experiences.



Andrew Pern

As guest Head Chef for the evening, Andrew has created a spectacular five-course tasting menu for guests to enjoy. Inspired by spring, each course will delight with Yorkshire’s finest fresh produce. Andrew is the Chef and Patron at the Star Inn at Harome, which has won virtually every known industry award during Andrew’s tenure, retaining a Michelin star for the past ten years.



The impact we're making, together

For a Yorkshire free from cancer



Every 15 minutes, someone in Yorkshire is told they have cancer.

Sadly, people in Yorkshire are more likely to have their lives cut short by cancer than almost anywhere else in England. As Yorkshire's cancer charity, Yorkshire Cancer Research is dedicated to changing this.

With your support, Yorkshire Cancer Research funds life-saving research that is helping more people in Yorkshire live longer, healthier lives, free from cancer. Thanks to the generosity of supporters, last year's event raised £144,000. In 2027, with your help, we can raise even more to save lives in Yorkshire.

A new genetic screening trial funded by the charity (PROTECT-C) will help thousands of women find out if they are at higher risk of cancer.



The charity offers a research-backed cancer exercise treatment service proven to aid survival.



Active Together

Active Together offers free personalised cancer exercise treatment for people following a cancer diagnosis. Delivered by a team of specialists, the service helps people prepare for and recover from cancer treatment. Increased fitness, endurance and muscle strength may also allow people with cancer to access treatments not previously available to them, giving them the best chance of recovery from cancer.

Exercise during cancer treatment – along with psychological and nutritional support - can help boost mental wellbeing. Group classes also provide the opportunity to meet others with similar cancer experiences.

“Taking part in Active Together created in me a new philosophical attitude. The exercise not only made me feel fit, but also made me feel like *I was in control of my own destiny.*”

Neil, Sheffield

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A look back at the 2025 event



With thanks to the 2025 sponsors
The 2025 Gala Dinner was made possible thanks to the support of sponsors. With their help, the exceptional event raised vital funds for life-saving cancer research here in Yorkshire.

Looking ahead to 2027, we would love to welcome new and returning sponsors to this exclusive event. With a variety of sponsorship packages available, there are exciting opportunities to connect your brand with the charity's audience while making a positive difference.

If you are interested in sponsoring the 2027 Gala Dinner,
please contact Debbie Linford, Corporate Partnerships Manager,
at debbie.linford@ycr.org.uk to start the conversation.



Testimonials

from the 2025 sponsors



Quilter Cheviot

2025 Headline sponsor

“Quilter Cheviot has managed the charity’s investments since 2013, helping to ensure Yorkshire Cancer Research can continue its vital work for years to come. Seeing the impact of its pioneering work across the region,

we were delighted to support the charity in helping people in Yorkshire affected by cancer.

“The generosity and strong community spirit of the people of Yorkshire truly sets the region apart. We were proud to sponsor this special event, bringing people together to support life-saving cancer research.”

CLOUD NINE®

2025 Gold sponsor

“The 2025 Gala Dinner at Castle Howard was an incredibly moving experience for Cloud Nine. It brought home the human impact of Yorkshire Cancer Research’s work in a way that will stay with us for a long time. We felt genuinely proud to be part of such a meaningful evening, and we’re delighted to continue our support as sponsors for the 2027 event.”

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2025 Silver sponsor

“It was a privilege to sponsor Yorkshire Cancer Research’s Inaugural Gala Dinner at the stunning Castle Howard. Being part of such a purposeful evening was special, as it brought together the Yorkshire community for a memorable experience and highlighted the power of working together to support the charity’s ground-breaking work.”

An experience *like no other*

“*A Night Like No Other* in support of Yorkshire Cancer Research was breathtaking. It was inspiring to hear about the charity’s life-saving work in research, testing and support across Yorkshire. Set within the grand ballroom of Castle Howard, the evening felt almost surreal, bringing together those driving this vital mission. From the exceptional food to the elegance of the live quartet, the night was a beautiful celebration of generosity, progress and hope - and undoubtedly one I hope to attend for many years to come.”

Brontë Mitchell

A Night Like No Other 2025 attendee





Ticket information

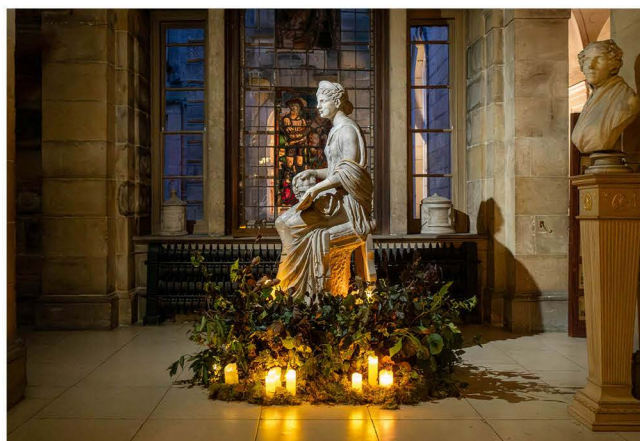
Purchasing tickets

Tickets are now available for purchase.

Please visit ycr.org.uk/GalaDinner or call **01423 877 229** to purchase tickets for this exclusive event.

Tickets are available in tables of ten, or individual tickets can be purchased for £500.

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Donate an auction prize

Be part of an exclusive evening

Thanks to 2025's *gifts in kind donors*

The charity is grateful to businesses and individuals who supported the 2025 Gala Dinner by donating gifts, experiences and prizes. From beautiful and luxurious items to unique experiences, these generous contributions helped create a memorable and exciting evening for our guests.

If you are interested in donating a gift or experience, your support would place your brand at the heart of an exclusive and prestigious event, while directly helping to fund life-saving cancer research here in Yorkshire.

To discuss donating a gift or experience, please get in touch with Debbie Linford, Corporate Partnerships Manager, at debbie.linford@ycr.org.uk



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Thanks to *Jeremy Bloomfield*

“We were incredibly proud to be part of the first Gala Dinner at Castle Howard and to support such a special evening. It’s a pleasure to once again donate a thoughtfully chosen piece of jewellery to help raise funds for this wonderful cause. Yorkshire Cancer Research’s work is close to our hearts, and we’re delighted to continue supporting an event that combines beauty, generosity and meaningful impact.”

Jeremy Bloomfield, Ilkley

Generous donation of a Georg Jensen diamond pendant to the 2027 event



India Mahon

“It’s a real honour to be part of such an exclusive evening at Castle Howard, raising vital funds for Yorkshire Cancer Research. I’m delighted to donate my time, craftsmanship and creativity to create something truly one of a kind for one lucky guest.”

India Mahon, Harrogate

Personal and bespoke item of jewellery up to the value of £5,000





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