

Garsons GAZETTE

Christmas Edition 2006



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QUALITY PLANTS AND ITEMS FOR YOUR HOME AND GARDEN

Pretty useful tools

A great gift idea for those who like their tools to look decorative as well as functional. This range of pretty floral tools is sure to be a Christmas bestseller and will make those little tasks around the house and garden so much more enjoyable.



Christmas colour

Choose houseplants and bright ceramic pots that bring a splash of colour to your home this winter. There are shades of cyclamen (pictured on the front cover) to suit all tastes, making them a lovely Christmas gift. The striking poinsettia is another festive favourite. Remember to get a wreath as a cheerful welcome for visitors – Garsons has a selection of both real and everlasting wreaths, as well as outstanding quality artificial trees that are great value.

Christmas wonderland

Garsons has Christmas decorations to suit every festive taste. New themes this year include the magical Lord of the Forest (pictured on the front cover). For a novel twist, you might like the glitzy 1920s theme, or why not explore the delights of the Gingerbread Kitchen?

Pictured right is the enchanting Star Catcher range of fairytale figures in delicate dresses. Come and see which is your favourite!



Best Christmas display in Hampshire

The Garden Centre beat off the competition to be judged as having Hampshire's best Christmas display last year. The Christmas team starts work on the displays in June and were delighted to win the award from the Garden Centre Association. We believe this year's display will be even better!

Pictured from left to right are Mike, Jane and Alan from the Christmas team.

Give an indispensable gift

New this season is the Indispensable Dispenser (pictured on the front page). Ideal for cereal, sweets, coffee and more, it gives neat storage and portion control. Set some up in your kitchen, or give them as practical, fun gifts.

Create the perfect atmosphere

Dress your festive table in style. Garsons has all you need for elegant dining, from candles and table decorations, to china plates and tablecloths.

Twinkling lights add sparkle to the dark days of winter. Check out the selection of outdoor and indoor lights, fibre optics and illuminated decorations to light up those long evenings.

Popular ranges are the Staylit, which stays on even if the bulbs are missing or broken and the Add-a-Long which connects up to 1,600 lights. Whether you want a chic display or a burst of Christmas fun, there's plenty to choose from. Prices start at just £4.99 for a fibre optic display.



Christmas and Food

GARSONS SEASONAL SOLUTIONS FOR FOOD, GIFTS AND THE GARDEN



Generous customers

Customers at Garsons donated £355 to DebRA. Garden Centre manager, Clare Thompson said the company wanted to support DebRA when they heard about Harry Hogg, a six year old from Park Gate who suffers from Epidermolysis Bullosa (EB). EB is a rare genetic skin condition and DebRA supports sufferers and their families.

Regional manager, Laura Pratt was delighted to accept the donation, "This means a great deal to any charity but to DebRA it means so much more and we are grateful to Garsons and their generous customers."

Pictured left to right are Clare Thompson and Laura Pratt.

Festive farm shop

The Farm Shop at Garsons has been judged the best specialist food shop in the county by Hampshire Life magazine. It has strong links with local producers and has a superb range of speciality food and drink. Look out for Low Food Miles signs for items that have been locally produced.

There are tempting festive choices for food lovers, with gift ideas ranging from turkish delight to chocolate santas.

Why not make up your own hamper with Farm Shop goodies? Choose from the handmade Woodchester condiments (pictured), mini iced cakes, Shropshire Spice, Atkins & Potts chilli jams, English Christmas Mead from Lurgashall (pictured on the front cover), and plenty more besides.

Here's a winning idea for Boxing Day – the Turkey Revival Kit (pictured) is a set of mouthwatering relishes to perk up yesterday's leftovers.

Did you know that cheese can be ordered in advance from the cheese counter? There are over 100 different varieties to tempt the tastebuds! Look out for special tasting sessions to help you choose. Our staff are qualified through the Cheese Guild and can help you put together a festive cheese board, or you can simply pick up a ready made one.



Spend £10 get a £1 voucher

For every £10 you spend at Garsons between 1st and 24th December, you will receive a £1 voucher to redeem in January 2007 on any non-sale merchandise.



Turkey Revival Kit

Looking for a special outfit

For gift ideas or a special Christmas outfit, browse round the fashions at Lifestyle Leisure. With stylish clothes, shoes and accessories for men and women, there's plenty to choose from. The new season's collection is in, so pay a visit for some fashion inspiration and the friendly staff will be happy to help you.

Christmas animal magic

Copnor Tropicals at Garsons are the local experts on tropical fish, birds and small pets such as rabbits, guinea pigs and hamsters. A starter aquarium is just the thing for budding tropical fish enthusiasts and there's 20% off all tanks in December.

If you're giving an animal as a gift this year, please make sure it is wanted and will be cared for.

www.copnor-tropicals.co.uk



Seasonal Specials

GARSONS CHRISTMAS EVENTS TO MAKE YOUR SEASON

The Santa Band is back!

The Santa Band is back this Christmas. All the way from Finland, the handmade band will be performing traditional Christmas songs throughout December. The musical Santas include a singer, guitarist, drummer and a saxophonist Santa.



Traditional turkey lunches

Take a well earned break from your Christmas shopping for a home-style Christmas lunch at the Terrace Restaurant in Garsons. Available every December lunchtime except Saturdays until 22nd December. A festive lunch is £8.95 for one course, £12.95 for two courses and £15.00 for three courses including coffee. Drop in before 11am and after 3pm for mince pies, fruit cake, tea or coffee for just £3.95. Bookings taken for parties of eight or more.

Christmas Nativity

The live nativity will be back at Garsons on Saturday 2nd December from 10am to 4pm. The biblical scene will include a donkey, cow, sheep and goats. Mary and Joseph will complete the scene with baby Jesus in a wooden manger.

Pictured are Mary and Joseph with Jamie Harper-Brown from Titchfield.



Choose a real Christmas tree

Garsons has trees to suit every budget and taste. If only a real tree will do, choose from the freshly cut Norway Spruce, Noble and Nordmann trees, which range from four foot to ten foot high. All they need is a little water to stay looking good and retain their needles.



Go online to Garsons

Visit www.garsons.co.uk for useful information from opening hours to directions and monthly gardening hints and tips. Register online to be sent special offers and newsletters by e-mail.

Contact Garsons

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Lifestyle Leisure 01329 846486

Planning a day out? Why not visit:

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Esher, Surrey KT10 8LS 01372 460181

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Opening hours How to find us

Festive Season December 2006

Friday 1st to Friday 22nd -

Late opening: Mon - Sat 9am - 6pm

Sunday 10.30am - 4.30pm.

Viewing from 10am

Saturday 23rd 8am - 6pm

Christmas Eve 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Viewing from 9.30am

Christmas Day - closed

Boxing Day - closed

Wednesday 27th 10am - 5pm

New Year's Day 10am - 5pm

Tuesday 2nd January 9am - 5pm

