

The Manor



Celebrating The Year of Threes

Honouring Excellence, Connection, and Milestones at Adare Manor

At Adare Manor, every year brings its own unique challenges and triumphs. But as we look back on 2024, it's hard to ignore the significance of what we've come to call our *Year of Threes*. In 2024, Adare Manor became one of the first hotels in the world to be awarded Three Michelin Keys, a recognition of our commitment to exceptional design, service, and the unique personality that defines this estate. We were also named Best Resort in Europe by Condé Nast Traveler for a third consecutive year—a testament to the exceptional experiences shared with our guests.

Beyond these accolades lies a story of people—of quiet dedication, creativity, and collaboration that transform a visit to Adare Manor into something

extraordinary. From the warm welcome at the door to the finishing touch on a dessert plate, it is the result of a team whose genuine care and passion infuse everything they do. It is their unwavering commitment to crafting unforgettable experiences that breathes life into every corner of the Manor.

The Three Michelin Keys distinction acknowledges more than luxury—it celebrates the harmony between a place and its people. The quiet rhythm of daily life at Adare Manor is where the magic happens: chefs refining dishes inspired by Ireland's finest ingredients, gardeners shaping the estate's beauty, housekeepers ensuring every detail feels personal, and concierge anticipating your every need

with seamless precision. These small, meaningful gestures come together to create an experience that feels effortless yet extraordinary.

This year also marked an opportunity to deepen our connection to the environment and the community around us. From embracing sustainability initiatives to sourcing local ingredients that reflect the best of Ireland, every decision honours the heritage of the estate and our role as custodians of its future. These efforts, woven into the very fabric of what we offer, ensure that each stay at Adare Manor is not only exceptional but also responsible. The recognition of the Three Michelin Keys celebrates these connections, acknowledging that true excellence

is not just about luxury and service, but the lasting impact we make on the world around us.

To be named Best Resort in Europe by the readers of Condé Nast Traveler and Ireland's Best Five-Star Resort by the Gold Medal Awards for a third consecutive year is especially humbling. This recognition speaks to the trust and joy of our guests, who share their most meaningful moments with us. For every celebration toasted in The Drawing Room, every quiet walk through our gardens, and every story shared beside the fire, we are grateful to be part of these cherished experiences. It is the moments—the laughter, the milestones, the connections—that truly make this recognition meaningful.

“We are experiencing a milestone moment for Adare Manor. To be among the first ever to receive Three Michelin Keys, and to be named for the third time in a row ‘Best Resort in Europe’ at the 2024 Condé Nast Traveler Readers’ Choice Awards, is a remarkable way to celebrate our team’s dedication to the art of hospitality.”

– General Manager, Brendan O'Connor –



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The Culinary Journey of Michael Deg



Behind the elegant doors of The Carriage House, where lively conversation and the clink of glasses fill the air, Head Chef Michael Deg is quietly redefining the dining experience. Since stepping into his role, Michael has infused the menu with a vibrant blend of his South African heritage and a deep appreciation for local Irish ingredients.

Michael's culinary journey began far from the lush landscapes of County Limerick. Growing up between Cape Town and Durban, his earliest memories are infused with the smoky aroma of his father's braai (barbecue). Surrounded by family dinners and experimental cooking sessions, Michael developed a passion that would eventually turn into a lifelong career.

His passion for food led him to work in some of South Africa's most celebrated kitchens, including Delaire Graff Estate and Cavalli Wine and Stud Farm. A desire to explore new culinary landscapes took him to Qatar, where he held a position at the Ritz Carlton in Doha. However, it was the move to Adare Manor, initially as Banqueting Head Chef, that truly expanded his skills. "Cooking for large numbers while maintaining impeccable standards was an entirely new challenge, pushing me to think on my feet and adapt," he reflects.

The transition to Head Chef at The Carriage House came at the perfect moment. "It wasn't a role I had planned for, but when the opportunity arose, I knew it was where I wanted to be," Michael notes. "I've

always admired The Carriage House's approach—authentic dishes packed with character."

Under Michael's guidance, the menu has evolved, particularly in its breakfast offerings. "We've transformed breakfast into an experience that's distinct within Limerick," he explains. Balancing creativity with comfort, the dishes are playful yet rich in flavour. For dinner, his personal favourite remains the scallop starter, inspired by his South African roots. "We pair Irish scallops with a Cape Malay curry sauce, rich in spices with a hint of sweetness, complemented by crispy rice crackers. It's a harmonious blend of flavours that I'm especially proud of."

At the core of Michael's culinary philosophy is collaboration. He attributes much of The Carriage House's success to the dynamic team he's built—a group of young, passionate chefs who bring their own creativity to the table. "The menu is constantly evolving thanks to the team's input. We focus on Ireland's exceptional seasonal produce to inspire new dishes."

Looking ahead, Michael is excited about the introduction of a sushi menu, led by Chef Jan Vincent Amo who brings extensive experience from the Middle East. This new chapter marks an exciting evolution for Michael and his team as they continue to push the boundaries of culinary excellence and create unforgettable dining experiences for our guests.



The Harry Lowes Chocolate Collection



Savouring the Legacy of Adare Manor

The Harry Lowes chocolate collection harmonises artistry, flavour, and the soul of Adare Manor. Transforming the estate's heritage into a sensory experience, each piece tells a story of place and tradition.

"For my creative process, Adare Manor is an infinite source," explains Head Chocolatier Cedric Rivière. "A walk through the gardens or a glance at the Manor's intricate details—whether geometric or medieval—always sparks ideas." This profound connection to the estate inspires every detail, from the flavours to the designs, influenced by tree trunks, stonework, and blooming gardens.

The Harry Lowes Collection

The Harry Lowes chocolate collection is a masterpiece of flavour, artistry, and heritage, each creation capturing the essence of Adare Manor. The bonbons, jewel-like treasures

encased in milk and dark chocolate, are adorned with colourful designs that reflect the estate's lush gardens. Flavours like the warming Apple & Cinnamon or the tropical brightness of Mango Ganache create a delightful sensory journey, making these confections as beautiful to look at as they are to taste. Available in boxes of nine or twenty-four, they are perfect for sharing or as a luxurious treat.

The Ganache & Praline selection is where Cedric Rivière's artistry truly shines. This luxurious assortment of 22 handcrafted pieces marries the richness of ganache with the delicate crunch of praline. From the vibrant tartness of raspberry ganache to the nutty sophistication of sesame praline, every piece is a miniature work of art, designed to balance indulgence with elegance.

The Finger Bar chocolates bring a sleek, contemporary twist to the collection. These

slender creations feature bold, refined flavours, such as the creamy depth of Irish cream liqueur and the tropical complexity of passion fruit with rum. Perfect for gifting or for moments of indulgence, the Finger Bar Box encapsulates modern luxury.

Rounding out the collection are the single-origin bars, crafted to honour the distinctive terroirs of their cocoa beans. The Madong 70% Dark is earthy and rich, with notes of smoked wood, while the Bolivia 38% Milk offers a delicate harmony of creamy caramel and floral undertones. Each bar celebrates its origins, offering a deeply personal and memorable chocolate experience.

From bonbons to bars, the Harry Lowes collection transforms chocolate into an art form, celebrating the elegance and tradition of Adare Manor with every bite.



The Perfect Chocolate for Every Occasion

Cedric Rivière offers thoughtful suggestions to make every moment extraordinary



For a romantic gesture

The Sakura Bonbon, with its aromatic cherry jelly and delicate cherry blossom ganache, is the epitome of elegance and romance. A refined expression of love.

For indulgence and comfort

The Caramel Sea Salt Bonbon and Piemont Hazelnut Praline—Cedric's personal favourite—offers a luxurious, soothing experience, with the perfect balance of richness and a touch of salt.

For gifting

The 9-piece Bonbon Box is a sophisticated choice, featuring nine different bonbons, including the indulgent Caramel Sea Salt Bonbon and Macadamia Praline. It's a thoughtful and elegant gift for any occasion.

For sharing with family or friends

The 22-piece Ganache & Praline Box is an ideal choice for creating memorable moments. This carefully curated selection features a variety of flavours, including Tea, Caramel, Pine Kernel, Raspberry, and Vanilla, offering something for every taste.

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CYCLING

Explore the vibrant gardens, lush woodlands, and the elegant architecture of the hotel on a cycling adventure. Visit Concierge for a complimentary bike, with options available for children, and enjoy a memorable journey through nature.

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YOGA

Engaging in yoga during spring fosters a harmonious alignment of body, mind, and the natural world, deepening your connection to the season's rejuvenating spirit, all under the guidance of an expert instructor.

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CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING

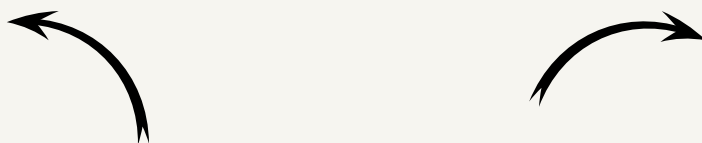
Experience an exhilarating sport that heightens your senses, quickens your pulse and sharpens focus. Relish the excitement of targeting swiftly moving objects as they cast through the sky.

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SPORTS SIMULATION ROOM

Immerse yourself in endless fun and competition. Perfect your golf swing or enjoy virtual sports challenges in a welcoming setting, designed for unforgettable moments with family and friends.



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AUDIO HISTORY TOUR

Delve into the enthralling tales of Adare Manor and embark on an interactive journey through its rich history. Visit the Concierge Team, and they will provide you with the QR code.

Bespoke Experiences to Discover

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FALCONRY

Immerse yourself in the world of majestic birds of prey. Our expert falconers will guide you through a captivating experience, where you'll learn about these incredible creatures and witness the thrill of free-flying displays.



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THE CINEMA

Step into our luxurious cinema and immerse yourself in the magic of film. Each day features two viewings—children's classics at 4:30 PM and contemporary films at 9:30 PM. Enhance the experience with a selection of delightful movie snacks.

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GUN DOG TRIALS

Watch as our expert trainer demonstrates the vital role of beautifully trained labradors, showcasing skills in obedience, agility, and marking. Experience firsthand the communication and teamwork between handler and dog.

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THE SPA

The Spa is a sanctuary of serenity and elegance, offering bespoke treatments featuring 111SPA/CLINIC, private manicure rooms, and a relaxation pool. Surrender to expert hands and emerge renewed, carrying the restorative power of the experience with you.

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WHISKEY TASTING

Immerse yourself in the refined art of whiskey tasting in The Tack Room, where over 100 rare, exceptional bottles await. Savour the finest Scotch, Bourbon, Japanese, and legendary Irish whiskeys, all while relishing captivating tales of the 'uisce beatha'.

ELEVATE YOUR GAME IN STYLE

Introducing the Pro Shop

Step into The Pro Shop at the Carriage House, a golfer's haven where the timeless beauty of Adare Manor meets the precision and passion of the game. Designed to cater to players of all levels, this space offers more than just attire—it's a celebration of golf's heritage and spirit.

Timeless Style

Discover an array of expertly curated brands that set the standard for excellence on the course. From the innovative craftsmanship of TaylorMade and Titleist to the polished elegance of Polo Ralph Lauren, Peter Millar, and Galvin Green, every piece is chosen to elevate your game and your style. Looking for something uniquely Adare Manor? The shop's exclusive collection of branded bags, balls, and Ryder Cup apparel embodies the rich legacy of this iconic estate.

A Golfer's Masterpiece: Bespoke Pieces

For collectors and enthusiasts, the limited-edition Bettinardi putter is a true standout. With only 18 pieces available, this extraordinary club features intricate designs inspired by Adare Manor's iconic gargoyles, offering a blend of artistry and precision. Looking ahead, the shop will unveil bespoke polo shirts and pullovers, seamlessly blending Adare Manor's classic charm with the cutting-edge style of modern golf. These exclusive pieces are the perfect way to celebrate the excitement building for the 2027 Ryder Cup.

Fraser's Favourites: The Comfort Revolution

"This year, we're seeing a clear shift toward leisure and comfort in the golf industry," highlighting a trend that's redefining on-course fashion. Leading his list of must-haves is the Peter Millar Excursionist Hoodie, adorned with The Ryder Cup logo. "It's lightweight, endlessly versatile, and blends merino wool with performance yarn for comfort and mobility."

When it comes to footwear, Fraser can't look past G/FORE. "They tick all the boxes—comfort, stability, and style. Whether you prefer a classic look or a lightweight trainer, they've



got an option for everyone." To top off the look, Fraser recommends the unstructured Adare Manor cotton hat. "It's perfect for someone like me whose head doesn't suit structured hats. Off the course, it works as a great casual option."

From high-performance gear to timeless apparel, The Pro Shop has everything you need to perfect your style and your game. Whether you're on the first tee or unwinding at the 19th hole, this is where golf and elegance come together in perfect harmony.

DRIVE FOR PERFECTION

How every blade of grass plays its part in the game



The greenskeepers at Adare Manor are the true craftsmen behind the course's flawless appearance and performance. Their expertise ensures that every fairway, green, and tee is meticulously maintained, providing the ideal foundation for one of the world's most prestigious golf courses. While golfers focus on their game, it's the greenskeepers who shape the experience, creating a world-class environment where every detail matters.

From a horticultural standpoint, their work involves more than simply cutting grass. The team's objective is to create a uniform standard of grass that delivers firm, fast surfaces, challenging yet rewarding golfers at every turn. Achieving this level of perfection requires not just expertise but a

deep understanding of agronomy. Adare Manor's course isn't naturally suited to these conditions, but through skillful planning, strategic maintenance, and careful management, the greenskeepers transform the landscape into a masterpiece of precision and playability.

The team operates with an impressive fleet of over 250 pieces of equipment, all housed within a state-of-the-art maintenance facility. Yet it's not just machinery that drives the course's excellence – it's the dedication and hands-on care of the team. The real work is in the details: feeding, watering, grooming, aerating, and top-dressing—practices that ensure the turf remains in pristine condition. These efforts, though largely invisible to golfers,

are the hallmark of exceptional greenkeeping. The goal is simple: make the work unseen, yet allow the course to speak for itself.

Adare Manor also follows a seasonal closure, which allows the team to focus on bringing the course back to its highest standards. Every year, the team plugs new grass from their nursery into the greens, fairways, and tees, addressing any imperfections to maintain a smooth, consistent playing surface. This careful and deliberate work ensures the course is always ready, even when the season's demands are at their peak.

As preparations intensify for 2027, collaboration with the European Ryder Cup team will become paramount. Course modifications will aim to reflect the strengths of European players, favouring narrower fairways and longer rough. Current rough is cut at 25 millimetres, but it is expected to grow to three or even four inches to challenge the American team's preference for wide-open spaces. These changes, combined with intensive drainage and strategic top-dressing, will prepare the course for the unpredictable September weather.

In 2027, the world will be watching. We're committed to delivering a course that's as unforgettable as the tournament itself. With Irish ingenuity and passion driving every detail, Adare Manor's course promises to set a new standard in Ryder Cup history.





MOMENTS

Of Wild Connection

As winter’s icy touch fades, the world begins its annual transformation. Spring is not merely a change in weather; it is a rebirth, a season alive with sound and motion, where nature’s hidden characters emerge to captivate our senses. It is a time of tender beginnings and awakening life that stirs the heart.

By the Maigue River

Sit quietly on the banks of the Maigue River, where the calm waters mirror the warming sun’s rays, and hot chocolate warms your hands. Here, you might witness the most vocal family of the season. The otters, industrious and playful, have claimed this serene spot as their morning playground. The parents work tirelessly, providing for their mischief-filled young, who tumble and dart with unrestrained energy.

Their playful cries echo with the excitement of carefree mornings, interrupted only by the sharp whistle of a mother calling her brood to order. At her command, their zig-zagging sprints turn to a straight line toward her side, a reminder that even in nature, a mother’s stern glance commands obedience. Then, with a sudden dive, the family vanishes beneath the rippling surface, leaving only the memory of their vibrant energy.

A Flash of Red

If you look carefully, you may catch sight of a pair of curious eyes watching from a distance. A flash of red and silent footsteps hint at the presence of the elusive fox. This master of survival moves effortlessly between the human world and her own, her fiery fur aglow in the morning light. She is a symbol of cunning and resilience, her movements a graceful dance of freedom.

To follow her is to stray from well-beaten paths into the wild unknown. Yet, even this fleeting glimpse of her, as she disappears into the misty tree line, sets the heart racing. Her journey is a reminder of the untamed beauty that lies just beyond our reach, a beauty we are privileged to witness.



The Robin’s Song

As the fox fades into the wild, another visitor heralds the morning—the robin. This small, brave bird is often the first to rise, perched before the stars have fully vanished. With the largest eyes of all small birds, the robin’s gaze seems to pierce into our very being. There is something magical in its presence, as if it carries the whispers of a lost loved one checking in from beyond.

Robins hold a special place in our hearts, symbols of hope and connection. Yet, they remain tantalisingly out of reach, ever wary of the human touch. In their cautious distance, they remind us of the delicate balance between our worlds.

A Land of Abundance

Beyond the resort’s stone walls lies a land steeped in history and natural wealth. Ireland, or Éire, meaning “Land of Abundance,” is a place of wonder and wild beauty. Though we have altered its wilderness beyond imagining, it falls to us to protect and restore it.

The wild places enrich our souls, offering us far more than we could ever give in return. Let us cherish the emerald jewel that is our land and strive to keep it wild and free.

By Thomas Breen, Green Team Chair.



Where the Ryder Cup Will Be Won or Lost

Tour & Triumph

Tour the final four holes of the course with Andy as he breaks down the decisive moments. Gain insights and even take a shot or two in this exclusive experience.



Garden Tour

Wander and Admire

Embark on a guided tour through the formal gardens of Adare Manor, unveiling the rich history and meticulous design that define these beautifully curated landscapes.



Padel Group Session

Play and Conquer

Experience the thrill of padel one of the fastest-growing sports worldwide, with our team on hand to guide you. This intimate game fosters conversation and camaraderie, making it a particularly enjoyable and social experience.

Chocolate Tasting Experience

Indulge and Explore

Begin with an introduction to chocolate making at Harry Lowes Cottage, followed by a visit to Cedric Riviere’s kitchen to see his creations, explore his craft, and savour his latest chocolate delights.

Wine of the Week

Discover and Savour

An exclusive experience guided by our sommelier, introducing you to a curated wine selection, its vineyard, grape, terroir, and history. Kindly meet us at the concierge desk.



Axe Throwing

Aim and Conquer

Tucked away in the woods, our timber lounge offers the perfect setting for this thrilling and competitive activity. With expert guidance, sharpen your skills and take on the challenge.



Champagne Hour

Sip and Shop

Enjoy an hour of champagne while exploring curated collections and exclusive collaborations in The Boutique at Adare Manor, celebrating the craftsmanship of leading designers and artisans.

Signature Complimentary Experiences

Weekly Timetable

DAY	TIME	COMPLIMENTARY ACTIVITY	LOCATION
Monday	10am	Where the Ryder Cup Will be Won or Lost	Concierge
Tuesday	3pm	Garden Tour	The Formal Gardens
Wednesday	4pm	Padel Group Session	The Padel Club
Thursday	4pm	Wine of the Week	Concierge
Friday	10.30am	Axe Throwing	The Padel Club
Saturday	6pm	Champagne Hour	The Boutique
Sunday	11am	Chocolate Tasting Experience	Harry Lowes Cottage

Please note: The Wine of the Week, Chocolate Tasting Experience and Axe Throwing have limited availability and must be booked with our concierge team.

The Legacy of Whiskey

A TIMELESS CRAFT AND A TREASURED INVESTMENT

At Adare Manor, whiskey is more than a drink — it is a celebration of heritage, craftsmanship, and the pursuit of perfection. The estate’s remarkable collection reflects a deep respect for the artistry behind whiskey-making and offers an opportunity for connoisseurs to explore some of the finest expressions from Ireland and around the world. Whether enjoyed in one of Adare Manor’s refined spaces or selected as an enduring keepsake, each bottle tells a story of tradition and excellence.

THE ENDURING LEGACY OF WHISKEY

Irish whiskey holds a special place in the global whiskey landscape, celebrated for its smoothness, complexity, and centuries-old traditions. More than just a drink, whiskey embodies heritage and craftsmanship, with each bottle telling a story of the land and the artisans behind it.

Rare and collectible whiskeys, like the Midleton Very Rare series and Macallan Sherry Oak editions, are prized by enthusiasts not only for their exceptional flavours but also for their investment potential. These bottles appreciate in value, offering connoisseurs a chance to own a piece of history and craftsmanship.

ADARE MANOR’S WHISKEY COLLECTION

The Boutique whiskey collection is a treasure trove for collectors and enthusiasts, showcasing a carefully curated range of distinguished spirits. Among the highlights are rare and exclusive Irish whiskeys, such as the Midleton 1973 30-Year-Old, a limited-edition gem crafted from the final pot still stocks of the Old Midleton Distillery. The Midleton Very Rare series is another standout, with its annual releases representing the pinnacle of Irish whiskey artistry—each bottle an heirloom in its own right. Guests can also discover the Midleton Barry Crockett Legacy, a tribute to one of Ireland’s most celebrated master distillers, and the Adare Manor Cask No. 5, an exclusive edition that embodies the estate’s commitment to offering something truly extraordinary.

For those looking to expand their collection beyond Irish borders, the Boutique also features exceptional international offerings. The Macallan Sherry Oak 25-Year-Old and the Macallan M Decanter Black exemplify the luxurious elegance of Scottish single malts, while Japan’s revered Hakushu 18-Year-Old and Yamazaki

18-Year-Old bring a taste of the East’s meticulous craftsmanship. Whether seeking a unique addition to your collection or a memorable gift, the Boutique provides access to some of the most sought-after whiskeys in the world. For those whose bags are already full, we offer worldwide shipping, ensuring your prized spirits arrive safely at your doorstep.

WHISKEY TASTINGS AT ADARE MANOR

For those who delight in an evening of expertise, storytelling, and exceptional whiskey, Adare offers a unique tasting experience not to be missed. Immerse yourself in the tales and mysteries of the ‘water of life’ as you explore some of the world’s most exceptional whiskeys, guided by passionate experts. Choose from three distinct tasting journeys—An tEarrach, Áth Dara, and Na Cinn Mhiotasacha—each featuring four carefully curated Irish whiskeys, including one of Adare Manor’s exclusive Midleton Very Rare collaboration bottles. Talk to our concierge team to reserve your place and embark on an unforgettable exploration of whiskey’s rich legacy.



THE ESSENCE OF CAYO

Where timeless design meets sustainable craftsmanship

Cayo is a brand born of passion, creativity, and a commitment to sustainability. Its journey began with a simple yet heartfelt gift—a sewing machine—given to founder Orla by her parents at just 15. “I started making my own clothes, not very well, but I enjoyed it,” she recalls. This small spark ignited a love for fashion as self-expression, which was further fuelled by her participation in the Junk Couture national competition, where she spent nearly a year creating an outfit from 100% recycled materials.

Today, Orla has transformed her early passion into Cayo, a brand defined by its timeless elegance and sustainable ethos. “Our collections aren’t bound by calendars,” she explains. “We create when we feel our customers will enjoy the new offering, with every piece designed to endure in both quality and style.” Cayo embodies a philosophy of thoughtful luxury, crafting pieces meant to be cherished for years, not just a season.



At the heart of the brand is a deep respect for craftsmanship and materials. Cayo’s exquisite knitwear is brought to life by skilled artisans in Italy, using custom yarn spun from the finest alpaca fibres sourced from small farms in the Peruvian Andes. “We design wearable and versatile pieces so you feel good about bringing them out year after year,” Orla says. Every collection reflects her belief in blending soft textures with enduring functionality to create beauty without compromise.

Orla’s inspirations are as varied as they are rich. From the interplay of fabrics and silhouettes during photoshoots to the work of like-minded brands such as Kindred of Ireland and Ganni, every detail fuels her creative vision. Yet, it is sustainability that lies at the core of her process. “Sustainability is at the core of every decision we make,” she emphasises. Her vision extends to developing a circular economy for Cayo and increasing charitable donations to schools supporting the children of alpaca farmers.

Customer connection is a source of immense pride for Orla. “Hearing from customers who love their pieces or seeing a stockist sell out is incredibly fulfilling,” she shares. These moments affirm her mission to create designs that resonate deeply with people.

Described in three words—sustainable, ethical, considered—Cayo is more than a brand; it is a movement toward mindful, enduring style. As Orla looks ahead to new collections and markets, her vision remains clear: to share the quiet luxury of Cayo with a world that increasingly values timeless, meaningful fashion.

“Every piece is designed to endure in both quality and style”
— Cayo Founder Orla Daly



A Day to Remember A Lifetime to Cherish

Ceremony Spaces: Where Your Forever Begins

Imagine saying “I do” in a setting that feels like it was pulled from the pages of a fairytale. At Adare Manor, our ceremony spaces are imbued with a sense of timeless romance, offering a stage befitting your greatest moment.

On-Site Ceremonies: Gardens and Grace

The Maigue Suite offers an intimate atmosphere where love takes centre stage, while the Grand Ballroom provides a majestic option, adorned with glittering chandeliers and opulent detailing. Both settings radiate an air of grace and splendour, ensuring your ceremony feels as magical as the love you share.

Picture yourself exchanging vows against the breathtaking backdrop of Adare Manor, its timeless architecture standing as a silent witness to your love.

For those seeking an unparalleled outdoor setting, ceremonies can be hosted on the Manor’s front lawn, a privilege reserved for couples who rent the estate exclusively for their day.

Church Weddings: The Legacy of Tradition

For those who dream of a traditional church wedding, the nearby Holy Trinity Church, St. Nicholas Church, and Ballingarry Church offer sanctuaries of divine beauty. Their historic charm and spiritual aura provide the perfect balance of reverence and romance.



Bespoke Services: Crafting Your Unique Story

At Adare Manor, every wedding is a canvas waiting to be painted with the colours of your love. Our bespoke services ensure that no two celebrations are ever the same, and every moment is imbued with your personal touch.

A Team by Your Side

Throughout your journey, our Events team is your trusted partner, working tirelessly to make your day effortless and stress-free. From handling every detail, big and small, to orchestrating unforgettable moments, we are here to guide you every step of the way, ensuring your day unfolds just as you envisioned.

Tailored Elegance

From the first private tasting to the final flourish on your wedding dessert, our culinary team works with you to craft a menu that is as exquisite as it is personal. Each dish is a celebration of Ireland’s finest produce. Whether it’s a signature cocktail inspired by your journey together or a dessert that reflects your sweetest memories, every detail is yours to define.

Vendors and Décor

We partner with the finest vendors to bring your vision to life. Whether you need expert florists, skilled musicians, or bespoke décor, our trusted network ensures every detail is flawless. From grand floral installations to elegant lighting, we transform our spaces into a setting uniquely yours.



Reception Spaces: The Grandest Chapter

At Adare Manor, your reception is not just a gathering—it is a spectacle of delight and indulgence. The Manor’s spaces seamlessly blend regal sophistication with an inviting warmth, creating an ambiance that feels both magnificent and personal.

The Maigue Suite: Champagne Toast to Delight

Your evening begins as you descend the sweeping staircase of the Grand Foyer, your first entrance as a married couple. The Maigue Suite, with its elegant design and timeless charm, creates a warm and inviting atmosphere for you and your guests to enjoy. As champagne glasses clink and the aroma of exquisite canapés fills the air, this is a moment to pause and savour—a glimpse of the magic yet to unfold.

The Grand Ballroom: A Realm of Celebration

Step into the Grand Ballroom, and prepare to be swept into its magnificence. Beneath cascading crystal chandeliers, your bespoke five-course feast is served, each dish crafted from Ireland’s finest ingredients and paired with expertly selected wines. As the evening unfolds, heartfelt speeches and toasts fill the air, making this moment even more memorable.

As the night deepens, the ballroom transforms into a scene of celebration. Laughter echoes, music fills the space, and the dance floor comes alive.

This is not merely a party—it is a memory shared with those you hold dearest, a moment etched in time.

More Than Just One Day: A Symphony of Celebrations

A wedding at Adare Manor is not confined to a single day—it is a story that unfolds across time, a symphony of moments that linger long after the final dance.

Pre-Wedding Elegance

Begin your journey with an intimate dinner at The Carriage House, where the glow of candlelight and the flavours of Ireland’s finest cuisine create a sense of quiet anticipation. For a more lively affair, the Private Dining Room offers a richly adorned space that exudes charm and intimacy, perfect for cherished gatherings.

Day-After Revelries

Relive the magic with a relaxed day-after celebration in the Walled Garden, where champagne flows as easily as laughter. Whether it’s a sumptuous brunch or a whimsical marquee creation, these moments allow you to savour the joy of your wedding, surrounded by those who matter most.



- INTRODUCING -

KIM PARTRIDGE

The visionary interior designer behind the timeless elegance of Adare Manor.

At Adare Manor, we blend architectural lighting, functional lighting, and decorative elements to achieve a warm and inviting ambiance.



DISCOVERING DESIGN INSPIRATIONS AND STYLE

WHAT INSPIRED YOUR JOURNEY INTO INTERIOR DESIGN?

From a young age, I was immersed in the world of house renovations. My parents had a passion for art and antiques, and I spent countless hours exploring auction houses, markets, and antique shops in search of hidden treasures. This early exposure sparked my fascination with design and storytelling through interiors.

HOW WOULD YOU DEFINE YOUR APPROACH TO INTERIOR DESIGN?

Rather than adhering to a single style, our designs are client-focused, aiming to craft spaces that reflect individual aspirations. We prioritise creating convivial environments that foster conversation, celebration, and serenity. This adaptable philosophy ensures each project is as unique as its owner.

DO YOU HAVE A HALLMARK DESIGN FEATURE OR TECHNIQUE?

A signature element of our work lies in sourcing unique pieces that infuse a space with character and narrative. We often scour auction houses and markets to uncover items that tell a story and lend a personal touch to a project. These details breathe life and soul into a space, connecting it to its inhabitants.

WHAT IS YOUR PERSPECTIVE ON DESIGN TRENDS?

We generally avoid trends, as they can quickly become outdated. Instead, we focus on enduring principles like sustainability, which is increasingly at the forefront of interior design. Sustainable practices, by their very nature, promise lasting relevance.

WHAT SPARKS YOUR CREATIVITY WHEN STARTING A NEW PROJECT?

Inspiration can emerge from various sources: the texture of honed stone, the colours of an ocean under a cloudy sky, or the patterns in a vintage scarf. For instance, the handprinted wallpaper in Lady Caroline's Suite was inspired by an 18th-century Dutch dress from the V&A Museum archive. Similarly, a collection of political satire cartoons from the mid-1800s, discovered in a flea market, now adorns corridors with moments of humour and intrigue.

DESIGNING THE LEGACY OF ADARE MANOR

WHAT WAS YOUR VISION FOR ADARE MANOR'S INTERIORS?

Our design ethos honours Adare Manor's rich architectural history, which spans centuries. From its origins in 1226 to its Georgian and neo-Gothic transformations, the Manor's legacy guided our approach. We sought to reinvigorate its interiors for contemporary guests while preserving its heritage.

WHAT ARE THE DEFINING ELEMENTS OF THE ADARE MANOR AESTHETIC?

We want to give guests the sense that they are staying in a country home inspired by Lady Caroline Dunraven's love of collecting while she made her Grand Tour of Europe. As was typical of the neo-Gothic movement, layers of pattern weave themselves throughout the fabric of the building and classical designs were chosen or adapted to give a contemporary flair. Religious influences were taken from both Pugin's design ethos who had excerpts from the Bible painted on the kitchen walls to motivate staff during their daily chores! The result is an eclectic interior with a touch of drama.

HOW DID YOU MERGE MODERN LUXURY WITH HISTORIC CHARM?

Balancing history with modernity required careful curation. Original furniture was restored, and bespoke pieces were created to complement the Manor's historic character. The McManus family's collection of 16th to 19th-century paintings played a pivotal role in shaping the decor. The result is a harmonious blend of timeless elegance and contemporary comfort, with a touch of drama.

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ACHIEVING THE ADARE MANOR LOOK

WHAT COLOURS, FABRICS, OR TEXTURES DO YOU RECOMMEND TO EVOKE A LUXURIOUS YET TIMELESS FEEL?

At Adare we have used classical fabrics throughout from Irish and English suppliers. Fabric has been designed specifically for the project using looms from traditional weavers such as Gainsborough Silks or Marton Mills. To create a luxurious and timeless feel, opt for silk, mohair, wool and velvet.

WHAT LIGHTING TECHNIQUES DO YOU USE TO CREATE A COSY, INVITING ATMOSPHERE?

At Adare Manor, we blend architectural lighting, functional lighting, and decorative elements to achieve a warm and inviting ambiance. Layering these components allows us to elevate or even completely transform a space. Ambient lighting is essential; we incorporate an array of table and floor lamps to create a relaxed environment. For instance, the Drawing Room features around 16 lamps, alongside strategically placed picture and wall lights. Adding a personal touch, we've repurposed vintage crystal decanters as candle holders, combining functionality with a sense of whimsy and history.

WHAT ARE SOME KEY ACCESSORIES OR DECOR ITEMS THAT INSTANTLY ADD A TOUCH OF ELEGANCE TO ANY ROOM?

Original pieces with integrity whether it is found in the art, fabrics or furniture.

WHEN DESIGNING A ROOM, WHERE DO YOU START?

We look at the proportions of the space and the amount of natural light. Ironically, opting for a sufficiently warm and saturated colour on the walls will have power to combat a dark space, whereas bright rooms favour lighter colours. In the voluminous triple-height lobby space of The Great Hall we chose a muted darker tone to feel welcoming and somewhat cocooned.

WHAT WOULD BE YOUR TOP PIECE OF ADVICE FOR ANYONE STARTING A HOME DESIGN PROJECT?

Establish how you want to live in and experience the space (functionality is key), what you enjoy and what is important to you. Do always keep in mind the architectural context – the handsome Gothic Revival desks in Reception sit comfortably within Adare but in a contemporary penthouse city apartment would feel a little out of place.



We prioritise creating convivial environments that foster conversation, celebration, and serenity.



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