



## Media Information

### British Craft Showcase at Blenheim Palace

Living Crafts for Christmas brings you four fabulous, festive shopping days showcasing outstanding, contemporary, British craft at Blenheim Palace from Thursday 15th to Sunday 18th of November. Packed with seasonal charm and brimming with exquisite gift ideas not found on the High Street, this event is guaranteed to put you in the festive spirit!

Come and enjoy ticking off your Christmas present list with stylish, original handmade gifts for every taste in a festive atmosphere against the majestic backdrop of Blenheim Palace. This is a one stop, shopping experience with around 170 carefully selected, high quality crafts from our talented designer makers together with artisan food and drink from specialist producers, all great for gift inspiration.

Living Crafts for Christmas has a well earned reputation for exceptional craftsmanship and original designs offering a huge selection of unique gifts. As the aroma of roasting chestnuts and winter spices fills the air, browse the pavilions and choose from studio glass, handmade soaps, fashions, puzzles, photography, art, millinery, children's clothes, ceramics, textiles, toys, sculpture and so many more. Luxurious wreaths, garlands, cards, candles, decorations and handcrafted baubles are perfect for seasonal style while jewellery stands brim with exquisite contemporary designs in gold and silver; the ideal surprise present! Don't miss the twinkling Christmas trees in the colonnades of the Great Court as you relax and take a break with a glass of mulled wine, Winter Pimms or marshmallow hot chocolate.

Stock up on seasonal treats from our artisan producers in Tastes of Christmas with connoisseur preserves and chutneys, handmade chocolates, waxed truckles, festive pies and locally made charcuterie. Fabulous foodie gifts include Christmas cakes, traditional puddings and sweet treats, not forgetting the fantastic range of seasonal tipples, spiced winter cordials, fruit liqueurs, whiskies and award-winning gins.

The Palace will be adorned with sparkling Christmas trees and traditional festive decorations, with a tree in every room, the Great Hall and all the fireplaces will be decorated. As a World Heritage Site, Blenheim Palace is an inspiring setting for a family day out with 300 years of history to discover. Over 2,000 acres of magnificent Capability Brown landscaped parkland and formal gardens are waiting to be explored and there are plenty of places to sit and relax with winter warming treats and delicious seasonal food.

From simple and unusual stocking fillers to special commissions for a loved one, a visit to Living Crafts for Christmas is the perfect place to do your Christmas shopping in style whilst enjoying the unique festive atmosphere at Blenheim Palace.

Further event information is available at [www.livingcrafts.co.uk](http://www.livingcrafts.co.uk) and you can keep up to date with the latest event news on Facebook(LivingCraftsUK) and Twitter (@LivingCraftsUK)

## Notes for Editors

Living Crafts for Christmas  
Thursday 15th November - Sunday 18th November 2018  
Blenheim Palace, Woodstock, Oxford OX20 1PP  
Open 10.00am - 5.30pm

Event website: [www.livingcrafts.co.uk](http://www.livingcrafts.co.uk)

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### On the day Tickets

Adult	£16.00	
Concession	£13.00	(over 60 & students with valid ID)
Child	£7.40	(age 5 - 16)
Family	£43.00	(2 adults 2 children)
Under 5	free	

Save money and book online, in advance at [livingcrafts.co.uk](http://livingcrafts.co.uk)  
Admission includes entry to Living Crafts for Christmas, Park, Formal Gardens and Pleasure Gardens.  
(Includes parking)

For Group Rates please phone 01993 815600 to book and for further information.