



HMS  
BELFAST

EVENTS

# WELCOME ABOARD



**There are certain occasions which demand special treatment, where the choice of venue is crucial. Seldom will you find one as unique as HMS *Belfast*.**

Ideal for private dining, meetings, product launches, weddings, receptions and parties, HMS *Belfast* offers spectacular 360 degree views of London and authentically decorated rooms, each with their own individual characteristics. Guests can dine in the Officers' Mess, climb a gun turret or watch the sun set on the Quarterdeck.

Permanently moored between London Bridge and Tower Bridge, HMS *Belfast* is the most significant surviving Second World War Royal Navy warship.

During the Second World War HMS *Belfast* played a crucial role in protecting Arctic Convoys to Russia, served at the Battle of North Cape and fired one of the first shots in the D-Day campaign. She remained in service during the Cold War and later supported UN forces in Korea, remaining in service until 1965.

Steeped in history and Naval charm, HMS *Belfast* promises an event your guests will never forget.



## The Jubilee Deck

**Capacity: Minimum 30 / Maximum 40** (Subject to package)

The Jubilee Deck commemorates the Queen's Diamond Jubilee in 2012 and boasts elevated views of the river Thames and the surrounding historic landmarks. Together, they truly are a remarkable place to enjoy an evening BBQ or reception in the summer months.

## The Boat Deck

**Capacity: Minimum 75 / Maximum 150** (Subject to package)

Outdoors, but with a canopy and alternative indoor spaces to retreat to in poor weather, the Boat Deck used to be the holding area for the small boats, having previously been the spot from which Walrus aircraft were, literally, catapulted into the air. You can still see the crane that lifted the planes back on board and the marks on the deck where the boats sat.

## The Quarter Deck

**Capacity: Minimum 95 / Maximum 200** (Subject to package)

There can surely be no finer vista for an evening reception than standing on the Quarter Deck, looking out at Tower Bridge, the Tower of London and the Thames dockland scenes. The beautifully appointed wooden decking, that, during her commissioned years, played host to only the Officers of HMS *Belfast*, makes this period setting one of the finest in London and the ideal space for your summer events.



## The Admiral's Quarters

**Capacity: Minimum 15 / Maximum 18** (Subject to package)

Comprising the original Dining Room and Lounge area of the Admiral's own living quarters, the Admiral's Quarters are the perfect space for both boardroom meetings and elegant dining. Restored to reflect how the space would have looked during the 1950's, the Admiral's Quarters provide a luxurious and intimate space for events.

## The Morgan Giles Room

**Capacity: Minimum 30 / Maximum 100** (Subject to package)

This room once served as an Officers' mess and so includes a bar. Named after the Admiral who served in her and later was responsible for ensuring the ship was saved from the scrap yard, the room has been restored to reflect the original 1950's décor and its wood panelled walls echo the camaraderie that was such a vital part of life on board this great ship.

## The Ward & Ante Room

**Capacity: Minimum 30 / Maximum 100** (Subject to package)

This stunning space, comprising two rooms, was, historically, the Officers' Mess. The Ante room offers the perfect space for pre dinner drinks and general relaxing, while the Ward Room provides a perfect dining room. Both spaces have been carefully restored in meticulous detail, from the bar to the light fixtures, recreated to match the room as it looked in 1959. With a rather glamorous gold and cream finish, the atmosphere in this room is full of warmth. An ideal space for conferences; with a break out space or private dining with a separate bar area.

## The Ship's Company Dining Hall

**Capacity: Minimum 50 / Maximum 200**  
(Subject to package)

This unique area of the ship is where the crew would gather for their meals. Surrounded by all the original features, including the exposed steel walls of the ship and pipe work on the ceiling, there is no mistaking that you're on a warship! Amidst all these period fittings, you will have the facility of modern AV equipment for both day and evening events.

**Deck spaces include the hire of another room inside the ship, in case of wet weather.**

**GREAT FOOD.  
LEGENDARY  
EXPERIENCES.**

IWM Events at HMS *Belfast* is managed by Levy Restaurants UK. Levy Restaurants UK brings the knowledge and passion to each event that ensures you and your guests have a unique and memorable experience. Our experienced team of chefs have created an extensive choice of innovative menus for private dining, receptions, conferences and parties, using seasonal ingredients and local produce where possible.



# Private Tours

Inspire guests and colleagues, and discover the incredible history of HMS *Belfast* with an expert speaker or private tour. For a unique personal experience, book a private tour with one of HMS *Belfast*. Ship's Company.

The guides are highly qualified members of the team with unparalleled knowledge of HMS *Belfast*. Hear the unique stories of how sailors survived in freezing conditions during the Arctic Convoys and what it was like to be one of the first Ship's firing on D-Day. Discover some of the quirky sailor's stories of living and enjoy exclusive access behind the barriers for the perfect photo opportunity.

# Room Capacities

	MIN	MAX
The Admiral's Quarters	15	18
The Ward & Ante Room	30	100
The Morgan Giles Room	30	100
The Ship's Company Dining Hall	50	200
The Jubilee Deck	35	40
The Boat Deck	75	150
The Quarterdeck	95	200



# Location

With spectacular views of Tower Bridge, Tower of London, City of London, and the river Thames, the HMS *Belfast* is the perfect venue for your event. With excellent links to the underground and overground stations, HMS *Belfast* also benefits from its own landing stage allowing you to transport your guests directly by river.

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