

A
REMARKABLE
SETTING


CANDACRAIG





A magnificent 17th century Scottish Baronial mansion offering the gateway to wild beauty, a home to call your own, and the promise to deliver a truly unforgettable experience.


Welcome to Candacraig



EXCLUSIVE USE

From heart-warming family occasions to unforgettable business retreats, Candacraig's exclusive facilities will deliver an exceptional experience which will last long in your memory.



A wide-angle photograph of a golf course. In the foreground, a stone pavilion with four columns stands on a raised platform. To the right, a river flows through a lush green landscape. In the background, a forested hillside rises under a clear blue sky. The scene is framed by tall evergreen trees on the left and right.

With eighteen acres of exquisite private grounds framed by rugged, *breathtaking* Highland beauty, Candacraig allows guests to unwind in the heart of peaceful natural surroundings.

THE GREAT OUTDOORS

Embrace the beauty of the great outdoors,
with Candacraig's immaculately presented,
exclusive-use private grounds.





Take time to explore the elegance of the Victorian walled garden or enjoy a serene stroll through glorious private woodlands and over manicured lawns. Meander your way to the gentle banks of the River Don, and be soothed by the soft murmur of the clear waters, running fresh from their springs perched high above amidst the stunning Cairngorms.





EXQUISITE DINING

Your Candacraig experience would not be complete without indulging the passion for great Highland hospitality. With our magnificent family kitchen and spectacular dining room, we offer a unique service on arrangement to present the finest cuisine, sourced from the freshest local ingredients. A full butler service on request adds a classic touch to those sublime moments of enjoyment.

After dinner, relax with the warm glow of a dram accompanied by the crackle of a log fire in one of our sumptuous public rooms.





RELAX & UNWIND

Candacraig presents an immaculate rural retreat for you to relax and unwind, with twelve individually styled bedrooms providing elegant comfort for up to twenty-four guests. Our luxurious public rooms offer further opportunity to enjoy the warm and welcoming atmosphere, with our beautiful Drawing Room, stylish Billiards Room, and lavish Whisky Library, host to our impressive collection of enticing Scottish single malt whiskies and gins.



Complementing the relaxing luxury, Candacraig's resident House Manager will be on hand to assist throughout your stay, with a full butler service available on request to cater for those memorable occasions.

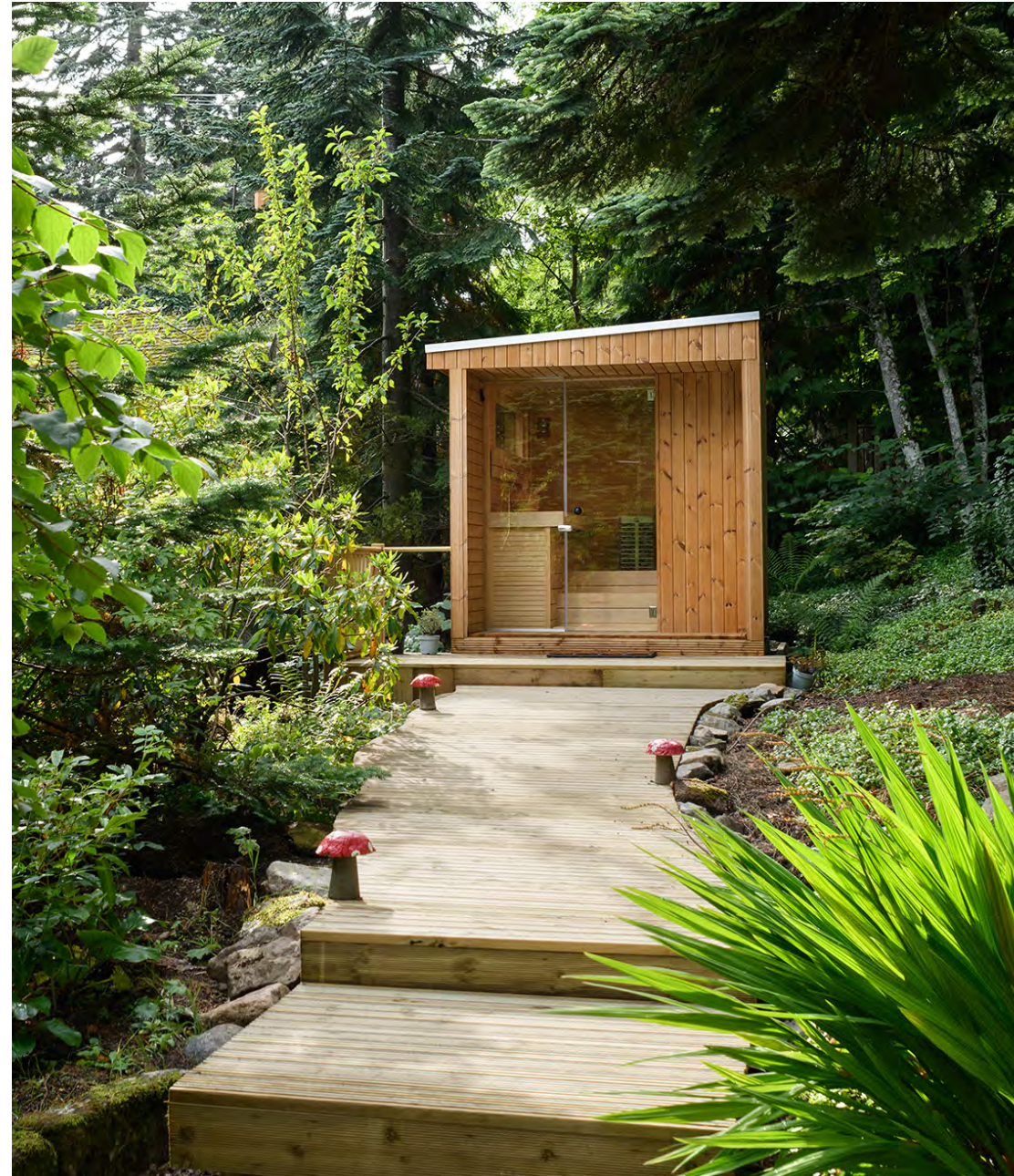
ACTIVITIES

Guests enjoy exclusive use of our outstanding eighteen acre estate during their stay, with activities ranging from exciting events hosted on our extensive lawns to a calm day fishing by the banks of the River Don or River Dee.

Whether you write, paint, draw, play an instrument or take pictures, Candacraig and the surrounding area offer the space and solace to pursue uninterrupted creativity.

Set against the backdrop of some of Scotland's most impressive scenery, the rattle and hum of city life fades out and gives way to clarity of thought — making space for ideas.

Candacraig also offers the perfect base for the wanderers and adventurers. To the west lies the Queen's own Highland retreat at Balmoral, while the magnificent route north leads to the promise of whisky in the picturesque Spey Valley. Beautiful Braemar sits on Candacraig's doorstep, home to spectacular Braemar Castle, just one of the amazing fortifications waiting to be discovered while exploring Aberdeenshire's sensational Castle Trail.





Learn to fly fish on our very own lochan, or enjoy the enticing prospect of casting your line in an exclusive secluded fishery on the celebrated River Don, with insight and tuition available from an experienced local ghillie.

Our setting amidst the stunning Cairngorms National Park allows easy access to the further pleasures of hill walking, mountain biking, kayaking, snow sports, and a dazzling array of active pursuits.





“Just wanted to thank you and the whole team for making our visit to Candacraig such a great success. It was a magical event!”



HOW TO GET HERE

Candacraig is easily accessible, whether you are flying, travelling by train or making your own way by car. Those looking to drive may wish to use our postcode, AB36 8XT, to assist with navigation.

TRAVELLING FROM ABERDEEN

We are less than an hour's drive from Aberdeen International Airport, and only slightly further from the city's rail station, with its frequent services to routes throughout the UK. From the airport, take the A96 towards Inverness, then turn left onto B979 towards Kirkton of Skene. Turn right onto the A944, staying on this road through the town of Alford until you reach the turn off on the left for the A97 towards Strathdon. Continue straight onto the A944 signposted to Corgarff and Tomintoul. The gates to Candacraig are on your left, 2 miles past the village of Bellabeg.

TRAVELLING FROM INVERNESS

Candacraig is just an hour from Inverness Airport. Head south along the A9, before branching left onto the A938 for Carrbridge. Turn left again onto the A95, then right onto the A939, before joining the A944 signposted for Strathdon. The gates to Candacraig can be found on your right hand side roughly 4 miles on.

TRAVELLING FROM EDINBURGH

If you are driving from Edinburgh Airport, take the M90 towards Perth, continue to the A93 North following the Old Military Road through the picturesque roads of Glenshee and Braemar. Turn left after Balmoral Castle onto the B976, left again onto the A939, then right onto the A944 signposted for Strathdon. The gates to Candacraig are on your right hand side after about 4 miles.







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