

A photograph of the National Theatre building in London, featuring its iconic Brutalist concrete architecture. In the foreground, a lush rooftop garden with various green plants is visible. A group of people in formal attire is gathered on a wooden deck in the middle ground, socializing. The sky is overcast with grey clouds.

Events at the

# National Theatre



## Your perfect standing reception event venue

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The National Theatre is home to a collection of striking spaces, each offering its own character and atmosphere.

Whether you're planning a summer party, networking event, or Christmas celebration, you'll find showstopping food, drink and service in one of London's most iconic landmarks.

Easily reached from across the city, the National Theatre combines unforgettable settings with world-class hospitality, ensuring your event is every bit as memorable as a night at the theatre itself.





# The Buffini Chao Deck



Standing 200

Situated on the roof of the National Theatre, overlooking London's skyline, the Buffini Chao Deck is the Theatre's dedicated events space.

## Features:

- Panoramic views of Thames from wraparound terrace
- Bespoke lighting and PA system

**Hire Periods:** 8am - 5pm or 6pm -11pm

## Package inclusions

Hire of the Buffini Chao deck from 18.00 - 23.00  
(Guest arrival from 18.30)

Unlimited house red & white wine, house beer & soft  
drinks for three hours  
(Dorfman drinks package)

3 canapes & 3 bowls per person, or a selection of  
street food

Standard in-house furniture

Bespoke lighting and PA system

DJ for the evening

**£170pp**

All prices are exclusive of VAT  
Minimum guest numbers of 100





## Something a little different

We work with our incredible partners at KERB (Seven Dials Market, KERB Social Club) to bring you flavours from across the globe.

From indulgent hash browns from Hash Hut, to delicious tacos from MexClub, our street food vendors are the perfect addition to any event.

Our traders operate on a rotating basis; ask your event sales manager about our current offering and sample menus

# The Understudy



Seated and standing 300

Riverside pub perfect for casual summer celebrations, with craft beer, cocktails on tap, street food from KERB traders and an expansive terrace.

Available to hire as an area, or full bar hire, with options to pre-order drinks and street food.

## Capacities:

Half bar hire: up to 80

Full bar hire: 90 - 300

**Hire periods:** Flexible

**Pricing:** Minimum spends apply





# Lasdun Restaurant



Standing 200

Our elegant restaurant and bar in the heart of the theatre, serving Modern British dishes inspired by seasonal ingredients found across the British Isles.

Available for semi-exclusive hire or complete takeover, accommodating up to 200 guests.

**Hire periods:** Flexible

**Pricing:** Minimum spends apply

# Sustainability

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As part of our journey to achieve climate net zero, we are employing several strategies to change our relationship with the planet for the better.

Across our menus, we:

Use a minimum of 80% British seasonal fruit & vegetables

Feature sustainable fish stocks and high-welfare British poultry & pork

Have introduced lower carbon red meat alternatives, such as venison

Ensure plant-based options make up 25% of our offering

In the building, we have:

- Switched to a zero-carbon electricity tariff
  - Eliminated most single-use plastic
- Installed locally controlled LED lighting across our event spaces



This commitment has been recognised with a [Green Meetings Bronze Award](#).





## Getting here

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Nearest stations:

Waterloo (7 minutes)

Waterloo East

Embankment (10 minutes)

Charing Cross (13 minutes)

Blackfriars (17 minutes)

We're also accessible via bus and UberBoat.

### Parking

There is a paid underground car park beneath the building. Guests can take a lift from the basement (with access to and from the car park) straight up to level three, where the Buffini Chao Deck and Foyle Room are located.

Please note, we are unable to reserve parking

# National Theatre Events



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**National Theatre Food & Drink**

Upper Ground

London

Southbank

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