



PECKFORTON CASTLE  
AN ENCHANTING HOTEL IN THE HEART OF CHESHIRE

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### **Peckforton Castle unveils enchanting 2010 Brasserie**

*5 July 2010, Tarporley, Cheshire, UK* – The owners of Cheshire landmark Peckforton Castle are reporting a fantastic response to the luxury hotel's new facility, the 2010 Brasserie at Peckforton Castle, after it opened to the public for the first time on 2 July.

Located in the former scullery, the stunning 2010 Brasserie forms part of the recent £1.7 million investment programme to provide a range of new amenities, which also include ten additional en-suite bedrooms and the beauty treatment area, Tranquility at Peckforton Castle.

Open to all members of the public every day from 8am to 10pm, the 2010 Brasserie operates a table waiting service and provides a unique combination of affordable menu choices, striking surroundings and a relaxed atmosphere, making it the ideal venue for all occasions, whether a quick cup of coffee or an informal lunch with friends.

Peckforton Castle managing director Chris Naylor comments: "The 2010 Brasserie will turn even a humble coffee break into an enchanting experience. From take away drinks, a pot of tea with a pastry, a sandwich for lunch or even a celebration for a small group, the 2010 Brasserie offers it all in a magical setting."

The contemporary menu with its generous selection of food and drink – put together by the team behind the venue's award winning 1851 Restaurant – features speciality fair-trade

coffees, pastries, sandwiches, panninis, soup, salad, fishcakes, burger and even Rib-Eye steak, with ingredients sourced from Cheshire farms and suppliers where possible. The new children's menu for knights and maidens was created with the help of local schoolchildren and is also available in the 1851 Restaurant.

Chris says: "The 2010 Brasserie menus are, of course, less formal than a la carte and table d'hote, but all food is produced to the same high standards of the 1851 Restaurant and served in the same professional manner."

This lovingly restored section of the Grade I listed building retains many of its original features including windows and two cast iron cooking ranges, which date back to the 1840s. These are combined with the modern day comforts of luxury furnishings, free Wi-Fi and a flat screen television, striking a perfect balance between the old and new. The courtyard creates additional space and offers a modern al fresco dining experience.

Chris adds: "We're delighted with the new 2010 Brasserie. It's turned out exactly how we imagined; first class in every way. It only opened a few days ago, but already there's a real buzz about the place. We've received a lot of wonderful feedback. Come and tell us what you think, you'll be most welcome."

To celebrate the launch of the 2010 Brasserie, Peckforton Castle is giving away a number of vouchers valid until 31 October 2010 entitling the holder to a free bottle of house wine when two people dine with a two course meal in either the 2010 Brasserie or the 1851 Restaurant. Please contact Peckforton Castle for further details on 01829 260 930 or visit [www.peckfortoncastle.co.uk](http://www.peckfortoncastle.co.uk).

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## **Notes to Editor:**

- 1.** A series of hi-res images is available to accompany this news release.
- 2.** Peckforton Castle is holder of Small Hotel of the Year 2009 awarded by Visit Chester & Cheshire.
- 3.** During 2010 the hotel has undergone a £1.7m restoration programme to provide additional facilities including the 2010 Brasserie, beauty treatment area Tranquility at Peckforton Castle and 11 en-suite bedrooms.
- 4.** The Castle's 1851 Restaurant is holder of 2 AA Rosettes and a Taste Cheshire Award.
- 5.** Commissioned in 1840 by John Tollmarche, Peckforton Castle was designed by famous architect Anthony Salvin.
- 6.** Peckforton Castle is a Grade I listed, family owned hotel nestled in the heart of Cheshire with excellent links from North Wales, Liverpool and Manchester.
- 7.** There are currently 48 en-suite bedrooms.
- 8.** The Castle is a very popular wedding venue hosting more than 180 weddings each year.
- 9.** Boasting excellent corporate facilities, the Castle offers a unique corporate experience to business guests.
- 10.** Activities include Falconry displays, the Landrover Experience and the Sandstone Trail.