

Family Favourites Cocktails

James Bond

Beloved father, husband, brother and my Grampy.

Sadly, Grampy isn't with us today but he would have loved it at Aquarius, he always wanted to be able to walk to the pub!

Jungle Juice

A Sunday dinner staple turned into a cocktail with a twist on a 007 classic, Jungle Juice is the perfect pairing of sophistication and cheeky charm. This cocktail is definitely shaken and not stirred to bring a harmony to the sweet and fruity flavours of the spirits to produce a smooth and robust cocktail with notes of umami and a sweet, palate cleansing homemade melon pearls.

It's Mi-Armi

Grampy always used to say it's not Miami, it's Mi-Armi! This riff on a classic Brandy and American reminds me of our trips to America and a drink Grampy would often have at Sunday Dinner. Grampy also used to have a deep pink grapefruit half for breakfast and when you pair the flavours of the Brandy and Ginger Ale with the pink grapefruit you get a refreshing, zesty and yet familiar drink.

Barbara Bond

You will often see Nanny enjoying Wishes and Aquarius, she is a regular in all of our workshops and has been with us since Mum and I started our spiritual journey all those years ago.

Bag o' Sweets

I often remember weekends on the farm and Nanny's stash of Sea Salt Popcorn and Black Current and Liquorice Sweets. I couldn't make a cocktail based on popcorn... But a black current and liquorice combination made the perfect pairing for a twist on a classic Sour. This fruity and tangy cocktail includes organic Liquorice Root, Blackcurrant Gin, Black Currant Liqueur from Somerset and a delicate Egg White Foam, a cocktail that sure to hit that nostalgia.

English Orchard

For 30 years Nanny and Grampy had an orchard on their farm, with apples from all around England growing there. Lining the orchard were brambles that produced delicious blackberries that I remember foraging from a young age. Here's a cocktail in homage to those moments and memories, a cider-based lemonade with a fruit twist, refreshing, light and not too sweet.

Sandie Jones

My dear Mother who set Wishes up some 10 years ago, you will definitely see her around and her flare for design was integral to the stylings of Aquarius, cheers to that! Mum taught me everything I know about business, especially how special it is to be a small, family owned business.

Pretty Woman

"Here, have a strawberry." "Why?" "It brings out the flavour." An all-time favourite film, this classic has been held in high regard in the family since it was released and is loved today. Many a rainy day have been spent watching Pretty Woman with quotes making their way into everyday chit-chat. It wouldn't be a Sandie Jones cocktail without a bit of Glitz and Glam and this cocktail takes a riff on the famous champagne and strawberry scene, featuring Dellavite small batch Pink Prosecco with homemade Strawberry Pearls and Edible Gold.

Sandie's Fizz

There are so many fond memories of family trips to Spain and failing that, the La Tasca Restaurant in Exeter with hours of cocktails and tapas, friends and family. This cocktail takes those memories and elevates a classic white sangria with the fizz and flavour you'd expect from Mum, who always lights up the room and would organise these family gatherings. This cocktail is fruity and fresh but holds a hidden punch, with a decadent combination of spirits topped with white wine and prosecco, it is light, bubbly and fun.

Howard Jones

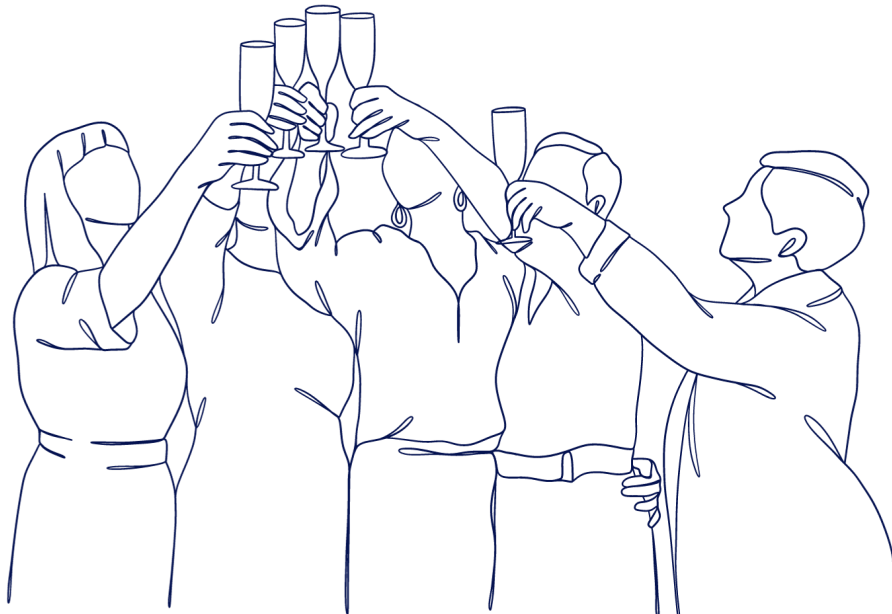
He often calls himself the handy man, but without Dad, Wishes and Aquarius wouldn't be here today for he physically built everything that makes us what we are. By day, you may see him in the tractor and by night, he'll likely be here with a well earned cider.

Lampposts and Fond Memories

Those of you who know Dad will know that he isn't really a big cocktail drinker, but he does love a good Devon Cider, a Port with a cheese board or when he's in the bar, one of our Amaretto Sours. So my challenge was elevating a classic, so here we have a classic Aquarius Amaretto Sour with an Egg White Top and a Port Float, bringing a delicious depth and sweetness to the Sour.

Insert Cricket Reference Here

Dad used to play cricket a lot, I sadly never got into the sport, but there are countless memories watching him play whilst we were growing up. This cocktail isn't based on cricket, more the summer afternoons sat watching and Dad's love for cider, so here we have a Cider based Mojito with a Lemon and Lime Gin twist, to make it extra zesty and all the more refreshing.



£15 each

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Paul Wood

Business partner extraordinaire, if Paul isn't helping me craft new menus or run the bar then he will be cooking up a storm in the kitchen to serve you all the delicious dishes and general good times!

Ibiza Sunset

Cerulean seas, stunning sunsets, tapas and the best company. Paul and I love Ibiza, and it wouldn't be a family-favourites cocktail menu without something that featured Hierbas, the cocktail of Ibiza, originally made by the Monks on the island. This cocktail is refreshing, sweet and aromatic with notes of liquorice and caramel combining this rum like spirit with fresh lime and soda.

The True Cancerian

Paul loves a good Gin, particularly the Mediterranean Gin Mare, he also loves my Taurus cocktail. Sadly, Paul does not like sangria and therefore doesn't like the Cancer Cosmic Cocktail, so here is the rebrand just for the Family Favourites, a cocktail that is inspired by Gin and the Taurus – The Cancerian combines four types of Gin, including Gin Mare with fresh lime and lemon and some sugar to make a Gin Sour that is set to impress.

Zach Jones

I have been very lucky to have such a great elder brother and even luckier that we have shared so many interests over the years, Zach is just as nerdy as I am with the only real difference being he took up football whereas I stuck to rugby.

Iron Man

Growing up, Zach and I have always loved Marvel, Star Wars, Comic Con and all that cool stuff. We used to struggle to agree on "The Best" super hero but Zach's was undoubtedly Iron Man. Pairing the colours of the famous avengers with Zach's favourite spirit, Amaretto, brings a cherry based Amaretto sour with edible gold, a sweet and zesty cocktail packed full of lemon juice, nutty notes and sweet cherry and with Zach's disliking of eggs, this sour comes without the egg white foam.

Captain America

Did someone say, "Avengers Assemble!"? You can't have Marvel themed cocktails without the classic pairing of Captain America and Iron Man and what better way to honour the leader of the avengers than with one of Zach's favourite cocktails, the Pina Colada? This layered cocktail starts with a blue base with Coconut Tequila, a white band of coconut cream and then topped with a red layer of Pineapple Juice and Coconut Rum with a splash of lime to bring everything together, making a fruity and refreshing riff on a Pina Colada.

Lorna Crook

The only Jones in the family who is actually Welsh! Lorna will often be found joining us for a workshop, enjoying the bar or even helping us serve drinks from time to time! You may have seen her pour your gin at Wishfest!

Tea at Tea Time

My brother's girlfriend Lorna loves a cocktail just as much as she loves a good cup of tea, even with a hot meal! This cocktail was a fun challenge as everyone knows what iced tea is... But that doesn't look like a real cuppa. So yes, there is milk in this cocktail, just as there is tea, but you'll have to take a sip to see what other flavours hide amongst the aromatics of the tea leaves.

The Fruity Dragon

Hailing from Wales, it would be wrong not to include a dragon themed drink, pair that with Lorna's love for a boogie and cocktails that are full of fruity flavours brings you this bright red, impressively not-too-sweet cocktail that will make you feel like you are sitting by the pool soaking up some sun!

Lynne Seebarun

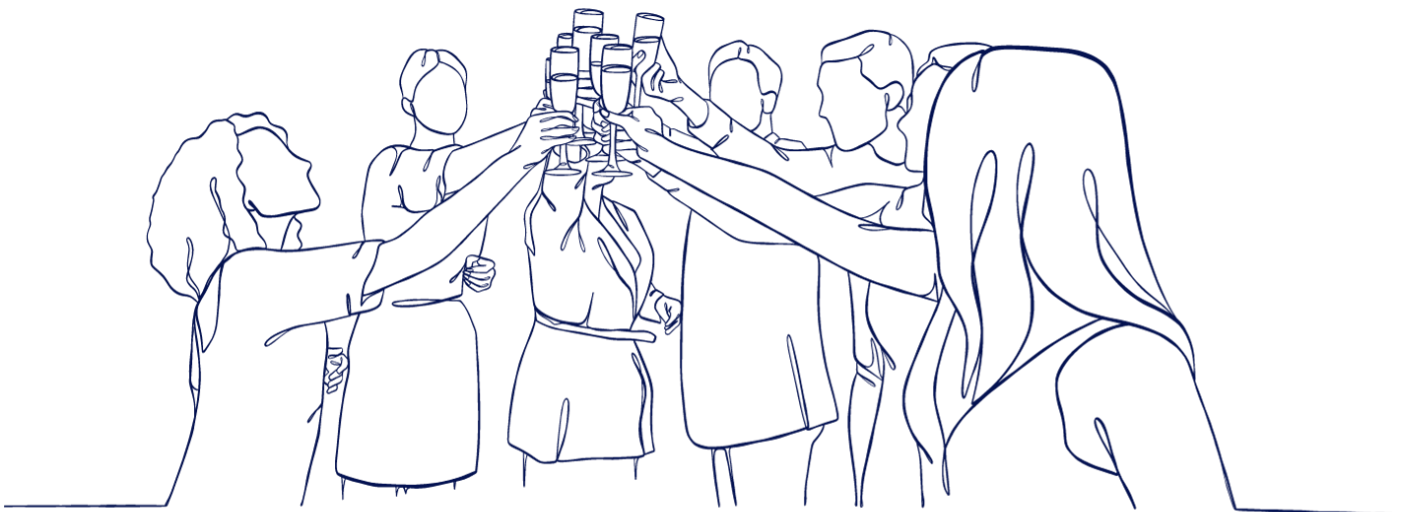
Auntie Lynne moved with us from Reading all those years ago, we have always shared a passion for art, fashion and creativity and Auntie Lynne has been with us every step of the way with our spiritual journey and creation of Wishes and Aquarius.

Artistic Impressions

From a young age I have shared a passion for art with my family, namely Nanny, Mum and Auntie Lynne, they helped me with my Art GCSE and I think they are all brilliant creatives. I have yet to visit, but Auntie Lynne has many stories from her time in Italy and loves an Aquarius Coffee so to create her an artistic cocktail I combined our Organic Owens Coffee with Frangelico Hazelnut Liqueur, Disaronno Amaretto and combined over ice, served in a chocolate sauce decorated glass.

Poolside

There are many family holidays to look back on and latterly we have visited Turkey and Egypt a few times, I consider myself lucky to have been a part of these family holidays from a very young age all the way up to adult hood, which means I have shared a fair few mojitos by the pool with Auntie Lynne and my family members. This cocktail is a riff on a classic mojito using Passionfruit Rum, Lime, Mint and Mexican Lime Soda and a splash of Blue Curacao for fun.



£15 each