

NEW YEAR'S SPECIALS

Honey Tasting & Pairing

Guests embark on a global tasting journey through the honey library of different flavours, aromas and anecdotes - including some of the world's finest single varieties and honey from The Newt's own bees.

**30 December
4pm**

*The Botanical
Rooms at Hadspen
House*

Birds of Prey Experience

Meet Jim and his majestic birds. Get close to our awe-inspiring birds of prey, encounter owls and experience the bond that develops between these fascinating birds and their trusted handler.

**31 December
10am
Approx. 45 min**

*Meet at
Hadspen House*

Botanical Chocolate Experience

Learn the art of botanical chocolate making with master chocolatier Allan Holloway. Enjoy a guided forage in the garden for seasonal botanicals and choose your favourite fresh herbs to infuse your truffles.

**31 December
11am**

*House Cellar at
Hadspen House*

New Year's Party

Put on your dancing shoes and festive finery for our Hadspen House Party. DJ Ross Whisper will soundtrack the evening, culminating with a champagne toast to ring in 2026.

**31 December
10.30pm**

Hadspen House

New Year's Cold Dip

Start 2026 on a natural high, with an invigorating cold dip in the lake to blow away the cobwebs. This uplifting experience involves a short warm-up, stretches and breathing exercises.

**1 January
9 -10.30am**

*Meet at
Hadspen Spa*

Winter Croquet Championship

Join us on the lawn (whatever the weather or your experience), for a lively afternoon of music, drinks and a chance of becoming the 2026 Winter Croquet Champion.

**1 January
1pm**

*Hadspen House
Croquet lawn*

Festive Cheese & Cyder Pairing

Few things go together so well as cheese and wine, except for Somerset cheddar and cyder. Join Master Cheese Margaretha Van Dam and Cellar Master Luke Benson in pairing your favourite wedge with a tasty tippie.

**1 January
4pm**

Farmyard

We look forward to celebrating with you!