

RESTAURANT OPENS WITH A BIG BANG

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Max Mason & The Big Bang Bristol

46 Whiteladies Road, BS8 2NH (The Old Hullaballoos)

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The Big Bang has come to Bristol in style – What promised to be a standard restaurant opening, on Friday night, ended up with queues along Whiteladies Road, as crowds struggled to get access to Bristol’s newest ethical restaurant.

The Big Bang is the brainchild of Ex-Royal Naval Officer Max Mason, who started the original restaurant in Oxford 3 years ago. The food is traditional British fayre done-well, centred around an array of sausages combined with as many flavours of mash. The ethics behind it though, are altogether another story, in that everything practicable is sourced from within a 20 mile radius of the restaurant, at 46 Whiteladies Road, in what was previously Hullaballoos.



It was going to be a quiet opening, leading up to our main opening this week, but it ended up with way more people than we expected, as the word got out from Oxford fans of the restaurant, on the Facebook website. As a result, the guest list swelled from a manageable 100, to a near ridiculous 500, all enjoying free sausages and mash, with a total of 50 free cases of champagne to wash it down.

Max says “The power of Information Technology is astounding, we were just fortunate to have enough food to feed everyone, although it meant pretty quick actions from the kitchen, who were preparing every scrap of fresh food we had on the premises”. It meant that we had hardly any food for the rest of the weekend, but it was a great party!



The restaurant is dedicated to further the cause of the recently abandoned, traditional British recipe book and of celebrating Great British Grub, through quality food at a commendable price.

Contact Max for details about any of the following:

Bangers and Dash – *email for uber quick food, to ease lunch time rush!*

Hunt the Golden Sausage – *Monthly changing clues on the bottom of each bill, giving location of a sausage worth thousands of pounds somewhere in Bristol*

Sunday Reel Sausage Roast – *A film with a choice of 3 sausage roasts in the intermission – A lamb sausage over a garlic and rosemary mash, a beef sausage over a horseradish mash or a chicken sausage over a lemon and spring onion mash.*

Business Breakfasts – *Make use of our Business room for meeting-breakfasts for up to 60*

Snazzy Bangers – *Dine in comfort in our more salubrious dining room downstairs*

Local Art and Music – *Live fortnightly jazz dinners & art displays, with art launches for local artists. On display now - Rob Morton and Kerry Webb.*

Clubs and Society Dinners and Exciting Christmas Menu – *Room for parties of up to 150, dining on great British grub, including a Festive trio of sausages – Winter Game, Turkey and Cranberry and Pork and Chestnut over a parsley and sage mash etc etc etc*

07766 331150 or arrange to meet at 46 Whiteladies Road and taste some food / drink with me! Max@thebigbangrestaurants.co.uk