

Responses from 'Home', Pop up Restaurant, Stacksteads

12 – 15th March 2015

Responses from Thursday 12 th March 2015 – Trial Session for Family and Friends			
	What do you think of the Pop Up Restaurant Project and Concept?	What do you think of the dining experience?	Do you have any other suggestions or comments?
1	Brilliant idea, means that people can enjoy to quality food in a local establishment	Wonderfu dining experience! Staff made sure we had everything we wanted throughout our visit and the quality of food was excellent	Maybe a larger variety of desserts to finish the perfect dining experience
2	Brilliant idea	Lovely food. Good staff. Seemed to work well as a team and looked a calm kitchen. Well done everyone	all good. Just the right amount of food. Excellent, well done everyone
3	Sounds good	Spot on - had a jolly good time. Coul dhave done with a wider variety of pudding menu. Pre setting the cutlery before the meal would be better	Service was good. Everything was clean. No drink menu?
4	An excellent concept that helps people develop skills and improve confidence. Each group should be encouraged this locally	A good varied menu bursting with flavours and cooked to an excellent standard. All the staff were polite and gave 100% to make sure that everything went well	This should be carried out developing and enabling each group to teach other groups. This could be an excellent project given the right funding and direction
5	nice setting and ambience	Good service. Lovely food, great fish cakes	Checking we have the necessary cutlery. Each course came without knives, forks, spoons
6	Great opportunities - staff pleasant and friendly	relaxed although just a little too dim (not much)	just slightly brighter lighting
7	I think it is a great idea. It helps to give the younger generation something to focus on	I thoroughly enjoyed it. The waiting staff were extremely pleaseant and helpful. The youngsters doing the cooking did extremely well	Menu was well thought out. It would have been nice to have a small drinks menu available. Well done! I would come to another any day
8	Very good. The area needs something like this. Should be more places like it.	Was very enjoyable	Once everyone gets used to the way it runs after a day or two, will be perfect
9	I think the pop up restaurant is a really good idea for young adults. Gives them something to progress onto and further their career (CV)	I really enjoyed tonight. The food was amazing and the service was brilliant. Fair to say I'd come again	Thank you or the lovely service and food. Well done peeps!!!
10	Seeing the kids progress from the beginning to friends and family night was a mega difference. They were all confident and eager. Well done to you all	Dining experience was amaxing! Service was very good and the food was excellent. Defintely would come again!	Keep up the good work!! Group has bonded so close and well together. Good group of kids
11	I think it is an excellent idea because it gives people the chance to show what they can do in preparing and delivering good food to the highest standard	The food was absolutely gorgeous. Very tasty and cooked excellently. Presentation was second to none	I think that the concept should be continued with the correct funding; this will impact greatly on the chosen people involved
12	Is an excellent idea to get people involved in food. This concept could be expanded by getting each gorup carry on the idea an dbecome a self funding project	The food was up to restaurant standard. Cooked well and presented to a good standard. Each dish exploede with its unique taste	To let each group be guided and allowed to expand. This is an excellent project that has room to develp and expand given the right funding and drive
13	I love the idea and concept o this pop up restaurant, good idea all round. Also a good way for youths to learn new and useful skills	It was a brilliant experience with good service and excellent food. Definitely worth the visit ;)	More gammon? Everything was brilliant

Responses from Friday 13th March 2015

	What do you think of the Pop Up Restaurant Project and Concept?	What do you think of the dining experience?	Do you have any other suggestions or comments?
1	A very good idea to give young people experience of restauranting in the local area	As good as anywhere - food excellent	I would like to see the concept spread
2	Fantastic experience for people involved. Should be a regular venue	Absolutely wonderful dishes brilliantly presented. Lovely atmosphere	
3	Very good idea	Good fun	Please repeat
4	well, what an opportunity all round..... Sooo enjoyable	Excellent, both in terms of food and service	More of the same
5	I think it really really good	tremendous	do it again
6	I think the pop up restaurant project is an excellent idea as the skills learnt are good ones ot have to enable independence	The dining experinece was brilliant as the staff were really helpful and friendly and engaged with customers	Well done to all the young people for completing the project. Rachele was lovely :)
7	I think it's a brilliant idea for young people to get involved and interested in cooking. Judging by the atmosphere and success it's an ace concept	Setting was lovely, service was good (especially our waitress). Good level of interest and service towards customers, good choice and quality of food	I highly recoment this shold be repeated anad grow into a more permanent idea
8	Really good concept and executed to a very high standard	All aspects of the eveing felt as though I ww as eating in a fully fledged restaurant	I feel no suggestions are needed as everything worked extremely well
9	I think that is is a very good idea and concept	I thnk that the dining experience was lovely and hospitable	Rachele was very lovely and kind as were the rest of the staff
10	Amazing concept! Very lovely experience, young people worked well together	Brilliant food. Top notch service	Done really well. FANTASTIC
11	Absolutely amazing idea. All young people worked great together and it clearly worked really well on the night	Food was on point!!! Excellent, well prepared, well served and presented. Really impressed	Really proud of all young people who have gelled as a team and created something GREAT!!!
12	Brilliant concept. Hope you have more evenings	Excellent food, friendly atmosphere. Lovely to find something local	Suggest you repeat events throughout the year
13	Excellent, very good 'hands on' for young people to help gain confidence in a 'real time' situation	Absolutely wonderful, I have been fortunate to eat in some well known restaurants and this could run with these. Very professionally run	I hope it runs again anad agvain. It's a wonderful project, not easy work but run with the ease of a professional establishment. Thank you so much
14	This is a great idea that needs promoting	It was great t be able to eat really good food near to home. Please do this again	You need to spread the good news and all your tables would have been filled tonight
15	What a superb idea for all the prople involved, learning life skills etc. Confidence building, social skills building, I'm well impressed	The food was amazing. The service was excellent. The atmosphere eclectic (?) We'd definitely struggle to afford to eat this well	We've had an amazing evening and if you run any more events like this, we'd love to be involved. Keep up the good work
16	Really good, I like the fact that everyone got benefit - people, business, friends, family	Really nice food, loved it! Loved watching Lawrence in action behind the counter	Get proper cheese and sort the loo pictures out
17	Fabulous - its giving the young people confidence and na new skill set. Great to involve the local community too	Brilliant - delicious food, great friendly service, all served with a smile. Has been a delight	Maybe a little more of a wait between courses but otherwise it was perfect

18	A very good idea	Good because I have never been to one and the food was quick and the staff was nice	Maybe have a kids meal like a pizza or burger
19	Will be going places	Should be repeated every week. Can I book a regular table?	More of the same (please)

Responses from Saturday 14th March 2015

	What do you think of the Pop Up Restaurant Project and Concept?	What do you think of the dining experience?	Do you have any other suggestions or comments?
1	Excellent - great location and facilities. Service was very professional	Food was really good. Atmosphere very relaxed	Hope this could be come a regular event
2	Nice to come to a restaurant locally - on our doorstep	Exceellent - great food and great service. Nice to talk to each other rather than compete with music	A quarterly experience would be fantastic
3	Fantastic, please repeat several times and more	Very tastey, beautifully served, really well presented	A walk or cycle ride with a meal at the end
4	Absolutely fantastic - its been a great night out and the fact that there is a purpose behind it just makes it all the more magical	Comprable to most places we eat at. Great atmosphere	Do it more often - publicise more (?)
5	Excellent concept and great service and I can only find good words to say how the staff took the project to heart - well done	Could not fault the service or the good. Great atmosphere, very comfortable. Many thanks to the chef and all the staff	nothing to add - good stuff
6	Excellent! When are you coming back?	All 3 courses - top tucker!	
7	A wonderful project with real value and purpose for the young people	Fantastic evening - lovely service and food. Nothing that wasn't good about it. The venue was spot on	It would be great to repeaet the project, say every 3 or 4 months or even twice a year
8	Excellent idea and shoul dbe a regular event to have a 'pop up restaurant', perhaps on a quarterly basis. All participants seem to have given 100% commitment	The food and the staff were excellent - have obviously been very well trained	See above - the 'pop up' restaurant should become a regular feature ideally on a quarterly basis
9	excellent idea - gives young people a taste of working life	Very relaxed and comfortable dining experience. Great food made from simple ingredients	Carry on - fab idea
10	Excellent idea - great to have somewhere to come in the evening. Even better if you can train young people	Love it! Very enjoyable food. Thank you. Waitress very attendtive - lovely	Keep it up - great if you could link it with colleges to get a realy experience
11	Hands on experience for all future chefs	Warm friendly atmosphere	Different style food on different nights, mexican, greek, italian?
12	Great idea! All for giving youngsters the opportunity to develop and learn new skills	nice atmosphere, stgaff were attentive and helpful	Just build on what has been achieved. Got the basics cracked, now work on presentation
13	The first think I thought was "the best idea for young people to make use of a face that is not in use at night". The expereince for them is invaluable	Very friendly, good atmosphere, very very good food. Plenty of food, felt very satisfied	I think this may have been mentioned - perhaps themed nights ie mexican, french etc
14	An excellent idea which educates and motivates young people as well as giving them experience in a realistic setting	Superb! The food was excellent, some of the nicest chicken I've eaten! A warm welcome with excellent service and a nice atmosphere	none - do it again, thank you

15	Great concept and local initiative. Think it's a great way to try something out, get feedback and improve skills and build confidence and new networks	It was good. Nice and relaxed. Great to go with friends and try something new	Try it more often. Would love to do it again
16	Great idea, had a lovely evening, really lovely service	Fantastic lemon posset, would have liked a wider menu though	Make it a monthly thing, take subscriptions to a club
17	I've really enjoyed the evening. Food has been great		It would be great to be a member and know when events are on
18	Great concept. Should be repeated every month. Get people to sign up to a 'club' and regular newsletters about events	The soup, beef and cheeseboard were excellent. Thought the pasta was too garlicky for my liking	Make it a regular occurrence and promote more widely. Liked the effort made with the décor - tablecloths and candles. Good choice of dishes on menu
19	Excellent idea giving great opportunity	Very good effort, very cosy and calm atmosphere. Flavour of dishes good, quality of food very good. Everyone very pleasant	Keep up the good work!
20	Good idea to enable training and it will give an opportunity for young people to develop their talents	Really enjoyable. Professional	
21	Great opportunity for local youngsters	Really good, enjoyable evening. Everyone was so kind and considerate and willing to please	Please can we do it again! Good to have it in Stacksteads
22	Brilliant idea - such good training and encouragement for young people	Lovely food - tasty and looked good, Waiting service good and efficient	Carry on with this idea

Responses from Sunday 15th March 2015			
	What do you think of the Pop Up Restaurant Project and Concept?	What do you think of the dining experience?	Do you have any other suggestions or comments?
1	It was an amazing idea and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves very much	The food was wonderful and everything looked lovely. Everything was well prepared. It was top restaurant standard	Do it again sometime!!!
2	An excellent idea and opportunity for young people and a refreshing change for Stacksteads	Enjoyed the food very much. Lovely atmosphere, much better than some established restaurants. Excellent front of house service	it would be good to see this repeated at some other time. Thank you for a good night
3	A good project	Excellent	Keep up the good work
4	One of the best nights ever! Love the concept/ well done	Very professionally run, really lovely presentation, yummy!	more! More! More!
5	It is a help to give people practice to serve food and deal with people	I think it is a good idea	No
6	Great idea - well done	Food was excellent - a credit to everyone - waiting on staff really helpful	Do more. It was really enjoyable. All the staff are a credit to themselves, they should be proud of themselves
7	Great idea	Really good excellent food - and service and a lovely setting	more often
8	It's a good creative concept enabling a rewarding achievement for all those involved	Very good. A warm friendly atmosphere with food prepared to a high standard and service to match	hopefully not a one off occurrence

9	Very positive and would recommend it again in the future	Amazing food. Amazing chefs	Should be a regular thing
10	The food was brill. Service was really good	Just like going out to a posh restaurant	Do it again
11	Great concept well delivered, congratulations to all involved	We've had an excellent meal. Great menu choices, it was hard to choose	Please run the project again!
12	What a great idea! And so worthwhile for the people taking part	Excellent, good food. Great service	Would be good to do this say once a quarter - a different crew each time
13	A really good idea, very worthwhile for the young people taking part. Excellent meal	Top class meal. The young people very friendly and polite	Well worth doing the project again. Well done
14	Good	good	no
15	I feel it is an excellent opportunity for young people to get the experience of restaurant work and develop their personal skills	First class, food excellent, service excellent and the whole experience has been enjoyable	This project should be extended to give other people a similar experience
16	A well thought of and a well executed project. Keep up the good work. Everything was excellent	Excellent young people were very friendly and courteous. The food was very good, the restaurant was clean and friendly	Keep up the good work and do not let it die like other young peoples projects