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WELCOME TO MUSE AT RSA HOUSE

Muse is nestled within the historic home of the Royal Society of Arts and for over 250 years, our House has been a place for conversation, creativity and ideas that have shaped the world. From artists and inventors, to writers, reformers and rebels, generations of RSA Fellows have gathered here to challenge convention and imagine a better future.

This menu is inspired by those thinkers and makers. Each drink honours a Fellow who walked these halls and the ideas they left behind. As you sip your way through the menu, you will encounter flavours shaped by curiosity, invention and experimentation.

Alongside the drinks, you will find artwork from artists who have exhibited at Muse, continuing the House's long tradition of bringing art, ideas and people together.

Drink with curiosity.

You are in the home of ideas.





Lilliana Dobbs
The Land Remembers Forgotten Paths

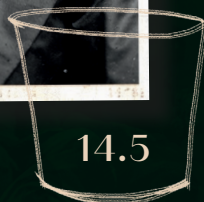
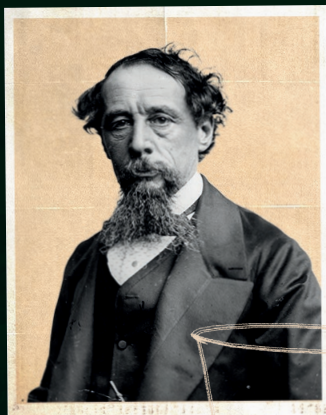
6 SIPS TO ENLIGHTENMENT

Charles Dickens

12.5

*Rum Punch, Cinnamon,
Spice, Citrus*

Inspired by his famous punch bowl and love of convivial gatherings. Dickens even immortalised our Tavern Room in *The Pickwick Papers*. A warm, citrus-spiced nod to his signature libation.



Mary Moser

*Champagne Cordial,
Vodka, Sugar, Lemon*

A prodigious talent who won two RSA premiums for botanical drawings at just 14, later becoming one of only two female Royal Academicians of her era. A crisp champagne cocktail that marks her early talent and enduring place in art history.



Hardy Amies

12.5

*London Dry Gin, Bitter
Bergamot, Orange Blossom
Water, Lavender*

Celebrating the fashion designer to the Queen and long-time RSA Fellow known for his effortless style. With bergamot and lavender echoing his signature fragrance, this is our delicate twist on a Negroni. Elegant and understated, it reflects Amies' belief that good design should never shout.

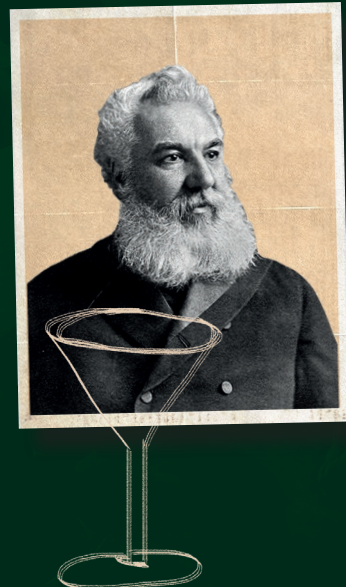


Alexander Graham Bell

13.5

*Vodka, Chambord, Lemon,
Raspberry, Egg White*

Raspberry shrub was a favourite of this Fellow, shaping our pared-back Clover Club twist. He demonstrated the telephone in the Great Room at RSA House, a landmark moment reflected in this sharp, raspberry-led serve. The demonstration cemented RSA House as a place where ideas moved from theory into reality.

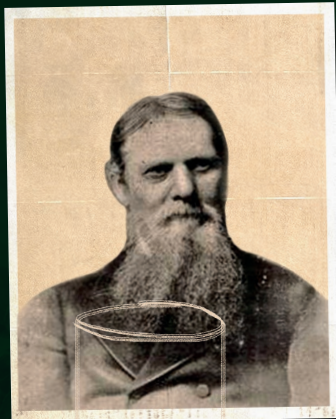


Peter Lund Simmonds

13.5

Blanco Tequila, House Spicy Tequila, Agave, Crème de Peach, Lime Juice

An explorer-turned-journalist and one of the RSA's first Life Fellows, he spent 50 years recording the world's ingredients and cultures. His studies of food and drink across the globe stand out in the RSA archives. Those flavours echo through this vibrant mix of tequila, spice and citrus.

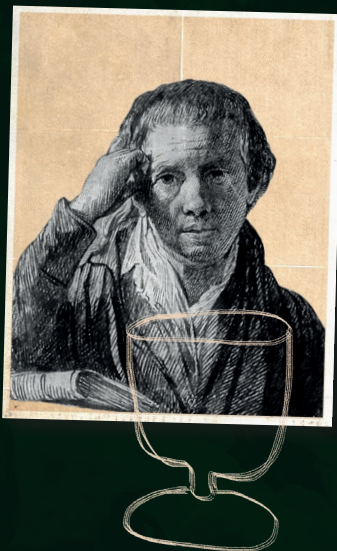


James Barry

14.5

Black Barrel Whiskey, Kahlua, Coffee, Bailey's, Double Cream

A tribute to the Irish painter who spent many years at RSA House while creating *The Progress of Human Knowledge and Culture in the Great Room*. A nod to the RSA's coffee-house origins, this is our take on an Irish Coffee.



*All of the 6 sips of enlightenment can be made non-alcoholic on request.

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Frances Featherstone

12.5

Aperol, vodka, egg white, lemon, orange bitters

Inspired by artist Frances Featherstone, whose *From the Perspective of the Angels* series is exhibited at Muse this summer. Her work invites us to see beauty in everyday moments through shifting perspectives. Reflecting Frances' love of bitter flavours and colour, this Aperol Sour balances bright citrus with gentle bitterness.



Dame Prue Leith

12.5

Watermelon, spicy tequila, agave, lime juice

Inspired by Dame Prue Leith, chef, broadcaster and active RSA Fellow. A lifelong champion of hospitality and bringing people together through food, this Spicy Watermelon Margarita combines sweet watermelon with warming chilli for a serve that is bold, vibrant and full of character.



Sir David Attenborough

12.5

Whisky, English breakfast tea, lemon, prosecco, soda

Inspired by Sir David Attenborough, broadcaster, natural historian and active RSA Fellow. Created to celebrate his milestone birthday year, this English Breakfast Tea Spritz combines two of David's favourite things: a good whisky and a proper cup of tea. A refreshing



SUMMER COLLECTION

Strawberry & Lychee Spritz

11.5

Vodka | Strawberry | Lychee | Lemon | Soda

Bergamot Spritz

12

Mint | Vodka | Agave | Bergamot | Lime | Ginger beer

Blueberry Negroni Spritz

12.5

Blueberry | Gin | Campari | Vermouth | Prosecco | Soda

Aperol Spritz

12.5

Aperol | Prosecco | Soda

Hugo Spritz

12.5

Elderflower | Mint | Prosecco | Soda





Natalie Toplass
Chiaroscuro

CLASSICS

Margarita 12.5

Classic | Tommy's | Spicy

Martini 12.5

Gin or Vodka | Dry or Dirty

RSA House G&T 12.5

Fevertree Tonic

Negroni 12.5

Gin | Campari | Sweet Vermouth

Paloma 12.5

Tequila | Grapefruit | Soda

Amaretto Sour 12.5

Amaretto | Lemon | Egg White

Pisco Sour 12.5

Pisco | Lemon | Egg White

Hugo Spritz 12.5

Elderflower | Prosecco | Soda





Florence Reekie
QEII Order of Bath Robes, 2025

WINE

White

	125ml	750ml
Le Pionnier Blanc LGI Gascogne, France 11%	7	37
Piquepoul Esprit de Vignes Les Caves Richemer France 12.5%	8.5	45.5
Albariño Pazo de Miraflores Spain 11%	9	55

Skin Contact

Rosé Chiaretto di Bardolino Veneto, Italy 12%	7	37
Vin Orange Regard d'Artiste LGI France 12%	9	45

Red

Le Pionnier Rouge LGI France 12%	7	37
Malbec Punto Alto Mendoza, Argentina 13.5%	8	45
Primitivo Doppio Passo Botter Puglia, Italy 13%	10	55

Sparkling

Cuvée Heritage Pinot Noir Sparkling Rosé Tenute Italy 11.5%	8.5	43
Grande Courtade Pét-Nat Famille Fabre France 10.5%	15	75

BEER & CIDER

330ml

Two Tribes Classic

5.5

Premium Lager 4.0%

Two Tribes Metro

5.5

London Session IPA 3.8%

Aspall

7.5

Draught Cider 5.5%

Lucky Saint

6

Non-Alcoholic

SOFTS

Coca Cola

2.5

Diet Coke

2.5

Fever-Tree Ginger Beer

3

Fever-Tree Lemonade

3

San Pellegrino

3.5

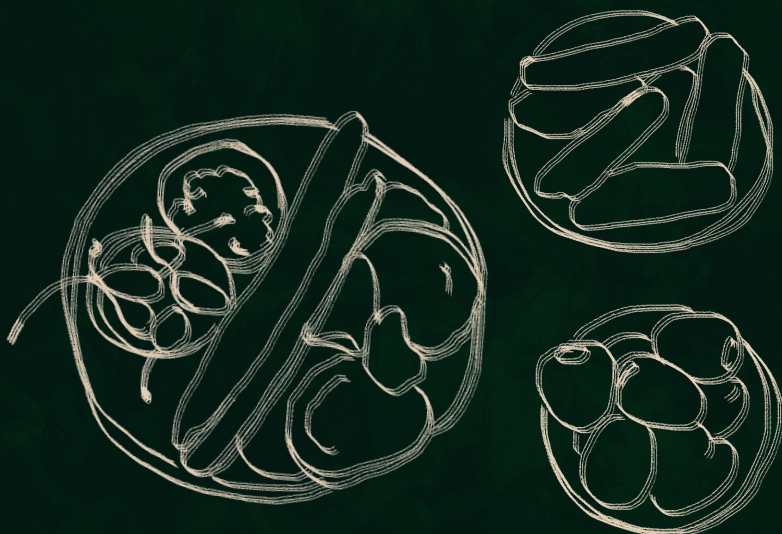




Frances Featherstone
Holding Onto My Dreams

BAR SNACKS

Tyrell's Crisps	5
BBQ Crunch Crackers	5
Fried Chilli Broad Beans	5
Tomato & Paprika Mini Breadsticks	5
Marcona Almonds, Maldon Salt	6
Gordal Olives	6.5
Cobble Lane Charcuterie, RSA Chutney	7.5
White Bean Ragout, Vegan N'djua, Bread	8.5
Brindisa Chorizo, Red Wine, Quince	9.5



Weights and Measures Act:

Gin, Rum, Vodka or Whisky is served in measures of 25ml or 50ml.

Wine is served in measures of 125ml.

For those with special dietary requirements or allergies, please inform a member of the Muse team.

All prices are inclusive of VAT.

An optional 10% service charge will be added to your bill.

The RSA is a registered charity and your purchase from Muse at RSA House directly supports our work and charitable mission as a social change organisation.



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