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TO COMMEMORATE THE 210TH ANNIVERSARY  
OF THE  
**BATTLE OF TRAFALGAR**



**THE FALKLAND ISLANDS MUSEUM  
& NATIONAL TRUST**

is proud to host

A Trafalgar Dinner

at the Malvina House Hotel, Stanley

on

Saturday 24th October 2015

A brief auction will be held following tonight's dinner:

**Out-of-hours Private Tour of HMS Victory  
for up to 20 people**

*Courtesy of HMS Victory*

&

*The National Museum of the Royal Navy*

**Two Return FIGAS flights**

&

**Two Nights for Two at Pebble Island Lodge**

*Courtesy of the Falkland Islands Government Air Service*

*and*

*Mr. & Mrs. Alex Gould*

**'Charles Cooper' Bowl**

Turned from oak timbers of the sailing ship 'Charles Cooper'  
which was condemned at Stanley in 1865

*Courtesy of Mr. Keith Grimmer*

**Twelve O'Clock Mountain**

*Original watercolour courtesy of Richard Cockwell OBE*

- Thank you for your support -

**Nelson, Vice Admiral of the White  
and Commander in Chief in the Mediterranean**

The Battle of Trafalgar on 21 October 1805 halted Napoleon Bonaparte's plans to conquer Europe and established Britain as the world's dominant naval power for the next century. Yet victory was overshadowed by the outpouring of grief over the loss of a national hero - Admiral Lord Nelson.

Horatio Nelson was just 12 when he joined the Royal Navy in 1771. He later wrote that the 1770 dispute between Britain and Spain over the settlement at Port Egmont here in the Falkland Islands was one of his reasons for wishing to join the Navy.



By 1805 Nelson had been knighted and risen to the rank of Admiral. His many victories had established him as a brilliant and gifted commander; he inspired loyalty among his men, was mobbed in London's streets and celebrated internationally.

At Cape Trafalgar, off the coast of Spain, Nelson's fleet of 27 engaged 33 ships of the combined French and Spanish navies. After five hours of battle, the French and Spanish had lost 18 vessels and some 6,000 men. The British, despite losing almost 500 sailors during the day, did not lose a single ship.

As the battle raged Nelson stood on the quarterdeck of his flagship, HMS Victory. At around 1.30pm he was hit by a lone musket ball, fired by a French sharpshooter. Nelson died from his wound but not before hearing news of his victory. His last words were: "Thank God I have done my duty".

210 years after his death at Trafalgar, Nelson continues to be remembered as one of the bravest sailors in Britain's rich naval history and one of the nation's greatest sons.

# Welcome Drink At Historic Dockyard Museum

Pusser's Rum 'Grog'

## With Dinner

Montes, 2014 Sauvignon Blanc

Montes, 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon

W. & J. Graham's 2008 Late Bottled Vintage Port

Maître d'hôtel: Miss Rosie George

Chef de Cuisine: Mr. Matthew Clarke

- Grace -

## All Hands on Deck

Trio of Smoked Salmon, Toothfish Pate & Local Snow Crab served with Char-grilled Crostini

## The Whole Nine Yards

Medallions of Prime Beef Fillet  
Wild Mushroom & Smoked Bacon Ragout, Pomme Puree,  
Glazed Vegetables & Horseradish Jus

## Three Sheets to the Wind

Boozy Rum Parfait, Eton Mess Cupcake & Pusser's Rum Jelly

## The Finale

Ships of the Line with Hand-made Rum Truffles

## Starboard and Port

Selection of Fine Cheeses served with Vintage Port



## The Loyal Toast

(taken seated)

- Speeches -

During which Tea & Coffee will be served (optional)

The Immortal Memory  
(taken standing and in silence)



- Auction -

- Move to the bar for dancing until 1.00am -

**Britannia Triumphant.**  
THE MOST DECISIVE AND GLORIOUS  
**NAVAL VICTORY**  
THAT EVER WAS OBTAINED SINCE THE CREATION OF THE WORLD!!  
THE VICTORIOUS BRITISH FLEET  
Was commanded by the most renowned, most gallant, and ever-to-be-lamented Hero,  
**Admiral Lord Viscount NELSON;**  
AND THE VANQUISHED FLEETS OF FRANCE AND SPAIN  
By the Admirals VILLENEUVE and GRAVINA.  
*This memorable Action was fought off Cape Trafalgar, near the Entrance of the Straights of Gibraltar, on the 21st of October, 1805.*

The ENGLISH FLEET consisted of TWENTY-SEVEN Ships of the Line.			The Combined Fleets of FRANCE and SPAIN consisted of 33 Ships of the Line.		
Victory, 110	837	Adm. Lord Viscount Nelson, R. B. Capt. W. H. Hardy.	Conqueror, 64	500	Capt. Fellow
R. Sovereign, 110	837	Vice Adm. Collingwood, Capt. Ross.	Defence, 74	500	Capt. G. Hope
Britannia, 100	600	Rear Admiral Lord North, Capt. B. Ballou.	Colossus, 74	500	Capt. Morris
Temeraire, 98	738	Capt. E. Harvey	Levathan, 74	500	Capt. Bontoux
Prince, 86	738	Capt. Cradock	Achilles, 74	500	Capt. R. King
Tonnant, 84	650	Capt. Tyler	Bellone, 74	500	Capt. Cooke (killed)
Bellisle, 74	680	Capt. Harcourt	Monsieur, 74	500	Capt. Manouff
Revenge, 73	308	Capt. Maitland	Orion, 71	500	Capt. Collington
Mars, 71	300	Capt. Duff (killed)	Swiftsure, 74	500	Capt. Rutherford
Neptune, 66	730	Capt. Pownall	Polyphemus, 64	500	Capt. Boscawen
Spartiate, 71	600	Capt. Sir F. Lefroy	Africa, 64	500	Capt. H. Digby
Defiance, 71	500	Capt. Durham	Agamemnon, 64	300	Capt. J. Berry
			Breaker, 80	250	Capt. Cassin
			Ajax, 64	450	1st Lieutenant
			Thunderer, 74	500	1st Lieutenant
					Total - 2,178 17,947
			Santa Trinidad, 84	1300	Taken & destroyed
			Bucentaur, F. 81	1000	Taken & destroyed
			Rays, S. 100	1000	Taken & destroyed
			Prin. d'Asteris, S. 112	1100	Escaped
			Indomptable, F. 81	800	Destroyed
			Poussins, F. 74	700	Taken & destroyed
			Achille, F. 74	700	Blown up
			Santa Anna, S. 112	1100	Taken, but got off
			Montevideo, S. 74	700	Escaped
			Hercules, F. 74	700	Escaped
			Sao Leandro, S. 64	600	Blown up
			Sao Juste, S. 74	700	Blown up
			San Sebastian, S. 74	700	Taken
			Le Swiftsure, F. 73	700	Taken, French flag
			Algeiras, F. 74	700	Taken, but got off
			Pluton, F. 74	700	Escaped
			Neptune, F. 61	600	Escaped
			Bahama, S. 74	700	Taken
			S. Neptunus, S. 74	700	Taken
			Monarca, S. 74	700	Destroyed
			S. Francisco de Asis, S. 74	700	Destroyed
			Neptuno, S. 84	800	Destroyed
			Argonauts, S. 74	700	On Shore at Cadiz
			Le Beuzwick, F. 74	700	Taken & destroyed
			L'Aigle, F. 74	700	Taken & destroyed
			Intrepide, F. 74	700	Taken and Burnt
			San Augustin, S. 74	700	Taken and Burnt
			Redoubtable, F. 74	700	Taken & destroyed
			Argonauts, S. 80	800	Taken & destroyed
			Horadable, F. 80	800	Escaped
			Mont Blanc, F. 74	700	Escaped
			Scipion, F. 74	700	Escaped
			Duguay Trouin, F. 74	700	Escaped
					Total - 3,632 35,200

Eight Admirals in the Combined Fleet—Four taken, One killed, and Three wounded.

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## Hearts of Oak

Come, cheer up, my lads, 'tis to glory we steer,  
To add something more to this wonderful year;  
To honour we call you, as freemen not slaves,  
For who are so free as the sons of the waves?

Chorus :

Heart of oak are our ships, jolly tars are our men,  
we always are ready; Steady, boys, steady!  
We'll fight and we'll conquer again and again.

We ne'er see the French but we wish them to stay,  
They always see us and they wish us away;  
If they run, why we follow, we'll drive them ashore,  
And if they won't fight, well we cannot do more.

(Chorus sung once...)

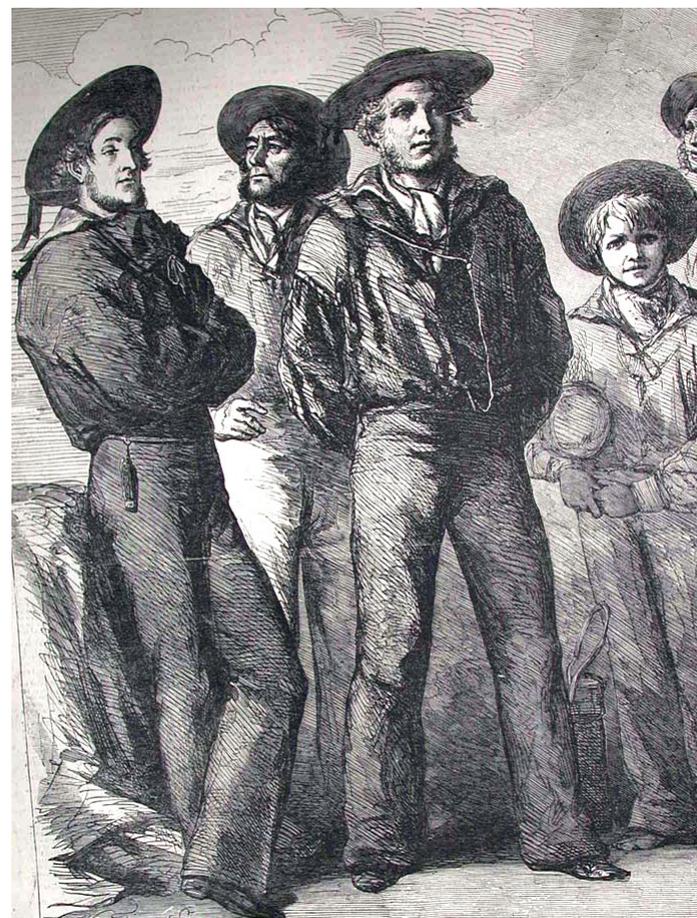
They swear they'll invade us, these terrible foes,  
They frighten our women, our children and beaus,  
But should their flat bottoms in darkness get o'er,  
Still Britons they'll find to receive them on shore.

(Chorus sung once...)

Britannia triumphant, her ships sweep the sea,  
Her standard is Justice ~ her watchword, 'be free.'  
Then cheer up, my lads, with one heart let us sing,  
Our soldiers, our sailors, our statesmen, our Queen.

(Final Chorus sung twice...)

# Sea Shanties



***Falkland Islands Museum & National Trust  
Trafalgar Dinner***

***Malvina House Hotel - 24th October 2015***

## Spanish Ladies

Farewell and adieu to you, Spanish Ladies,  
Farewell and adieu to you, ladies of Spain;  
For we've received orders for to sail for old England,  
But we hope in a short time to see you again.

Chorus:

We will rant and we'll roar like true British sailors  
We'll rant and we'll roar across the salt sea.  
Until we strike soundings in the channel of old England;  
From Ushant to Scilly is thirty five leagues.

We hove our ship to with the wind from sou'west, boys  
We hove our ship to, deep soundings to take;  
Twas forty-five fathoms, with a white sandy bottom,  
So we squared our main yard and up channel did make.

Chorus:

The first land we sighted was called the Dodman,  
Next Rame Head off Plymouth,  
off Portsmouth the Wight;  
We sailed by Beachy, by Fairlight and Dover,  
And then we bore up for the South Foreland light.

Chorus:

Then the signal was made for the grand fleet to anchor,  
And all in the Downs that night for to meet;  
Let go your shank painter, let go your cat stopper!  
Haul up your clewgarnets, let tacks and sheets fly!

Chorus:

Now let ev'ry man drink of his full bumper,  
And let ev'ry man drink of his full glass;  
We'll drink and be jolly and drown melancholy,  
And here's to the health of each true-hearted lass.

Chorus:

## Drunken Sailor

What shall we do with a drunken sailor (3x)  
Ear-eye in the morning!

Chorus:

Way hay and up she rises  
Way hay and up she rises  
Way hay and up she rises  
Ear-eye in the morning

Put him in a long-boat till he's sober (x3)  
Ear-eye in the morning!- Chorus

Keep him there and make 'im bale 'er. (x3)  
Ear-eye in the morning!- Chorus

Trice him up in a runnin' bowline. (x3)  
Ear-eye in the morning!- Chorus

Tie him to the Mainsheet when she's yard-arm under. (x3)  
Ear-eye in the morning!- Chorus

Put him in the scuppers with a hose-pipe on him. (x3)  
Ear-eye in the morning!- Chorus

Put him in the guard room till he gets sober. (x3)  
Ear-eye in the morning!