

## Desmond Hotel and Conference Center

For the past fifteen years, The Desmond has quietly built a reputation for being the premier hotel in Chester County. Independently owned and operated by a management team that includes both family members and long-term partners, The Desmond not only provides all of the amenities that travelers expect, but they are able to react quickly to special needs and requests. Attention to detail is reflected in every area of the operation. From guest rooms to restaurants, banquets and meeting facilities, The Desmond surpasses expectations and provides unmatched hospitality to all of its guests.

Featuring 194 comfortable and spacious guest rooms, including 15 suites, the king-bedded rooms have hand-crafted, four-poster canopy beds while double rooms are furnished with two queens. The décor throughout The Desmond is traditional, but the amenities are modern. Mini-bars and

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complimentary high-speed internet access are available in all rooms, with wireless access in all public areas. A complimentary Business Center is available on a 24-hour basis. The indoor swimming pool, fitness center, walking/jogging trail and a putting green are located on premises and several excellent 18-hole golf courses are nearby.

For guests and local residents, three distinctive dining rooms each offer different tastes. Fresh seafood and prime steaks are specialties in The Hunt Room. Guests may relax anytime with a cocktail, snack or comfort food in The Fox and Hounds Pub, and Maine lobster is a favorite in June, July and August, outdoors on the Sunset Grille Deck.

The beautiful Desmond Ballroom and Conservatory has been the site of countless weddings, family reunions, fundraisers, political

gatherings and awards dinners. The Desmond staff gives each event preferential treatment and guests enjoy award-winning cuisine, prepared under the direction of Executive Chef Tom Macrina CEC, CCA, AAC.

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The Desmond Conference Center is IACC-approved and features an Executive Boardroom, 16 meeting rooms (including a unique 130-seat tiered amphitheater) with a dedicated staff and up-to-date technology. Team building has become an integral part of many successful corporations and The Desmond offers golf, cooking and a variety of other innovative team-building venues for groups. After one such event, Mary Anne Severance, President of the Great Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce, says, “It was a great experience with wonderful interaction by the attendees. Everyone had a good time and got to know each other better. We are planning to make this an annual event.”

A variety of recreational activities can be found within a short distance of the hotel. The Desmond is conveniently located just a short ride from Valley Forge National Park and Brandywine Valley attractions. Historic Philadelphia is easily accessible by car or AMTRAK and world-class shopping can be found at the nearby King of Prussia Mall. Transportation can be arranged with the front desk to and from many local destinations.

In short, The Desmond lives up to its motto: “If it’s important to you, trust it to us.”

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*Pictured: General Manager Mike Chain (back row, third from right) and Desmond Staff in the Conservatory  
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