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Planning a Team Away Day in London? Try Something Different at Up the Creek

Create a team away day that feels different, with meeting space, breakout rooms, pizza, catering, team building and entertainment at Up the Creek.

A team away day should feel different from a normal day at work.

Yet too many away days involve taking everyone out of the office only to put them into another room that feels exactly like an office.

If you want people to think differently, talk more openly and actually enjoy spending the day together, the environment matters.

That is why **Up the Creek in Greenwich** can make a surprisingly effective team away day venue.

Two Rooms Create a More Dynamic Day

With two separate spaces, you are not forced to keep everybody in one room from morning until evening.

You can start together with a company presentation, divide into smaller groups for workshops or breakout sessions and bring everybody back together later.

That ability to change the format throughout the day helps keep the event moving.

Run the Serious Part of the Day Properly

An away day still needs to achieve something.

Up the Creek can provide a strong setting for presentations, planning sessions, discussions, training and workshops.

The difference is that the surroundings have more personality than a standard conference room.

Make Team Building Feel Less Forced

The words “team-building exercise” can produce mixed reactions.

The best activities are those that get people working together without making the whole experience feel artificial.

With flexible spaces, you can create workshops, group challenges, games, creative sessions or activities that suit the personality of your team.

Feed Everyone Without Breaking the Flow

On-site thick-crust pizza provides an easy way to feed the team without sending everyone off in different directions for lunch.

Where something more tailored is required, additional catering can be built around the day.

That helps keep everybody together and avoids losing momentum halfway through the programme.

Turn the Working Day into a Social Evening

This is where Up the Creek has a particular advantage.

When the workshops and presentations finish, you do not need to move everybody somewhere else to start the social part of the day.

Open the bar. Bring out the food. Add entertainment. Finish with comedy, a quiz, music or another activity.

The atmosphere can change while the group stays in the same venue.

Reward the Team as Well as Working with Them

A good away day should not simply produce another action list.

It should also give people time to connect outside their usual roles and conversations.

Finishing the day with drinks and entertainment turns the away day into something people can genuinely look forward to.

One Venue from First Coffee to Final Drink

Morning presentation. Breakout sessions. Lunch. Team activity. Afternoon workshop. Pizza. Drinks. Entertainment.

All in one venue.

That simplicity is valuable when you are organising a group and trying to keep the day running smoothly.

A Better Alternative to the Standard Conference Room

If the aim of an away day is to get people out of their normal environment, it makes sense to choose somewhere that genuinely feels different.

Up the Creek gives you professional event possibilities without making the day feel overly corporate.

Talk to us about building your next team away day around Up the Creek in Greenwich.

Discover Up the Creek

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