

# LUSSMANN'S

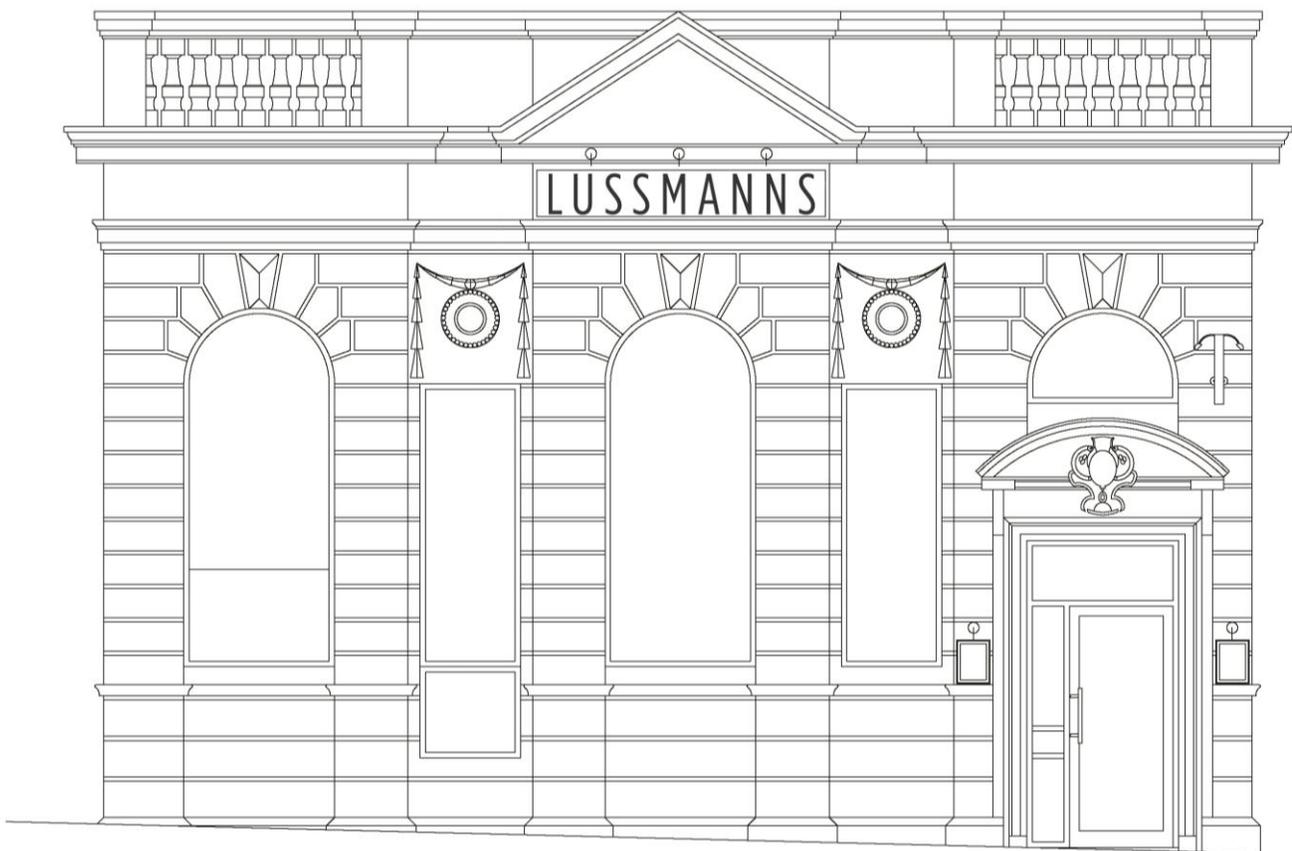
## FISH & GRILL

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## Lussmanns to open a new restaurant in Tring

*'...doing Hertfordshire proud'* ~ The Good Food Guide



Lussmanns Fish & Grill, the independent brasserie group with restaurants in Hertford, St Albans, Harpenden and Hitchin, will bring award-winning, sustainable dining to Tring in June. Managing Director, Andrei Lussmann, and his team will shortly begin transforming a centrally located venue on the High Street into the group's fifth location.

Originally built as a bank in 1922, this historic building in Tring town centre provides the perfect setting for the popular blend of 'classy but classless' sustainable dining that Lussmanns provides. A sympathetic

internal make-over of the property will create a spacious dining area with a small mezzanine floor in what was previously the main banking hall.

Andrei Lussmann (pictured below) said: *“Every Lussmanns restaurant embarks on a design journey evoking the personality and individuality of the building. As always, we will look to return this former bank, which has a strong Edwardian feel, to its original character. Atmospherically, the restaurant will follow all our premises to date by having a pastiche of many different styles with a noticeable nod towards the 1920s.*

*“An exciting element will be the redesign of the original bank manager’s office, which is reminiscent of Captain Mainwaring’s office in Dad’s Army. This beautiful room will be perfect for special occasions and private dining.”*



Andrei Lussmann (Managing Director)



‘Ethical, delicious and preach-free’ *The Independent on Sunday*



Recommended by The Good Food Guide since 2010 and described by *The Times* food critic Giles Coren as *‘everything a modern local restaurant should be’*, Lussmanns has received many prestigious awards. In 2016, the group achieved the national accolade of being voted ‘People’s Favourite’ in the Independent on Sunday / Food Made Good Awards presented by Raymond Blanc, OBE and Jamie Oliver, MBE (pictured left).

They were also runners-up for 'UK Sustainable Small Restaurant Group of the Year', a title that they held for the past two years.

Lussmanns has established a loyal local following since 2004 that is set to grow with the opening of this new venture in Tring. The restaurant is located at 21 High Street, Tring, Hertfordshire, HP23 5AR and the opening manager will be Matt Mager.

More information on the opening date, planned for June, will be available at [lussmanns.com](http://lussmanns.com), [facebook](#) and [twitter](#). Please subscribe to the mailing list via the website for progress updates.

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## **Notes**

### **About Lussmanns Fish & Grill Restaurants**

- Giles Coren, food critic for *The Times*, described Lussmanns as '*everything a modern local restaurant should be*' with an overall rating of 8/10.
- Recommended by *The Good Food Guide* since 2010.
- Voted 'People's Favourite' at the national Food Made Good Awards 2016 and described by the awards partner, the Independent on Sunday as '*Ethical, delicious and preach-free*'.
- Won UK Sustainable Small Restaurant Group of the Year at the SRA Awards 2014 & 2015.
- Founder members of the Sustainable Restaurant Association (SRA) and SRA Three Star Sustainability Champions.
- Rated as one of the UK's top restaurants by [Fish2Fork](#), the campaigning restaurant guide for people who want to eat fish – sustainably.
- For more information, including supplier details, please visit [www.lussmanns.com](http://www.lussmanns.com), join us on facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/LussmannsRestaurants> and twitter @lussmanns and @AndreiLusmann.

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