Welcome

Cloud 23 is more than just a bar. Experience the feeling of almost being able to touch the clouds as you look out at the panoramic views of Manchester’s ever changing city scape. Lose yourself in decadent luxury designed to appeal to all the senses.

Our exclusive zones are named after the Gods of Ancient Greece seated in their lofty position in the heavens. Apollo 23, God of Music, Light and the Sun. Zeus 23, King of the Gods, God of Sky symbolised by the thunderbolt. Iris 23, Greek Goddess of the Rainbow and messenger to the Gods. Eros 23, God of Love and one of the fundamental causes in the formation of the world.

With signature cocktails and the finest champagnes, cool vibes and a stylish soundtrack, Cloud 23 is a truly unforgettable destination.

Please ask any of our team to help find you that perfect drink, and if there is anything else we can do, just let us know.

Have a great time.
The Cloud 23 Collection
Cloud 23’s cocktail evolution is inspired by Manchester’s heritage, and the city’s proud tradition as a cradle of invention.

Here’s To Baby
Our champagne toast to ‘Baby’, aka the world’s first working computer. Unveiled in June 1948, the brainchild of Manchester University professors Williams and Kilburn, ‘Baby’ was recently voted one of the three greatest scientific discoveries of all time, along with DNA and genetic fingerprinting.

Ketel 1 vodka infused with vanilla shaken with Galliano and our secret blend of spiced peach and rosemary purée, topped with Champagne...........................................£13.00

Roe’s Rhubarb & Rose Triplane
In 1909, Eccles-born aircraft manufacturer A.V. Roe became the first Englishman to pilot an all-British flying machine. As with Roe’s Triplanes’ triple sets of wings, three key ingredients of rhubarb, lychee and guava propel this fruity gin swizzle to great heights.

Tanqueray gin, rose, rhubarb, lychee & guava juices served long over crushed ice.........................................................£11.00
Washday Blues
Flapping in the breeze, pegged out to dry in back yards and ginnels, freshly laundered clothes made from fabrics spun in local mills were a familiar sight to generations of Mancunians. This sunny gin breezer is guaranteed to banish the washday blues.

Tanqueray gin, honey, blue Curacao, Tio Pepe, lemon and dandelion & burdock bitters topped with soda, served with popping candy ........................................£10.50

Mr. Mercer’s Cotton Peculiar

Invented by Lancashire chemist John Mercer (1791-1866), mercerisation - treating cotton with caustic soda to give it a smooth silken sheen - is a process still used today. We trust you’ll find our cotton candy-topped ice cream smoothie equally groundbreaking.

Light Havana Club rum blended with our spiced syrup, passion fruit and ice cream, fluffed up with ginger beer..............£11.50

Gold Phantom

In 1884, when Henry Royce opened his first workshop in Hulme, did he ever dream his firm would one day produce a magnificent Rolls Royce Phantom plated in solid gold? Valued at around £5 million, it’s currently the world’s most expensive super-car. Fortunately, our golden punch is an altogether more affordable luxury.

Martell cognac shaken with Licor 43, honey, yuzu and pineapple juice .................................................................£10.50
Dalton’s Atomic Experiment
Using foam formed with nitrous oxide - a gas pivotal to physicist John Dalton’s work in the development of modern atomic theory - this noteworthy experiment’s formula combines eight key elements to harmonious effect.

Cuervo 100% blue agave tequila and Belvedere Pink Grapefruit vodka shaken with berry purée, honey and lime, topped with an apple, elderflower & Pinot Grigio foam ..................£12.00

Old Thom Henry’s Cherry Effervescent
In 1776, visionary local apothecary Thomas Henry, a pioneer of carbonated waters, speculated that bottled ‘dephlogisticated air’ (aka oxygen) would one day be ‘as fashionable as French wine at fashionable taverns’: not quite as fashionable as our delicately aerated bottled punch, however.

A cherry punch made with Goslings over-proof dark rum and Amaretto, carbonated and served over our house-made lemon and mint sorbet .........................................................£12.50

Pear Williams & Peel
Produced at Manchester’s Soho Foundry, Messrs Peel, Williams and Peel Jnr’s engine parts drove the industrial revolution in much the same way as innovations such as this sparky whisky pear Williams cocktail, garnished with lemon peel, are driving Cloud 23’s cocktail evolution.

Glenmorangie Nectar D’Or, stirred with Poire Williams, lemon sherbert, a touch of spice and whiskey-barrel aged bitters .................................................................£11.00
### Berry Black Smog

Fume-spewing chimneys shrouded Victorian Manchester in 'very black smog' as one diarist noted. In 1872, having identified what we now know as 'acid rain', local doctor Robert Angus Smith campaigned for cleaner fuels. 77 years later, Salford introduced Britain's first smoke-free zone. This vodka and dark berry cordial is enhanced with smoky malt whisky and a subtle hint of chocolate.

**Bison grass vodka stirred with blackberries, raspberries, chocolate spirit and a touch of Islay single malt Scotch....£10.50**

### The Industrialist

Instrumental in Manchester's 18th Century prosperity, Sir Richard Arkwright's vision turned artisanal watermills into mighty, power-driven factories where materials were mass-produced using machinery and semi-skilled labour. A self-made man, we fancy he'd admire this potent, spun cotton-topped old-fashioned's mix of bourbon, vermouth and our 'industrialist' mix, prepared to a secret recipe.

**A frozen mix of Bulleit bourbon, vermouth, mezcal, bitters and maple syrup, served over candy floss............£11.00**
Blue Sky Drinking
Keep a clear head with these alcohol-free ideas inspired by Cloud 23’s ever-changing external backdrop.

Salute The Sun
Long, refreshing and dry, pink grapefruit and cranberry is shaken up with honey, lime and raspberry...............£8.00

Cherry Blossom Skies
This light and fluffy cream fizz is flavoured with cherry, almond and citrus ..............................................................£8.00

Honey Moon
We’ve infused honey with floral lavender, and married it to sweet lychee and tart passion fruit for a simply perfect union.................................................................£8.75

Little Fluffy Cloud
Peach and rosemary are great friends, and we’ve introduced them to new ones: apple and lemon sherbert for this frothy little number.................................................................£8.75
Classics

Any decent cocktail bar should be able to mix up a variety of popular classics. At Cloud 23 we would like to introduce you to a new set of classics that have been overlooked, forgotten, neglected or abused. These drinks make great alternatives to the cocktails that we already know and love.

Southside Fizz

A classic variant of a Gin Fizz, this ultra-refreshing libation is seeing a bit of a revival nowadays. One to please any Mojito lover, we like our Southsides served effervescent with lots of mint and lots of ice............................................................£9.25

El Diablo

This devilish drink originating in 1940’s California is a must for any Margarita or Moscow Mule lover. A classic combo of Cuervo tradicional tequila, lime and blackcurrant liqueur we’ve given this beverage a real kick by making our own ginger beer.................................................................£9.25

Hemingway Special Daiquiri

The man himself gave his name to this Cuban corker. Dry cherry liqueur and grapefruit juice give a real edge to the holy trinity of Havana Club rum, lime and sugar found in Daiquiris............£9.25

Singapore Sling

Unfortunately the exact recipe for this classic is lost in the annals of time, but we’ve gone with our preferred recipe of this pimped-up tropical Tom Collins. Joining Tanqueray gin, lemon and soda, enter: pineapple juice, cherry liqueur, Cointreau, Benedictine and bitters with a tiny touch of grenadine. Fruitylicious! ...............£9.25
1930s Cosmopolitan

Long before Carrie Bradshaw and the girls sipped on Cosmos in that 90’s show, there existed a suspiciously similar concoction in the 1930s. This sophisticated and classy version is Tanqueray gin based, with raspberry as opposed to cranberry giving its attractive pink blush ..................................................£9.25

Knickerbocker Special

As far back as the mid 19th Century New York’s Knickerbocker Hotel produced a variety of specialities (including desserts!), and this is one of our absolute favourites. A fruity number we like to drink frappé, this could be a contender for the Mai Tai throne: Havana Club rum, raspberry, pineapple, Grand Marnier and orange slices shaken with a little lemon ......................£9.25

Old Pal

For aficionados of seriously old school cocktails like the Manhattan or the Negroni, we’d like to introduce you to your new best friend: the Old Pal. We have taken the liberty of adding a little Antiqua Formula vermouth to the typical mix of rye whisky, Campari and dry vermouth.......................£9.25
Revived Signatures
Over the years our cocktail offering has become renowned. Rather than replacing all of our previous cocktails completely, we have kept five of our most loved libations for our faithful patrons. We have however given them a bit of a reboot, adding a few tweaks and flourishes.

The Dean
A nifty little twist on the Mojito featuring Acacia honey, vanilla-infused Havana Club rum and a splash of sparkling wine, The Dean’s popularity speaks for itself ...........................................£9.75

Vertigo
We reach new heights with this fruity Tanqueray gin mix by using our homemade raspberry syrup with lychee, pomegranate and lime juices.................................................................£9.75

Alexander Park
Like a picnic in the park, we’ve updated this fantastically daring combination of Ketel 1 vodka, basil, balsamic vinegar and cranberry juice by using fresh strawberries and dipping one in cracked black pepper. A winning flavour explosion.................................................................£9.75

Ena Sparkles
We’ve given Corrie goddess Ena some extra sparkle this year as a reward for this multiple award winning champagne cocktail. Lemons, oranges, pineapple and cherry liqueur are ‘spanked’ with champagne ...............................................£12.00

Soul Man
A soulful and spicy drink, sure to appeal to Daiquiri lovers, light Havana Club rum, and our freshly prepared watermelon and chilli mixture livened up with a little lemon .........................£9.75
Champagnes

Pommery Brut NV ........................................ £12.00 Glass ... £70.00 Bottle  
Pommery Apanage Rose ............................ £13.00 Glass ... £80.00 Bottle  
Pommery 4 Seasons Wintertime .......... £14.00 Glass ... £90.00 Bottle  
Pommery 4 Seasons Springtime ........ £14.00 Glass ... £90.00 Bottle  
Pommery POP Limited C23 Edition .......... £20.00 Bottle  
Bollinger Brut NV ........................................ £90.00 Bottle  
Bollinger Rose ........................................... £100.00 Bottle  
Laurent Perrier Rose ................................ £120.00 Bottle  
Pommery Grand Cru 2004 ...................... £130.00 Bottle  
Bollinger La Grand Année ........................ £150.00 Bottle  
Perrier Jouet Belle Epoque ..................... £175.00 Bottle  
Bollinger La Grand Année Rose ............. £175.00 Bottle  
Pommery Cuvée Louise ........................... £195.00 Bottle  
Pommery Cuvée Louise Rose ................. £275.00 Bottle  
Louis Roederer Cristal ......................... £400.00 Bottle  
Armand De Brignac Ace of Spades .......... £450.00 Bottle

Magnums

Pommery brut NV ......................................... £120.00 Bottle  
Pommery Apanage Rose ............................ £150.00 Bottle  
Bollinger ................................................... £170.00 Bottle  
Bollinger La Grand Année ...................... £275.00 Bottle  
Cuvée Louise ............................................. £375.00 Bottle

Jeroboams

Pommery Brut NV ......................................... £225.00 Bottle  
Pommery Cuvée Louise ............................. £750.00 Bottle

For vintage champagnes, please ask your server for the vintage year.
A discretionary service charge of 10% will be applied for groups of 6 or more people.
Cocktails & Champagne
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