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Carnevale & Amore

February. A month where we celebrate the food and people we love. Find everything you need to make the most of the month of amore and abundance at Valentina.

Carnevale Italiano

We Italians love a party. Venice Carnevale remains one of the biggest festivals in our calendar, the city is packed with visitors for daily parades, food, drink and partying before it ends on **Martedi Grasso** (Shrove Tuesday!).

Figures in spectacular masks and costumes play out old stories and tales from our history and we celebrate abundance before lent begins.

Venice Carnevale

Saturday 27th January - Tuesday 13th February

For something more fruity, take a look at Piedmont's Carnevale d'Ivrea where revellers pelt each other with oranges. Or for something sweet from the south, the Almond Blossom festival in Agrigento, Sicily happens every February and gets us in the mood for Easter's finest Colomba.

Carnevale at home?

Eat & drink like a Venetian

What to drink? **Aperol Spritz** (or Crodino for a 0% alternative)

What to eat? Cicchetti of course! A selection of warm and cold tapas-style dishes with pasta Bigoli or Ravioli. For a true Venetian take, try frying ricotta ravioli for a savoury/sweet treat.

What to wear? Your boldest & brightest, just add paper confetti and playful masks for extra 'Teatro'!

Valentines at Valentina

Food is our love language, which is why you'll find everything you need to say <u>"ti amo"</u> in our delis, restaurants and online.

We're launching our deli-ready Spaghetti Polpette meatball recipe bundles for £19.95 (feeds up to 4 people for only £4.95 each), or flex your culinary skills with our classic Carbonara recipe - made just like our nonnas.



Weekends in our Delis

Each weekend through February, you'll find cheeses and wines to try from our 'undiscovered' collection - under the radar bottles that we think you need to know about!

Book your Valentines table with us for specials on the night and a chocolate rose on every table.

Bring the deli to your door

You can shop our extensive range from the comfort of your own home at <u>valentinadeli.co.uk</u> or order the deli to your door on **Deliveroo**. Our **catering menu** offers classic dishes and antipasti, and for the ultimate dinner party cheat - we can prepare any of our dishes in your own serveware.

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