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MONTY POPS THE QUESTION!

'It is a dream come true,' exclaimed a breathless Araminta Mouse as she left The Eatalotto Ice Cream Parlour, arm in arm with her beau, Montmorency Mouse. 'Oh, I was simply amazed when I spotted the huge sparkly diamond ring in the ice cream sundae! I thought I was going to faint!'

Araminta, wearing her trademark red polka dot top teamed with a gingham check, fashionably short skirt was answering questions at a recent Press Conference, held at a secret location in the country. The pair looked relaxed and happy and joked with the massed crowds and journalists as well as with each other. Fairy was on hand to make sure things ran smoothly. Leaving nothing to chance she had previously hand picked her favourite journalists including the intrepid Peregrine Mouse, who just happens to be Minty's brother!



Araminta, Montmorency and Fairy have been spotted out and about a lot recently - they attended the recent 'Wheeker's' Ceremony where crowds turned out in force to watch them grace the red carpet. Full coverage of that event will appear in a future issue of HELLO! PIGGY.

Fairy, herself on sparkling form, took centre stage at the Piggy Show jumper Of The Year Awards last month to collect first prize in front of an appreciative audience, including the ubiquitous Minty and Monty. A close friend commented afterwards that an attentive Monty took great care to ensure Araminta didn't miss a second of Fairy's speech by reserving expensive front row seats.





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MONTY GETS DOWN ON ONE KNEE

Choosing the romantic location of the Eatalotto Ice Cream Parlour owned by the Grassato family, Montmorency had secretly planned in advance with the maitre-d to secrete the huge Gruffs Diamond ring in Minty's ice cream sundae! But the potential for disaster was never far off. Would figure conscious Minty decline a desert? Would the subdued lighting and Monty's notoriously bad memory lead to an unexpected emergency visit to the Dentist? It looked for a moment, that Araminta hadn't spotted the ring. Fairy looks on in eager anticipation as Montmorency with a flourish produced the ring from the pudding and, down on bended knee as tradition demands, prepared to ask Araminta that all important question. 'Will you marry me?' After the briefest of breathless pauses, during which you could have heard a whisker drop, Araminta sighed, 'YES PLEASE! Shall we have coffee and mints now?'

FAIRY TAKES ADVANTAGE

While the two love mice got on with their romantic romancing, Fairy took the opportunity to help herself to a fourth helping of the scrumptious salad based ice cream sundae. Well it seemed a shame to let such good food go to waste. An aphorism that has stood Fairy in very good stead on many a culinary occasion. Fairy is well known for providing the restaurants she frequents with an ample supply of commodious Piggy Bags to ensure she has nibbles for the journey home.





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ARAMINTA SAYS YES!

When, where and how much will it all cost? These are the questions that HELLO! PIGGY readers need answering. We can reveal that HELLO! PIGGY is going to be **THE ONLY** internationally renowned super star packed magazine to be in exclusive attendance at The Wedding of Araminta and Montmorency Mouse! Advertising rates available on request. Look out for the next issue for lots of photographs and a **FULL REPORT** of what is surely going to be - **THE WEDDING** of 2010

According to the international jewellery experts DeLagers, the sparkling Gruff diamond engagement ring is worth a cool £50,000 or a Million Carrots or ever so much salad - so much salad you wouldn't believe such salad could be harvested quickly enough to ensure the first green bits weren't starting to go off before the last ones were ready. Or . . . well you get the idea - it was a really . . .

POSH RING!

'I can hardly wait to show it to Mummy,' announced Araminta. 'When my Mummy and Daddy became engaged, Daddy presented Mummy with the whopping 300 Carrot diamond ring that belonged to Great Granny Old-Mouse of Piggery Park Hall.'



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Pigidges, in London's Hayfur, was the venue chosen by Plantaganet and Primrose Big-Mouse for a recent sumptuous dinner to celebrate the engagement of their daughter Araminta to Montmorency Mouse. Fairy, accompanying Minty and Monty, was later spotted browsing among the very high class boutiques around the Knightspig Road. Fairy was thought to be looking for an outfit suitable for the forthcoming wedding. Well, there couldn't be two divas wearing white! Araminta's gown is sure to come from 'The House Of Mouse', designers to the worlds most sophisticated of Iconomice .

CELEBRATION FAMILY DINNER

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After the dinner, our top features reporter, Porky Tales, was granted a rare private interview with The Rt Hon Plantaganet Big-Mouse.

How did you react to the news of your daughter's engagement, sir?

Both my wife and I are delighted. Montmorency is a fine young mouse.

Will the happy couple take a wing of your London residence, Plantaganet House, when they are married?

Well, we will have to see about that.

How has your eldest son taken the news? He was supposed to be here this evening wasn't he?

Peregrine is away at present, trapped in the basement of our home in France. He will be extremely pleased for his sister though - I suppose!



CELEBRATION FAMILY DINNER

Prepared by the retained celebrity staff, we are delighted to bring you exclusive photos of the now legendary family dinner.

Perusing the very posh a la carte menu, Fairy assists Minty and Monty to make the choicest of selections. Plantagenet and Primrose are thrilled to see their favourite dish is back on the menu - Cheese En Trap. This scrumptious dish consists of very mature

cheddar cheese cut into intricate shapes, enveloped between 3 day old slices of posh bread and then toasted under a fiery hot grill. Served garnished with tasteful and succulent seasonal salads, such as Stuffed Cucumber, Lettuce Loaf and Plaited Grass. This is a dish certain to attract the most discerning mouse!

For afters there was a choice of the huge cheese board or the mouth-watering specially created puddings which included Pigs in Blankies, Spotted Piglet, Jam Rolly Polly Piggy, Piglime Pie and Coconut Cavy Crunch.

'It was ambrosial,' sighed Fairy, in between very large mouthful's of salad. 'It was so good. My tummy feels almost satisfied! Maybe I could just manage another portion or six of Pump-pig Pie, please.'

'Simply delish!' squeed Araminta.

'Fine and burp, sorry, dandy,' pronounced Monty.



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Celebrated Chef Mark De'Salad, along with Sous-chef Loader Von Trap, created a special Commemorative Menu for the honoured guests. We have been granted unprecedented permission to reproduce part of the actual menu, (see below right). Another HELLO! PIGGY exclusive!

As the evening drew to a close, Fairy had a quiet word with The Parents before inviting herself to make a long and witty speech. 'My Lords, Ladies, hic, Mice, Men, Montmorcency and Araminta, honoured burp, piggies. Accustomed as I am to . . . Oh, err, just a minute. Did someone say there was some of that lovely Lettuce Loaf leftover?' scuse me, I'll be back in a mo,' Fairy announced as she made her brief address to the Top Table.

She returned to finish her speech much later. Judging by her slurred words and rather florid pink ears it is rumoured she may have over indulged somewhat in the Chicory Punch department!

The evening closed with a fine rendition of 'For She's A Jolly Good Piggy', lots of very raucous cheering and much quaffing of Tomato Juice. As we got to press, a date for The Wedding has yet to be announced.

Catch up with Fairy, Minty and Monty in the NEXT celebrity packed edition of HELLO! PIGGY!





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