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IMAGINE

126 PANORAMA ROAD, SANDBANKS, POOLE, BH13 7RG







































The John Lennon connection

John Lennon's Aunt Mimi had raised him from the age of five in Liverpool. As Beatlemania peaked in the 1960s, her Liverpool home became a target for fans, prompting Lennon to seek a quieter, more private retreat for her. Sandbanks, already an exclusive and tranquil coastal area, appealed to him as the perfect spot.

Lennon bought a six-bedroom bungalow called Harbour's Edge for around £25,000 —a significant sum when the average UK house price was around £3,500. He viewed it as a gift to Mimi, who had supported him early on (even buying him his first guitar.) Mimi moved in during October 1965 and remained there for the rest of her life, enjoying the peaceful surroundings and views of Poole Harbour.

Lennon visited Mimi frequently at Sandbanks, especially in the mid-1960s, with his first wife, Cynthia, and their son, Julian. He cherished the escape from fame, reportedly calling Sandbanks “the most beautiful place I know.” After his 1968 divorce from Cynthia, he continued visiting with Yoko Ono.

Lennon stayed in regular touch with his beloved Aunt Mimi even after he moved to New York in 1971. After her passing in 1991 Yoko Ono sold Harbour's Edge and it was subsequently redeveloped into a modern home, later named Imagine.

Lennon's connection to this property rests with his personal tie to his Aunt Mimi and his choice of Sandbanks as her sanctuary, leaving a lasting mark on its cultural lore and local history.



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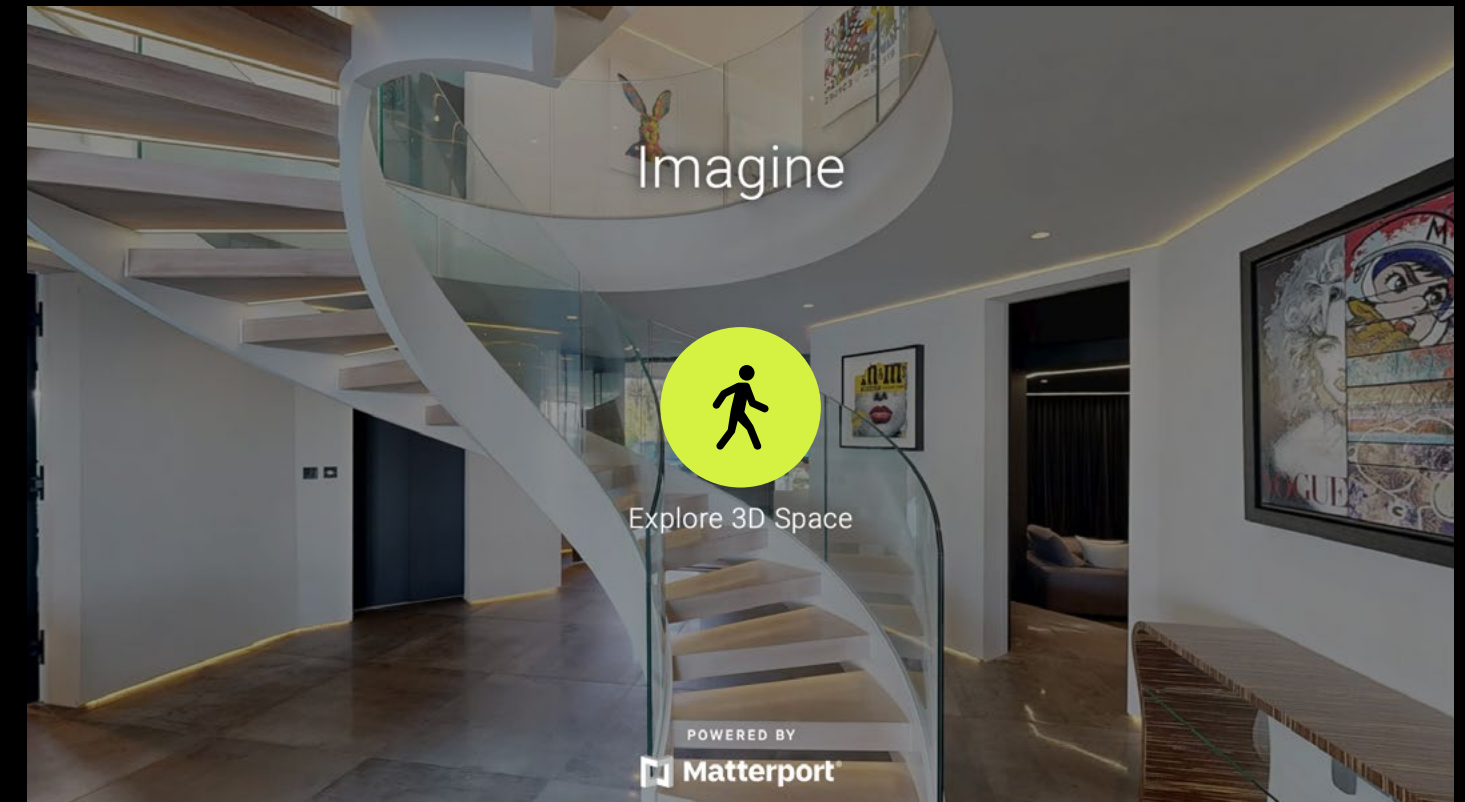
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Floorplan

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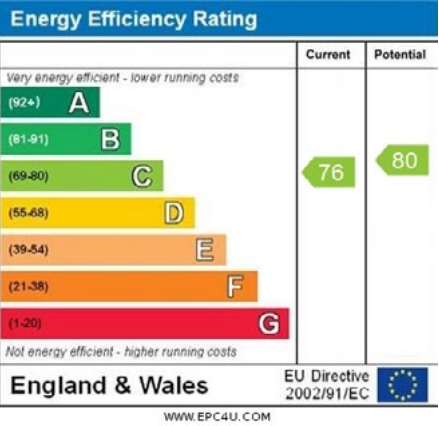
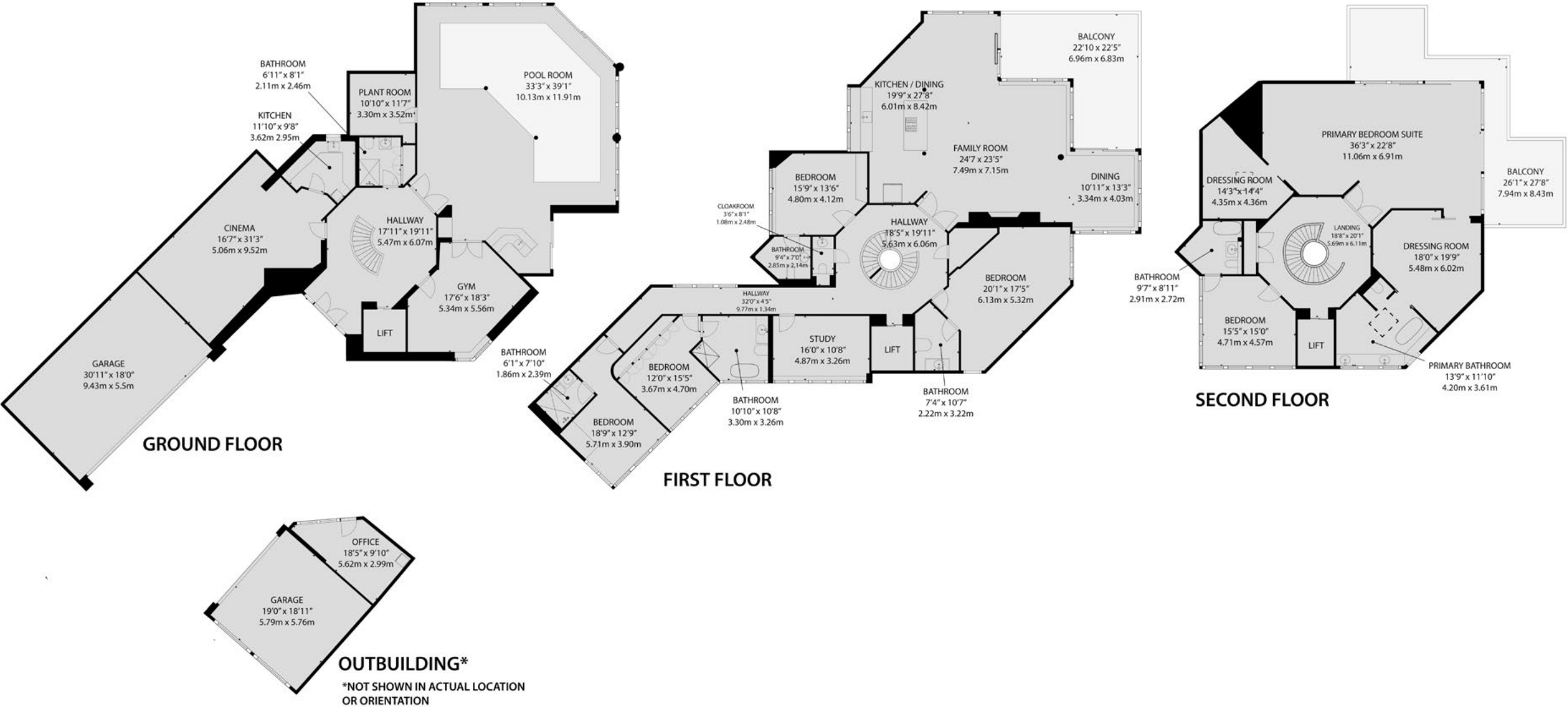
GROSS INTERNAL AREA

House:
Ground Floor: 2,845 sq. ft / 264 m²
First Floor: 3,203 sq. ft / 297 m²
Second Floor: 2,017 sq. ft / 187 m²
Total: 8,065 sq. ft / 748 m²

Garaging: 911 sq. ft / 84 m²

Overall Total: 8,976 sq. ft / 832 m²

Sizes and dimensions are approximate, actual may vary.



Summary

Imagine is an iconic home on the Sandbanks Peninsula in an area renowned as one of the most highly prized and exclusive waterside locations anywhere in the UK.

The views are simply extraordinary and perfectly framed by the many vantage points within the main dwelling. The built form extends to approximately 9,000 square feet and it includes six highly luxurious bedrooms, each with en suite facilities, open plan kitchen living and dining area, indoor swimming pool with bar area, gymnasium, sauna and private cinema. The main open plan lifestyle room features high ceilings, 180 degree views and large format sliding doors and windows with electronically controlled louvres. The fitted kitchen by Boffi is the epitome of Italian chic with a complement of appliances by Gaggaenau and a Quooker tap. The house is constructed around an octagonal core with a sinuous central staircase complete with lantern above with the added benefit of an automated passenger lift. The top floor principal bedroom suite is the height of luxury commanding the most scintillating views, his and her dressing rooms and dual balconies as well as a private sitting area. The gated grounds include a stand alone pavilion / office and facing the harbour there is a choice of areas from which to watch the world go by including sun terraces and a sunken seating area all serviced by an outdoor kitchen with fridge, sink and gas powered barbeque, not forgetting an outdoor hot and cold shower. Access to the water is one of the luxuries of living here so there is a private jetty with a lift for a Jetski or small rib. Finally, Imagine has good green credentials thanks to 13kw rooftop solar panels connected to a pair of 13.5kwh batteries located in the integral garage.

Details

Guide Price:	£12,950,000		
Tenure:	Freehold		
Lease Length:	N/A		
Maintenance:	N/A		
Ground Rent:	N/A*		
	* Ground Rents can increase over time and advice should always be sought from your solicitor before exchange of contracts.		
Stamp Duty:	Main Home	£1,467,750**	
	Additional Home	£2,115,250**	
	** based on guide price		
Local Authority:	BCP Council		
Council Tax:	Band H		
	2024/2025	£4,295.50pa***	
	*** Amount shown is for a main home, please seek advice for additional home.		
Services:	Mains gas, electricity, water and drainage		

Key features

- + Iconic house with provenance to John Lennon
- + 180 degree views
- + Spectacular design
- + Six luxurious bedrooms, six bathrooms
- + Open plan living
- + Designer kitchen by Boffi
- + ELAN hub controlling heating, lighting, cameras & automation
- + Private jetty
- + Cinema, gymnasium and sauna
- + Indoor swimming pool

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