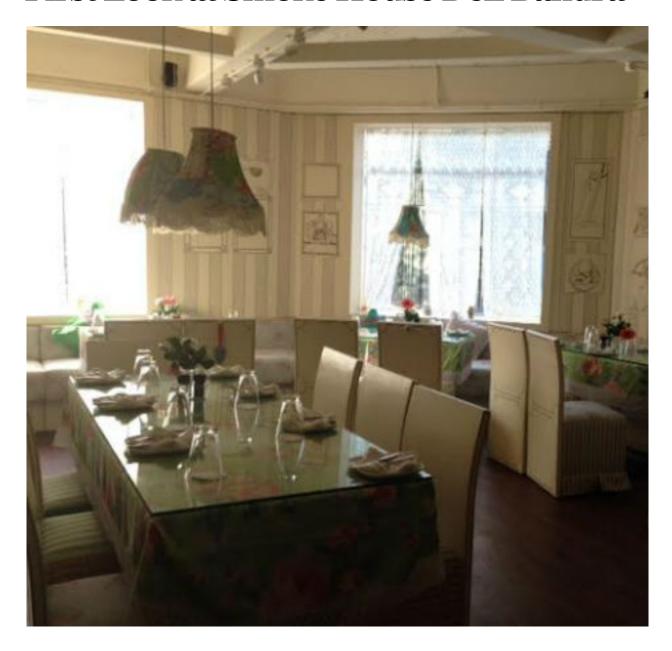
## First Look at Smoke House Deli Bandra



While the rest of us have been making merry, the industrious folk at Impresario Hospitality have been busy putting the finishing touches to their newest restaurants. Last week, the company<u>launched the city's second outpost of Smoke House Deli in Bandra Kurla Complex</u>, and today, Thursday, December 26, it will open the third outlet of the same restaurant in Bandra West, at 4pm. The latest Smoke House Deli, which has replaced the two-storeyed Yellow Tree Café as well as <u>The Bar Above Yellow Tree</u> <u>Café</u>, is possibly the best looking one so far. The decor mimics that of a

traditional Catholic home with crochet bordered floral tablecloths, tassel fringed lamp shades, and white lace curtains. As is tradition with Impresario's labour-intensive "handmade" restaurants, the walls of the all-day restaurant are strewn with hand drawings full of detailed references to its surrounding areas, their inhabitants, sceneries, and history. "We think of the Smoke House Delis as illustrated museums of whichever community we are in," says Impresario CEO Riyaaz Amlani. An aunty named Bertha, a pet cat called Fereira, a popular Konkani song, and the suburb's jazz musicians figure among the charming drawings executed by the Bandrabased The Busride studio. Highlights of the menu, which includes the chainwide offerings of soups, salads and sandwiches, are John Dory with smoked Shimla chilli; honey and orange-glazed pork chops; and smoked chicken and goat cheese tart. Smoke House Deli Bandra will also have the distinction of being the restaurant that opens the earliest in the suburb — they intend to start serving breakfast from 5am within a few weeks.

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Smoke House Deli

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