Civil Ceremonies

& Wedding Receptions

at Pavilion Gardens

elcome

...to Pavilion Gardens, Buxton

Pavilion Gardens is a wonderful Grade II listed building set in 23 acres of beautiful Victorian landscaped gardens on the banks of the River Wye, making the perfect setting for your wedding day. We are licensed to hold civil ceremonies enabling you to enjoy your whole day in one location whilst offering impressive surroundings for beautiful photographs.

A dedicated member of our management team will assist and guide you with your choice of menu, drinks, table plan and if required, act as Master of Ceremonies.

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Pavilion gardens entrance

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We offer 3 beautiful venues on site: The Don Redfern Memorial Bandstand, The Conservatory Botanical Gardens and The Octagon Hall, each offering its own distinctive style and atmosphere.

Please enquire for prices.

- A member of our team to coordinate your wedding plans throughout the preparation and to oversee the service during your day.
- The preparation of and setting up of the venue.
- Facilities for background music and music throughout your ceremony (a staff member will operate our PA system)

- Access to the 23 acres of grounds for pictures and exclusive use of the bandstand for photography.
- Reservation of our Conservatory Botanical Gardens for use in bad weather conditions
- Use of our drinks reception bar area within the Conservatory

The Don Redfern Memorial Bandstand

The bandstand is an exceptional outdoor civil ceremony space nestled in 23 acres of the Victorian landscaped public park. The river Wye flows behind the bandstand and through the park, which also boasts a variety of wildlife. The area is one of a kind in its area and offers an alfresco style service. Seating up to 65 guests or 90 standing and has its own power supply which allows music to be played throughout the ceremony.

The Octagon Hall

The concert hall, now known as the Octagon, was originally designed by architect Robert Rippon Duke and was opened in 1875. The Grade II listed building is one of the largest 8 sided buildings in Europe. The grandeur of the Octagon is difficult to appreciate until you experience it and therefore we highly recommend viewing it for yourself. Holding up to 500 guests the space could be used to host both a civil ceremony and evening reception all under one roof.

The Conservatory Botanical Gardens

The conservatory offers a beautiful backdrop of colourful exotic plants and is maintained on a regular basis by our own horticulturist. It is a truly individual location which offers a bespoke feel to your wedding. The area holds up to 35 seated guests or 90 standing. No need to hire flowers to decorate your space, the conservatory speaks for itself.



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Evening Receptions

For evening receptions the Tea Rooms can seat up to 50 guests for a formal wedding breakfast and 100 guests in the evening (after 7pm).

Also available is the magnificent Octagon Hall. This is the largest and grandest room in Pavilion Gardens.

Adjacent to the Octagon Hall is the Octagon Lounge. On a much smaller scale than the Octagon Hall, the area can be utilised Monday to Friday for wedding and evening receptions.

Your wedding coordinator will be pleased to discuss any of the above options and prices.

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Take the Train...

For a quirky twist to your wedding day our miniature train is available for hire. If you would like more information about this, including costs and timings please do not hesitate to ask your wedding coordinator.



Exclusive! Ice Cream Cart...

At Pavilion Gardens we can also provide you and your guests with exclusive access to one of our ice cream carts containing four flavours of our delicious Kelly's Ice Cream. - Please discuss details and options with your wedding coordinator.









Our head chef will work with you to create a delicious menu that reflects your tastes. Offering a variety of dining options such as canapes with your drinks reception, sharing platters for your main course, a traditional 3 course wedding breakfast or stone baked pizzas or mexican and indian inspired evening food choices offering a fully bespoke service.

Childrens under 12 are able to enjoy a half portion at half the price or alternatively child-friendly meals can be provided.

We can accommodate special dietary requirements such as vegan / vegetarian, pregnant guests and religious diet restrictions as well as medically diagnosed intolerances such as coeliac, diabetic and nut allergies. Please speak to your wedding coordinator.

Toasts & Speeches

Whether you choose champagne or sparkling wine, your toast will be accompanied by the use of our inhouse PA System, ensuring that your nearest and dearest are able to enjoy the all important speeches, bringing laughter, smiles and tears of joy for all your guests.

Drinks Reception

We offer fully customised cocktails and personalised drinks. So whether it's bubbly in the conservatory, Pimms on the bandstand or Bellini's in the Octagon, our fully stocked bar and drinks service will keep your guests' thirst at bay during your day and into the evening. If you wish for us to create a bespoke drinks package please speak to your wedding coordinator.



Photographers

Luis Calow - Luis Calow Photographer www.luiscalow.co.uk

luiscalowweddings@gmail.com 07760 306 729 Documentary wedding photographer for the wildly in love.

Sarah Pickering - SLP Photography

www.slp-photography.com info@slp-photography.com 07854 704 465 Peak District wedding photographer - offering non-traditional photography for outdoorsy couples who want epic photos but without the fuss, awkwardness and cheesy posing.

Melanie Riley - Dark Peak Photography

www.darkpeakphotography.co.uk darkpeakphotography@outlook.com 07724 406 819 Wedding Photography for those who love the outdoors.

Stationery

Printexpress Design Print & Copy Centre

www.printexpressonline.co.uk sales@printexpressonline.co.uk 01298 72009 We offer a full range of bespoke wedding and civil partnership stationery from save the date and invitation cards to signs, table plans and thank you cards

Celebrant

Andrea Felix - Your Celebrant

www.yourcelebrant.org andrea@yourcelebrant.org 07950 091 371 Your Story, Your Day, Your way. Traditional or quirky, let your ceremony reflect you and your relationship. Let's get creative, and make a day to remember.

Cakes

Charly O'Brien - The Cloud Cakery

www.cloudcakery.co.uk info@thecloudcakery.co.uk 07939 662 780 Family-run business, creating the lightest and fluffiest cakes, bespoke to you!

Florist

Alexa Mather - The Spa Town Florist www.flowers-buxton.co.uk

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As a florist, I am a true romantic and love nothing more than working with brides and their partners in the lead up to their wedding. I am passionate about working with you and your ideas to make your wedding day as special and unique as you are.

Faye Parker - The Allotment Bride Florist

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Inspired by nature The Allotment Bride Florist creates floral designs for weddings and other events. Whether it's simple elegance or show-stopping installations our work is creative, personal and our attention to detail is second to none.

Venue Styling

Stefanie Corkin - Spa Town Balloons

www.spatownballoons.com stef@spatownballoons.com 07891 636 162 Specialising in Balloons, Organic balloon Arches and personalised balloons to make any indoor / outdoor venue look amazing. For all your ballooning needs.

Kayleigh Doyle - Tying Knots Venue Dressing

www.tyingknotsvenuedressing.co.uk Tyingknots@hotmail.com 07875 972 420 We specialise in all aspects of venue dressing. We cater for weddings, engagements, birthdays, anniversaries and more. Packages to suit all budgets. Appointments available at our shop in Buxton Derbyshire.

Bridal Hair

Jennifer Birkett - Hair HQ www.hairhq.info h.a.i.r.hq@outlook.com 07715 830 398 Hair HQ offers luxury bridal hair services, covering the whole of the UK and Destination weddings.

Terms and Conditions

To book your civil wedding service

Once a date has been agreed with ourselves we can provisionally hold this date until you have formally confirmed and booked the date with the superintendent registrar (01629 535075) or with a celebrant (Your Celebrant 07950 091 371 - see further details under Local Suppliers).

Provisional Booking of the Pavilion Gardens

Once you have decided upon the room and have set the date you can make a provisional booking, without obligation, which will be held for 14 days.

Your provisional booking at the Pavilion Gardens will be confirmed with us by paying a non refundable deposit of £250.00.

Smoking Policy:

It is illegal to smoke anywhere within the Pavilion Gardens building.

Table Decorations:

Any table decorations or favours need to be provided by the wedding party. Please do not hesitate to drop off any items the day before or the morning of your wedding day and we will ensure they are displayed on your tables. Pavilion Gardens will provide table numbers and silver table number stands, if required. However, you will be responsible for your table / seating plan.

Accounts:

The final balance must be settled 2 weeks prior to the function date. Any costs incurred after this date will need to be paid within 24 hours, unless agreement is made with a senior member of staff.

Cancellation Policy:

Cancellation charges will be made in the event of a function being cancelled. The amount charged is dependent upon the notice of cancellation. 6 months notice - no charge, deposit retained

3 months notice - 50% of account charged 1 month or less - full amount will be charged

Laundry, Crockery & Glasses:

We offer white linen clothes for all tables free of charge along with glasses, cutlery and crockery. We also provide thick ply paper napkins. Should you require linen napkins there will be a charge of £1.00 per napkin. Please speak to your wedding coordinator.

We will require final numbers and table plans 10 days before your wedding day. Our managers are available at every stage of your wedding to assist you with any questions you may have.

Prices:

Please note that prices are current at the time of going to print.

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