

Private Dining 2025

The Italian Garden at Hever Castle

Hever Castle has entertained guests for over 700 years with the most famous being King Henry VIII, Sir Winston Churchill and Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. The beautiful gardens at Hever Castle were laid out between 1904 and 1908 by Joseph Cheal and Son, turning marshland into the spectacular gardens you see today. We invite you to entertain your guests and enjoy the spectacular backdrop that the Loggia and the Italian Garden provides.

Availability and Timings:

The Guthrie Pavilion: All year-round excluding school, public or bank holidays.

Dinner from 7.00pm

Departure at midnight

The Loggia (this is an outside space): April – September Drinks reception from 6.30pm

Features Include:

Exclusive use of the areas booked
Spectacular views over the 38-acre lake
Trevi-inspired fountain
Dedicated Event Manager and staff to oversee the running of the event
Secure gated entrance with ample free parking and complimentary signage

Capacities:

The Guthrie Pavilion Seated on round tables: 180 maximum Standing Reception: 220 maximum

The Loggia Standing Reception: 250 maximum

Fireworks:

It is possible to include fireworks at your event within the Italian Garden venue.

Fireworks must be fired over the lake and your guests can enjoy the views from the lower terrace of the Loggia. (Please note the latest firing time is 10:00pm and MUST be booked through Firebird Events)

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Venue Hire

Please note a minimum of 80 adults is required for an Italian Garden event

The Loggia and The Guthrie Pavilion

April – October: £4,750

November – March: £3,200

Includes use of the Loggia for a drink's reception and the Guthrie Pavilion for a seated meal.

The Guthrie Pavilion only
April – October: £4,000
November – March: £2,500
Includes use of the Guthrie Pavilion for a seated meal.

The Loggia only

April – October: £3,750 Includes use of the Loggia for a drinks and canapé reception.

Accommodation

Subject to availability, there are 9 beautifully appointed bedrooms located in the Anne Boleyn Wing. If bedrooms are required as part of your event, all 9 must be booked.

Bedrooms are individually priced and can be paid for on the main event account, or by guests.

Check in: 3pm Check out: 10.30am

Please refer to the B&B tariff for prices.

Catering

Three course menus from £78 per person

Additional Extras

Alternative menus and additional courses available upon request
Upgrade wines and Champagnes
Hever Castle menus: £5.00