



Winter Weddings

AT THE WALLED GARDEN

The Walled Garden at Cowdray is a historic and charming setting for weddings and celebrations. Surrounded by beautiful, private gardens and set against the stunning backdrop of Cowdray Ruins and Lawns polo pitches in the West Sussex Countryside, The Walled Garden is an ideal wedding venue to start your married journey.

The Events team at Cowdray, alongside our in-house caterers, The Yellow Kitchen, are here to bring your wedding dreams to life in this unique and wonderful setting. With the glorious gardens and two reception rooms inside this Grade II listed building, we can guarantee that you and your guests will have the most magical day, making memories to last a lifetime.



THE DRESSING ROOM

Located upstairs looking out over the garden, the dressing room is available to you from 8.30am on your wedding morning. With stunning natural light and plenty of space, it is the ideal place to prepare for your special day.



THE COURTYARD ROOM

The Courtyard Room is a favourite amongst couples for both ceremonies and dancing. With its stunning exposed brick walls, the space feels bright and airy for daytime ceremonies, transforming into the perfect dancefloor for your evening reception, providing ample space for live music and the opportunity to dance the night away.

THE CASTLE ROOM

The Castle Room, named after its stunning views over Cowdray Ruins, is a truly charming and characterful setting for your wedding breakfast. We can accommodate up to 100 guests on round tables, but the room also lends itself a more intimate occasion too.





THE GARDEN

With low sun and often crisp refreshing days, The Walled Garden is magical in Winter. Why not cosy up and enjoy a warming hot chocolate or mulled wine beside the fire pit. Anyone for s'mores?



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YOUR PACKAGE

Sunday to Thursday £10,500	Friday £10,650	Saturday £11,500
Additional Day Guest £102pp	Additional Evening Guest £10pp	Child £25pp

- Package prices allow for up to 70 people during the day, with up to 30 additional evening guests

- The Winter Package is bookable on all available dates between October 2023 and March 2024, excluding 22nd December 2023 – 1st January 2024

- All prices include VAT

- Additional guests may be added to your package; taking total numbers to a maximum of 100 during the day and 130 for the evening reception

Your package includes:

- Exclusive use of The Walled Garden from 8.30am – midnight

- A Cowdray Event Co-ordinator to support you in the lead up, and on the day itself

Your package includes:

CATERING

- Full event catering from The Yellow Kitchen
- Canapés
- A 3 course set menu
- White linen tablecloths and napkins
- Contemporary crockery and cutlery
- Drinks handling (no corkage) until the end of your wedding breakfast
- Tea and coffee station after your wedding breakfast
- Experienced and friendly waiting staff

SET UP

- Up to 10 round tables
- Up to 100 chiavari chairs
- Ceremony table, cake table and gift table
- Cake stand and knife
- A sound system (with microphone) for your ceremony or wedding breakfast
- 2 Easels
- A Fire pit
- Uplighters at Cowdray Ruins
- WiFi throughout the venue
- A 75 inch TV screen for any presentations or slideshows

THE
YELLOW KITCHEN
AT COWDRAY

The Yellow Kitchen is Cowdray's in-house catering team. We aim to serve the best local and Estate-sourced produce, where possible, making the most of what Cowdray has to offer.

MENU

Please select four canapés

CANAPÉS

- Crispy lamb breast & tartar sauce
- Sesame crusted seared tuna with smoked chili mayo
- Grilled Vegetable Skewer (Ve/GF)
- Mushroom Arancini (V)
- Whipped goats cheese crostini with black garlic mayo (V)
- Smoked Mackerel & horseradish pate blinis
- Smoked salmon, lemon cream cheese tartlet
- Tandoori Chicken Skewer

MENU

Please select one item for each course along with a vegetarian alternative.

STARTERS

- Home cured gravdax, honey & mustard dressing, rye bread croute & watercress
- Chicken liver parfait, red onion marmalade & toasted brioche
- Wild mushroom & black truffle risotto (V)
- Roasted heritage tomato & harissa tart with balsamic glaze & micro herb salad (V)

MAINS

- Stuffed turkey ballotine, pigs in blankets, roast potatoes, honey roast parsnips & greens
- Braised beef feather blade, horseradish dumpling, seasonal greens & Cowdray ale
- Roasted salmon, crushed new potatoes with wilted baby spinach & gremolata (GF)
- Spiced pearl barley & pepper stuffed aubergine, with vegan goats' cheese & tomato fondue (GF/Ve)

DESSERTS

- Traditional Tiramisu
- Ginger Spiced treacle tart and ice cream
- Lemon tart with crème fraiche
- Seasonal crumble with crème anglaise

DESSERTS

Evening food can be added to your package at £10 per person, or you may swap your dessert for evening food

- Bacon Baps
- Sausage Baps
- Cowdray Beef Burger
- Halloumi & chilli jam burger

CATERING

Optional extras

DAYTIME DRINKS OPTIONS

DAYTIME DRINKS HANDLING

You are welcome to provide your own drinks and The Yellow Kitchen team will provide all glassware, garnish, ice, and serve your drinks up until the end of your Wedding Breakfast at no additional cost.

DAYTIME DRINKS PACKAGE

(£30 per person)

DRINKS RECEPTION

Half a bottle of prosecco or sparkling elderflower

WEDDING BREAKFAST

Half a bottle of house wine (red or white)

TOAST

1 glass of Prosecco

EVENING BAR OPTIONS

PAID BAR

The Yellow Kitchen will supply all alcohol, mixers/soft drinks and run a bar for you. This includes all the glassware, ice, garnish, the bar itself and the staff to run it. Guests pay for their drinks. This is a card only bar.

EVENING DRINKS HANDLING

(£250 supplement)

Should you prefer, you are welcome to supply all drinks for your evening bar. The Yellow Kitchen will take care of all glassware, ice, garnish and service, and there will be no charge to your guests on the night.

CHILD MEALS

Child meals are available for children between the ages of 2 and 11 at a cost of £25 per child.

SUPPLIER MEALS

Hot meals can be provided for your suppliers on request at a cost of £15 per person.

DIETARIES

All dietary requirements will be catered for, provided they are requested no later than 4 weeks prior to your wedding.



A SAMPLE TIMELINE

8.30AM – THE DRESSING ROOM OPENS

1.00PM – GUEST ARRIVAL

2.00PM – CEREMONY

2.30PM – DRINKS AND CANAPÉS

4.00PM – WEDDING BREAKFAST

6.00PM – SPEECHES

6.30PM – CAKE CUTTING

7.00PM – FIRST DANCE

11.25PM – FINAL SONG

11.30PM – BAR CLOSES

12.00AM – CARRIAGES

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