

Summer Lodge

COUNTRY HOUSE HOTEL, RESTAURANT AND SPA

SUGGESTED ITINERARY

EVERSHOT WEDDING

- 10am** Enjoy Champagne at the Spa whilst having your make up done
- 12 midday** Your ceremony commences in The Drawing Room
- 12.30pm** Drinks and canapés on the terrace, with photographs in the gardens
- 1.30pm** Sit down to your wedding breakfast in the restaurant
- 4pm** Cutting of the cake
- 5pm** Leave Summer Lodge and walk down to Acorn Inn (70 yards away) for arrival drinks. You may wish to use the beer garden for traditional fete games & activities
- 6pm** Your evening guests arrive
- 7pm** Music starts and Hog Roast is served

EXCLUSIVE USE WEDDING

- 12 midday** Enjoy Champagne at the Spa whilst having your make up done
- 2pm** Your ceremony commences in the pergola outside
- 2.30pm** Drinks and canapés on the terrace or in the gardens, with photographs in the gardens
- 3pm** Sit down to your wedding breakfast in the restaurant or marquee
- 7pm** Your evening guests arrive and entertainment begins
- 7.15pm** Your first dance
- 7.45pm** Cutting of the cake
- 8pm** Evening canapés or buffet served
- 9pm** Wow your guests with a light display (silent fireworks).
Dance the night away!
- Midnight** Carriages

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WEDDING TESTIMONIALS

Thank you, you looked after us wonderfully on our wedding day. We have some lovely memories that will always make us smile, and we look forward to making many more at Summer Lodge.

Rebekah & Neil

Having been guests at Summer Lodge for the last four years and always being made to feel special, it was the only place for us to get married. The staff could not have been more attentive. The food was cooked to perfection, and the wine complemented the food and showed a total understanding of our palate. Every attention to detail was taken care of and our guests commented on what a special place Summer Lodge is.

Louisa & Jacqui

The Dorchester Room was perfect for our intimate wedding, it was decorated so elegantly with lots of candles and orchids. The staff at Summer Lodge are so accommodating and so polite, you really do feel like royalty here. Nothing was too much trouble - big thanks to everyone at Summer Lodge for making our day so special!

Abi and James

The property and grounds are absolutely beautiful - the perfect location for holding a quintessential English wedding. There are countless special touches that distinguish Summer Lodge from other wedding venues, and if you're looking for an intimate, understated yet luxury wedding venue, this is certainly the place for you.

M Merville

We had an absolutely amazing tailormade wedding at Summer Lodge. From the first meeting with the events manager and chef who took into account all our wants, needs and expectations, to the end of our wedding day, nothing was too much trouble. We were looked after happily and professionally to make us feel entirely comfortable and pampered throughout. What a wonderful day and a superb wedding dinner.

Michael & Heather

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SAMPLE MENUS

Canapés

Wild Mushroom Veloute

*Cured and Scorched Cornish Mackerel
Pickled Vegetables, Parsley Pesto and Virgin Olive Oil*

*Pot Roasted Corn Fed Chicken Breast
Winter Truffle Butter, Creamed Leeks and Chicken Emulsion*

'Turkish Delight'

*Caramelised Apple Terrine
Green Apple Sorbet, Puff Pastry, Compressed Apple*

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Canapés

Lobster Bisque

*Cured Sea Trout Tartar
Pickled Cucumber, Wasabi and Confit Lemon*

*Roast Loin and Slow Cooked Breast of Dorset Lamb
Ratatouille, Fondant Potato and Port Jus*

*Vanilla Pannacotta
Orange and Campari Sorbet*

*Coconut 'Cannelloni'
Lemongrass Curd, Yuzu and Sake Sorbet*

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Canapés

*Lyme Bay Scallop Ceviche
Avocado Puree and Caviar*

*Roast Breast and Confit Leg of Quail
'Puy' Lentils, Celeriac and Red Wine Jus*

Steamed Local Brill with Creamed Leeks, Green Asparagus and Truffle

Champagne Granite

*Roast Exmoor Venison Loin
Lightly Smoked Potato Puree, Baby Onions, Wild Mushrooms and Pistachios*

'Rhubarb and Custard'

*Valrhona Dulcey Crèmeux
Manjari Sorbet, Nibbed Cocoa Tuile and White Chocolate 'Aero'*

*Menu items are subject to change with seasonality,
market availability and without notice.*

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WEDDINGS AT SUMMER LODGE

FROM 2 - 70 PEOPLE

ROOM	NUMBER OF GUESTS (seated)	NUMBER OF GUESTS (standing)	COST (if not exclusive use)
DRAWING ROOM	40	70	£750
DORCHESTER SUITE	22 <i>including registrar</i>	30	£750
CONSERVATORY	20	30	£750
PERGOLA WEDDING (<i>weather dependant</i>)	70	200	£1,000 (includes chair hire)
CHURCH	170	n/a	n/a

Please liaise with the registrar or church directly to make arrangements for your ceremony.

WEDDING BREAKFAST

NAME OF ROOM	NUMBER OF GUESTS (seated)
DRAWING ROOM	12
RESTAURANT	76
AREAS WITHIN RESTAURANT	
CONSERVATORY	20
LOWER LEVEL	28
UPPER LEVEL	22

EVERSHOT PACKAGE

Ceremony (either at church or at Summer Lodge) - **prices above**

Drinks and canapés on the terrace (or Drawing Room) - **from £15 per person**

Three-course lunch in the Restaurant/Conservatory for up to 76 people - **from £40 per person** (excluding drinks)

Vacate Summer Lodge by 5pm and move to the Acorn Inn for exclusive use - **from £1200 per night** for all 10 rooms and a minimum spend on food of £1500

Arrival drinks, buffet or BBQ **from £21 per person**, with music and dancing

Our Summer Lodge florist is also available to create beautiful wedding bouquets and displays

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EXCLUSIVE USE

NO MARQUEE

Includes:

- 24 bedrooms (19 rooms and 5 suites)
- Complimentary accommodation for the bride and groom in the Ivy or Master Suite

SEASON	PRICE PER NIGHT <i>(weekends minimum two-night stay in high season)</i>
LOW	£7,500
MID	£9,400
HIGH	11,000

WITH MARQUEE

Includes:

- Three nights' exclusive use of the hotel (excluding the spa)
- 24 rooms – room and breakfast only
- Licensed ceremony room hire for up to 70 guests
- Outside ceremony in Pergola
- Marquee on front lawn to include tables, chairs, lining, lighting, flooring and toilets (there are many optional extras, from a transparent marquee ceiling to a themed bar)

These prices do not include any food or drinks except breakfast. The catering must be provided by Summer Lodge.

NUMBER OF GUESTS	VENUE HIRE FOR 3 NIGHTS
Up to 100	£40,000
Up to 200	£45,000

We apply a 12.5% discretionary service charge to food and drinks.