

Wedding Receptions at High Lodge

High Lodge prides itself in offering a unique venue on the Suffolk Coast for your reception which gives exclusive use to you and your guests at exceptional value and at a very high standard.

The principle aim of our caring and professional team is to ensure that you and your guests are able to simply relax and enjoy your special day secure in the knowledge that every detail of the celebration will have been taken care of exactly as planned.

The Champion Suite

The Champion Suite is the main reception room, being a non-smoking self-contained facility with rest rooms, bar lounge and garden area. We offer a cosy setting for the smaller party as well as seating for up to 200 guests. For your evening reception we can accommodate 300+ guests.

The garden area offers plenty of seating exclusively for you and your guests to sit and relax whilst admiring the views across the golf course.

Ceremony Information

High Lodge is now licensed for civil weddings, so you can choose to have the ceremony, breakfast and reception all under one roof.

We offer the Champion Suite for your civil ceremony, the hire of the Room is £350.00 for a Civil Ceremony, Commitment Ceremony or Renewal of Vows, this price includes the set up and quick turn around for the Reception.

We advise that you check with the Superintendent Registrar for the district, that they are available for the date you require. They will then advise you on everything that you need to do from then on.

Payment for the Registrar must be made direct to them and the room hire fee is made payable to us, High Lodge. Provisional bookings can be held for 14 days and we recommend that it is not confirmed until you have booked the registrar



Wedding Reception Costs

Wedding Packages:

Silver Package:

Room Hire.

Arrival Drink of Pimms and Lemonade or Bucks Fizz or a White Wine Spritzer.

2 Course Meal of Mains and Dessert,
Toast Drink of Sparkling Wine

This Package costs £48.00 per head and there must be a minimum of 60 people. Numbers above 60 will reduce the price per head

Gold Package:

Room Hire.

Arrival Drink of any choice from the Silver Package plus a choice of Sparkling Wine.

Table Bread,
3 Course Meal including Starters, Mains, Dessert and Coffee.

Table Wine, 2 bottles per table.
Toast of Sparkling Wine

This Package costs £51.00 per head and there must be a minimum of 60 people. Numbers above 60 will reduce the price per head

Platinum Package:

Room Hire

Arrival Drink of any choice from the Gold and Silver Package plus a choice of Sparkling Rose or Champagne.

Arrival Canapés.

Table Bread,

3 Course Meal including, Starters, Mains, Dessert and Coffee,
Table Wine, 2 bottles per table.

Champagne for Toast Drink.

This Package costs £60.00 per head and there must be a minimum of 80 people. Numbers above 80 will reduce the price per head.

All prices are inclusive of VAT at the current rate.

10% reduction on our package price when we host your wedding on a weekday.
(This excludes bank holiday Mondays and Fridays)

All the packages include the following:

- * Exclusive use of the Champion Suite for you and your guests until 12midnight
- * A Personal Wedding Planner and Planner Pack
- * Table Plan and set up of the suite
- * Bar till 12midnight – Last orders at 11.40pm
- * Stage and electric use for chosen band or disco
- * White Linen Table Cloths
- * White Linen Napkins (paper napkins available at extra cost)
- * All Staff
- * Room set up and Clear down.
- * Background Music if required
- * Complimentary use of Cake Base and Knife
- * Photographic opportunities
- * Extensive choice of menus
- * Ample Parking

*** PRICES ARE FOR 2010 BOOKINGS ONLY, 2011 BOOKINGS MAY INCUR AN INCREASE OF 5%**

The Wedding Breakfast

Traditionally the Wedding Breakfast is the first meal after you are married. If any guests have particular dietary requirements these will be catered for. Aside from dietary requirements all of your guests must either have the same dish selected by the bride and groom or choices must be pre-selected in advance for a menu agreed with your wedding planner.

Final numbers and menu choices must be forwarded to us four weeks prior to your wedding date along with any special dietary requirements.



Catering Requirements

High Lodge offers a high standard of home prepared foods to accommodate both your wedding breakfast and evening reception and for that reason alone we do not accept outside caterers. An extensive choice of menus and flexible drink arrangements are available to suit your requirements.

Children

Children under 5 years old are free of charge, for children less than 12 years of age we offer 20% discount off the price of the menu selected. (Other children's options available please ask your wedding planner for details)

Accommodation

Luxury lodges are available on site offering accommodation for up to 32 people with prices based on a minimum three night stay, advanced booking is highly advised. Other local accommodation is available through your personal planner.

Bar Extension

Should you wish we are happy to extend the bar time to finish the reception no later than 1.00am (last orders 12.40am) with an extra charge of **£250.00**.

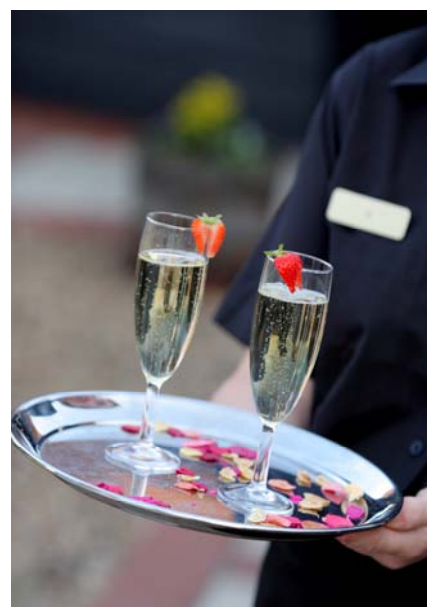
Wedding Drinks

The Champion Suite bar is open on your arrival with an extensive range of drinks available. Champagne is sold by the bottle and wine by the bottle or glass. High Lodge is happy to quote for any other wines that we do not stock that you may have as a favourite, allowing you to choose wine to suit your palate.

Personal Planner

Whether your wedding is in Summer or Winter, big or small, traditional or not. When you book your wedding celebration at High Lodge the wedding planner makes sure that your wedding is a dream come true by making everything unique and personal to you.

The Wedding Planner can spend time with you to build your own Wedding Package, you can also sit with the Chef to discuss ideas for a great menu, to make your wedding truly unique.



We can also help you with contact details for photographers, balloonists, discos and bands that we recommend. Many of which we use ourselves for functions through out the year.

Further Information & Booking Your Reception

A visit to our venue is highly recommended to enable you to appreciate the complete package that we are able to offer.

If you would like to make a provisional booking we are able to hold a possible date for a maximum of 14 days, after which a non-refundable deposit of £500.00 is required to hold the date.

Please take the time to visit our new website www.highlodge-weddings.co.uk which will offer a feel to the type of venue we are as well as provide further information for you to consider.

Enclosed are further prices on the menu options with costs per head which is additional to the room hire fee. If you prefer, our Wedding Planners are happy to discuss any alternative requirements that you may like to have for your day or even tailor a package to suit your own requirements.

Optional Extras:

Canapés

Canapés are tiny mouthfuls of food designed to stimulate the appetite and are available in a variety of savoury or sweet. If you have decided on a 2 course meal or would like to add that special touch then why not give your guests a selection of canapés on arrival either as an extra or instead of a starter. Please ask the Wedding Planner for menus and prices.

Table Bread

This will be on the table for when guests sit down, this will give them something to nibble when they are waiting for their meal to be served. Prices start from £10.00 per table.

Intermediate Course

This can be a sorbet, fish or soup course, prices will vary according to what you require. We can only offer an intermediate course if you are already having a 3 course Wedding Breakfast.

Cheese Course

This is served after the dessert and can be served in a number of ways. Prices vary according to the cheese you choose and how it is served.

Strawberries and Cream with the Wedding Cake

You can serve your guests your wedding cake as part of the meal, we can dress it with Strawberries and cream or any way you chose for a small charge of £2.50 upwards.



Evening Reception:

There are many different ways you can feed your evening guests, you can start with a traditional buffet which can be made to your specific needs and ideas, we start with a basic package and it can be added to or changed accordingly to suit your tastes. See the Wedding planner for ideas and prices.

If you want something a little different:

Cheese Board with breads, crackers, chutneys, celery and grapes from £8.50 per head.

Ploughman's with Cheese, sliced meats, pickles and salads from £9.50 per head

Hog Roast with Pork, Rolls, Apple Sauce and Stuffing from £10.00 per head

Bacon Rolls with sauces from £4.50 per head