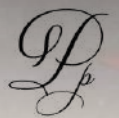




The
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Weddings



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Congratulations!

This is such an exciting time for you both as you start to plan your special day, and we are delighted that you are considering The Garden Bar for your reception venue. Our charming pub and beautiful garden is the perfect place to celebrate saying “I do” with all of your favourite people. Enjoy delicious food and drink, bask in the summer sun, take photos to last a lifetime and dance the night away.

From your initial enquiry to the final song, we’re here to guide you through the planning process and ensure a smooth-running day so you can relax and soak up every single moment together.

We look forward to helping you create a wedding celebration that is full of love, laughter and lasting memories.

The Garden Bar Team

The Venue

Walk through the private entrance into the large bar area to grab a refreshing drink in a light and airy space with elegant parquet floors, cosy corners and ambient lighting.

Head down into the spacious south-facing garden with decked terrace, barbecue pit, heated booths, patio and bench seating with neutral parasols. Enjoy the sunshine with your guests while our chef's fire up the grill, and when the sun sets - head inside to dance the night away!

The Garden Bar is the perfect option for couples looking for a less formal day in a beautiful and relaxed setting that can be decorated to match your style.

Venue Capacity

Up to 150 guests

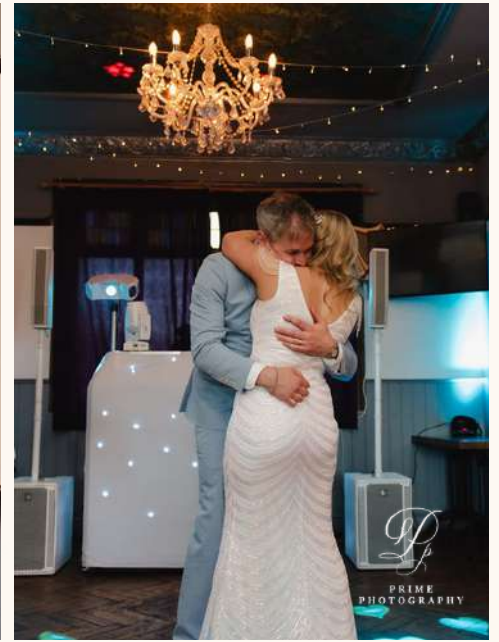
The Bar

Up to 60 guests seated in total, or up to 30 guests seated with a dance floor

The Garden

Up to 150 guests seated. Terrace seating for 50 guests. Booth seating for 40 guests. U-shape table (pictured below) for up to 70 guests





The Cost

There are no venue hire fees, as we operate on a minimum spend basis. All pre-ordered food and drink, as well as your guests bar spend on the day will all count towards your minimum spend requirement.

Weekdays carry a lower minimum spend, so if you are open to the idea of a weekday wedding, be sure to let us know and we can send you a quote for both options to see what works best for you.

- A security deposit is required to confirm your booking, which will be returned to you within 2 weeks after your special day, as long as the minimum spend has been reached and no damages have occurred.
- Six months prior to the event, a payment to cover 50% of the minimum spend will be required.
- One month before the event you will need to finalise and pay for your final order of food and drinks (for instance a food package and welcome drinks). The 50% payment previously made will be put towards the food and drink cost.

A late license is available on Fridays & Saturdays until 01.30 upon request, which will add £500 to the minimum spend requirement.

Any additional services such as venue co-ordination, cake cutting, PA hire for speeches & any external suppliers booked, do not count towards the minimum spend.

2027/2028

May-September
Hire 11:00-00:30

**From £2,500
- £8,000**

Minimum spend
requirement



CHARLOTTE

Events Manager & Venue Co-ordinator

“We’ve just had our wedding reception at the Garden Bar and couldn’t have had a better experience from start to finish!!

Charlotte is the best events manager, very attentive and made sure every detail was perfect and just the way we wanted it. She’s also the sweetest person and has become a friend to us. The food was incredible, the staff amazing and just overall such a blast. We couldn’t recommend them enough for an event, or just the atmosphere if you want a cute pub”

Bruna & Evie - 2025

“The Garden Bar was fantastic and just the right venue for the wedding reception of my partner and myself. We spoke with both

Annamari and Charlotte, but predominately Charlotte, who was incredible from start to finish. She really did go above and beyond. The food was also brilliant which all guests complimented highly.”

Samantha & Aaron - 2025

Venue Co-ordinator

Charlotte joined us in early 2025 and is a fantastic asset to The Garden Bar family. By the end of 2026 she will have completed 70 weddings, helping to guide couples through the planning process and co-ordinating the day to ensure you don’t have to worry about a thing from the second you arrive.

Planning Stage

- In-house meetings, meeting calls and emails to help plan your day.
- Supply floor plans and give ideas for external suppliers.
- Help with plans for food & drink.

Setup on the day

- Table decorations & name cards as per table plans.
- Cutlery, glassware, water jugs and plates on tables.
- General decorations as per customer instructions.
- Liaise with external suppliers.

During the day

Greet guests, run timings of the day & liaise with you throughout.

At the end

Pack up all decorations and clear down.

The cost

Venue co-ordination cost is based on your requirements and number of guests expected on the day, so please contact us for a bespoke quote.



Food & Drink

Our wonderful Chefs have designed fantastic menus for you to choose from, including Canapés, Grazing Tables, Buffets, BBQ's and more! matt & bage

Pimm's, Prosecco, Wine, Champagne, Bottled Beer & Cider, Mocktails, soft drinks and more are perfect for arrival drinks, table wine, or raising a glass to toast your marriage. Our fully stocked and staffed bar will be available for guests to purchase their own drinks on the day.

You are welcome to set up a prepaid bar tab if you wish. If you have a specific drink in mind that isn't listed on our menu, please let us know and we'll do our best to source it. All prepaid food and drinks count towards your minimum spend requirement.

Wedding Menus

Canapes from £10.50 per head | Minimum order 30 Guests

BBQ from £22 per head | Minimum order 30 Guests

Finger Buffet from £18 per head | Minimum order 30 guests

Grazing Table from £30 per head | Minimum order 50 guests

Cheese Board £65 per board | Serves 10-15 guests

Dessert Platter from £6 per head | Minimum order 30 guests

Allergy Plates Gluten, dairy & nut-free plates | Meaty & Vegan

Please note that all menu items and pricing are subject to change for 2027-2028



License Conditions

Friday-Saturday

- Hire time 11:00-00:30 / Under 18's until 22:00
- Live Bands/singers inside only 12:00-23:00
- DJ's permitted inside only 12:00-00:00
- The garden closes at 23:00
- Late license on request until 01:30

Sunday-Thursday

- Hire time 11:00-23:30 / Under 18's until 20:00
- Live Bands/singers inside only 12:00-23:00
- DJ's permitted inside only 12:00-23:00
- The garden closes at 23:00
- Clear by 23:30



Additional Services

Full Cake Cutting service £100

- Cake Knife & server set provided for your cake cutting moment and photos.
- Cake to be cut into required servings and placed on platters for guests to help themselves.
- Plates, Napkins & Cutlery provided.

PA Hire for speeches £100

Includes portable speaker and microphone.
Please note if you wish to have speeches in the garden, they must finish no later than 19:00.





Recommended Suppliers

Our tried, tested and approved recommendations. You are welcome to source your own suppliers, but please keep us in the loop with the arrangements prior to booking them, so we can confirm the logistics & timings for delivery/collection/setup.

Transport

Brighton Regency Routemaster Double-decker Bus

www.brightonregencyroutemaster.co.uk

Spirit of Sussex Coach travel & double decker bus

www.spiritofsussex.co.uk

Marquee Hire

Marquee2Hire 6x6m or 6x9m Marquee for the terrace

www.marquee2hire.com @marquee2hire

The Great Outdoors Marquees

www.thegreatoutdoors-marquees.co.uk

Wedding Decor

Ballooning Lovely Luxury balloon displays & soft play hire

www.ballooning-lovely.co.uk @ballooning_lovely

Knight Life Events LED Letters, props, decor & more

@knightlifeevents knightlifeevents@outlook.com

Touch of a Bow Event prop hire & balloon displays

www.touchofabow.co.uk @touchofabow

LoveBubble Balloons Luxury Balloons & Event styling

LoveBubble Balloons @lovebubbleballoons

Dreams to Themes Bespoke invitations, signs and more.

@dreamstothemesproducts Dreams to Themes

Photography & Videography

Prime Photography @primephotographyeastbourne

www.primephotographyeastbourne.co.uk

Matt Ebbage Photography

www.mattebbage.com @mattebbagephoto

Dale Weeks Photography

www.daleweeksphotography.co.uk @daleweeksphoto

Bright Film Photography & Videography

www.brightfilm.co.uk @brightfilm_weddings

Shotgun Weddings Photography

www.shotgunweddings.co Shotgun Weddings

Demon Photobooths Heart Photo Pod, Audio Guestbook.

www.demonphotobooths.co.uk @demon_photobooths

LumiMix Selfie Photo Pod, rustic LED letters & more.

www.lumimix.co.uk @lumimix

Cakes & Sweets

Cielo Cakery Celebration Cake makers

🌐 www.cielocakery.co.uk 📷 @cielocakery

Rodeo Doughnuts The perfect celebration cake alternative

🌐 www.rodeo.co.uk 📷 @rodeo_uk

Sweet Dreams Candy Cart + Garden Games & more

🌐 www.sweetdreamscandycart.co.uk 📘 Sweet Dreams Candy Cart

DJ's & Audio Equipment

Visual Music Productions DJ, Sound & Lighting

🌐 www.southcoastweddingdjs.com 📷 @visualmusicprod

DJ Nick Subtle DJ, Sound & Lighting

✉ nmboon@yahoo.com 📘 DJ Nick Subtle

Astech Promotions DJ, Sound, Lighting, Silent Disco

🌐 www.astechpromotions.co.uk 📘 Astech Promotions

Showtec Audio & Visual Equipment Hire for collection

🌐 www.showtec.co.uk ✉ info@showtec.co.uk

Live Bands & Singers

Hannah Renton Singer and Guitarist | 60's to present

📷 @hannahrentonmusic ✉ hannahrenton@hotmail.com

Alice Flower Acoustic Singer and Guitarist

🌐 www.aliceflowermusic.com 📷 @aliceflowermusic

Dessie Magee Brighton-based Irish Singer & Guitarist

🌐 www.arcentertainment.co.uk 📷 @dessie_magee

The Fireflies Party Band Live Band, Disco & DJ service

🌐 www.sussexpartyband.co.uk 📷 @thefirefliespartyband

SmallTalk 4/5-piece covers party band

🌐 www.smalltalkcovers.weebly.com 📘 SmallTalk Covers Band

Dynamite 4-piece covers party band

📘 Dynamite ✉ craig@optanet.com

Entertainment

Fairy Dust Children's Entertainers

🌐 www.fairyparty.co.uk 📘 Fairy Dust Events

Groves Caricature Artist Fun, loving and a bit wacky

🌐 www.grovescartoons.co.uk 📷 @grovescaricatures

Balloon Bar Soft Play Hire Perfect for little ones

🌐 www.balloonbarlittlehampton.co.uk 📷 @grovescaricatures

Florists

Gunns Florist Bouquets, Table Flowers & more

🌐 www.gunnsfloriststore.com 📷 @gunnsflorist

Kate Langdale Florist Bouquets, Table Flowers & more

🌐 www.katelangdaleflorist.co.uk 📷 @katelangdaleflorist

Flowers Unlimited Bouquets, Table Flowers & more

🌐 www.flowersunlimitedbrighton.co.uk 📷 @flowers_unlimited





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Contact us

We would love to meet with you and show you around the venue – please get in touch to arrange a meeting with Charlotte.
Email is the preferred method of contact.

Already been in for a viewing? Speak to us about your plans and requirements for your day. Decided we're THE ONE? Let us know and we'll send over the Terms & Conditions and Deposit Invoice to secure your chosen date. Already paid your deposit?
Let the wedding planning fun commence!

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