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# Weddings at the Queen's House

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Host your wedding at the Queen's House in Greenwich, surrounded by world-class art and royal history "What a special day, we really couldn't have asked for anything more. We so appreciate everything your team did."

Michelle & David – wedding, May 2018



An extraordinary place to make your own





pioneering architect Inigo Jones, the Queen's House is a masterpiece of seventeenth-century architecture. Conceived as a 'House of Delight' for James I's wife, Queen Anne, this exquisite former royal residence is set in the leafy surroundings of historic Greenwich Park, with spectacular views of the River Thames and the contrasting skyscrapers of Canary Wharf beyond.

Designed by the

The House was designed as a place of celebration; a tradition that continues today, making this stylish royal retreat the ideal venue to host your special day. From drinks on the lawns with sweeping park views to unforgettable wedding ceremonies and dinners in the elegant South Parlours or the striking Great Hall, to dancing in the atmospheric stonearched Undercroft; part of what makes the House so unique is its adaptability.

Our highly experienced in-house team of Events Planners will work closely with you to design your perfect day and deliver the wedding of your dreams.



Neil Walker Photograph





The Great Hall with its iconic Tulip Stairs and original black-and-white geometric marble floor provides a spectacular setting for wedding ceremonies, breakfasts and dinners.

Follow in the footsteps of former royal residents and enjoy striking views across the north lawns towards the Thames, where Greenwich Palace once stood.

The high ceiling of this perfect 40-foot cube-shaped hall features a magnificent contemporary work in gold leaf by Turner Prize-winning artist Richard Wright.

Capacity 120







Bathed in southern<br/>light with breath-<br/>taking views up to the<br/>Royal Observatory, the<br/>Orangery and South<br/>Parlours offer one of the<br/>most stylish locations<br/>in London for small<br/>wedding ceremoniesFor your r<br/>the south<br/>full advan<br/>lawns wit<br/>one of Lo<br/>royal park<br/>location f<br/>among fir

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breakfasts.

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Orangery

For your reception, open the south door and take full advantage of our lawns with vistas across one of London's oldest royal parks; the perfect location for toasting your marriage. Celebrate among fine art from the great masters, including Willems van de Veldes and John Everett.

# Capacity 150 for standing receptions

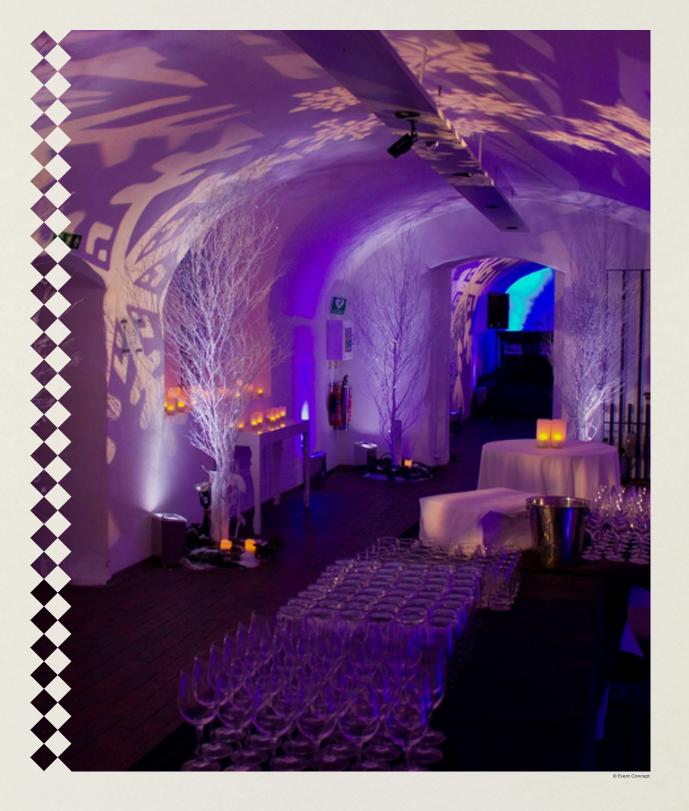
40 for ceremonies and wedding breakfasts





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Evening entertainment in the Undercroft

Continue your celebrations into the night in the Undercroft beneath the Great Hall.

These vaulted chambers create an atmospheric party space for dancing and after-dinner entertainment, with room for a DJ or band, a bar and a lounge area.

If you require extra space in the evening, why not consider a marquee on our lawns to accommodate extra guests.

Capacity 150



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Exceptional food, drink, styling and entertainment

We are delighted to work with exceptional caterers and florists who will help you create an amazing day to remember. Our highly experienced suppliers know exactly what works in the venue. Whether you are looking for a photographer, DJ, make-up artist or cake maker, we can help pick the perfect match for you. Once your date has been confirmed, you will be assigned a dedicated Events Planner who will talk you through the logistics as well as liaise with your suppliers to design every detail of your special day.















DLR

Rail

Conveniently located in Zone 2 with direct access from Cannon Street, Canary Wharf, London Bridge, Tower Hill and Embankment Pier, there are many ways to get to the Queen's House.

The DLR links Canary Wharf, Tower Gateway, Bank and Custom House for ExCel to Cutty Sark and Greenwich DLR stations. Bank to Cutty Sark takes approximately 20 minutes, while Canary Wharf to Cutty Sark is only 9 minutes.

## The bridal car and vehicles

for group drop-offs, for example Routemaster Buses, can drive up to the front of the Queen's House, before parking in the car park.

The most leisurely way

Car

River

train services from central London to Greenwich and Maze Hill stations, which take between 10 and 20 minutes.

We are happy to reserve

spaces for those who

have difficulty walking

long distances. There is a lift and level access

throughout the Queen's

up to five parking

There are several direct

#### Accessibility

House.

to travel to Greenwich is by boat. A cruise from Westminster, Embankment or Tower Hill will take 30 minutes. Guest can enjoy a drinks reception on route while taking in spectacular views of London landmarks. FAQs and venue guidelines

### Can you book our registrar?

Legally, you and your partner need to give notice of marriage at your local register office and book your registrar with the Royal Borough of Greenwich Register Office. To book a registrar, call 0208 921 5015.

What is included in the hire cost? As a dry hire venue, the following is included as part of the venue hire fee: banqueting furniture (chairs, round tables, poseur tables and a cake table); venue staff; five parking spaces.

Which suppliers can we use to cater and decorate the venue?

Due to the sensitive nature of our buildings and collections, only our approved suppliers can be used. We work with an outstanding selection of creative suppliers to help tailor every detail to you. You can see the full list at rmg.co.uk/weddings However, when it comes to your wedding cake we are happy for you to choose your own supplier – or make your own!



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#### Venue guidelines

Like many listed buildings, there are a few restrictions we have to take into account:

- Due to the historic floors and collections, dark drinks cannot be served during standing drinks receptions in the Orangery and South Parlours or Great Hall. Dark drinks are permitted when guests are seated in the Great Hall and in the Undercroft
- Lilies and flowers with staining stamens are permitted with stamens removed
- Smoking, naked flames, candles, candelabras, balloons, confetti (including dried and fresh loose flower petals), sparklers and dry ice are not permitted within the venue
- We kindly ask guests not to wear stiletto heels.
  Any guests who do will be given a heel protector upon arrival
- We kindly ask that guests do not lean or hold on to the balcony in the Great Hall
- No attachment onto the fabric of the building and structures is authorised.

