

# making your day special

Congratulations on your forthcoming wedding and thank you for considering Draycote Hotel as the venue for your special day.

Draycote Hotel is situated in Shakespeare's County of Warwickshire, nestling in the very Heart of England.

Conveniently located on the south-western border of Rugby, access is simple via the Midlands motorway network. We pride ourselves on providing the ideal venue for your Wedding Day with our light, modern hotel complex set amongst glorious rolling countryside.

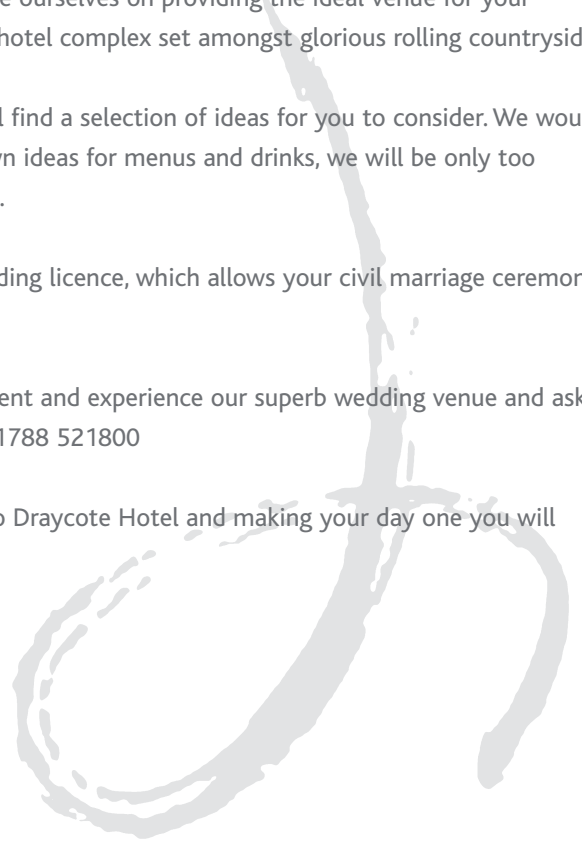
Within the wedding brochure you will find a selection of ideas for you to consider. We would also welcome a discussion of your own ideas for menus and drinks, we will be only too pleased to try and accommodate you.

Draycote Hotel also holds a civil wedding licence, which allows your civil marriage ceremony to be held on the premises.

Please feel free to make an appointment and experience our superb wedding venue and ask any questions you wish. Telephone: 01788 521800

We look forward to welcoming you to Draycote Hotel and making your day one you will never forget.

Ergul Sahin  
General Manager



## Wedding Suites

We have the following private rooms available for your wedding reception:

### **The Phoenix Suite**

This contemporary ground floor suite offers natural daylight and air conditioning. With private bar facilities and built in dance floor this room is the ideal wedding suite. This suite also holds a civil ceremony licence. The Phoenix Suite will seat up to 180 wedding guests with evening receptions up to 300 guests.

### **Papaveri Restaurant**

The Papaveri Restaurant is situated on the ground floor with lots of natural daylight. This bright adaptable room brings a fresh feel and an inspired atmosphere. Papaveri can accommodate up to 60 guests for a daytime wedding breakfast.

### **Dunchurch Room**

The Dunchurch Room is situated on the first floor with views overlooking the putting green. This room is ideal for weddings up to 30 wedding guests and holds a civil ceremony licence.

### **Dunsmore Room**

The Dunsmore Room is situated on the first floor overlooking the putting green. The room will cater for up to 25 wedding guests and holds a civil ceremony licence.

## Wedding menus & drinks packages

Enclosed you will find a selection of our wedding menus, buffet menus and drinks packages.

These menus are a guide and if you wish to change any of these or mix the menus we will be pleased to arrange a price for you.

If you have your own favourite dish or wish to theme your menu again please contact us and our Head Chef will be pleased to discuss this with you.

We are able to cater for any dietary requirements that guests in your party may have. Please give prior notice of this to the hotel.

As you will see the menu choices are made up of three courses. If however you wish to have additional courses please contact us and again we will be pleased to discuss this with you.

All prices are inclusive of VAT.

## 2011 Wedding Package

£32.00 per person

### Your package will include the following:

- Room hire for the main reception suite
- Overnight accommodation for the bride & groom on the evening of the reception
- Ivory table linen and napkins
- Red Carpet on Arrival
- Special overnight accommodation rates for your guests (subject to availability)
- A Master of Ceremonies Service to guide you through your day
- Wedding coordinator assistance throughout
- Use of cake stand and knife
- Complimentary Menu tasting for bride & groom
- Arrival Drink (Kir Royale)
- 3 Course Wedding Breakfast
- 1 Glass of wine with the meal
- 1 Glass of Sparkling Wine for the Toast
- Bacon and sausage baps for evening reception (£3.95 extra per additional guest)

## 2012/2013 Wedding Package

2012 from £36.00 per person

2013 from £38.00 per person

### Your package will include the following:

- Room hire for the main reception suite
- Overnight accommodation for the bride & groom on the evening of the reception
- Ivory table linen and napkins
- Red Carpet on Arrival
- Special overnight accommodation rates for your guests (subject to availability)
- A Master of Ceremonies Service to guide you through your day
- Wedding coordinator assistance throughout
- Use of cake stand and knife
- Complimentary Menu tasting for bride & groom
- Arrival Drink (Kir Royale)
- 3 Course Wedding Breakfast
- 1 Glass of Sparkling Wine for the Toast
- Coffee and Chocolates



# Wedding Package Menu

## STARTERS

Roast tomato and red pepper soup

Galia melon with fruits and schnapps

Classic Prawn cocktail

Chicken liver parfait, apple and plum chutney

## MAIN COURSE

Traditional roast Turkey, pig in blanket and cranberry sauce

Traditional roast Chicken breast with sage and onion stuffing

Loin of Pork with apple sauce and crackling

Roast topside of Beef, Yorkshire pudding

## DESSERTS

Lemon Tart, lemon sorbet and berries

Fruits of the forest cheesecake

Vanilla crème Brulee

Profiteroles filled with cream, covered in chocolate sauce

*Select one from each course*



# Drinks Packages

## Package 1 - £13.95 per person

- A glass of Pimms or Summer Cup on arrival.
- A glass of Red, White or Rose with your meal.
- A glass of Sparkling Wine for Toast.

## Package 2 - £16.95 per person

- A glass of Bucks Fizz or Summer Cup on arrival.
- Two glasses of Red, White or Rose with your meal.
- A glass of Sparkling Wine for Toast.

## Package 3 - £19.95 per person

- A Glass of House Champagne or Summer Cup on arrival.
- Two glasses of Red, White or Rose with your meal.
- A Glass of House Champagne for Toast.

## Package 4 - £23.95 per person

- A Glass of Kir Royale or Summer Cup on arrival.
- Half bottle of Red, White or Rose Wine with your meal.
- A Glass of Pink Champagne for Toast.

## Package 5 - £29.95 per person

- Champagne Bellini's on arrival.
- Unlimited Wines during the meal.
- A Glass of Pink Champagne for Toast.

If you have your own ideas we will be pleased to discuss a price.

If you wish to bring your own wine the corkage rates are as follows:

£9.00 per bottle of 75cl of Still Wine

£15.00 per bottle of Sparkling Wine or Champagne

## Canapes £6.95 per person

Please choose 6 from the following selection:

- Smoked Salmon and Garlic Cheese Roulade (Cold)
- Prawn Cocktail Tartlets (Cold)
- Chicken Liver Paté with Redcurrants (Cold)
- Tempura Vegetables, Sweet Chilli sauce
- Mini Vegetable Spring Roll
- Thai Crab Cakes
- Beef in Hoi Sih Sauce
- Lemon grass and Chilli Chicken
- Asparagus Wrapped in Parma Ham
- Mini Oriental Dim Sum, Soy Sauce
- Deep Fried Camembert
- Thai Vegetable Money Bags

## Suggested Menus from the Menu Selector

- Poached and Smoked Salmon Salad, Mango Salsa.
  - Supreme of Chicken, Thyme, Shallot and Oyster Mushroom Sauce.
  - Warm Chocolate Brownie, Mint Ice Cream.
  - Freshly Brewed Coffee and Chocolates.  
OR
  - Roasted Tomato and Red Pepper Soup.
  - Roast Loin of Pork, Crackling, Apple Sauce and Cider Gravy.
  - Warm Bakewell Tart, Vanilla Pod Ice Cream, Sauce Anglaise.
  - Freshly Brewed Coffee and Chocolates.
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- Caesar Salad Honey and Pepper Chicken.
  - Braised Shank of Lamb, Minted Gravy.
  - Brandy Snap Basket of Exotic Fresh Fruit Salad, Raspberry Sorbet.
  - Freshly Brewed Coffee and Truffles.  
OR
  - Warm Goats Cheese and Red Onion jam Tartlet, Roquette Salad.
  - Roast Sirloin of Beef, Yorkshire Puding, Red Onion Sauce.
  - Vanilla Panacotta, Sweet and Sour Strawberries.
  - Freshly Brewed Coffee and Truffles.

## Vegetarian selection

Please select one of the following for your party:

- Butternut Squash Risotto with Spinach & Wilted Roquette.  
Or
- Vegetable Curry, Coconut Rice and Poppadoms.  
Or
- Red Onion and Goats Cheese Tart with Pesto and Balsamic Dressing.  
Or
- Penne Pasta with Spinach and Mushroom Cream Sauce and Shaved Parmesan.

Our Head Chef will be happy to cater for any dietary requirements your guests may have.

## Childrens menu - £12.95

Children from 5 to 10 years may either choose a smaller portion of the adult serving or choose from the following: (Children 4 and under are free of charge)

- Fruit Cocktail.  
Or
- Soup of the Day.
  
- Roast Chicken.  
Or
- Plaice Goujons.  
Or
- Chicken Nuggets.  
Or
- Pork Sausages.

All served with a selection of Potatoes and Vegetables or Chipped Potatoes and Peas or Beans.

- Ice Cream Sundae.  
Or
- Fresh Fruit Salad.  
Or
- Profiteroles with Chocolate Sauce.



# Menu selector

## Starters

Roasted Plum Tomato and Red Pepper Soup.	£4.75
Parsnip Soup with Curried Croutons.	£4.75
Butternut Squash Soup with Basil Oil.	£4.75
Pressed Duck & Orange Terrine and Balsamic Caramel.	£5.50
Chicken Liver Parfait with Toasted Brioche & Fig.	£4.95
Cesar Salad with Honey & Black Pepper Chicken.	£5.50
Poached & Smoked Salmon Salad with Mango Salsa.	£5.95
Avocado, Prawn and Guacomole Torte with Sweet Chilli Dressing.	£5.95
Half Galia Melon filled with Passion Fruit Sorbet.	£5.25
Warm Goats Cheese and Red Onion Tartlet.	£5.50

Optional Sorbet Course @ £2.95 per person:-

Green Apple and Cider Or Champagne Or Raspberry.	£2.95
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## Mains

Roast Sirloin of Beef, Yorkshire Pudding and Red Onion Sauce.	£19.95
Prime Fillet of Beef with Garlic Potatoes and Pink Peppercorn Sauce.	£22.95
Slow Braised Shank of Lamb with Minted Gravy.	£18.50
Chump of Lamb with Rosemary, Garlic & Redcurrants.	£19.95
Loin of Venison with Caramelised Baby Onions and Sage Infused Jus.	£21.95
Supreme of Chicken with Shallot, Thyme and Oyster Mushroom Sauce.	£16.95
Breast of Corn Fed Chicken with Smoked Bacon and Spring Onion Dressing.	£19.95
Roast Loin of Pork with Crackling & Apple Sauce and Cider Gravy.	£16.95
Fillet of Salmon with Smoked Salmon & Dill Sauce.	£16.95
Fillet of Black Bream with Plum Tomato, Basil and Shallot Dressing.	£16.95

All Main Courses are served with seasonal potatoes and vegetables.

## Desserts

Dark Chocolate & Hazelnut Tart with Praline Ice Cream.	£5.50
Warm Chocolate Brownie with Mint Ice Cream.	£4.95
Iced White Chocolate and Passion Fruit Parfait.	£5.25
Orange Crème Brulee with Chocolate Cookie.	£4.95
Vanilla Panacotta with Sweet n Sour Strawberries.	£4.95
Brandy Snap Basket of exotic Fruit Salad and Raspberry Sorbet.	£5.25
Classic Lemon Tart with Lemon Sorbet and Grottine Cherries.	£5.25
Summer Berry Pudding with Blackberry Coulis and Chantilly Crem.	£5.25
Apple, Pear & Sultana Strudel with Custard.	£5.00
Warm Bakewell Tart with Vanilla Pod Ice Cream and Sauce Anglaise.	£5.25
Freshly Brewed Coffee and Chocolates.	£2.95
Freshley Brewed Coffee and Hand Made Petit Fours.	£3.50

## Daytime wedding buffet menu - £34.00

Please select one starter for your whole party:

- Seasonal Melon with fruits Laced in Peach Schnapps.  
Or
- Poached and Smoked Salmon Salad, Mango Salsa.  
Or
- Parfait of Chicken Livers with Toasted Brioche and Pears in Red Wine.
- Sugar Baked Ham with Fresh Pineapple.
- Roast Sirloin of Beef.
- Roast Turkey.
- Selection of Vegetarian and Savoury Quiche.
- Chicken Curry, Coconut Rice and Poppadoms.
- Coleslaw salad.
- Tomato and Mozzarella Salad with Pesto Dressing.
- Mixed Leaf Salad.
- Minted New Potatoes.
  
- Local farm Strawberries.
- Profiteroles Filled with Vanilla Cream with Chocolate Sauce.
- Cheese Board with Celery and Grapes.
  
- Freshly Brewed Coffee with Chocolates

## Evening buffet menus

### Menu A - £6.95 per person

- Crispy Back Bacon Baps.
- Cumberland Sausage and Caramelised Onion Baps.

### Menu B - £11.95 per person

- Crispy Back Bacon Baps.
- Cumberland Sausage and Caramelised Onion Baps.
- French Bread Pizza.
- Curly Fries.

### Menu C - £14.95 per person

- Traditional Hog Roast with Stuffing and Apple Sauce. (Carved to order).
- Various Salads.
- Cajun Spiced Potato Wedges.

### Menu D - £16.50 per person

- Chicken Curry/Lamb Curry/Vegetable Curry.
- Pilau Rice/Mini Naan Bread.
- Poppadoms.
- Onion Bhajah's/Rhaita/Mango Chutney.

### Menu E - £16.50 per person

Please select 7 items from the following:

- An assortment of Sandwiches on White or Wholemeal Bread.
- Selection of Filled Baps.
- Thai Salmon Fish Cakes with Sweet Chilli Sauce.
- Breaded Chicken Drumsticks.
- BBQ Spare Ribs.
- Chilli filled Jacket Skins Topped with Cheese.
- Quiche Lorraine.
- Lamb Samosas.
- Vegetable Spring Rolls.
- French Bread Pizza.
- Scampi with Lemon Wedges.
- Mixed Salad/Coleslaw.
- Olives, Tortilla Chips and Dips.
- Cheeseboard.
- Fresh Fruit Platter.
- Chocolate and Blueberry Muffin.

# Civil ceremonies

Draycote Hotel holds a Civil Wedding & Civil Partnership license. We can cater for any wedding from a small intimate ceremony right up to a ceremony for 200 guests.

## Civil Ceremony Room Hire Costs

Phoenix Suite £400.00

Dunchurch Room £300.00

Dunsmore Room £250.00

Once you make your provisional booking for your ceremony you will need to contact the Superintendent Registrar (SR) for the Warwickshire East District soon as possible.

Superintendent Registrar

Warwickshire East Registration District

5 Bloxam Place, Rugby, CV21 3DS

Telephone: 01788 551829

Office Hours: Mon & Fri: 9.30-12.15, 12.45-17.00

Tue, Wed & Thurs: 9.30-14.00

When you have confirmed the date and booked the Registrar, you will need to confirm your wedding with us and pay a deposit of £500. Failure to do this within 14 days of making the provisional booking may result in your booking being released.

You will need to give notice of marriage to the SR of the district you live in. This will then be displayed for a number of weeks in order to give people an opportunity to see your intentions to marry.

The fee for the attendance of the registration staff has been set by the Council and must be paid to the SR by the date set by them.

Without presence of the SR and a Registrar there can be no marriage and any arrangements for the use of the premises depend entirely on their availability. It is therefore essential that you make an advance booking with the SR for his/her attendance at the proposed marriage.

The content of your ceremony must meet the approval of the SR. Once agreed by the SR no alterations to the content of your ceremony can be made without new approval of the SR.

You are required to provide two witnesses at your wedding. Please make sure they make themselves known to the SR on the day.

Your appointment time is the time of the ceremony.

Please note you are required to be interviewed before the ceremony so please arrive at least 20 minutes before to allow for this.

Whilst every effort is made to abide by the start time of the ceremony, circumstances beyond our control could delay the start time of the ceremony.

# Wedding services

## Chair Covers

We can provide chair covers with Organza bows. Covers and bows are available in a variety of different covers. Only £4.00 per chair, to include delivery and set up.

## Flowers

We recommend Perkins Florists as a supplier of top quality flowers for bouquets, button holes, table decorations etc. 23 Bowen Square, Daventry, NN11 4DR. Tel: 01327 872331 [www.perkinsflorists.com](http://www.perkinsflorists.com)

## Entertainment

We are able to supply all manner of entertainment including discos, tribute bands, pianists, and trios. We also allow you to arrange your own DJ or Band if you would prefer.

## Miscellaneous

We have many contacts for various other wedding services that we can provide you with to make your day that extra bit special.

Please speak to our wedding co-ordinator if there is anything that you are not sure of or need advice on.

We are always happy to help.



# Additional information

## What is the first step?

Once you have decided upon a date for your wedding, please contact our wedding co-ordinator who will check our availability. They will then make a provisional booking if you wish, which will be held for 2 weeks, after which we will require written confirmation from you along with a deposit of £500. If no confirmation is received within 14 days then the booking will be released automatically.

## What other information will I need to give?

At this stage we will also need to know your minimum numbers and approximate timings for your wedding. A copy of the terms and conditions and a wedding agreement will be sent, which will need to be signed and returned to the hotel within 14 days.

## When do we discuss our final details?

We will contact you approximately 8 weeks before your big day to arrange an appointment with us to discuss final details. At this point we will answer all your questions and run through your day from the moment you arrive to the final dance of the evening.

## When do we need to pay our final account?

Once we have had our meeting with you we will then send to you an approximate costing for the wedding. This will need to be settled 4 weeks before the big day. Any outstanding balance will be invoiced to you after the day.

## Where can we take photographs?

As Draycote Hotel is set in 130 acres there is plenty of opportunity to take photographs for your Wedding. 2009 sees the addition of our 'Enchanted Wedding Garden' which is an exciting addition to our beautiful grounds. Our suggestion for the Bride and Groom is a picture by the exquisite Draycote Water. Come out on a golf buggy and enjoy the beautiful setting.

## What are the minimum and maximum numbers?

Minimum numbers apply to Weddings on Saturday only. For any other day of the week we do not operate a minimum number.

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Room	Civil	Wedding Breakfast	Evening Reception
Phoenix	50/180	60/180	100/250
Papaveri	N/A	20/60	N/A
Dunchurch	Max 50	Max 30	N/A
Dunsmore	Max 30	Max 20	N/A

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## Do we get a discount for not having a wedding on a Saturday?

Although we do not offer a discount for our weddings, if you were to hold a wedding at the hotel on a day other than a Saturday, the following would be included in the rate: Chair Covers for your Wedding Breakfast with choice of Organza Bow.

Free upgrade of our various drinks packages.

Discounted Rate for the Bride and Groom at the Luxurious Tregenna Castle in St Ives (subject to availability).

Minimum numbers for our function suites would not be applicable.

## What rates will our guests pay for bedrooms?

The special rate for your 2010 wedding guests for accommodation at the hotel would be £65.00 for a single room and £75.00 for a double room inclusive of breakfast. These can be booked direct with the hotel quoting your name as reference.

## What else can the hotel do for us?

The hotel has a wealth of knowledge and experience in the running of weddings. We can arrange any wedding service for you or you are by all means welcome to arrange your own wedding service.

# Complete Wedding Package - £29 per person

We will be offering an all-inclusive wedding package price of £29.00 per person for selected dates in 2011, plus January, February and March in 2012 and any midweek dates in 2011 and 2012.

## Complete package includes:

- Room hire for the main reception suite.
- Overnight accommodation for the bride & groom on the evening of the reception.
- White or Ivory table linen and napkins.
- Red Carpet on arrival.
- Special overnight accommodation rates for your guests *(subject to availability)*.
- A Master of Ceremonies Service to guide you through your day.
- Wedding coordinator assistance throughout.
- Use of cake stand and knife.
- Complimentary Menu tasting for bride & groom.
- Arrival Drink (Kir Royale).
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£3.95 extra per additional guest  
*(subject to availability)*

