



*Wedding Brochure*





## *All under one roof*

Nestled in the picturesque Essex countryside, our historic 18th-century house was built as the Rebow Family home in 1758 and it offers a romantic and intimate setting for your special day. With beautifully landscaped gardens, luxurious accommodations, and exquisite dining options, Wivenhoe House ensures every moment of your wedding is nothing short of magical.

Wivenhoe House, part of Constable country and the muse of the artist John Constable's painting, "Wivenhoe Park", has everything under one roof: ceremony and reception spaces, bedrooms, catering, décor, and event planners. Our team of dedicated event coordinators are committed to making the experience as easy and painless as possible. Leave the admin to us and focus on the things that really matter, like celebrating with friends and family!

Regardless of you and your partner's budget, tastes and individual styles, our team will work closely with you both to make sure that your wedding day is nothing short of perfect. Making your celebration as unforgettable as the love story it honours. Begin your journey to happily ever after at Wivenhoe House Hotel, where your dream wedding awaits.

*Your day, your way!*

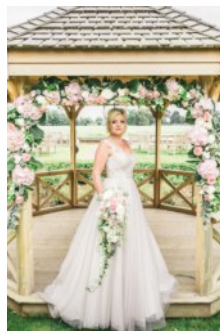


## Indoor Ceremony

Our stunning Drawing Room in the main house is traditionally used for wedding ceremonies.

Dating back to the 18th century with large bay windows offering spectacular views over the parkland, an impressive fireplace and period features, the Drawing Room was originally the dining area for the MP Mr John Rebow and his aristocrat wife Lady Georgina Graham-Toler in the mid 1800's.

Our drawing room can seat 100 guests for your wedding ceremony.



## Outside Ceremony

Our beautiful garden gazebo and sunken lawn is perfect for both intimate and large summer ceremonies.

The gazebo looks over the historic parkland and magnificent cork oak trees which were brought back to the Wivenhoe Park estate by General Rebow over 200 years ago when he smuggled the cuttings back in his boots on his return from serving in the Peninsular War.

We can seat 100 guests on the sunken lawn for your outside wedding ceremony.



## Drinks Reception

After your wedding ceremony, your guests can relax and mingle while enjoying delicious canapés and refreshing drinks.

They can choose to bask in the open-air ambiance of our scenic terrace or savour the sophisticated atmosphere of our elegant Signatures Room.

Meanwhile, you can capture your beautiful wedding photos, knowing your guests are delighting in the celebration.



## THE GARDEN SUITE

# Wedding Breakfast

Our contemporary Garden Suite, featuring a private bar and courtyard, is the perfect setting for your wedding breakfast.

Here, you can select from a variety of delicious food options tailored to your tastes.

The Garden Suite comfortably accommodates up to 100 guests for your wedding breakfast, ensuring the toast speeches are a memorable experience for all.



## THE GARDEN SUITE

# Evening Reception

After you have finished your wedding breakfast, it's time to start the celebration!

Step onto the dance floor and enjoy your first dance as a married couple, creating a magical moment to remember.

Then, let the festivities continue as you and your guests dance the night away to the vibrant tunes of our talented DJ, ensuring an unforgettable evening of joy and laughter.



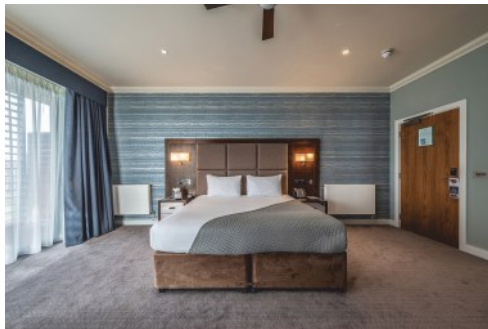
## Bridal Suite

Our luxury bedrooms are the perfect choice for your bridal suite.

Begin your special day by getting ready in style, surrounded by your friends and family, as you toast to the occasion in this elegant setting.

After the celebrations, return to this serene and romantic retreat to spend your first night as a married couple, creating cherished memories from the very start of your new journey together.





## Bedrooms

Our Classic, Superior, Superior Balcony, and Deluxe rooms offer the perfect place for your guests to rest their heads after a day of celebrations.

Each room provides a comfortable and stylish retreat, ensuring your guests can unwind and enjoy a restful night's sleep after the festivities.



## What's Included

- ❧ Exclusive use of our luxurious Signatures room and Drawing room, both situated in the historic main house for your ceremony and drinks.
- ❧ Exclusive use of our Garden Suite with private bar and light up dance floor for your wedding breakfast and evening reception.
- ❧ White pleated backdrop with star lights, uplighters and drapes for décor in our Garden suite.
- ❧ Choice of Chiavari chairs and sashes included.
- ❧ Our outdoor wedding gazebo situated in our beautiful grounds for your outside ceremony and/or drinks reception.\*\*
- ❧ Sound system for music during your welcome drinks and photographs, including microphones for outdoor ceremonies.\*\*
- ❧ Beautiful grounds for photographs.
- ❧ Use of furnishing, white linen, crockery, glass and tableware.
- ❧ Access to the venue for pre or post-wedding photographs.
- ❧ Personal attention of our wedding team from the first meeting right up to your wedding day as well as use of our excellent operations team and servers on the day.

\*\* not included in low season



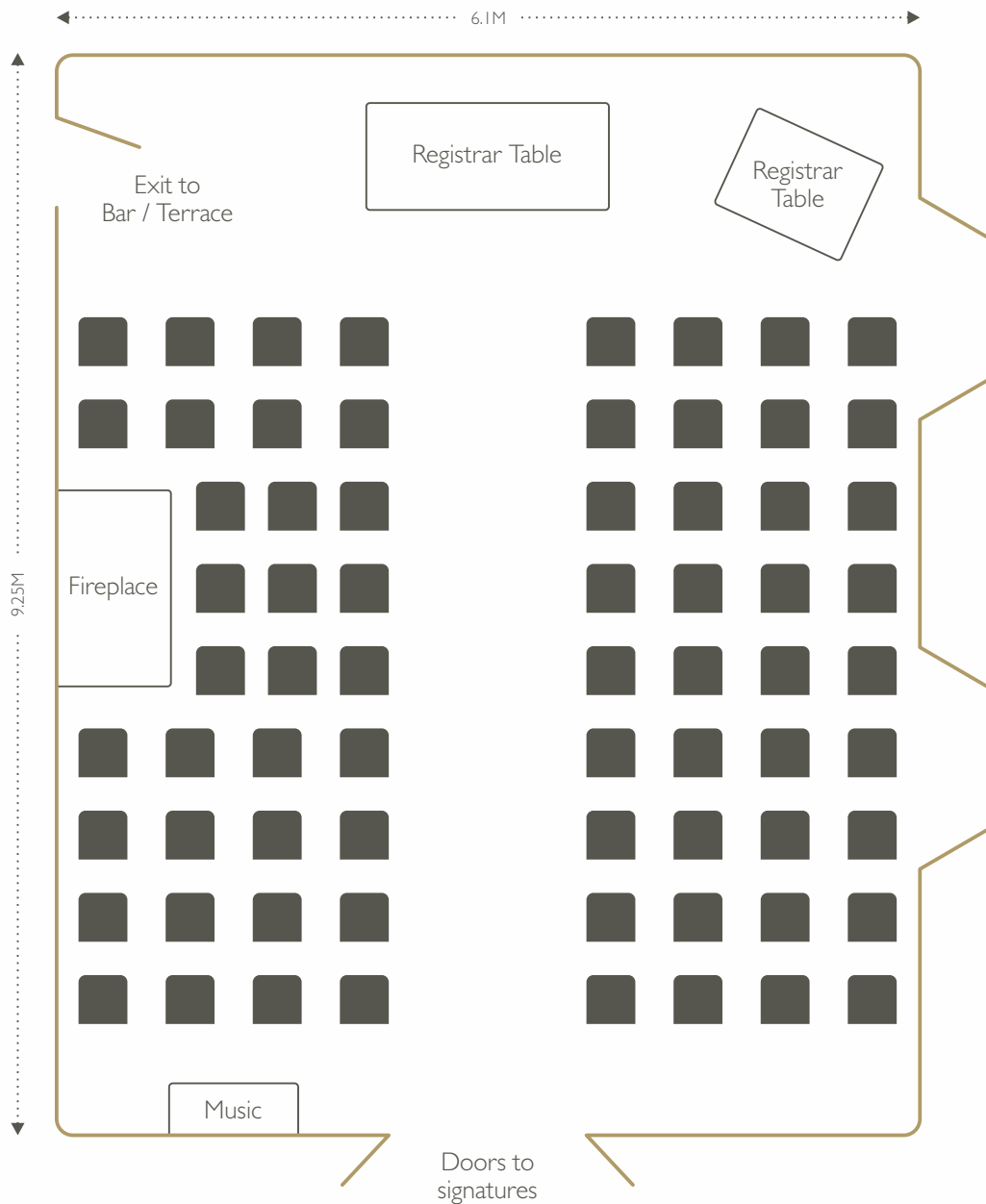
## Food & Beverage

Our in-house kitchen team, renowned for their culinary expertise, has curated a selection of menus designed to cater to every taste and preference.

From canapés, indulge in a three course wedding breakfast or savour the flavours of a BBQ feast. We have lots of choices to tantalize the taste buds of each of your guests.

With an array of enticing options available, your wedding dining experience is sure to be unforgettable.

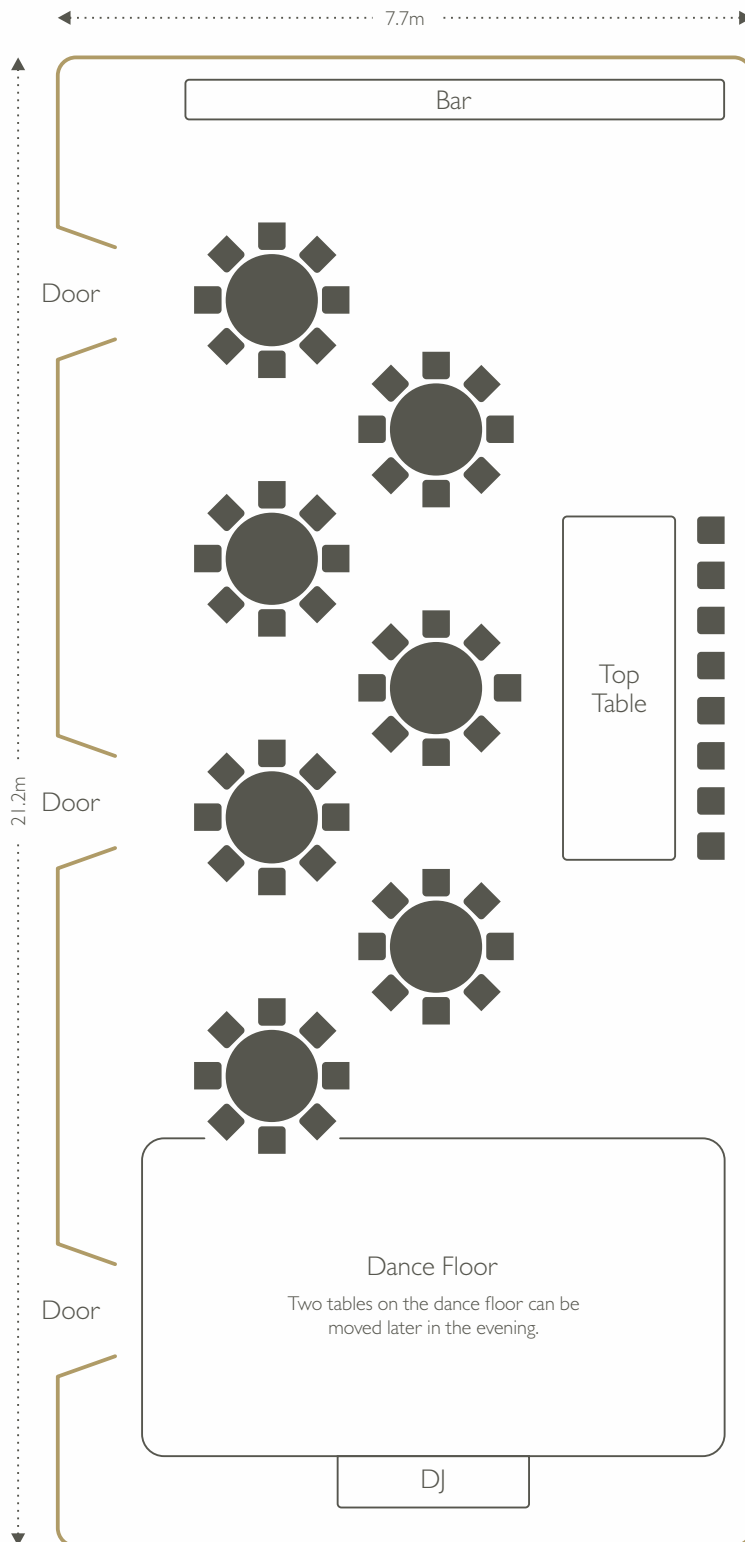
# Drawing Room



## Maximum Capacities

| Room         | Ceremony | Wedding Breakfast | Reception |
|--------------|----------|-------------------|-----------|
| Drawing Room | 100      | 46                | 80        |
| Garden Suite | 120      | 120               | 180       |
| The Gazebo   | 100      |                   |           |

# Garden Suite





It was some months ago that we decided to book Wivenhoe house for our wedding; what a brilliant decision that was. From the start until the wedding day, we had exceptional care and advice, and nothing, however, was too much trouble.

The day was wonderful, and we felt very special. Lisa and her team are a credit to the organisation; they are always proactive and always there.

Thank you so much,  
*Joe & Liz*

Wivenhoe House is a beautiful location for a wedding and all the guests were impressed with the accommodation and the services provided, and somewhere that we could do a twilight wedding with a BBQ.

Pheobe has been professional, calm, excitable and has gone above and beyond our expectations. On the wedding day Pheobe was spectacular. She had absolutely everything handled and looked after, even things we hadn't thought of.

We want to thank you and all of your staff for making our wedding day so special. We will never forget it.

*Kelsey & Lewis*

We had such an amazing day; the venue looked beautiful, the staff couldn't have been more helpful and it all just came together so well. The little touches from the congratulations card in our wedding night suite to Louise taking care of Pats nerves for him. Louise, you have been an absolute gem from start to finish. We literally couldn't have asked for a more special day from you all so from the bottom of our hearts, thank you!

*Lisa & Patrick*

# Meet our team



*Pheobe - Wedding Coordinator*

Pheobe, with over 10 years of experience, is a key member of the weddings team, known for her meticulous attention to detail and passion for perfection. Creative and organised, she ensures each couple's vision becomes a stress-free reality. With a warm approach (and occasional help from her office dog Peanut), she makes every wedding extraordinary.



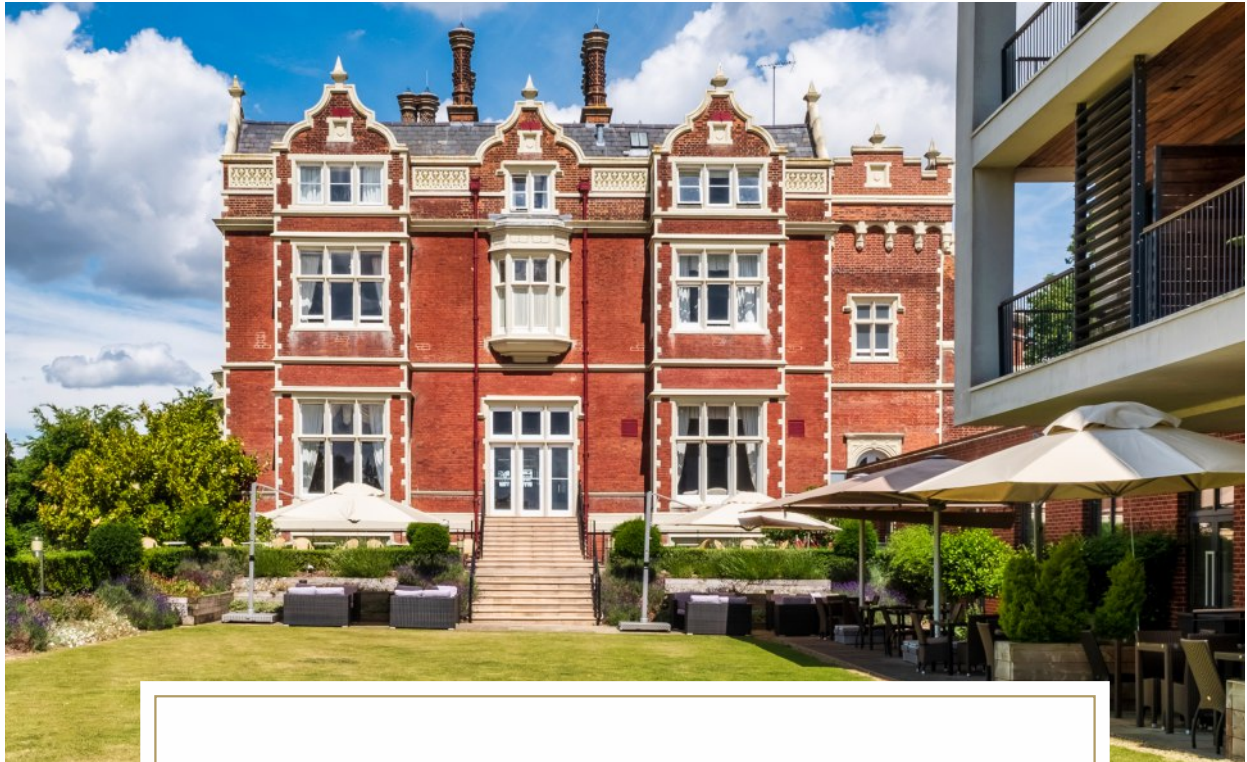
*Louise - Event Manager*

Louise has been part of Wivenhoe House's Weddings & Events team for over 10 years, helping couples plan their magical day. With over 20 years as a professional dancer on cruise ships, she brings her passion for dance and travel to her work. Louise's keen attention to detail ensures every aspect of your wedding is expertly handled.



*Lisa - Wedding Coordinator*

Lisa, a seasoned professional in the hotel and events industry since 1988, previously worked at Colchester's historic Rose & Crown Hotel. As an experienced wedding coordinator, she values organisation and careful planning. Her favourite moment is just before the ceremony when she gathers the couple knowing that in this pivotal moment, they rely on her the most.



## Next Steps



Contact us on 01206 878450 or at [events@wivenhoehouse.co.uk](mailto:events@wivenhoehouse.co.uk)



Book a show round at Wivenhoe House and meet our friendly wedding team



Let us know your desired wedding date and we can check availability

Photography by:

James Thomas Photography, Mae Photography  
Andy Chambers Photography, Embrace Photography  
AB Photography, Humble Photography