

FLORENCE GRISWOLD MUSEUM

Home of American Impressionism

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WEDDINGS AT THE FLORENCE GRISWOLD MUSEUM

Congratulations on your engagement! We are delighted that you are considering the Florence Griswold Museum for your special day! Once Miss Florence's boardinghouse for the Lyme Art Colony, the Museum offers the opportunity to create a memorable celebration and lasting impression. Your guests will enjoy the distinctive setting where a generation of America's finest Impressionist artists painted *"en plein air"* along the banks of the Lieutenant River and in Miss Florence's charming garden.

Highlights:

- Exclusive and private use of the Museum's riverfront facilities during the event. The Adrian P. Moore Garden Terrace is equipped with a catering staging area (electric and water service is provided) and can graciously accommodate gatherings of up to 175 people under a sailcloth tent overlooking the Lieutenant River. In addition to the Moore Garden Terrace, the Rafal Landscape Center, and veranda of Marshfield House may be used by your guests.
- The Krieble Gallery will be open for your guests for the first two hours of the reception.
- An Event Supervisor will be on-site during the entire event.
- Convenient guest parking areas.
- Handicap accessible bathrooms.

Inclusive Site Fee: Outdoor tented weddings range from \$8,950 to \$9,950 for six hours of private use of the Museum, landscape center, Marshfield veranda and the scenic riverfront property. This also includes ceremony on site, the use of a Tidewater sailcloth tent and a catering tent suited to the size of your event, standard lighting and tent sides (for up to 175 guests).

The Catering, Bar & Rentals Fee: An average of \$175-\$199 a person.

This is an average based on your choices of menu and décor. It includes food, service, premium bar, rentals (tables, chivari chairs, standard linen, china, glass, and silverware), and tax and gratuity.

Guidelines:

- Please plan the beginning of your event to coincide with the Museum's closing time (5 p.m.) or later.
- The curfew for music and the bar is 11:00 pm. Guests departure and clean-up by 12:30 am.
- Please ask for the Museum's list of preferred caterers and recommended vendors.
- Chase Canopy is the Museum's exclusive rental company for all rental needs.
- Certificate of Event Insurance for the day of the wedding is required.
- Smoking is not permitted in any Museum building.