



STONELEIGH ABBEY







A STUNNING SETTING

We are delighted that you are considering Stoneleigh Abbey as a venue for your special day. The fairy tale setting of Stoneleigh Abbey will take you and your guests back in history. Walk in the footsteps of Jane Austen, Queen Victoria and Prince Albert in beautiful surroundings that radiate romance at every turn.

The breath taking tree-lined driveway is just the beginning. Once the home of the Leigh family this enchanting Grade I listed Stately home and its landscaped grounds can be yours exclusively for the day

We can offer a number of options for both your ceremony and reception, to make all your wedding day wishes come true. This is your day and we will ensure each moment is a memory to treasure forever.







YOUR CEREMONY

Choosing the right setting for your wedding ceremony is important to ensure intimacy and to establish the right start to your special day.

With in the magnificent Georgian West Wing of the Abbey, we have two beautiful rooms which can be used for your Ceremony,

The Saloon offers a spectacular space for up to 130 people maximum. Along with decorative fireplaces, fine chandeliers, marble coated pillars and Greek mythological tales captured in ornate 18th Century plasterwork, this room provides the splendour and romance for your ceremony.

The Gilt Hall is perfect for an intimate Ceremony for up to 60 People maximum, with its impressive stained glass window and rich décor. This grand and inviting room overlooks the cloisters of the original Abbey where the monks would have been called to prayer, and now boasts a beautiful Elizabethan knot garden.







THE DRINKS RECEPTION

Your drinks reception begins immediately after your wedding ceremony; you can relax and enjoy a drink in the company of your friends and loved ones, who will want to congratulate you and offer their heartfelt wishes for your future. It's a wonderful and treasured part of your wedding day.

Whether you get married at Stoneleigh Abbey or arrive with us shortly after your local church wedding, our skilled staff will be ready and waiting, to serve your choice of reception drinks, perhaps some classic Pimm's, bottled beers or some bubbly, to help celebrate your marriage.

The beautifully restored Victorian Orangery is situated in the riverside gardens, overlooking the river Avon and Grade II* listed Repton landscape. Find yourself immersed in the natural light and beauty of the Orangery providing a truly beautiful setting that can accommodate up to 120 guests, it's the perfect setting for drinks and canapés.







WEDDING BREAKFAST

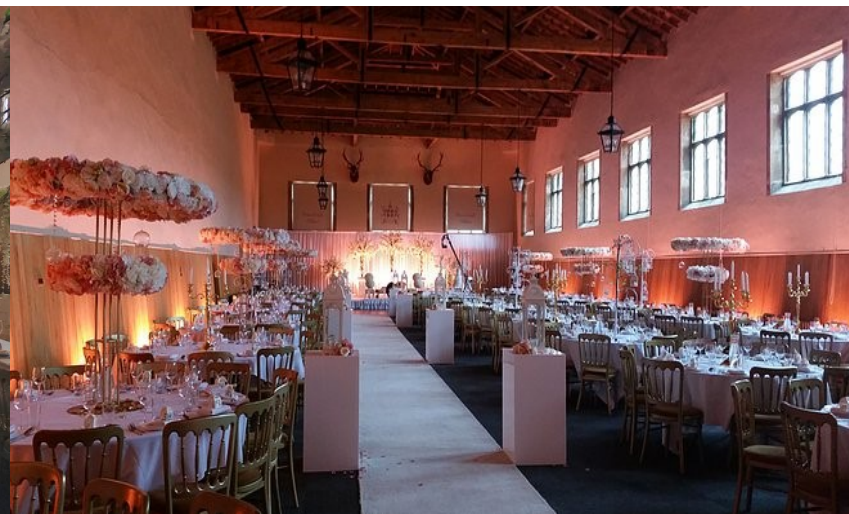
Perhaps one of the most confusing phrases used, the Wedding Breakfast is a delicious celebratory meal enjoyed by the Bride and Groom and their daytime guests following the drinks reception and photographs. It's also the ideal time for the much-awaited wedding speeches.

The West wings Grand Saloon is spectacular; the cool blues and hints of gold throughout, complement any wedding theme and the stunning plaster works add a real touch of grandeur.

With delicious food and drink served effortlessly by our professional staff, your guests will have fond memories of your wedding breakfast for many years to come, knowing they have dined in the very room Queen Victoria was entertained with a banquet when she stayed at the Abbey.







Banqueting Hall

The Gothic revival style banqueting hall is a unique area with a wonderful atmosphere in which to truly celebrate your day. The Riding School accommodates a larger wedding breakfast or evening reception. The perfect arena for you and your guests to dance the night away, with a fully licensed bar and options for evening catering from hot or cold buffets to pig roasts, your guests will truly have an evening to remember.

Drinks reception capacity 500

Seated dinner capacity 300

Ceremony 400

Evening Reception 300





Delicious Wedding Catering Options

Catering is charged separately and is not included in the venue hire price however, our catering partners share our commitment to excellence and integrity and will discuss the cost of your individual requirements openly and clearly.

At Stoneleigh Abbey, we don't have set menus, we encourage you to choose dishes you'll love and create wedding breakfast menus that are bespoke to your tastes and budget, and we offer a variety of options for your evening catering.

Catering prices are always 'price per head' and include:

- A Private Consultation with an experienced Wedding Catering Coordinator to discuss your individual requirements
- The opportunity to sample a Tasting Menu at a Wedding Experience Event
- Your Catering Manager on site throughout your wedding day to ensure excellent service
- The perfect number of Serving Staff throughout the day
- Professional and Talented Chef passionate about your menu
- Provision of White Tablecloths and Napkins
- All the Crockery, Cutlery and Glassware required, specific to your drinks and menu
- Iced Jugs of Water on each dining table.
- Our wedding coordinators will help guide you through the planning of your special day to ensure the whole process is smooth and stress free, from initial enquiry to the day itself.





To arrange a viewing of the Abbey with our weddings team

Or if you have any questions

Please don't hesitate to get in touch with us

01926 858585

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FAQ's

Will the venue be available on my wedding day?

Check our availability at your earliest convenience, some of the most popular dates of the year can be booked up to two years in advance. Our peak season is April-September & December.

Do you have accommodation?

There is no onsite accommodation at Stoneleigh Abbey however we have good connections with many local hotels to suit a range of budgets.

Can we arrive by coach?

Yes coaches are permitted onsite however due to the weight restriction on the bridge which you will be required to cross when entering from the B4115, coaches are required to enter the Abbey from the B4113 where a member of the team will arrange for the gates to be opened.

Is your venue licensed to carry out civil weddings?

Stoneleigh Abbey has four fully licensed rooms for you to choose from, the smallest is the Gilt Hall which can accommodate up to 60 guests and our largest room is the riding school which is licensed for up to 400 guests. The registry office for Stoneleigh Abbey is in Warwickshire and can be contacted on 01926 413724 or email:warwickro@warwickshire.gov.uk

Will ours be the only wedding at your venue?

Stoneleigh Abbey has a one wedding policy which means there will only ever be one wedding taking place at any one time, ensuring that you and your wedding receive the very best of service and attention.

How many guests can you accommodate?

We can accommodate up to 100 guests in the West Wing of the Abbey, up to 350 guests in the Riding School and we have a marquee site for up to 500 guests.

Can we access all areas of the venue, the West Wing state rooms, the Saloon and Gilt Hall and the riverside gardens?

Stoneleigh Abbey is still home to residents who have their own private areas of the Abbey however the West Wing Saloon and Gilt Hall along with the riverside gardens are all accessible by our wedding couples and provide some wonderful photo opportunities.

Any visits to Stoneleigh Abbey in reference to your wedding are by appointment only and must be booked in via the Amadeus office.

Access on the day of your wedding must be coordinated with your event manager, access for suppliers before 9am is not permitted unless otherwise agreed.

What are the rules and regulations?

The following items are not permitted on any part of the abbey:

- Naked flames including tea lights and ceremony fires
- Smoke machines
- Helium balloons
- Selfie sticks

An application to the Stoneleigh Abbey board of trustees should be submitted before fireworks can be permitted. If permission is granted, fireworks are only permitted by our approved supplier Jonathan's Fireworks Ltd.

Music; in various parts of the Abbey there are different noise restrictions. Please speak to your wedding coordinator before booking and confirming your entertainment. Bands are only permitted upon request to the Trustees and full details of the proposed band must be provided.

Licensing; The Abbey is licensed up until 23:00 and the Riding School is licensed up until midnight. The Amadeus and Stoneleigh Abbey team are not authorised and therefore can not be held responsible for the moving of decor between areas / rooms. The handling of this must be allocated to a

What does your venue offer that is extra special?

The backdrop and history of Stoneleigh Abbey make the day of your dreams possible because of our one wedding policy and the fact that the Abbey is not open to the public, so you don't even have to share it!

Room Capacities

Room Name	Dimension	Drinks Capacity	Seated Dinner	Theatre Style	Licenced for civil ceremonies
The Saloon	14.5m X9m Area: 130.5 sqm	100	N/A	130	Yes
The Gilt Hall	7m x 7m & 5m x 4m (T – shape) Area: 69 sqm	75	N/A	60	Yes
The Vaulted Hall	14.2 x 8.2m Area: 116.4sqm	75	N/A	N/A	No
The Orangery	19.5m x 6m Area:117 sqm	150	N/A	120	Yes
Riding School without dance -floor	33m x 12m Area: 396 sqm	400	350	400	Yes
Riding School with dance-floor	33m x 12m Area: 396 sqm	350	330	350	

Directions

Located just off of the A46 on the B4115.
Head southbound from the A45/A46 junction along the A46.
Take the first exit signed Stoneleigh/Warwick Arts Centre.
Turn left signed Stoneleigh &
then in 100m turn right at the crossroads signed B4115 Stoneleigh Abbey & Ashow.
In 1.5 miles, the Abbey is signed as a left turn.

Please note that there is no access to Stoneleigh Abbey from Stoneleigh Park.

