

Picton Castle

...for your special day





Picton Castle & Woodland Gardens



Picton Castle offers a beautiful and romantic location for your wedding celebration. This rare 13th century castle was a treasured family home for over 700 years and the interiors are famous for their Georgian elegance and original contents.

The 40 acre Woodland Gardens and lawns surround the castle situated in the Pembrokeshire National Park. The grounds also contain a maze, a scented walled garden and play areas for the little ones.



Weddings *at* Picton Castle



The stunning and beautiful Great Hall with its Minstrel's Gallery is the favourite choice for Civil Ceremonies and can easily accommodate up to 120 guests. For more intimate occasions, the Regency and White and Gold Drawing Rooms are available.

To ensure your day is as exclusive as possible, we only book one wedding ceremony and one marquee reception a day.

Marquees are set up on the north lawn of the castle. This is a sheltered area opening onto the castle lawns,

creating an enchanting atmosphere for your special day and a lovely backdrop for those special photographs.

There are also facilities for you to have a Champagne Reception. It's a civilised way of entertaining your guests while your photographer gets the perfect pictures.

The Champagne Reception can be in the Walled Garden, in the Great Hall, or other areas of the garden. We provide a stylish service area of draped table and parasol, two members of staff and champagne flutes. You provide the champagne

The options *for* your special day



Civil Ceremony

For a civil ceremony, you have exclusive use of the Great Hall for up to 120 people for two hours. (Before you book, please check with local registrar for available dates; contact details provided on information sheet attached).

Marquee Reception

The north lawn is a large and flexible space which has accommodated marquees for weddings ranging from 90 to 300 guests and your guests will be free to relax and enjoy the glorious grounds and gardens around the castle.

A Wedding Day *at* Picton Castle

Wedding days are special at Picton Castle and we will help with all those little details to make the day memorable.

On the Big Day, the grand wrought iron gates between the lodges are opened so guests and wedding party can drive down the front drive straight onto the Castle forecourt, for a stylish start to a special occasion.

Our dedicated staff are on hand to greet early guests and to make sure

everything runs smoothly in these elegant surroundings.

The Registrar uses the intimate 18th century Library for the private, pre ceremony conversations with the bridal couple.

The acoustics in the Great Hall are perfect so, whatever your choice of music, it will sound glorious.

It's *your* day. Enjoy it as you will.



Memorable weddings don't just happen... *they're planned*



Organising a wedding is a huge project, which some people thoroughly enjoy and others would prefer to delegate. Whichever kind of person you are, you will find exactly what you are looking for at Picton Castle.

If you're looking forward to creating your own dream day, at Picton Castle you have the freedom to choose all your own

suppliers, themes and individual finishing touches. It is your day and we can help you to make it perfect.

If you think you would like help with your wedding plans our wedding planner can provide a Complete Wedding Planning Service, Wedding Day Co-Ordination or just a Wedding Consultation.

Catering

Picton Castle catering is run by Maria Grimwood, one of Pembrokeshire's favourite caterers, with an excellent reputation for providing exciting and delicious food. Maria's passion for food starts with selecting the best quality ingredients, skillfully blending the best of Pembrokeshire Produce with the finest of Spanish and Mediterranean specialities.

Maria will provide sample menus and wine lists to suit your personal taste and budget.

Flowers

We have an excellent "in house" florist, Elsa Sharp, who can help you design those essential floral decorations and bouquets to match your dreams for the castle and the marquee for your memorable day.

Practical Considerations



During your wedding ceremony and reception at Picton Castle we will ensure your special day runs smoothly. However, because of the unique nature of the venue, we ask you to be aware of a few practical considerations:

From March to October, the gardens are open to visitors, closing at 5.00pm. The site for the marquee is on a secluded lawned area adjacent to the castle.

If you have a wedding ceremony in the castle, you have exclusive use of the room for up to two hours, starting one hour before the time of the ceremony.

Fireworks are only permitted if they are booked with West Coast Fireworks of Narberth

Regrettably we cannot allow confetti, rose petals, rice or similar showers.

Bluestone National Park Resort

Bluestone National Park Resort is a five-star short-break destination that offers guests luxurious accommodation, superb facilities and exceptional customer service.

Just six miles from Picton Castle, Bluestone is an ideal venue for families, couples and individuals seeking to get away from it all. With a wide range of accommodation, from one bedroom studios and cottages, to luxurious lodges that can sleep between two and 14 people, Bluestone can cater for any size of party.

Guests have access to a wide range of facilities, including The Well Spa and its range of treatments and thermal rooms, then there's a selection of restaurants, including fine dining at Carreg Las which uses the best local produce for exquisite evening meals. For the more adventurous we have a whole host of activities from our 300ft zip wire and high wire course at the Steep Ravine, to Woodland Warrior Laser combat, archery and laser clay shooting. Then there's the now famous Blue Lagoon water park with a host of splashtastic adventures, water slides, spa pools and much more. For those who want to chill out and enjoy the stunning scenery and tranquil surroundings, why not try one of our numerous nature trails or cycle paths.

Bluestone can tailor make your stay to suit your party size and requirements. A three night weekend break starts from just £249 in one of our lodges. Our Studio Apartments, ideal for singles or couples, start at just £99 per night on a room only basis or £130 for two with dinner, bed and breakfast.



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Canaston Oaks is the home of David and Eleanor Lewis, who will welcome you and care for you during your stay. The buildings are a skillful blend of converted traditional farm stables with modern additions, all designed and built by Pembrokeshire craftsmen. The decor blends traditional and contemporary elements to produce the highest level of

comfort in a restful environment. The coveted 'Visit Wales' Gold Award (now given for the fourth consecutive year to Canaston Oaks) indicates how successfully Eleanor has used her design skills to achieve her aim. The result is accommodation that is truly five star: luxurious beds and furnishings with special touches that make all the difference, superb bathroom suites, every need catered for. Boutique bed and breakfast as it should be!

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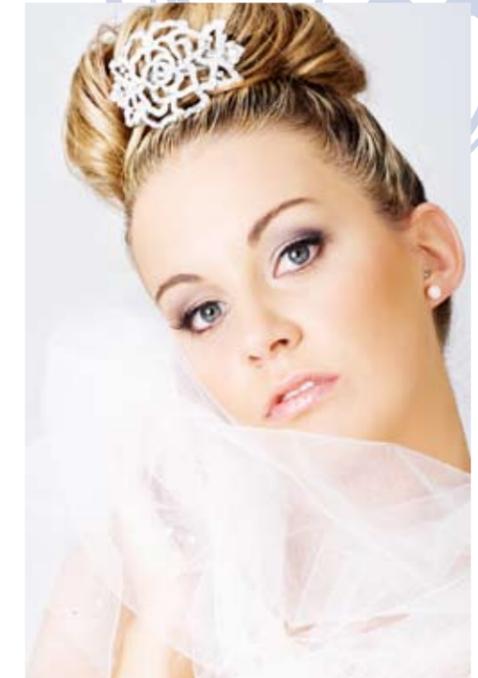
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Hotel Mariners Haverfordwest



The Hotel Mariners is a family run hotel that offers good quality accommodation in the centre of Haverfordwest. The hotel has 28 rooms, including family rooms, all with en-suite facilities and a large private car park. A wide ranging menu and a selection of real ales are available in our restaurant and bar. We are located only a short distance from Picton Castle. Please mention Picton weddings when booking.

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Bed and Breakfast

We offer high standard 4 star Visit Wales farmhouse Bed & Breakfast accommodation with large en-suite well equipped rooms. Start your day off with a traditional breakfast including homemade bread & preserves and a wide selection for your main course. Return at the end of your day, unwind and relax in one of Pembrokeshire's most beautiful farmhouses.

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Castle Photography

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The City Inn



We are a small, friendly inn trading since 1995 with a 3 star guest accommodation grading from Visit Wales. We have 11 letting rooms, nine of which are en-suite and all have TV and tea and coffee making facilities. We are two miles from the beach and a ten minute walk from the famous St. David's Cathedral. Meals are served in our spacious lounge or dining room, we have our own car park and are also the 19th hole for St. David's Golf Club.

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Picton Castle Restaurant



Picton Castle Restaurant is run by Maria Grimwood, one of Pembrokeshire's favourite caterers, with an excellent reputation. She is the popular choice for most of our wedding parties but you can engage your own caterer if you prefer.

Maria can design menus to suit your personal taste and budget. She also has an excellent selection of wines and is licensed to run a pay bar if required.

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The best in the West for warm welcome and farmhouse food



Cuckoo Mill Farm is 3 star accommodation looked after by myself Margaret Davies. The mixed livestock farm is worked by the present three generations of our family. We are conveniently situated in central Pembrokeshire on the A487 just two miles out of Haverfordwest towards St. David's.

We are approximately 300 yards off the main road and passing traffic. Cuckoo Mill is well decorated having good quality furniture, really comfortable and welcoming. The bedrooms are pretty, one is doubled bedded and the other with double, single serving as a double twin room.

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