

At Thomas Prior Hall, we believe your wedding day should be designed with the same care and attention that goes into the beautiful bridal dress or tailored groom's suit. Customised specifically to your personality and wishes.

The management and staff of Thomas Prior Hall would like to congratulate you on your recent engagement and thank you for enquiring about holding your Wedding Day with us.

Exuding elegance and charm, Thomas Prior Hall is a venue like no other. Located in the heart of Ballsbridge Dublin 4, this unique venue is nestled neatly on beautifully landscaped gardens with an iconic white-water fountain.

We would be delighted to discuss your requirements in more detail. Please contact our wedding co-ordinator to arrange an appointment.

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WHERE EVERY MOMENT MATTERS









TO A UNIQUE VENUE

Thomas Prior Hall is a listed Victorian building which combines opulence with modern sophistication.

With a wealth of stunning scenery throughout the property, this unique venue provides the perfect backdrop for any ceremony, celebration and wedding shoot.

The unique ballroom is a magical church-like venue with arched windows, spectacular vaulted ceilings, stunning chandeliers and a choir balcony making it the ultimate romantic venue which is sure to impress your guests.

Thomas Prior Hall also offers a private entrance, bar and kitchen allowing the team to give a focused service for every couple.

One of the most beautiful wedding venues in Dublin the team at Thomas Prior Hall will endeavour to give you a magical day.

WEDDING CAPACITY

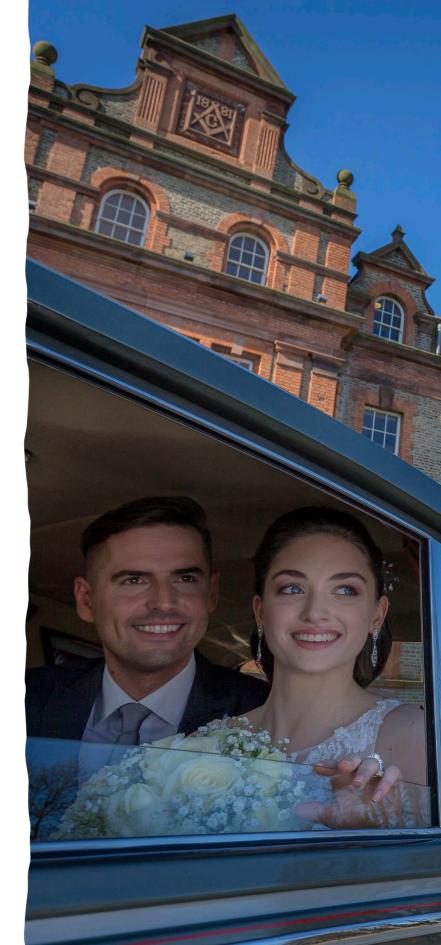
- Intimate weddings of up to 50 guests in the contemporary surrounds of our 1880.
- Large weddings ranging from 170 guests in our elegant Thomas Prior Hall.

WEDDING BANQUET

Our Head Chef takes pleasure in preparing for you a wedding banquet with a variety of delicious and memorable choices. Combine this with impeccable presentation and courteous service you can expect a wedding banquet that delights you and your guests.

CIVIL CEREMONIES

Recognised for civil ceremonies Thomas Prior Hall is the perfect location for civil ceremonies and partnerships.





PRE & POST WEDDING EVENTS

We cater for all numbers if you want to start the party early or continue to the next day. Clayton Hotel Ballsbridge and Thomas Prior Hall offer a selection of venues on-site from the courtyard, the lawn, the 1880 and much more.

BRIDAL SUITE & GUEST ACCOMMODATION

The theme of luxury also extends to our bedroom accommodation. We offer couples our bridal suite complimentary as part of our wedding package. Special accommodation rates which include a full Irish breakfast are available to guests attending your wedding. Our wedding package also includes two complimentary room upgrades.

ALL YOUR NEEDS...

Our experienced, dedicated wedding coordinator is there to help you plan your wedding and will be delighted to discuss your requirements and show you our facilities. Their guidance and expertise will ensure that you enjoy your special day every step of the way, with your arrangements carried out with the individual attention and personal service that Thomas Prior Hall is famous for.

PERFECT MOMENTS

CEREMONIES & CIVIL WEDDINGS

For couples looking for an alternative venue to host their ceremony as well as their reception, Thomas Prior Hall is the perfect venue for civil ceremonies and civil partnerships.

We are a recognised civil ceremony location and hotel. We can offer an intimate suite in our 1880 room for civil ceremonies and partnerships. For larger groups the church like Thomas Prior Hall provides the perfect backdrop to your ceremony.



For further information please contact civil registration office;

Civil Registration Service Joyce House 8-11 Lombard St E, Dublin 2

T +353 1 853 8200

For couples who choose not to include a religious service in their wedding celebrations, a Humanist ceremony is an ideal option.

For further information on Humanist Celebrants, please contact:

E admin@humanism.ie T +353 86 088 7744



1880 & INTIMATE CELEBRATIONS

1880 provides the perfect backdrop for a more intimate wedding. Bask in this elegant light-filled room with glass-lined walls and rich furnishings. Adjacent to 1880 you will find an outdoor terrace - ideal for a summer drinks reception.

FRESH AIR MOMENTS

Weddings at Thomas Prior offers the unique ability to enjoy some fresh air on your wedding day. Unlike other wedding venues in Dublin City, Thomas Prior Hall offers the use of our beautiful lawn. Which is perfect for summer ceremonies or relaxed drinks receptions.





ACCOMMODATION





Clayton Hotel
Ballsbridge boasts
over 335 bedrooms
including luxurious
executive, superior and
deluxe rooms along with
exclusive suites.

Our beautifully designed Bridal Suite is the perfect place to spend your first morning of married life together. Besides the bridal suite, you will find an exclusive and separate wing for the bridal party, close friends or intimate family members. Away from the hustle and bustle, this ensures that you can relax and prepare for your big day in peace.

Couples will receive a complimentary overnight stay in the bridal suite on the night of your wedding followed by a champagne breakfast the following morning delivered straight to your room.

We also offer your guest's special accommodation rates.*

*T&Cs apply



NEXT DAY CELEBRATIONS

Continue the party on to the next day and spend some quality time with family and friends.

Clayton Hotel Ballsbridge can offer areas such as the Grandstand Bar and Restaurant, 1880, our lawn or Courtyard area. All perfect for that post-wedding day celebration.

SAMPLE BBQ MENU

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FROM THE GRILL

- 8oz 100% Irish beef burger served with condiments
- Spiced chicken kebab
- Smoked leek & pork jumbo sausage
- Skewers of jumbo prawns with cherry tomatoes
- Corn on the cob

SIDES

- Chef's selection of individual mixed salads
- Greek salad with marinated feta
- Roasted potato salad with bacon & French dressing
- Hummus with a selection of flat bread & olive oil

DESSERTS

• Selection of Clayton desserts

THE COMPLETE CLAYTON HOTEL BALLSBRIDGE PACKAGE

FROM €83 PP

(Minimum number of 100 adult guests apply)

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- Welcome reception with prosecco, tea, coffee and homemade cookies for all of your guests
- 5 course dinner menus with a choice of main course
- Half bottle of specially selected house wine per person
- Evening food of sandwiches, cocktail sausages and tea or coffee
- White washed Chiavari chairs with ivory seat pads
- Damask linen tablecloths and napkins
- Candelabras with mirrored bases.
- Integrated PA System
- Personalised menus and table plans
- Bar Extension until 1:30am
- *Midweek packages available in July & August

SPECIAL MOMENTS

Alongside our exclusive package each couple will receive the following with our compliments:

- Designated wedding coordinator
- A "one wedding a day" promise for a more attentive and personalised service
- Complimentary menu tasting for the couple
- Red carpet arrival with a glass of champagne for bride and groom
- Complimentary room hire of Thomas Prior Hall (minimum numbers of 100)
- 2x Microphones and an inbuilt speaker for your speeches
- Choice of cake stand & knife
- Luxurious surroundings and gardens for perfect pictures of your special day
- · No service charges
- Complimentary accommodation in our newly renovated Bridal Suite with champagne breakfast
- Special accommodation rates for your guests for up to 20 rooms on your wedding night
- Complimentary one-year anniversary dinner and accommodation in Clayton Hotel Ballsbridge



CELEBRATORY MOMENTS

Here at Thomas Prior Hall, we want to make sure that all our couples are happy with their wedding day menu.

Our Head Chef has carefully designed a menu based on seasonality and locally sourced produce.

Couples are given a complimentary menu tasting where they will meet with the Head Chef to help choose their wedding day menu.

SAMPLE WEDDING MENU

Speak with our wedding co-ordinator today to view our sample menus.

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WEDDING CHECKLIST

GETTING STARTED

Tell relatives and friends you're engaged	
Open a wedding bank account	
Select brides maids, best man and ushers	
Compose a guest list	



12 - 6 MONTHS REFORE THE RIG DAY

Visit the priest or minister and set the date	
Book your reception venue. Contact our wedding co-ordinator for available dates	
Determine a budget	
Book your DJ and musician for the reception	
Choose professional photographer/ videographer and wedding cars	
Order your stationery	
Shop for wedding gown: Several fittings will be required	
Obtain floral and music estimates; book services if possible	
Pick a honeymoon destination – don't forget to book the time off from work	
Order dresses for bridesmaids	
Organise wedding insurance	



5 MONTHS BEFORE THE BIG DAY

Confirm arrangements with your priest or celebrant and discuss the service, readings and music with him/her if you are having a religious ceremony	
Finalise guest lists	
Choose and purchase your wedding rings	
Choose florist	
Groom to organise suits for himself and best man	
Make honeymoon reservations	
Order your wedding cake	
Confirm delivery of bridal gown	
Reserve accommodation for guests who need it – ask our wedding co-ordinator about special rates for your guests	
Go over details of reception with wedding co-ordinator	



2 MONTHS BEFORE THE BIG DAY

Inform priest or celebrant of all the details of your ceremony	
Fine tune guest list and send out invitations, including gift list info	
Finalise honeymoon plans, check passports are up to date and book travel insurance	
Organise vaccinations and visas	
Discuss hair and make up with your hairdresser/make-up artist	
Buy a guest book	
Select wedding party gifts	
Final gown fitting	

1 MONTH BEFORE THE BIG DAY

Chase all unanswered invitations and draw up a final list of who'll be attending your wedding	
Confirm final numbers with our wedding co-ordinator and work out a seating plan	
Book your final hair appointment	
If you're changing your surname or address, notify your bank, doctor and so on	
Organise stag and hen parties (for at least a week before the day!) – this is a groomsman/bridesmaid job	
Remind all those speaking at your wedding to prepare their speeches	
Confirm music arrangements & check selections	
Apply for marriage licence	



1 WEEK BEFORE THE BIG DAY

Remind rehearsal dinner guests of time/location	
Confirm photographer, flowers, cars, musicians and DJ	
Reconfirm final numbers with our wedding co-ordinator	
Schedule rehearsal for 1 - 2 days prior to wedding	
Go over final details of ceremony & reception with all parties involved	
Assign small jobs to family/friends. (pick up guest book, cameras etc.)	
Wear-in your wedding shoes at home	



1 DAY BEFORE THE BIG DAY

Relax!	
Pamper yourself!	
Have honeymoon luggage sent to Clayton Hotel Ballsbridge	
Relax and have an early night	
WEDDING DAY	
Eat!	
Hair & make-up	
Check wedding dress/suits (pressing/steaming)	
Have family member check ceremony/ reception for left behind item	
Breath! Enjoy your day	





FOR ENQUIRIES