

A Beautiful Wedding Venue  
For your perfect day



THE  
POTTERS  
HERON

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*Proud*

We're very proud of our venue and equally as proud to potentially be sharing one of the biggest days of your life!

## Welcome

Resplendent with its new thatch, The Potters Heron, set in its mature woodland setting is a well-known local landmark offering an unforgettable wedding venue.

With adaptable spaces to suit all kinds of occasion, be it a cosy intimate affair to a gathering of over a hundred guests we are licenced to host both civil ceremonies and receptions. Our garden spaces are a perfect accompaniment to good weather, enjoying the sunshine whilst it lasts!

We love a wedding and with years of experience our events team know it's all in the detail. Getting to know our new couple is the first step, understanding what's important to make your big day as personal and special as you deserve. Helping to plan your day, we like to say yes to requests as often as possible and take pride in finding solutions to all of wedding planning's little challenges.

We can happily recommend tried and trusted wedding specialists including florists, cake makers, decoration suppliers, entertainers and more. Ensuring that on the day every little detail is perfect.

There is only ever one wedding on any date, it is always your day.

### Our facilities include:

- Fully licensed for Civil Ceremonies for up to 100 guests
- Ceremony & wedding breakfast for up to 150 guests
- Drinks reception for up to 150 guests
- Bespoke packages to suit all budgets
- Menus created by award-winning Chef Patron Rob Clayton
- Dedicated wedding team
- Complimentary accommodation for the bride and groom
- Exclusive accommodation rates for your guests
- Air conditioned function rooms
- Free extensive parking

## Want it all?

We offer exclusive use of the hotel event spaces and all of our fifty three bedrooms. The hotel is literally yours from the beginning of your ceremony or reception until checkout the following morning. No need to book hotels for your guests, find taxis or most importantly end the party early. To top it all off everyone gets a lie in and breakfast!





## Garden Room

Flooded with light and looking out onto our sunken garden (which is perfect for pictures by the way), the Garden Room is our show piece. Private but not cut off from the rest of the hotel, you and your guests will be able to enjoy our blend of warm yet professional service as your day unfolds.

Whatever your style this room can be dressed to compliment and enhance. It has a real sense of scale and provides the perfect space for up to 130 guests seated, 150 guests in the evening.



## Ampfield

This bright room makes a wonderful ceremony space for up to 60 people and with a small staircase to descend your entrance will have a real sense of occasion.

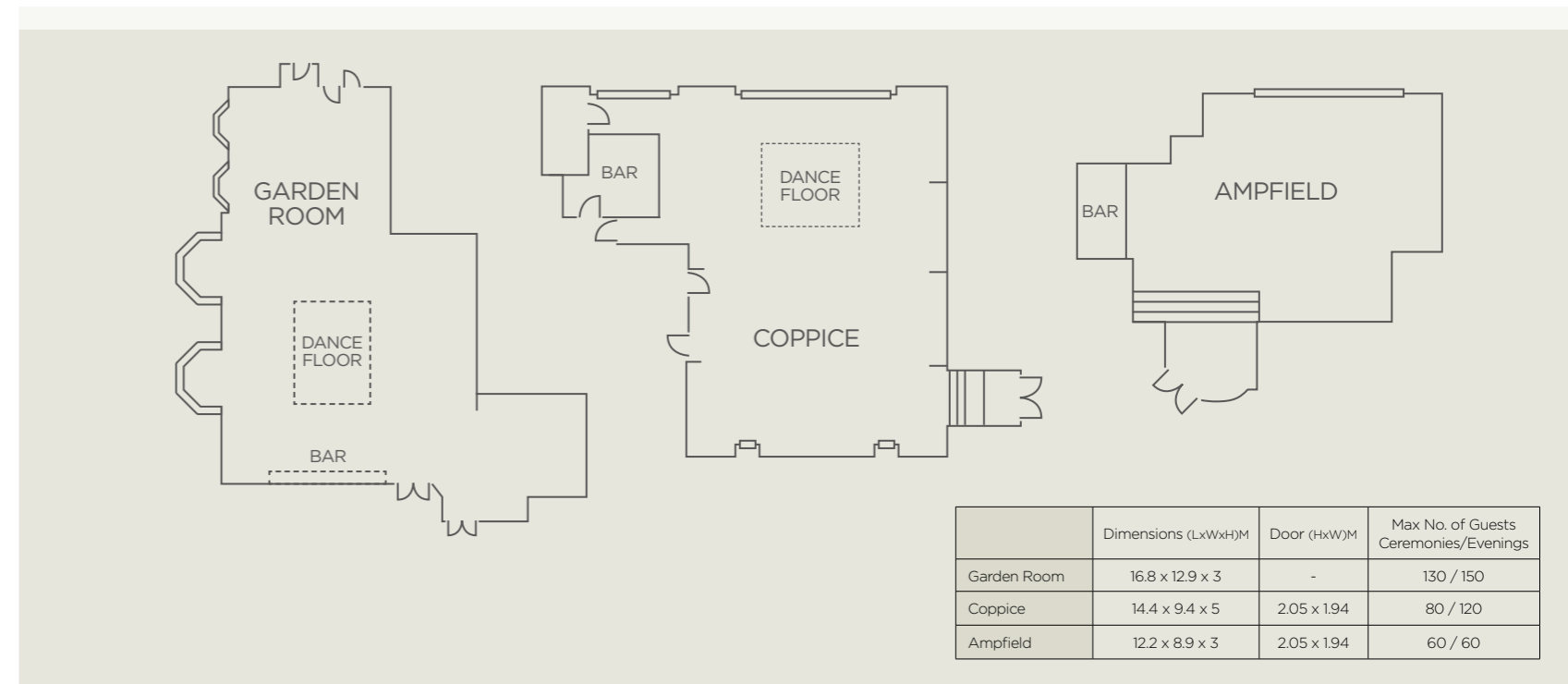
If you are planning an intimate reception, the Ampfield looks fantastic with a single oval table decorated in beautiful style and is the perfect place to gather your favourite people close by and celebrate together.

## Coppice

With its own wooded garden at the front and a picture window at each end the Coppice really does feel like it could be in a woodland glade.

Once your decorations and fairy lights are up and twinkling your guests will be enchanted with this room. Great for ceremonies or receptions for up to 80 people and evenings for up to 120.

*Our spaces*





*Experienced*

Let our amazing dedicated team do the work for you.

## Your wedding day, your way

There is so much to plan, to help you we have put our years of experience together in these packages. Let our amazing dedicated team do the work for you.

If our package suggestions aren't quite right for you, just tell us. Have your wedding your way with a completely bespoke day. We host beautiful weddings from twenty to one hundred and fifty people and have the perfect room to host you and your guests. Create your own, very personal day to remember.

Our packages all feature the following:

- Red carpet arrival
- White linen table cloths & napkins
- Use of our cake stand and knife
- Our resident DJ
- Complimentary room for the newlyweds on the night of the wedding
- The services of a Banqueting Manager to guide you through the day
- Upgrade to the Garden Room complimentary for more than 75 guests

### The Tradition Package

Your day starts in The Ampfield suite for your wedding ceremony, as you take your first walk together as a married couple you are invited to share a glass of Bucks Fizz or Pimm's with your guests in our airy reception and lounge area. At the appointed time you will make your way to the Coppice suite for your wedding breakfast. As this is the Tradition Package, we stick to the tradition that everyone eats the same meal (dietary requirements are catered for). During the meal we will come round and pour everyone a glass of wine (or soft drink if chosen or for children).

Once everyone has eaten their fill it's usually time for the speeches, so we bring round the prosecco and make sure everyone's glass is charged. After the speeches you and your guests take a break and we get the Coppice suite ready for your evening party, where you can all enjoy the included DJ and the 6 item buffet.

### The Celebration Package

As the Tradition package with the added extras of:

You will create a three choice, three course menu for your guests to pre-select their favourite dishes from. Our waiting staff will be serving half a bottle of wine per guest during the meal from our premium selection, and a glass of our favourite champagne to toast the happy couple with during the speeches. Once the party gets started your guests will be able to choose their favourite things from the 10 item buffet.

### Signature Package

A celebration with a contemporary twist, where we bring food to you and your guests while you mingle and socialise as you would with canapés yet enjoy a satisfying meal with great flavours and variety.

As you arrive for your ceremony in the Coppice suite you will see your included floral arrangement on the ceremony table. Your post-ceremony drinks are a choice of champagne or Kir Royal or G&T. Whilst you are sipping your drinks our team will bring round trays of canapés (5 per person). Then as your guests move into the Garden room your signature wedding breakfast begins, select 5 savoury and 2 sweet dishes per person. Waiting staff will move amongst your guests with half a bottle of wine per guest from our premium selection and a glass of champagne to toast the happy couple.

Once the evening comes and your guests are getting peckish again we serve your selection of 3 savoury and 1 sweet signature bowl or a finger buffet with a selection of 10 items.

Our package guide prices are available separately along with drinks options and menu suggestions. If these aren't included in the back of your brochure please ask.



# *Eat, drink and dance!*

## Food & drink

When it comes to food choices our chefs will help you design the perfect menu for your guests. Clayton's Kitchen, our new restaurant, overseen by Rob Clayton an award winning chef, uses the freshest ingredients found as close to home as possible in tantalising menus. Our bar team are ready to compliment your food with some fantastic drinks choices, all served with a smile by our events team who are proud to share in your special day.

## Party time!

After the formalities of 'I do's', speeches and toasts it's almost time for the first dance, but definitely not the last! You'll have to bring the dancing shoes, we'll provide everything else to ensure your celebrations go on late into the night. DJ, lighting, decorations, photo booth, ice cream bike, pop corn... what ever makes your day one to remember.



# Relax

Before and after the celebrations,  
let us take care of everything.



## Stay with us

Relax before and after the celebrations by staying with us, no traffic worries or running late! You and your guests have the option of staying in one of our fifty three comfortable bedrooms.

Extend celebrations, spend time with family and friends, visit historic Romsey and Winchester nearby and there are many scenic forest and river walks on our doorstep.

Our rooms are either on garden level or first floor and almost all have their own balcony or terrace area. We take care of everything for you so you can relax and enjoy.

Offering everything you need for an enjoyable overnight stay. Free Wi-Fi, Hypnos bed, crisp linens and fluffy towels.

## Pamper yourself before the big day

Book an appointment with our trusted friend Gemma, owner of Potters Beauty Barn for some final touches or a relaxing massage.

## Want to find out more?

Our wedding co-ordinator Nina is the best person to help, our resident expert when it comes to weddings!

Give Nina a call on 02380 277 800 or get in touch on email [nina.barton@potters-heron.co.uk](mailto:nina.barton@potters-heron.co.uk)

If you do choose to have your ceremony with us you are required to make a personal booking and pay for your Registrar through Hampshire County Council (01329 289733). Once you have a provisional date we recommend confirming with the Registrar to avoid disappointment!





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