

THE  
GREENHOUSE  
· CAFÉ ·



▪ 2024 - 2025 ▪



# ABOUT US

*Thank you for considering The Greenhouse Café to celebrate your love story.*

*Dive into this brochure, where each page will unveil the magic and potential of your upcoming nuptials.*

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The Greenhouse Café is the epitome of refined elegance, harmoniously blending the beauty of nature with modern design. The seamless fusion of natural light and eco-inspired architecture makes every corner of this venue a feast for the eyes. Bask in the marvel of nature and architecture while celebrating among 160 of your cherished guests. Moreover, immerse yourself in the enriching activities and experiences that Rosemary Hill Farm bestows.

## WHY CHOOSE THE GREENHOUSE CAFÉ?

**Location!** Rosemary Hill is ideally located to ensure convenience and accessibility for you and your guests.

**Here are some key travel times from Rosemary Hill:**

- O.R Tambo International Airport: Just 45 minutes away.
- Lanseria International Airport: A short 51 minute drive.
- Sandton (Johannesburg): Approximately 50 minutes.
- Pilanesberg National Park and Sun City: A scenic 2 hour journey.
- Kruger National Park: 4 hours away.

**Genuine Charm:** Located on a thriving family-run herb farm, every wedding here paints its own story, adorned with authenticity and bespoke details.

**Elegant Preparations:** Begin your day in style. For all weekend weddings, The Bride and her entourage have a Bridal Room (The Stone Cottage) from 2pm on the Friday, thereby ensuring that you conveniently wake up in your Bridal Suite on your wedding day, while the Groom and his crew have a stylish Groom's Room (The Zenkaya) from 7am on the Saturday. For midweek weddings, the Bride has access to the Stone Cottage and the Groom has access to the Zenkaya from 7am on the day of the wedding.

**Honeymoon Suite:** No need for the Bride & Groom to move over to another room. Retreat to luxury after your festivities. Our exquisite Honeymoon Suite (The Stone Cottage) is our gift to you on your wedding night.

**Picturesque Settings:** With access to forest and veld landscapes, your photos and videos will be captured against breathtaking backdrops.

**Seamless Entertainment:** Your soundscape is curated by a professional DJ, setting the mood for the ceremony, reception and the in-between moments.

**Accommodate & Celebrate:** Our expansive estate can host 142 of your cherished guests. A communal pool with braai facilities adds to the leisure experiences. Accommodation for the Bridal Couple and 16 of your guests in our closest units is conveniently booked for you in your package (at a 20% discount!).

**Nature's Touch:** Room amenities are manufactured using essential oils grown, harvested and distilled in The Distillery on Rosemary Hill Farm.

**Farm-to-Feast:** Let your wedding feast tell a story. The herbs, lemons and pecan nuts used in our cuisine are cultivated organically, right here at Rosemary Hill.

**Plus,** as a unique feature expressing our commitment to making your wedding day flawless, your package includes the expertise of our in-house **event coordinator**. Our dedicated coordinator will provide invaluable assistance leading up to your special day, ensuring that every detail is meticulously planned and executed, leaving you free to focus on the joy of your celebration.

At The Greenhouse Café, every wedding is more than an event; it's a memory curated with love, care and a touch of nature's magic. Join us in creating yours!

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# THE VENUES

## THE CHAPEL

Perched on a hill, this open-air chapel blends artful steelwork with the raw beauty of nature, offering unparalleled vistas of the lush farm. The perfect setting to express your love amidst the rustling leaves of surrounding forests, creating an ambiance of romance and extraordinary beauty.





## THE DECK AND BOMA

As the sun dips below the horizon, treat your guests to a breathtaking sundowner and canapé reception on The Deck, surrounded by beautiful lawns and trees.

Guests can meander through the manicured gardens, where every step reveals a new picturesque scene.



## THE CONSERVATORY

Our pièce de résistance, the Conservatory is an architectural marvel inspired by the beauty and function of greenhouses. This airy space is flooded with natural diffused light from the translucent southern roof, while the solid northern roof offers protection from the summer sun.

Vertical gardens and hanging plants breathe life into the space, complemented by custom designed wooden tables and ghost chairs. At night, the soft glow of 90 low-hanging lightbulbs sets a romantic tone for an unforgettable celebration.





## BUSH VINE BAR & WINE CO

With a wide selection of wines and on-trend beverages, the dedicated team will ensure your guests are well catered for throughout the evening. Don't miss the "Late Bloomer" label, their in-house signature range of boutique wines.



# WEDDING PACKAGES

## 2024 MIDWEEK RATES

THURSDAYS  
(Excl. Public Holidays & the day before)

VENUE HIRE .....	R48 300
COST PER ADULT .....	R 975
COST PER CHILD .....	R 545
<i>(6-12 years)</i>	
COST PER CHILD .....	R 0
<i>(under 6 years)</i>	
ACCOMMODATION .....	R19 840
<i>(You save R4 960)</i>	
DEPOSIT .....	R29 000

### EXAMPLE COST ESTIMATE

WEDDING FOR 50 ADULTS (MINIMUM)

R 29 000 (Deposit)	} Payment 1
R 48 750 (Cost per Adult x 50)	
R 19 840 (Accommodation)	} Payment 2
R 3 000 (Breakage deposit)	
R 19 300 (Remaining venue hire amount)	

**R 119 890 (All prices include 15% VAT)**

## 2024 WEEKEND RATES

FRIDAY OR SATURDAY & PUBLIC HOLIDAYS  
(and the day before a public holiday)

VENUE HIRE .....	R69 000
COST PER ADULT .....	R 975
COST PER CHILD .....	R 545
<i>(6-12 years)</i>	
COST PER CHILD .....	R 0
<i>(under 6 years)</i>	
ACCOMMODATION .....	R39 680
<i>(You save R9 920)</i>	
DEPOSIT .....	R29 000

### EXAMPLE COST ESTIMATE

WEDDING FOR 100 ADULTS (MINIMUM)

R 29 000 (Deposit)	} Payment 1
R 97 500 (Cost per Adult x 100)	
R 39 680 (Accommodation)	} Payment 2
R 3 000 (Breakage deposit)	
R 40 000 (Remaining venue hire amount)	

**R 209 180 (All prices include 15% VAT)**

## 2025 MIDWEEK RATES

THURSDAYS  
(Excl. Public Holidays & the day before)

VENUE HIRE .....	R52 500
COST PER ADULT .....	R 1 085
COST PER CHILD .....	R 600
<i>(6-12 years)</i>	
COST PER CHILD .....	R 0
<i>(under 6 years)</i>	
ACCOMMODATION .....	R21 760
<i>(You save R5 440)</i>	
DEPOSIT .....	R29 000

### EXAMPLE COST ESTIMATE

WEDDING FOR 50 ADULTS (MINIMUM)

R 29 000 (Deposit)	} Payment 1
R 54 250 (Cost per Adult x 50)	
R 21 760 (Accommodation)	} Payment 2
R 3 000 (Breakage deposit)	
R 23 500 (Remaining venue hire amount)	

**R 131 510 (All prices include 15% VAT)**

## 2025 WEEKEND RATES

FRIDAY OR SATURDAY & PUBLIC HOLIDAYS  
(and the day before a public holiday)

VENUE HIRE .....	R75 000
COST PER ADULT .....	R 1 085
COST PER CHILD .....	R 600
<i>(6-12 years)</i>	
COST PER CHILD .....	R 0
<i>(under 6 years)</i>	
ACCOMMODATION .....	R43 520
<i>(You save R10 880)</i>	
DEPOSIT .....	R29 000

### EXAMPLE COST ESTIMATE

WEDDING FOR 100 ADULTS (MINIMUM)

R 29 000 (Deposit)	} Payment 1
R 108 500 (Cost per Adult x 100)	
R 43 520 (Accommodation)	} Payment 2
R 3 000 (Breakage deposit)	
R 46 000 (Remaining venue hire amount)	

**R 230 020 (All prices include 15% VAT)**

## ALLOCATED ACCOMMODATION

For your convenience all the accommodation adjacent to The Greenhouse Café has been added to your package at an incredible 20% discount.  
(Weekend weddings receive two nights and Thursday weddings receive one night)



# INCLUDED IN YOUR PACKAGE

## BEFORE THE WEDDING:

- In-house event coordinator providing assistance leading up to the wedding.
- Use of the premises for your engagement shoot (usually charged at R645 per shoot). Booking essential.
- Complimentary food and wine tasting evening for the Bridal Couple - hosted quarterly.
- Mock table setting at least 3 months before your wedding. Tuesday - Friday, by appointment only please.
- Final meeting with your coordinator at least 1 month prior to your wedding to go through all the details.
- Basic set up and cleaning of the facilities.
- We provide a florist working station with 2 x plastic tables, a dustbin and a broom.
- Exclusive Accommodation: As an added bonus to enhance your wedding experience, we have booked accommodation for 18 of your guests in our closest and cosiest units. This includes The Stone Cottage (for 2 guests, which is also the Bridal Room and Honeymoon Suite), The Zenkaya (for 2 guests, which is also the Groom's Room), The Hideout (for 2 guests) & The Treehouses (6 units, each accommodating 2 guests). This ensures that your nearest and dearest can stay just steps away from the venue, providing both convenience and exclusivity. Say goodbye to worries about outsiders booking these units; they're reserved just for you and your guests. Two nights are included for weekend weddings and one night for weekday weddings.

## DAY OF THE WEDDING:

- Breakfast for all guests that stayed overnight on the farm.
- Security and parking attendants.
- Snack packs for up to four of your service providers: photographers, videographers and band members.
- Upon arrival: Chef's choice canapé served with Mint-lemon water and homemade lemonade OR Botanical iced tea.
- Chapel hire, podium, registry table, ghost chairs, chairs for musicians and DJ.
- Professional in-house DJ service at ceremony, canapés and reception.
- Canapés served on The Deck. The Garden will be set up with pocket lounges and cocktail tables.  
If you choose to cut your cake here, we supply a cake table, cake knife and lifter.
- Picnic basket for the Bridal Couple (with snacks and drinks to take on your photo shoot).
- Basic décor available from The Greenhouse Café (subject to availability and number of guests).
- Standard lights (90 low-hanging lightbulbs, 4x Chauvet Slimpar 56 LED Wash Lights and 2 x Chauvet Intimidator 250 Spot LED Moving Head Lights).
- Inside venue: Wine table, gift table and DJ booth.
- Fully licensed bar.
- Barman and waiters.
- Standard 18/10 silver cutlery, a choice of black or white crockery and standard Champagne & wine glasses.
- Rectangular wooden reception tables.
- Ghost chairs for reception.
- Napkins (white OR black).
- Your choice of a buffet or plated meal.
- Complimentary meals for up to four service providers (not seated at reception).
- During winter: Plate warmer and gas heaters.
- Four firepits (lit and maintained by our staff).
- Generator that starts up automatically in the event of a general power failure.
- Your coordinator stays until 10pm at which time our Security Manager takes over as your contact person.
- 1 Night's stay in the Honeymoon Suite (The Stone Cottage).
- Accommodation for 16 of your guests.

## AFTER THE WEDDING:

- All guests staying over receive a complimentary breakfast. For groups of 2 - 29, guests are welcome to order from the à la carte menu. For groups over 30, a hearty buffet is set up. Please pre-book with your coordinator.
- Final invoice with recon of additional extras and refund of breakage deposit within two weeks.
- 15% discount on any future functions and/or accommodation bookings.
- 50% discount on your accommodation for your 1st anniversary (please book well in advance to avoid disappointment).



## TAILORED EXCLUSIONS

While we provide an extensive array of amenities in our wedding packages, we understand that every wedding is unique. We have therefore intentionally excluded the following elements, allowing you to infuse your wedding with your personal style and preferences.

### CONFETTI:

Being an organic farm, we require you to please source bio-degradable confetti from your florist.

### CUSTOM DÉCOR:

We invite you to bring in your favourite flowers, candles, and décor to reflect your chosen wedding theme, ensuring that your special day is truly a reflection of your personal style. For your convenience, refer to our list of preferred service providers.

### GUEST ACCOMMODATION:

We have booked accommodation for 18 of your guests. For your other guests, we leave the arrangements and bookings flexible to suit your guest's specific needs. Please book online through [www.thegreenhousecafe.co.za/accommodation](http://www.thegreenhousecafe.co.za/accommodation)

### EXTERNAL SERVICE PROVIDERS & PRODUCTS:

We respect your unique preferences for capturing your special moments and therefore leave the options for photographers, videographers, stationery, and ceremony officiant open for you to select your preferred professionals. We do have a list of recommended suppliers that will ease the wedding planning process and ensure a stress free day.

### TABLE WINE:

Choose wines that complement your culinary choices and resonate with your taste and your guests' preferences. This can be brought in at a corkage fee charged on your final wedding invoice two weeks before, or you are welcome to choose from Bush Vine's extensive list.

### SPARKLING WINE FOR TOASTS:

Make your toasts memorable with a sparkling wine that holds a special place in your heart. This can be brought in at a corkage fee charged on your final wedding invoice two weeks before, or you are welcome to choose from Bush Vine's extensive list.

This approach ensures that you have the creative freedom to handpick elements that make your day uniquely yours.

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## LOCATION

When sending out your invitations, please ask your guests to type ROSEMARY HILL into their GPS. They will be directed to The Greenhouse Café from the estate's main gate.

## ACCOMMODATION

We have booked accommodation for you (the Bridal Couple) and 16 of your nearest and dearest in your package. Once your wedding has been booked please encourage your other guests to book the rooms they require as soon as possible as our accommodation is very popular and booked up to 2 years in advance. 50% payable upon booking, remainder payable 3 months before the wedding. Your venue hire does not guarantee exclusive use of all of the other accommodation on the farm, only the wedding venue facility, Bridal Room & Honeymoon Suite (The Stone Cottage), Groom's Room (The Zenkaya) & accommodation for 14 guests in The Treehouses and The Hideout. Please Note that The Zenkaya is only available for check-in after the ceremony as it is used by the Groom until then.

## MINIMUM GUESTS

Thursday: 50 Paying Guests.  
Public Holiday & The Day Before A Public Holiday: 80 Paying Guests.  
Friday OR Saturday: 100 Paying Guests.

## SUGGESTED STARTING TIME

Winter: 3pm, Spring & Autumn: 3:45pm Summer: 4:15pm.

## TABLE WINE AND BAR

All beverages are to be purchased through Bush Vine Bar. All beverage prices are subject to change. Sparkling wine and table wine will be levied with a corkage fee if brought in and will be charged to the final beverages invoice to be paid two weeks prior to your wedding. Bar tabs and special requests to be discussed with Bush Vine management. Specially requested drinks (not consumed) will be deducted from your breakage deposit and returned to you.

## FURRY FRIENDS

We understand that your beloved dog is a special part of your family, and we are delighted to have them here for your wedding ceremony and photoshoot. However, please note that our overnight units are unable to accommodate pets. We kindly request that you appoint someone responsible to take care of your furry friend and take them home after the festivities. This will ensure that you can fully enjoy your special day without any concerns about your pet's well-being. Please let us know in advance if you plan to bring your doggie companion, so we can make appropriate arrangements to make their experience comfortable. Thank you for your cooperation!

## WEDDING PLANNER

At The Greenhouse Café, we have your venue-related and wedding coordination needs covered. We take pride in offering the services of our in-house event coordinator as part of your wedding package, ensuring a seamless and stress-free experience. Please note that we do not allow external wedding coordinators to manage your wedding on the day of your event.

Our dedicated in-house event coordinator will be by your side leading up to the day of your wedding, offering expert assistance in planning and organizing every detail. This exclusive service allows us to maintain the highest standards of quality and coordination, guaranteeing that your special day is executed flawlessly. However, we understand that some brides may have a special relationship with an external wedding planner. If you choose to engage an external wedding planner, we kindly request that they hand over all responsibilities to our in-house wedding coordinator two weeks before OR at the final meeting (before the wedding). This ensures that there is only one person in charge on the day of your celebration, allowing for a seamless and coordinated event that lives up to your dreams.

## DJ & MUSIC

Your package includes a DJ. Should you wish to use your own DJ, our sound engineer will still be on site to ensure correct use of our built-in equipment. For this reason, there will be no discount when using your own DJ. The Greenhouse Café reserves the right to control the volume of the music during the function. The music will end at midnight. Guests may linger by the firepits if they wish to stay longer but unfortunately no speakers are allowed. All areas must be vacated by 2am.

## PAYMENT

For your safety, we are a strictly cash-free zone at our venue. We gladly accept cards, Zapper & Snapscan at the bar. Guests can open a bar tab on the evening that must be settled before their departure. (Please include this info in your invitation).



## SET-UP GUIDELINES

- **Early Access:** Enjoy exclusive access to the reception venue from 7am to 4pm the day before your wedding, ensuring ample time for preparation (subject to availability, please check with your coordinator).
- **Day-of Preparations:** On your special day, you can seamlessly set up the ceremony, canapés, and other areas from 8am up to 11am. Kindly note that venues need to be vacated by 11am to allow our team to perfect the settings.
  - **Preserve Our Craftsmanship:** We kindly request that you do not use our precious wooden reception tables as workstations. Removal of our hanging plants is unfortunately not allowed.
- **Noise levels:** For the harmony of all guests, we kindly request maintaining a tranquil ambiance in the morning, as other celebratory events may be unfolding.
- **Efficient Offloading:** Selected vehicles have permission to briefly park close to the venue for offloading purposes, whereafter vehicles can find a spot in our designated parking areas.
- **Post-Event Collection:** Personal effects and decorative items are best collected by noon the next day unless special arrangements have been made with your coordinator.

## FOOD TASTINGS

Food tastings are strictly scheduled on predetermined dates. You can attend a Buffet tasting OR a Plated tasting. Should you be unable to attend one of these dates, please send a family member or friend to attend on your behalf. Booking is essential and must be done 3 weeks before the tasting date. We host 3 x Buffet tastings per year and 3 x Plated tastings per year. One tasting per couple only. Private tastings can unfortunately not be accommodated.

## CLOSING TIME

The Conservatory will close at midnight, to allow our staff time to pack away and clean the venue. Guests are welcome to continue the celebrations at the Boma, where background music will be played. The liquor licence stipulates that we may only trade until 2am. The bar will remain open (subject to a minimum R1000 spend) until 1am to allow our staff time to close tabs and clean before 2am, at which time all guests will have to return to their respective accommodations.

# CATERING

*Embark on a culinary journey that celebrates South African culture*

Our menu is a harmonious fusion of flavours, a testament to the rich traditions and influences that make up our rainbow nation. From the shores of Durban to the heart of the Karoo, from Cape Malay spices to Zulu flavours, we have curated a feast that pays homage to the diversity of South Africa's culinary heritage. Each dish is a lovingly crafted ode to the different provinces and cultures that have shaped our nation, offering an extraordinary blend of tastes and traditions that is uniquely South African.

We invite you to savour the essence of South Africa, to experience the warmth of our hospitality, and to create cherished memories in a setting that reflects the beauty and richness of our land.

Please discuss your special requests with our Chef. Our culinary creations evolve annually, showcasing the freshest and finest ingredients. Reach out to your dedicated coordinator for our most current menu offerings, or feel free to explore selections from our previous menus to craft a memorable feast that suits your palate perfectly.

We are delighted to accommodate dietary preferences, offering Vegan, Vegetarian and Halaal-friendly options at no extra charge. For strictly Halaal or Kosher catering, a surcharge of R950 will apply.

## BEFORE THE CEREMONY:

### CANAPÉS:

Upon arrival your guests will be welcomed with the Chef's Choice Canapé:

### DRINKS:

Water infused with Mint & Lemon from the farm and your choice of refreshing Homemade Lemonade OR Homemade Botanical Iced Tea

## AFTER THE CEREMONY:

### CANAPÉS:

- Live Grill Teppanyaki Station with selection of two Skewers:
  - Chicken & Seasonal Vegetables (GF) (V)
- Bobotie Eclair with Raisin Puree & Turmeric Custard
  - Goats Cheese Puff (V)
  - Polenta Rounds with Boerewors & Chakalaka
  - Mushroom Arancini with Romesco Sauce (V)
  - Mini Yorkshire Mutton Bunny with Carrot Chutney
  - Smoor Snoek Samoosa with Fresh Coriander Raita
- Caprese Puff Pastry Square with Sliced Bella Tomato, Mozarella, & Basil Leaves, served with a Balsamic Reduction
  - Wood-fired Pizza

### DRINKS:

- Mint-Lemon Water
- Fresh Fruit Juice
- 30 Litre Keg of local South African Beer

#### Served with your choice of:

#### Summer:

- Sangria made with a local South African Wine OR Sparkling Wine

#### Winter:

- Local South African Port OR Sparkling Wine

# 2024 BUFFET MENU:

## PROTEIN

*(Please choose two items)*

- Butter Chicken Curry served with Sambals & Raita
- Herb Crusted Lamb Chops with Spek Boom Chimichurri
- Oven Baked Chicken a la King with Mushroom Duxelles
- Cajun Spiced Pork Belly with Homemade Apple Sauce
  - Whole Roasted Beef Fillet with Biltong Spice
  - served with Mushroom or Pepper Sauce

## STARCH

*(Please choose two items)*

- Braised Jasmine Rice with Crispy Red Onions
- Maize Rice Truffle Risotto with Wild Mushrooms
- Roasted New Potatoes with Parmesan & Basil
  - Sweet Potato Brûlée with Pumpkin Brittle
- Traditional Potato Bake infused with Chives, topped with Parmesan Crumb
- Creamy Samp made with Vegetable Stock

## SALADS & VEGETABLES

*(Please choose three items)*

### COLD:

- Fresh Farm Salad with Lettuce, Cherry Tomatoes, Cucumber, Pickled Onions, Deep Fried Danish Feta & Pickled Green Beans
  - served with our Homemade Dressing
- Pearled Couscous Salad with Roasted Butternut, Pecan Nuts, Dried Cranberries & Lettuce

### HOT:

- Our Famous Pumpkin Pie OR Pumpkin Fritters
- Seasonal Roasted Vegetables with Pesto Drizzle
  - Spinach Crème & Feta Bake
- Slow Cooked Beans (Boere Boontjies) with Herbed Whipped Feta

## DESSERT:

*(Please choose three items, to be served buffet-style.  
OR Soft Serve Ice Cream and one other item)*

- Malva Pudding served with Custard
- Tiramisu Choux Bun with Cocoa Craquelin
- Spiced Carrot & Pineapple Cake with Cream Cheese Frosting
  - Traditional Milk Tart
- Vanilla Pod Sago Pudding with Caramelised Cinnamon Sugar
  - Peppermint Crisp Tart
  - Assortment of Macarons
  - Baked Cheesecake
- Double Chocolate Pecan Nut Brownies
- Vanilla Soft Serve Ice Cream, Served with Sugar Cones and a Variety of Sauces & Toppings

## COFFEE BAR:

Opens after dinner - with a Barista in attendance until 11pm  
Serving Americano, Espresso, Cappuccino, Latté, Red Cappuccino,  
Hot Chocolate, Milo & Selection of Tea



## 2024 PLATED MENU:

### STARTER:

*(Please choose one item)*

- Butternut Gnocchi with Boeren Kaas Velouté, Herbed Oil & Toasted Pumpkin Seed Brittle (V)
- Roasted Vegetable Tartlet served with Basil-Tomato Jelly & Herbed Cream, topped with a Micro Green Salad (V)
- Beef Carpaccio with Biltong Spice, Chakalaka Aioli, Citrus Vinaigrette, Parmesan Shavings & Micro Green Salad
- Spinach & Ricotta Ravioli served with a Drizzle of Olive Oil and a sprinkling of Grated Pecorino
- Seaweed Cracker topped with Sushi Rice, Smoked Trout Ribbons, Soy Sauce, Julienne Cucumber, Seaweed Caviar, Avo Purée & Kewpie Mayonnaise

### MAIN COURSE:

*(Maximum of two meat choices & one vegetarian that must be pre-ordered)*

- Biltong Spice Rubbed Beef Medallion with Hassel Back Potatoes & Pan Seared Green Beans, served with Pepper Sauce
- Braised Beef Brisket served with Sundried Tomato Risotto, Grilled Mushrooms & Seasonal Vegetables
- Herb Crusted Lamb Chops with Pomme Purée, Green Beans & Baby Carrots, served with a Red Wine Jus
- Chakalaka Chicken Roulade with Creamy Maize Rice Risotto, Braised Cabbage Purée & Seasonal Greens
- Slow Roasted Pork Belly served with Pomme Purée, Sweet Teriyaki, Apple Sauce, Red Cabbage & Pak Choi

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# OPTIONAL EXTRAS & ADDITIONAL OFFERINGS



## PRE-WEDDING DINNER OPTIONS

If you want us to cater for you on the evening before the wedding, we can offer you a choice between a delicious, traditional Braai at Rosemary Hill OR a Pizza & Salad Buffet at The Greenhouse Café. Vegan and gluten free options available. Please ask your coordinator for menu and pricing.

## BUSH VINE BAR & WINE CO

We are proud to be partnered with Bush Vine, our very own winery at The Greenhouse Café. They have an extensive wine list available upon request. Should you prefer, you may bring in your own wine at a corkage fee of R70 per bottle (2024). Please enquire directly through [info@bushvine.co.za](mailto:info@bushvine.co.za). All prices are subject to change.

## OPTIONAL ADD-ONS DURING CANAPÉS

Customise your canapés with optional add-ons. Discuss your preferences with your coordinator.

## DELICIOUS BREAKFAST PLATTER

(CAN BE DELIVERED TO THE STONE COTTAGE OR ZENKAYA)

Freshly baked sweet and savoury croissants (plain & chocolate) served with a variety of toppings, as well as a delightful bowl of double-thick Greek yoghurt and homemade muesli topped with fresh seasonal fruits - R150 per person (2024).



## **BRIDE'S LUNCH PLATTER**

(CAN BE DELIVERED TO THE STONE COTTAGE)

Vegetable crudites served with caramelised onions & hummus. Roast beef salad jars with homemade balsamic vinaigrette. Mini chicken wraps. Mini roasted vegetable & cheese quiches & fresh seasonal fruit - R150 per person (2024).

## **GROOM'S LUNCH PLATTER**

(CAN BE DELIVERED TO THE ZENKAYA)

Grass-fed beef sliders, deep-fried chicken Wings, cheese griller corn dogs, pulled lamb tacos with tomato salsa, guacamole & sour cream. Served with fries. R150 per person.

## **LATE NIGHT MUNCHIES**

Consider offering late-night snacks, such as prego rolls, s'mores, mini cheese toasties, beef sliders OR assorted pizza. Prices are available upon request.

## **STRICTLY HALAAL OR KOSHER CATERING:**

If you require Halaal or Kosher catering, we can arrange it through a supplier at an additional charge of R950 per person, in addition to the standard cost per person.

## **NAKED WEDDING CAKE**

Choose from a selection of naked (or buttercream icing) two-tier or three-tier wedding cakes, with prices dependent on your specific requirements. Explore flavours like French Vanilla, Chocolate & Caramel, Coffee & Salted Caramel, Strawberry & Champagne, Carrot & Pecan Nut, Vegan Chocolate, Lemon & Poppyseed, Black Forest Cake, and S'more - a delectable dark chocolate sponge layered with Swiss meringue, biscuits, and dark chocolate icing.

## **GIFTS FOR YOUR GUESTS**

Consider gifting your guests a beautiful rosemary plant wrapped in brown paper and tied with a ribbon. Price available upon request. Please order three months before your wedding. Alternatively, homemade items such as fudge, cookies, jam or brownies can be arranged with a lead time of two weeks. Prices may vary.

## **EXTRA MATTRESSES FOR THE STONE COTTAGE**

The Stone Cottage has a King-size bed. Should you have more ladies staying over on the night before the wedding we can supply extra mattresses, linen and breakfast (maximum 4 mattresses). R530 per adult (2024 rate).

## **EXPLORE THE FARM**

Discover the natural beauty of our surroundings, go for a hike on our 5km or 11km trail or bring your bike and do our 33km mountain bike trail.

## **IN-HOUSE BABYSITTER**

Please arrange with your coordinator.

## **GUIDED ADVENTURES**

Enjoy the thrill of a Segway tour for R480 per person (2024 rate).

## **BREAKFAST**

If you have guests that stayed overnight elsewhere but still want to join you for breakfast, they are welcome to do so at R210 per person (2024 rate). Please pre-arrange with your coordinator.

## **AIRPORT TRANSFERS**

Please discuss details with your coordinator.



# PREFERRED SERVICE PROVIDERS

## PHOTOGRAPHERS:

**Nina Buys Photography:** 071 476 4550 | [www.ninabuys.com](http://www.ninabuys.com)

**Frank & The Misses:** 078 451 9907 | [www.frankandthemisses.com](http://www.frankandthemisses.com)

**Mighty Fine Productions (on-site):** [www.mightyfine.co.za](http://www.mightyfine.co.za)

**JC Click:** 072 267 3484 | [www.jcclick.co.za](http://www.jcclick.co.za)

**Alexis Muntz Photography:** 072 382 2661 | [www.alexismuntzphotography.com](http://www.alexismuntzphotography.com)

**Splendid Productions:** 012 332 3253 | [www.splendidproductions.co.za](http://www.splendidproductions.co.za)

**Renske de Klerk:** 082 075 4691 | [www.rdkphotography.co.za](http://www.rdkphotography.co.za)

## WEDDING CAKES:

**Baker Boys:** 082 413 9631 | [www.baker-boys.co.za](http://www.baker-boys.co.za)

**La Moraine Cake boutique:** 061 434 9192 | [www.lamoraine.co.za](http://www.lamoraine.co.za)

**Melinda's Kitchen:** 071 676 6777 | [www.melindaskitchen.co.za](http://www.melindaskitchen.co.za)

**Dirty Peach Cake Boutique:** 082 922 6594 | [www.dirtypeach.co.za](http://www.dirtypeach.co.za)

## BABY SITTING SERVICES:

**Country Kids S.A:** Susan: 082 821 9800

**Nannys Nook:** 072 355 1483 | [info@nannysnook.co.za](mailto:info@nannysnook.co.za) | [www.nannysnook.co.za](http://www.nannysnook.co.za)

## MAKE-UP ARTIST & HAIR STYLISTS:

**Tamaryn Pretorius (on-site):** [www.tamarynpretorius.co.za](http://www.tamarynpretorius.co.za)

**Missy Make Up Artist:** [info@missymakeupartist.co.za](mailto:info@missymakeupartist.co.za)

**Hanalize Kriek:** 082 567 7024 | [hello@hkbeauty.co.za](mailto:hello@hkbeauty.co.za)

**Mikhara Ford:** 082 782 3487 | [www.mikharaford.co.za](http://www.mikharaford.co.za)

**Make up by Fafa/FDK Styling:** 071 222 7530 | [fdkstyling@gmail.com](mailto:fdkstyling@gmail.com)

**Bella Make up Artistry:** 064 941 6154 | [www.bellamakemakeupartistry.com](http://www.bellamakemakeupartistry.com)

## FAIRY LIGHTS & DRAPING:

**Softlight Décor:** Theo: 082 837 9065

## OTHER:

**Perspex & Wood Cutting:** Lilly Leigh: 079 499 5849 | [www.lillyleighco.com](http://www.lillyleighco.com)

**Signify Collections Stationery:** 082 346 1802 | [www.signifycollections.co.za](http://www.signifycollections.co.za)

**Glam Cam:** Mighty Fine Productions: 012 809 0059 | [www.mightyfine.co.za](http://www.mightyfine.co.za)

## VIDEOGRAPHERS:

**Mighty Fine Productions (on-site):** [www.mightyfine.co.za](http://www.mightyfine.co.za)

**George & Co (on-site):** [www.georgeandco.co.za](http://www.georgeandco.co.za)

**White Motion Films:** [www.whitemotionfilms.co.za](http://www.whitemotionfilms.co.za)

**JR Films:** [www.jesserajhfilms.com](http://www.jesserajhfilms.com)

## FLOWERS & DÉCOR:

**Wilde Bloem (on-site):** [hello@wildebloem.co.za](mailto:hello@wildebloem.co.za)

**Bliss Floral Creations:** 083 351 9890 | [www.blissfloralcreations.com](http://www.blissfloralcreations.com)

**Floom Floral Design:** 082 944 6175 | [www.floom.co.za](http://www.floom.co.za)

**Blom Bespoke:** 079 330 7705 | [info@blombespoke.co.za](mailto:info@blombespoke.co.za)

## BRIDAL COUTURE:

**De La Vida Bridal Couture (Wedding dresses):**

011 431 4304, [dimitra@delavida.co.za](mailto:dimitra@delavida.co.za) | [www.delavida.co.za](http://www.delavida.co.za)

**Sew Couture (Bridesmaid dresses & wedding dresses):**

010 786 0555 | [info@sewcouture.co.za](mailto:info@sewcouture.co.za) | [www.sewcouture.co.za](http://www.sewcouture.co.za)

**Hoiden:** 021 914 0370 | [www.hoiden.co.za](http://www.hoiden.co.za)

**The Maiden Dresses:** 074 827 0017 | [www.themaiden.co.za](http://www.themaiden.co.za)

**Vonve Bridal:** 083 632 7294 | [www.vonvebridal.co.za](http://www.vonvebridal.co.za)

## GENTS' SUITS:

**Goat of Bespoke:** 078 233 8475 | [www.goatofbespoke.com](http://www.goatofbespoke.com)

**Frank Bespoke:** 061 353 4858 | [www.frankbespoke.co.za](http://www.frankbespoke.co.za)

## MUSICIANS:

**Akoestiek Musiek:** 079 521 0473 | [www.akoestiek.co.za](http://www.akoestiek.co.za)

**String Quartet:** Laetitia: 082 497 7034 | [info@gracenotemusic.co.za](mailto:info@gracenotemusic.co.za)

**Marissa Verheij:** 082 316 796 | [marissa.verheij@gmail.com](mailto:marissa.verheij@gmail.com)

**Niël Kruger Solo - Duo or Three Piece:** 071 519 5841 | [niel@sonicstateproductions.co.za](mailto:niel@sonicstateproductions.co.za)

**Strings & Things String Quartet:** 079 879 8539 | [www.stringthings.co.za](http://www.stringthings.co.za)

**The Morning After Band:** 079 386 4254 | [www.themorningafter.co.za](http://www.themorningafter.co.za)

**Kristel Birkholtz - Violinist:** 082 763 0725 | [www.kristelbirkholtz.co.za](http://www.kristelbirkholtz.co.za)

## WEDDING PLANNERS:

**Signify Collective Planning:** 0823461802 | [www.signifycollectiveplanning.com](http://www.signifycollectiveplanning.com) | [planning@signifycollections.co.za](mailto:planning@signifycollections.co.za)

**MK Events Management:** 012 004 1721 /072 990 2282 | [info@mkevents.com](mailto:info@mkevents.com) | [www.mkevents.co.za](http://www.mkevents.co.za)

## MARRIAGE OFFICIANTS:

**Pastor Roy Buck:** 082 873 7164 | [www.marriageofficer.za.net](http://www.marriageofficer.za.net)

**Steve Oxten:** 084 589 1306 | [oxton.steve@gmail.com](mailto:oxton.steve@gmail.com)

**Jaco Geldenhuis:** 076 176 2326 | [jaco@your-wedding-guy.com](mailto:jaco@your-wedding-guy.com)

**Marilyn Michau:** 082 822 2252 | [www.marilynmichau.co.za](http://www.marilynmichau.co.za)

# BOOKING YOUR WEDDING

## STEP 1: SCHEDULE YOUR VIEWING

We invite you to experience the charm of the farm by booking a guided site visit. Our team will showcase all the exceptional facilities available and address any enquiries you may have. Please allocate approximately 90 minutes for your appointment.

As our venue is in high demand, we regret that we are unable to accept provisional bookings.

To schedule your viewing, please visit: [www.calendly.com/rosemary\\_hill](http://www.calendly.com/rosemary_hill). Viewing strictly by appointment only.

## STEP 2: CONFIRM YOUR EVENT (PAYMENT 1)

- Sign and submit your contract online (A link will be sent to you via email upon request).
- Secure your booking with a deposit of R29 000 (Payment 1).
- Forward your proof of payment along with copies of your IDs to: [weddings@thegreenhousecafe.co.za](mailto:weddings@thegreenhousecafe.co.za)

## STEP 3: RECEIVING CONFIRMATION

Upon receipt of the above steps, your wedding date will be secured. You will receive written confirmation from us on the first Wednesday following your booking. This confirmation will also include essential documents such as floorplans, a map, the wedding worksheet, and guidelines for the lead-up to your wedding.

## STEP 4: COMMUNICATING WITH US

- For all wedding-related matters such as questions arising in the months leading up to your wedding, scheduling meetings, arranging your food tasting, optional extras (e.g., pre-wedding dinner), and booking your engagement shoot, please contact: [weddings@thegreenhousecafe.co.za](mailto:weddings@thegreenhousecafe.co.za)

Please kindly respect your coordinator's schedule, keep in mind that they may require up to 48 hours to respond to your emails.

For all matters regarding your accommodation, please email: [farmstays@rosemaryhill.co.za](mailto:farmstays@rosemaryhill.co.za)

## STEP 5: PAYMENT OF FINAL INVOICE (PAYMENT 2)

Your final guest numbers and balance of the invoice are due strictly two weeks before your wedding. Please be aware that if your final guest list falls below the minimum required, you will still be charged for the minimum number of guests.



### PAYMENT METHODS

We prefer EFT payments, Please note that alternative payment methods will incur additional charges: Card Payment - an additional 3%. Cash Payment - an additional 1,8%

# WHAT HAPPENS NEXT

## ASSISTANCE FROM YOUR COORDINATOR:

Should you have questions or if you require additional information, your coordinator is here to assist you. Please keep in mind that administrative tasks and emails are typically addressed from Wednesday to Friday between 8am and 4pm, unless your coordinator is engaged in overseeing a wedding event at that time.

When planning a visit to the farm, kindly ensure you arrange an appointment with your coordinator.

## SOCIAL MEDIA INSPIRATIONS:

Follow us on our social media pages as these are great places to get ideas and be inspired by photos of real weddings hosted at The Greenhouse Café.

Facebook - [www.facebook.com/thegreenhousecafe](http://www.facebook.com/thegreenhousecafe)  
Youtube - Rosemary Hill  
Weddings - The Greenhouse Café  
Instagram - @thegreenhousecafesa

## SIX MONTHS BEFORE YOUR WEDDING:

Plan a meeting with your coordinator to conduct a venue walk-through. During this visit, we will delve deeper into your requirements while enjoying a cup of coffee.

## THREE MONTHS BEFORE YOUR WEDDING:

At this juncture, we will send you a reminder to schedule a date for a table mock-up with your chosen florist. Please note that table mock-ups are arranged on weekdays. In the event you and your florist decide that a mock-up is not necessary, we will schedule a meeting to go through the wedding work sheet in detail.

## ONE MONTH BEFORE YOUR WEDDING:

If you possess any final information that has not yet been shared with your coordinator and you prefer to convey it in person, please arrange an appointment, on a weekday.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE:

At The Greenhouse Café we maintain a culture of respect, inclusivity, and fairness. We unequivocally condemn any form of rudeness, racism, or discrimination directed towards our valued staff members. We hold all parties accountable for upholding principles of mutual respect and courtesy at all times. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

## TERMS & CONDITIONS:

Scan this QR Code or click on it to review the Terms & Conditions of your wedding contract.



## THREE WEEKS BEFORE YOUR WEDDING:

*As we approach your special day, we kindly request the following information in written format, if it has not already been provided:*

- **Final Menu Selection:** Please confirm your final menu choices, along with any specific dietary requirements for your guests. Guests cannot order on the day.
- **Bar Special Requests:** If you have any special requirements for the bar service, please communicate them to us at this time.
- **Wedding Invitation or Website Link:** We require a scanned copy of your wedding invitation or a link to your wedding website for reference.
- **Programme and Formalities:** Please share a copy of the programme and details regarding the formalities planned for your wedding day.
- **Table Seating Plan:** Provide us with your table seating plan, ensuring a smooth seating arrangement for your guests.
- **Guest List:** To facilitate access control, we need a complete guest list that includes the names of all attendees.
- **External Service Providers:** Share the names and contact details of all external service providers, including those responsible for your flowers and décor, hair and makeup, wedding cake, photographer, videographer, etc.
- **Photographer Site Visit:** If your photographer has not yet visited Rosemary Hill, please arrange a site visit for them. Booking in advance is essential to ensure they are familiar with our venue.
- **Guest Count Reminder:** You will receive a friendly reminder that we will require your final guest count, including breakdown of children between 6 and 12 years of age, as well as children under the age of 6, one week later. At this time, you will also receive your final invoice for payment.
- **Service Provider Inclusion:** Please include all your service providers in your final guest count for the evening of your wedding, including their assistants. The Greenhouse Café provides meals for up to 4 service providers (non-friends or family members not seated with your wedding guests), such as the DJ and photographer. We will deduct their costs from your invoice, ensuring accurate preparations for your celebration.

## TWO WEEKS BEFORE YOUR WEDDING:

In anticipation of your special day, we will dispatch your invoice, which is to be settled 14 days prior to your wedding date. To ensure a seamless and well-coordinated event, kindly check that all wedding-related details and requirements are furnished within the timeframe leading up to your wedding. Upon payment, please forward the proof of payment and the signed wedding worksheet to: [weddings@thegreenhousecafe.co.za](mailto:weddings@thegreenhousecafe.co.za)

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO PLANNING AND SHARING YOUR SPECIAL DAY WITH YOU!**



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