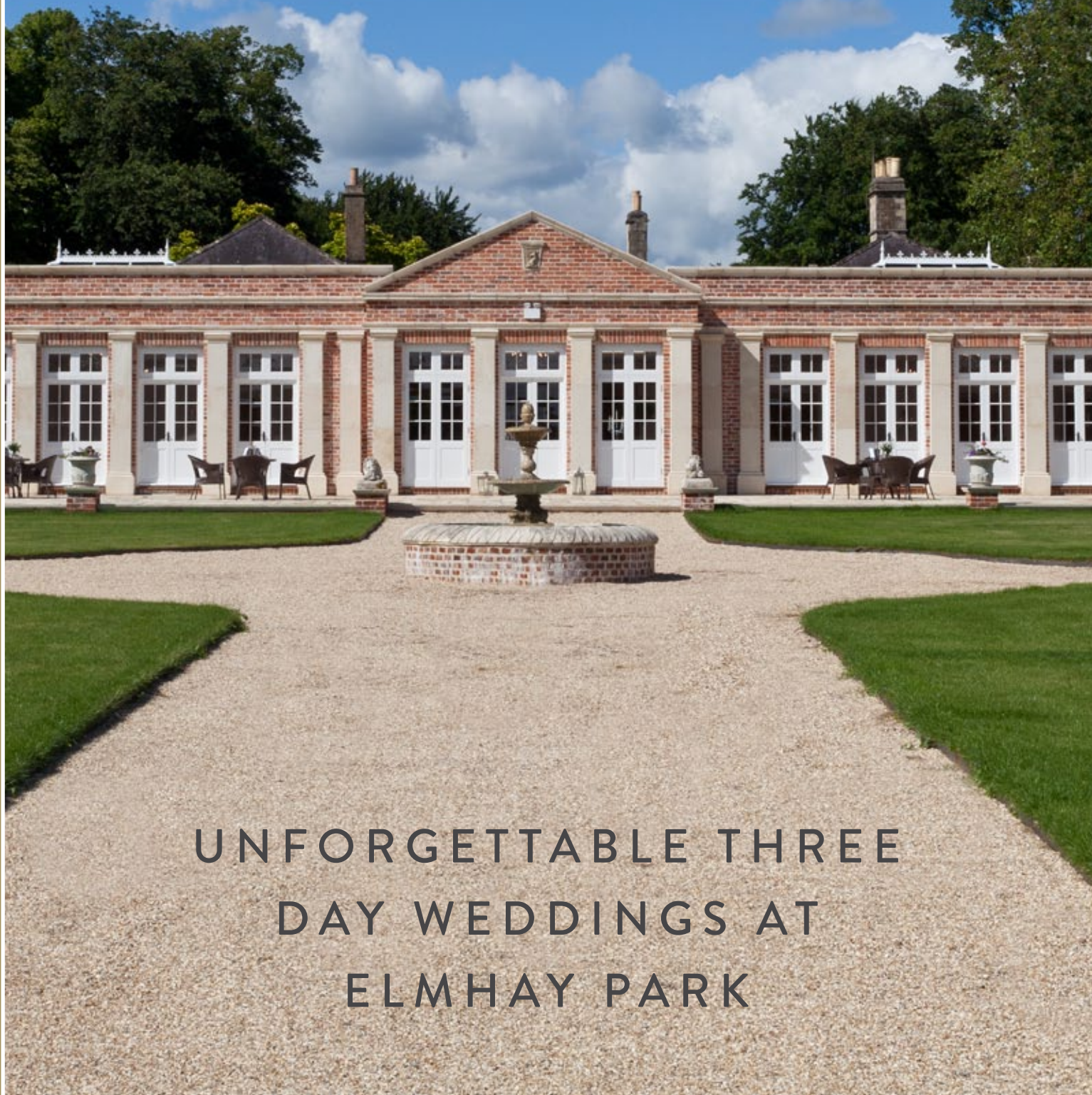




ELMHAY PARK



UNFORGETTABLE THREE
DAY WEDDINGS AT
ELMHAY PARK



WELCOME TO ELMHAY PARK

Perfectly secluded at the heart of a 500 acre, family owned estate, Elmhay Park promises all you need for the wedding of your dreams.

Say 'I do' hidden within the walls of this enchanting Victorian Walled Garden, set amidst the beautiful Somerset Countryside.

With exclusive use for the duration of your wedding day, Elmhay Park is the perfect choice for weddings of 80 to 300 guests.

The venue comprises a beautiful Orangery, stunning Italian Garden and accommodation for up to 70 within Elmhay Park Village. Also located on the estate, you'll find a romantic island church and an 18 hole golf course.

Our all inclusive Three Day Wedding Experience has been carefully created to extend your celebrations and make your wedding one to remember.

THE DAY BEFORE YOUR WEDDING

Your Three Day Wedding will begin the evening before you say 'I do'. Our package includes accommodation on the estate the night before your wedding for up to 19 guests.

ORCHARDLEIGH CASTLE

Sleeping eight to twelve guests, Orchardleigh Castle's West Battlement offers the perfect place to relax and prepare for your big day with your family and friends.

Complete with its own private garden and hot tub, there is no finer place to kick start your celebrations.

LEWIS LODGE

This idyllic cottage settles to the south of Elmhay Park, adjacent to the estate's stables where you can enjoy a peaceful stay.

Accommodating up to 7 guests within three rooms, all shower en-suite; you will have plenty of space to get ready for the big day.

Start the celebrations with a delicious meal at the estate's Peacock Restaurant & Stag Lounge.



Orchardleigh Castle



Castle Kitchen



Lewis Lodge



Castle Garden & Hot Tub



Castle Living Room



YOUR WEDDING DAY

Enjoy complete exclusivity of the venue and gardens for the duration of your wedding day.

The Italian Garden offers a fabulous setting for civil ceremonies and the Orangery has all you need for your wedding breakfast and evening celebrations.

With complete privacy and no neighbours, we can keep the celebrations alive until the early hours for you and your guests – we will keep the party going until you say stop at no extra cost!

CIVIL CEREMONY

The Italian Garden is a beautiful and unique outdoor setting that can hold up to 300 guests.

This idyllic space is fully licensed for civil ceremonies, offering the perfect place to say your vows.

Offering the best of both worlds, the front of the Italian Garden is completely open giving a romantic, outdoor feel, yet the space is covered so ceremonies can continue in any weather.





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CHURCH CEREMONY

Not only is Elmhay Park fully licensed to hold civil ceremonies in the Orangery and Italian Garden, those who wish to have a religious ceremony can opt to marry in one of the three nearby Churches.

St Mary's Church

St Mary's Church is located at the heart of the estate, just a three minute drive from Elmhay Park, and is available for religious ceremonies with an advised capacity of up to 100 guests.

St. Mary's enjoys the unique setting of being at the edge of a lake with a moat around it and is often referred to as 'The Island Church.' It's remoteness means there is no electricity supply to the church so all services are candlelit and the organ is pumped by hand.

The picturesque setting, the lack of electricity and the traditional services mean that those who visit the church enjoy an unforgettable experience. Many of the regular congregation travel miles in order to be here, and would miss the character (and characters) of this unique Church.

All Saints, Lullington

All Saints Church is situated at the north entrance to the estate, in the traditional English village of Lullington. The church is approximately a 5 minute drive from Elmhay Park.

All Saints is a stunning bright and airy church that can accommodate up to 150 wedding guests.

Contact the Church Warden, Jenny Ladd, on 01373 830514 for more information about marrying at St Mary's and All Saints.

St John's Church

St John's Church is located two miles from Orchardleigh Estate in Frome. This large Parish Church can seat up to 350 guests; fitting for a town that was larger than Bath until 1650.

This magnificent Church is a Grade 1 listed building and lies a short distance up a hill from the town center. For further information and to discuss your wedding in more detail, please contact St John's Parish Office on 01373 462325.

DRINKS RECEPTION

After saying 'I do', reception drinks and canapés can be served on the terrace overlooking the stunning gardens of Elmhay Park, in the Italian Garden or in the Orangery.

We offer a huge variety of reception drinks, including Champagne, Sparkling Wine, Prosecco, Pimms, Mulled Wine and Beer.

We also offer a mouthwatering selection of Canapés, which can be tailored to suit your tastes and compliment your special day.





WEDDING BREAKFAST

Surrounded by stunning gardens, the Orangery provides a light-filled luxurious indoor space that can seat up to 300 guests; perfect for your wedding breakfast.

Overlooking the beautiful blooming gardens, there is no finer setting to wow your guests and enjoy your first delicious meal as newlyweds.

We pride ourselves on serving only the finest quality food. Wherever possible we supply our kitchen with produce that is grown or reared on the estate or sourced within the local area. We work closely with local farmers, gamekeepers and nurseries to ensure superb quality.

We offer a selection of menus to compliment your wedding day. Our Executive Head Chef will work with you to tailor the perfect menu for you and your guests.

EVENING CELEBRATIONS

Complete with built in surround sound, air conditioning and computerised party lighting, the Orangery offers all you need for your wedding celebrations.

Use the spaces however you choose to create your ultimate celebration. Popular choices include casinos, photobooths, fireworks and even silent discos - the choice is yours!

With the complete privacy of Elmhay Park and no neighbours in sight, we can keep the celebrations alive until the early hours for you and your guests at no extra charge!





ELMHAY PARK VILLAGE

The Village is tucked away 50 metres to the rear of The Orangery, with direct access to Elmhay Park.

The Village comprises twelve charming and beautifully restored self-catering lodges and cottages that sleep up to 70 guests.

Ranging from the complete luxury of The Bell Tower with four poster bed and jacuzzi bath, the perfect romantic hideaway; to our five bedroom farmhouse perfect for families and groups of friends. There will be plenty of space for you and your guests to stay after your big day.

Breakfast can be arranged for you and your guests the morning after your wedding.

THE DAY AFTER YOUR WEDDING

Spend the day after your wedding relaxing and enjoying the estate at your leisure.

Our three day package includes a romantic stay at the estates idyllic Church Lodge - the perfect hideaway to reflect, relax and recover after your wedding day.

Church Lodge lies to the south of Elmhay Park, a short walk from the estate's Island Church.

This romantic lodge has been carefully renovated to provide a peaceful and cosy place for you to enjoy your first evening alone as newlyweds.

Complete with lounge, kitchen, dining room, double en-suite bedroom and private garden with luxury hot tub, you will find all you need at Church Lodge to begin your married life together.



Bentley Continental GTC



1965 Rolls Royce Silver Cloud



1932 Rolls Royce 20/25



Rolls Royce Phantom



CHAUFFEUR DRIVEN BRIDAL CARS

We have a wonderful selection of cars to help make your wedding day extra special, all of which are garaged right here on the estate. Hire of our bridal cars includes a chauffeur.

Choose from our:

Bentley Continental GTC in Silverlake Blue

Rolls Royce Phantom in Maroon

1965 Rolls Royce Silver Cloud III in Masons Black

1932 Rolls Royce 20/25 in Black and Yellow

From £250 per vehicle, inclusive of VAT.

WEDDING AVIATION

Longranger Helicopter

Powered by a Rolls Royce turbine engine, The Bell Longranger Helicopter carries 6 passengers in complete comfort, with a cruising speed of 130mph.

The Longranger is a great way to make an entrance as newlyweds or perhaps a quick trip around the estate for you and your guests. Available to hire ex pilot from £500 oer half flying hour.

Aircraft bookings are taken subject to weather and serviceability of aircraft.



WEYMOUTH MINIMOON

What could be a more perfect start to married life than minimooning on a luxury Sunseeker Super Yacht in beautiful Weymouth?

The minimoon includes two nights static charter in board a 60' Sunseeker in Weymouth's glorious marina. You will have the super yacht to yourselves to enjoy as if she were your own.

To get the minimoon off to a flying start, you can opt to be flown the 25 minutes from the estate to Weymouth by helicopter for an additional charge.



WHY CHOOSE ELMHAY PARK?

We understand that choosing your wedding venue is one of the most important, toughest and time consuming parts of planning your wedding. So we thought it would be helpful if we popped together a quick reference guide of what we think makes Elmhay Park the perfect choice for your wedding day...

- You will enjoy complete exclusivity of Elmhay Park and grounds for the duration of your wedding day.
- Our unique three day wedding package extends your celebrations over three days - after all, you won't want your special day to end!
- Choose between a civil ceremony (inside our out) or opt for a religious ceremony in one of the nearby Churches. St Mary's Church is located right here on the estate on its own little island - quite possibly the most romantic Church ever.
- Elmhay Park Village is located 50m to the rear of Elmhay Park and can sleep up to 70 guests.
- Dancing until dawn! As we don't have any neighbours, the bar can stay open for you and your guests until you say stop - at no extra charge.
- Stunning grounds, gardens and interiors providing unlimited gorgeous backdrops and photo opportunities come rain or shine.
- We work closely with local farmers, gamekeepers and nurseries wherever possible to supply our kitchen with produce that is grown or reared on the estate or with the local area.



- Enjoy a meal with family and friends on the evening before your wedding at The Peacock Restaurant. Pre-booking is essential.
- Situated within a 500 acre gated, family owned estate, Elmhay Park is located in one of the most picturesque areas in the UK.
- Family owned with a personal service
- Only two hours from Big Ben for those looking to escape to the countryside
- Awarded a Certificate of Excellence from Trip Advisor
- Superb Brian Hugget 18 Hole Golf Course. Tee Times are bookable 6 months in advance for wedding guests.
- Hire from our fleet of wedding cars, all of which are garaged on the estate.
- Our backup generators will ensure your day goes unaffected in the event of a powercut.
- We can offer a range of activities and outdoor pursuits, including Clay Pigeon Shooting, Jenga and Croquet - and almost anything you can dream up!
- Exclusive Minimoon in Weymouth for our couples!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Planning & Preparations:

Q: How do we keep in touch with you and whom do we liaise with?

A: If you have a question, please feel free to call the office and any member of staff will be able to answer preliminary questions. Around 3 months before you will then be put in contact with your wedding coordinator.

Q: How does the bar work and do you offer a pre-paid bar?

A: Our fully licensed bar can either be a “cash bar” or we can run a “tab” to a pre-set amount or a “prepaid” bar @ £25.50 per head, and £32.50 for evening guests arriving after 6.30pm, excluding Champagne, sparkling wine and top end brands. This gives unlimited drinks from the end of the wedding breakfast until the early hours.

Q: Is there an additional charge for evening guests?

A: The Eldon Package includes up to 80 guests. Additional evening guests are charged as per the current package.

Q: Do you charge extra for civil ceremonies?

A: All civil ceremonies must be booked and paid for directly with the Registry Office. There are no additional charges from Elmhay Park.

Q: If we're having a Church wedding, whom do we need to arrange this with?

A: You need to call Church Wedding Administrator, Jenny Ladd: +44 (0)1373 830514

Q: Do you charge for tables, chairs, cutlery, crockery or table linen?

A: Tables, chairs, cutlery, crockery or table linen are included our Eldon Package for up to 80 guests. This does not include place names, menu cards, table numbers, table plans and any other wedding décor; all of which are to be arranged by the Bridal Party.

Q: We would like to talk to the chef about our menus?

A: You will have the opportunity to discuss your menu and dietary requirements with the Chef at your food tasting a couple of months before your wedding.

Q: Can we change the menu option included in the package?

A: Yes you can choose from all the menu options, mix and match starters, mains and desserts as desired. We'll be happy to provide further information and prices for menu upgrades.

Q: Do you have wedding cars for hire?

A: Yes we have various cars - Open top sky blue Bentley GTC - 1965 Silver Cloud Rolls Royce in Masons Black - 1932 Rolls Royce 20/25 in yellow and black and Rolls Royce Phantom new model in Maroon. We also have available a Horse and Carriage and a Bell Longranger 7 seat Helicopter.

Q: Can I hire a bridal car from the Castle to the Italian Garden and if so, who provides the ribbon?

A: Yes you can be chauffeur driven from the Castle or Lewis Lodge to the Italian Garden. Elmhay provides the ribbon - usually cream or white.

Q: What directions should be on my invitations?

A: If you are providing a postcode for your guests, please use BA11 2PB. This will bring them to the main gates to the estate. Once on the Estate Elmhay Park is clearly signposted.

Q: Do you have copies of the table plan, pictures of the menu options and floor plans?

A: Yes, you will find all of this on our website – www.elmhaypark.co.uk. Go to the My Wedding section and enter the password w3ddings to access the documents.

Q: Can we book a tee time for a round of Golf?

A: Yes, tee times can be booked up to six months before the wedding at £20 per round. Please call Orchardleigh Golf and Country Club on 01373 454200 and inform us that you are a wedding guest at time of booking.

Q: What is Elmhay Park's Charter?

Our aim is that you are totally delighted with Elmhay Park and our staff from the first time you view, through all the planning, up to and including your wedding day, and that all expectations are met and we hope exceeded. Our aim is to treat everyone as we ourselves would like to be treated.

On your Wedding day:

Q: When can suppliers have access to the venue on our wedding day?

A: From 11:30am, maybe earlier by arrangement for your suppliers to start decorating the Orangery and Italian Garden.

Q: How do we work out the timings for our wedding?

A: Weddings need to flow without periods of inactivity so below we have put together timings, which allow plenty of time without long gaps.

Church Weddings

	Time:
Church ceremony	2:00pm
Reception drinks/canapés	3:00pm
Wedding Breakfast	5:00pm
Wedding Breakfast/speeches end	7:30pm
Evening entertainment starts	8:00pm

Civil Ceremonies

	Time
Civil Ceremony starts	2:00pm
Reception drinks/canapés	2:30pm
Wedding Breakfast sit down	4:30pm
Wedding Breakfast/speeches end	7:00pm
Evening entertainment starts	7:30pm

We do request that Church and Civil ceremonies are not before 2pm. This then gives your guests plenty of time to arrive, change and attend the service.

Q: We're having a civil ceremony; can we bring our own music?

A: Yes, of course you can. We can supply the sound system for you, free of charge.

Q: Who arranges the civil ceremony entrance music?

A: We recommend a trusted member of your ushers to arrange the music during the ceremony and to be downloaded before arriving. We can provide the sound system.

Q: Do you have microphones and a PA system for the speeches?

A: Yes we do, just let us know beforehand and we will arrange this for you.

Q: Where can we have our reception drinks?

A: It really depends on the weather, but usually outside on the terrace and on the lawns or in The Italian Garden. If the weather's a bit 'iffy', we'll serve them inside.

Q: Can we use candles?

A: Yes you can, but you'll need to make sure they are enclosed, as well as non-drip and obviously safe from children and anything flammable.

Q: Can we have confetti?

A: Unfortunately we do not allow any confetti in the Walled Garden but it can be used just outside the Walled Garden gates which provide a beautiful backdrop for your confetti photographs.

Q: Can we have bottled water for the tables?

A: Yes, at an additional charge.

Q: What time does the music have to stop?

A: You can carry on until dawn if you can manage it!

Q: What time does the bar shut?

A: As we don't have any neighbours, we will keep the bar open until you ask us to close!

Q: Can we have fireworks in the evening?

A: Yes you can but we must ask you to use our recommended suppliers, Galaxy Fireworks, as they have already carried out a site visit and provided the relevant paperwork for health and safety and carry massive insurance. Unfortunately we do not allow Chinese lanterns.

Q: Is there plenty of parking for guests?

A: Yes, there is ample parking for your wedding guests.

Q: Is the car park area lit at night?

A: Yes it is floodlit at night, as are the gardens.

Accommodation:

Q: What is the check in and check out times for the Castle and Lewis Lodge and how many does it sleep?

A: Check in for the Castle and Lewis Lodge is anytime after 4pm and check out is 2pm. The Castle sleeps up to 10 guests with 2 extra on the sofa bed and Lewis Lodge sleeps up to 7.

Q: Is there a minimum requirement to book any cottages?

A: Yes you will need to book Garden House and Garden Cottage as a minimum requirement. A deposit of 50% is required 4-6 weeks after booking.

Q: How do we pre-book the cottages?

A: The cottages will be reserved for you until four months before your wedding; at which point, all cottages that you do not require will be released.

Q: Do our guests book with Elmhay office for the cottages?

A: No we give you a list of the cottages and you arrange your guests in the cottages, as you will know you can share with each other and families with children in the appropriate cottage.

Q: When can guests check in for the cottages?

A: Check in time is any time after 1 pm for guests - earlier check in may be possible if there is no event the day before.

Q: How far away are the cottages in Elmhay Park Village?

A: They are located 50m to the rear of Elmhay Park, a one minute walk from the main gates into the venue.

Q: Are pets allowed?

A: Pets are allowed by prior permission within our Pet Friendly cottages.

Q: Is there a Restaurant on the Estate for book a meal for the night before?

A: Yes we have the Peacock and Stag Restaurant which you will need to book well in advance for a meal with family and friends staying the night before your wedding. Please book through your coordinator.

CONTACT US

If you have any questions or queries or would like to arrange a viewing, please contact us using the details below:

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