

# WELCOME TO WEST USK

The West Usk Lighthouse is a unique and quirky wedding venue, steeped in history - that offers guests something really special. The lighthouse is over 200 years old and still offers fantastic views over the estuary and surrounding countryside.

We are a small family run business (since 1990!), and so we are more than happy to tailor your needs for your special day.

With our large heated marquee and bar, we can now offer a larger number of guests, while still allowing you to bring your own caterers - bring your own food and drinks - no corkage fee!

In 2018 we won two wedding awards - Wedding Venue of the Year for South East Wales at the Welsh Awards, and Best Wedding Venue in Newport from the V Awards. We aim to please! Just get in contact to book a viewing and have a look around- we'll be more than happy to discuss your needs further.









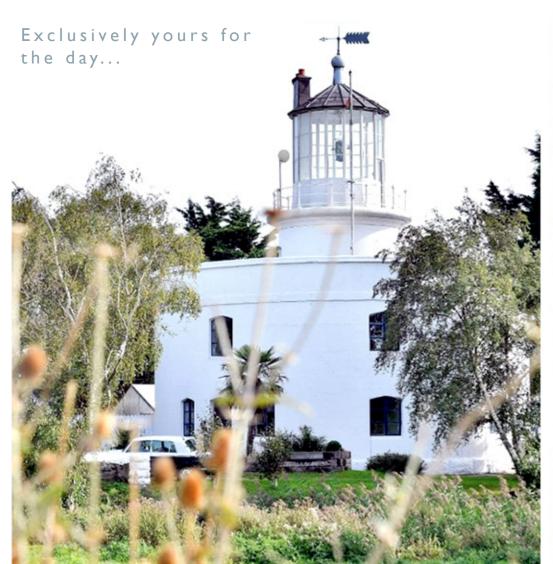
# THE CEREMONY

Our marquee is licensed to seat up to 100 guests for a ceremony, although we advise only up to 80 for a sit down dinner. We are also able to offer outdoor ceremonies on the sea wall which overlooks the water (weather dependent of course!).

We have been hosting wedding ceremonies at the lighthouse since 2012. Every wedding has been different, no two have been the same. We are not a corporate company and so you have a little more freedom to create something tailored to you.

If you need help, we have a host of recommended suppliers who can dress the marquee and bring your vision to life. We can provide chair covers and sashes for free if you would like them.









# EVENING RECEPTION

Our marquee can seat up to around 80 guests for dinner. We are happy to offer our suppliers list to find something suitable for you.

You can hire your own caterers, whether that's to host a traditional 3 course dinner, a buffet, or something more informal like fish and chips!

We don't charge a corkage fee, so you are free to bring your own drinks and self serve, or hire a supplier and a bar member.

You are welcome to hire a DJ, or a live band. We also have a bluetooth audio system if you would prefer to play music straight from your phone, for the dance floor.

Let us know if you would like a firework display, as this can also be provided, there are no neighbours here to complain!









# PACKAGES & PRICES

To make things a little easier, we have three different packages for you to choose from. However, please get in contact if you wish for something more tailored to your needs. The Silver and Gold packages includes one night accommodation in 'The Light-Keeper's Lodge'.

### **BRONZE - 4 Hour Afternoon Weddings:**

20 guests - £1450 Up to 40 guests - £2450 Extra hours if needed - £350/hr

### **SILVER - Midday to Midnight Celebration:**

40 to 60 guests - £3450

Accommodation for 2 guests for 1 night

### **GOLD - Midday to Midnight Celebration:**

60 to 80 guests - £4450

80+ guests - Please enquire Accommodation for 2 guests for 1 night

Please note at the time of booking, we require a non-refundable deposit of £500. An additional £500 is payable one month later, with the remaining balance due three months prior to the wedding.

We recommend insurance is taken out to cover costs of cancellation or illness etc.

Please contact Newport Register Office to also check their availability and book a Registrar for your ceremony. Their telephone number is 01633 235510 and their email is registrar@newport.gov.uk.

### ADDITIONAL INFO

#### Facilities Include -

Heated marquee (+ chairs, tables, electric, heating, fridges) Outdoor ceremony overlooking the water

Free Parking

The Lodge for two (with Silver & Gold packages)

Bar (provide your own drinks and self-serve or hire staff)

Fireworks allowed

Dance floor

Bluetooth audio system if not hiring DJ

Suppliers list for catering, DJ, bar, photography + drone etc.

We welcome live music, and your own wedding suppliers, although we can provide you with a list of recommended ones. There are no corkage fees. We can provide a wedding planner who will assist with preparations.

If you are looking for places to stay for your guests, we recommend The Holiday Inn Express near J28 of the M4, which is only a 10 minute drive away. There is also a glamping site in St.Brides - Ty Coch - a short distance away.

Please note that some of the ground/flooring can be uneven around the lighthouse and in the marquee. Children should also be monitored around the sea wall where there are large rocks.

Additional images of past weddings and ideas can be found on our social media pages.

Please get in contact with us to book a viewing on 01633 810126, or 07484087159, or by email info@westusklighthouse.co.uk.







