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Howsham Hall Weddings

Nestled in the heart of the Yorkshire countryside, 20 minutes from York, our Grade I listed house is a unique setting for weddings and events.

As an exclusive use venue, the house is yours for the duration of your stay. The 400-year old house combines historic features with a light, modern interior by acclaimed designer James Perkins. Quirky details create a house ready to party.

If you're looking for a stunning setting, complete exclusivity and award-winning service, you'll find it at Howsham Hall.



27 acres of privacy

Sweep between the gatehouses, along the mile long driveway and enter your own private oasis. Howsham Hall is hidden from prying eyes, magnificent and completely secluded. It's hard to believe you are just 20 minutes from York.

The imposing house looks down on the River Derwent and across the valley, providing a spectacular backdrop to unforgettable moments.



Fall in love all over again

With guidance and support throughout your wedding planning, your special day will be beautiful and seamless at Howsham Hall.

Your Event Manager will be available to assist you throughout your planning, right through to the day itself. From choosing menus, arranging floristry or liaising with entertainment, you can relax knowing our award-winning team are on hand.

Howsham Hall will always be exclusively yours. We are licensed for both indoor and outdoor civil ceremonies with a variety of rooms to suit celebrations of all sizes, from 60 to 150 guests. We also have luxury overnight accommodation for 28 people in 12 stunning bedrooms.







Relax & enjoy the preparations

Our wedding suite is one of the largest in Europe! With its own bathroom, dressing room, bedroom and separate large lounge, it is a fantastic space to enjoy and prepare for the biggest day of your life. Relax and enjoy a glass of fizz with selected friends and family before heading downstairs for the ceremony.

With 11 additional bedrooms to choose from, there is ample space for the whole wedding party to get ready for the ceremony.

Stay the night before your wedding, and have access to our fully equipped kitchen too-perfect for wedding weekends.









A game or two?

The Billiards Room offers a charming and versatile space, ideal for both relaxed gatherings and special moments. Whether you're preparing for your big day with your wedding party or enjoying a casual game the night before, this beautifully appointed room sets the tone for a memorable celebration. With its classic character and inviting atmosphere, it's a perfect place to share laughter, raise a glass, and build anticipation for the celebrations ahead.









Say I Do

Sweep down the cantilevered staircase and enter the Great Hall, a suitably grand location for your big moments. A stunning, high ceilinged room with enormous Jacobean windows looking out onto the parkland, you'll get married beneath the exquisite antique chandeliers.

Alternatively, you can choose an outdoor ceremony in the beautiful private grounds, with the house as a picture=perfect backdrop.









Drinks Receptions

Howsham Hall has a multitude of magnificent spaces perfect for drinks receptions.

Our riverside terrace is the perfect location on a sunny afternoon; the dappled sunshine and babbling river make the most wonderful combination! The south lawns open out from the house with views across the parkland. These areas are perfect for outdoor receptions, perhaps with a game of croquet or traditional garden game. Indoors, the sweeping staircase hall has its own bar.









Your wedding photography

With 27 acres of riverside lawns and parkland, there are ample locations for you to get the perfect wedding shots with your new spouse. From formal photos on our front steps, to more relaxed pictures on the swing, your photographer will find Howsham Hall is the perfect backdrop.

Indoors, the billiard room, wedding suite with its own enormous wedding lounge, bar and more are all yours to explore.













Eat & be merry

The Drawing Room is the perfect elegant space for your wedding breakfast. It combines traditional features with contemporary styling to create a wonderfully stylish backdrop for your wedding breakfast. With huge original windows overlooking the park, the room is flooded in natural daylight.

For larger parties the Drawing Room can be combined with the Great Hall to seat up to 150.









Food & Drink

At Howsham Hall all our food and drink are by the award-winning team at Dine. With a wide variety of menus to choose from, and even the option of a bespoke menu designed just for you, you know you'll dine in style.

And with over 25 years of working with everyone from A list stars to the British royal family, you can be sure you and your guests are in the very best of hands.















Let's party!

Howsham Hall has been a playground for party people for 400 years- and you can carry on the tradition. The old chapel with its adjoining bar is the perfect venue for your wedding reception. Party into the night with live music, dancing & fireworks, or relax with sparklers on the terrace.

Our spacious grounds have accommodated fairground rides, whilst the billiard room is the ultimate chillout space.















And so to bed

When the party's over, our 12 luxury bedrooms can accommodate your guests in splendour. Each room is individually designed to combine historic details with modern comforts, so you will awake refreshed, ready for your new life to begin. Our family suites mean even the youngest guests will feel at home.



Explore all our bedrooms on our website









What's included?

At Howsham Hall we believe your wedding day should be as unique as you are, so we won't ask you to select a fixed package. Our snapshots are designed to guide you to a choice of menus, dates and services- but these are only a guide, you can choose whichever combination you require, at any point during your wedding planning.

Whichever options you decide on, we will always include:



Exclusive
use venue hire, just you
and your guests



Civil ceremony set up



Overnight stay in the wedding suite, including breakfast



A chilled bottle of champagne for you to celebrate!



Event manager & planning support



Post ceremony drink



Chiavari chairs as standard



Crisp, floor length table linen, napkins, china & glassware



3 course wedding breakfast



House wine during the meal



Tea, coffee & chocolates to finish your meal



Mineral Water for your tables



Easel for your table plan



Cake knife & stand for your cake



Fully equipped kitchen for use by your overnight guests



Award winning service team

Pricing



We will always create a bespoke quote for you-please contact us

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See Howsham Hall for yourself on a private wedding viewing-book yours today!

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