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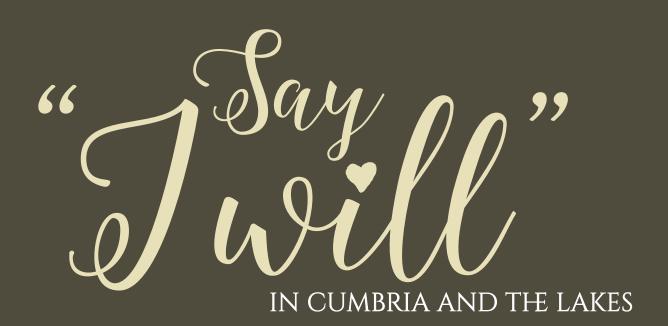
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Cumbria is a county of



Welcome to Cumbria Registration Service, we hope you enjoy leafing through our brochure "Say I Will" in Cumbria and the Lakes.

The poet William Wordsworth lived in, and was inspired by the beauty of Cumbria and the Lakes, describing his surroundings as "The loveliest spot that man hath ever found". We hope that within the pages of our brochure you too will be inspired to make Cumbria your choice for your special celebration and find the perfect spot for you.

We are the third largest county in England by size but are also one of the most sparsely populated.

This can be seen by the unspoilt and natural beauty of the County.

We have something here for everyone from history and heritage, with lots of lovely market towns and the City of Carlisle, to beautiful and rugged coastline including the Marina in Whitehaven. There are magnificent mountains including Scafell Pike which is the highest point in England and of course The Lake District National Park which includes the western and southern lakes as well as the well-known central lakes.

great natural beauty

...AND IT OFFERS A WIDE RANGE OF VERY SPECIAL VENUES FOR YOUR SPECIAL DAY.







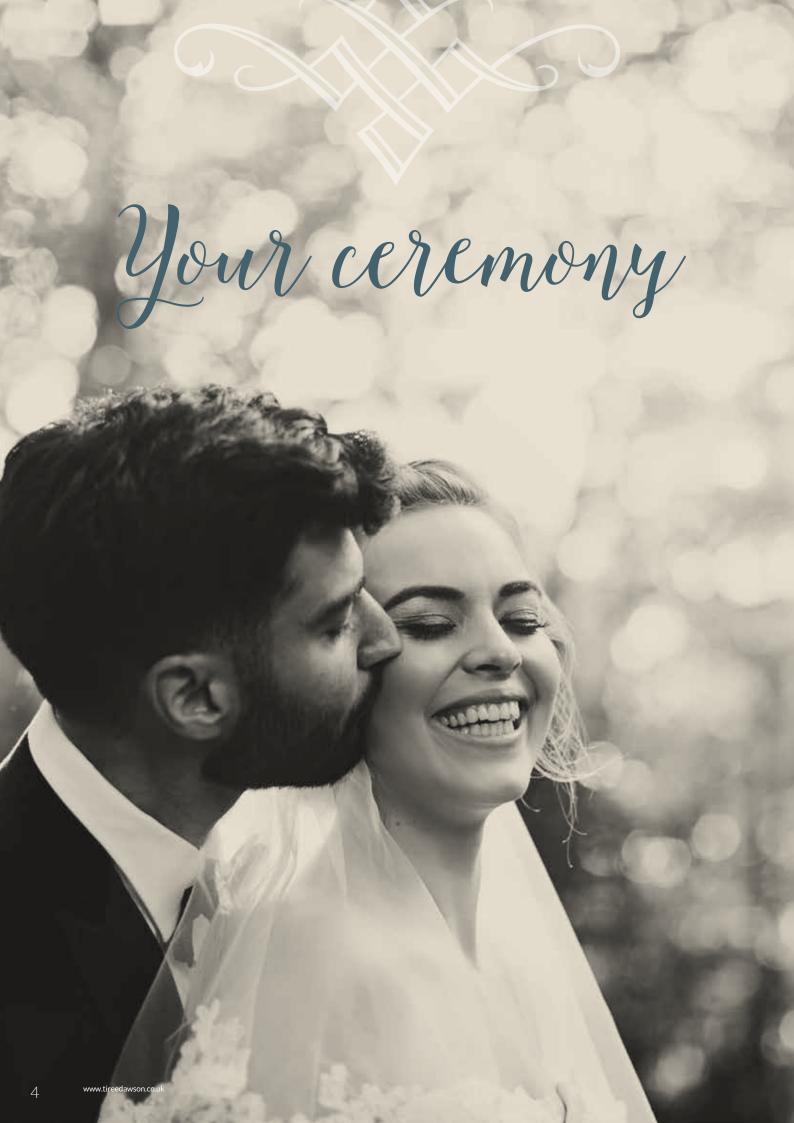


We want to welcome everyone here in Cumbria, be that for a Register Office ceremony or a vast castle; whether it's for just you and your two witnesses or with several hundred guests. We are blessed with over 170 fabulous venues in the county and we work very closely with them to ensure you not only enjoy your time here but that you'll want to return again and again.

We will guide you through the processes and help you to make your ceremony special whether you want to be unique, traditional, or simple and sincere. Our team of ceremony staff are passionate about providing an experience you will treasure.

I hope when you read through the pages of our brochure you feel the passion we have for what we do and that you will be inspired by what we have to offer. We can't wait to hear from you!

Louise McKenna Cumbria Registration Service



CUMBRIA HAS MORE THAN JUST LAKES... THERE ARE A MULTITUDE OF HIDDEN TREASURES, AMAZING VIEWS, PEACE AND TRANQUILLITY, OUTSTANDING FOOD, FRIENDLY LOCALS AND UNSPOILT BEACHES.

DIG FURTHER AND YOU WILL FIND THE MAGIC OF THE EDEN VALLEY NESTLED IN THE NORTH PENNINES, DRAMATIC COASTAL SCENERY AT THE LAKE DISTRICT PENINSULAS. WITH TRANQUIL TOWNS AND VILLAGES, MANY HISTORIC MONUMENTS, CHURCHES AND CASTLES, POETRY AND THE BIRTHPLACE OF WORDSWORTH, AND THE HISTORIC HADRIAN'S WALL FOR YOU TO EXPLORE.

To have your special ceremony against such a beautiful backdrop is a dream for any couple and in the midst of this natural beauty you can celebrate your big day in exactly the way you dreamed of. Many Approved Venues and hotels can host not just the ceremony, but also your reception and honeymoon.

Whether you chose a ceremony in a Registration Office or an Approved Venue, in Cumbria we can offer some of the best venues in the country. With over 170 Approved Venues to choose from, including stately homes, historic buildings, first class hotels and Registration Offices which provide charming settings for civil weddings.

Although ceremonies are not allowed to take place outdoors or in temporary or moveable structures such as marquees or boats, certain venues do have permanent constructions outdoors i.e. pergolas, gazebos etc. which are licensed. However it is possible to follow a statutory ceremony with a Renewal of Vows ceremony in the open air.

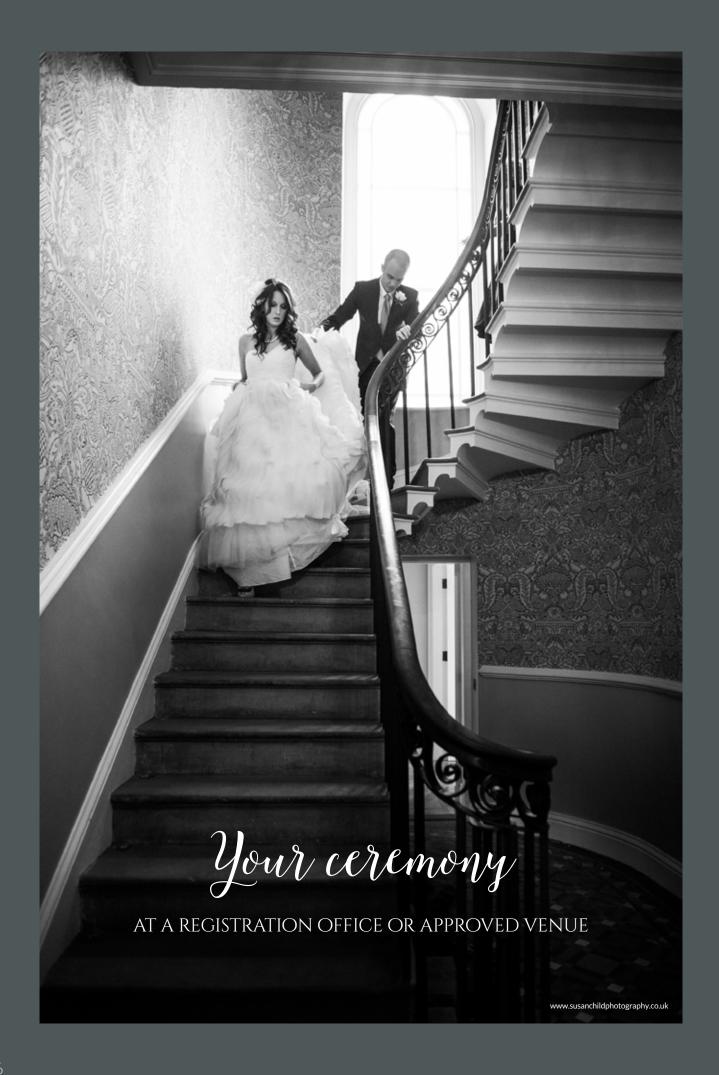
Our staff will be happy to discuss any ideas that you have to make your ceremony unique to you.

Wherever, and however, you decide to celebrate your special day, from traditional and stylish to themed or more unusual, you will be guaranteed the ultimate venue and spectacular backdrop.

You can stay at large, luxurious hotels and cosy, family-run B&Bs, to well equipped camping and caravan parks and self-catering cottages. Whatever your choice you can be sure of a warm welcome, great service and some of the most picturesque surroundings to be found anywhere.

Not only is Cumbria the perfect place for your wedding but also your honeymoon. Reflect on your big day surrounded by beautiful lakes and mountains. The perfect location to enjoy your first happy days of married life together, with memories that will last a lifetime.







All civil ceremonies, either in a Registration Office or Approved Venue, are arranged through the Registration Service that is responsible for the area. However, it is the responsibility of the couple to book the Approved Venue.

Our Registration Offices are all different in character and capacity, and our Ceremonies Team know how to make your day really special, priding themselves on making each ceremony a unique experience to treasure.

Please feel free to discuss any ideas of your own with the Ceremonies Team prior to the day.

In a civil marriage there are certain words prescribed by law, which you must say, known as declaratory and contracting words. In a civil partnership, it is optional whether these words are said out loud.



However, there are various ways of personalising your ceremony, such as additional vows which may be added after the contractual words have been spoken.



You must provide two witnesses, who may be either friends or relatives. It is advisable that they should be over the age of 18, and are able to understand English as well as the significance of the ceremony they are witnessing.

They will be asked to sign the marriage register or civil partnership schedule at the end of the ceremony.

Please note:

On this special day please help us and other couples who are holding a ceremony on the same day by arriving at the Registration Office or Approved Venue, at the appropriate time. The groom is expected 30 minutes before the ceremony and the bride should arrive 15 minutes before the start. The Registration Service staff will often need to attend other ceremonies on the day. Should the services of an interpreter be required, please contact the Ceremonies Team for advice.





In Cumbria you may provisionally book your ceremony up to 24 months in advance for a nonrefundable advanced booking fee.

Once a booking has been made, there would be an administration fee for any changes. This fee is in addition to the standard fees payable to the Registrar, and couples must still give notice within 12 months of the ceremony in the usual way.

You can include music which is special to you as a couple or a piece of poetry may be read. Neither must be religious in nature. In Cumbria ceremonies are conducted between the hours of 8.00am-6.00pm and must be completed by 6.00pm.

Many of our Approved Venues are set amidst breathtaking landscapes and beautiful gardens in which to have your photographs taken.

The ceremonies co-ordinator at an Approved Venue will be delighted to discuss various arrangements that can be made to make your day really special.



Ceremonies at Approved Venues follow a similar format to those in the Registration Offices. To arrange a ceremony at an Approved Venue you must first contact the premises of your choice to make provisional arrangements and check that they have availability.

It is advisable to request three or four alternative dates and times, as it is not always possible to accommodate your first choice.

You must then contact the Ceremonies Team to ensure that a member of the team is able to attend your ceremony on that date and time.

Information about formal notice can be given to you at that time.

The current Approved Venues are listed at the back of this brochure and you could also visit our website at www.cumbria.gov.uk/registration



Each couple must give notice.
Giving notice means making a legal declaration that you are both free to marry each other or form a civil partnership and you will need to provide certain documents and prove this when doing so.

Although you may have a civil ceremony in a district within England and Wales, you must give notice to the Registrar in the district where you live.

When you wish to give formal notice you will need to make an appointment at the appropriate office and it will take approximately half an hour to an hour to complete.

giving notice



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www.tireedawson.co.uk

When you attend your appointment you and your partner will need to provide information such as proof of age, identity, nationality and evidence you are free to marry or form a civil partnership. You will need to provide documents that prove your identity.

When you book an appointment the officers will keep you right about what you need to bring with you.

For more detailed information in this regard please visit our website www.cumbria.gov.uk/registration

If either of you are under 18, the Registrar will give you forms that must be completed by a parent or legal guardian. If you are in any doubt about the paperwork required, please contact a member of our Ceremonies Team for further advice.

Whilst you can book your ceremony more than a year in advance, your notice of intent can only be given within one year of the date. Our Ceremony Team can advise you of the minimum number of days in advance you may give your notice. Once the notice of intent has been given, your details will be publicly displayed at the Register Office for 28 days.

However, for administrative purposes we recommend you allow a minimum of eight weeks.

There is a minimum period between giving notice and getting married or forming a civil partnership – please ask our Ceremony Team for further details.

Both of you must give notice and this must be done in person at the appropriate Registration Office. In general, notice must be given in the district where you live. If you both live in the same district a joint appointment should be made with your local office. If you live in separate districts, but still within England or Wales then you should make individual appointments with your local Registration Office, if possible around the same date.

You must be resident in the district where you give notice for the preceding eight days prior to the appointment and on the ninth day you will be free to give notice.

If you wish to have a ceremony in a district where you do not live, you will need to contact both the venue and the Registrar of that district to make arrangements, and agree the date and time of your ceremony. Once you have done this you can then give your notice to marry or form a civil partnership to the Registrar in the district where you live.

The Registrar will tell you when your marriage authority or schedule will be issued.

If you are marrying in another district, please advise the Registrar where to send your Authorities.

Please be aware that some special conditions may apply in the following cases:

- Either party is not a British Citizen
- If the marriage is to take place outside of England or Wales
- Or if either party is resident outside of England or Wales.

If any of the above applies to you or your partner please contact one of our Registration Offices for further advice.

Also, if you wish to get married or form a civil partnership and either of you are seriously ill or has a life limiting condition, please contact the Ceremonies Team who will offer further advice and assistance.

Immigration Control

If one or both of you is subject to immigration control you will need to follow special procedures. You will need to give notice at a specially designated Registration Office, which in Cumbria is the Kendal Register Office.

For further information, you can contact us on 0300 303 2472 or email registrationservice@cumbria. gov.uk

Most importantly, please note that it is your responsibility to arrange the following:

- To book any Approved Venue and arrange the details of the day
- To ensure that the legal formalities are completed in sufficient time to allow the ceremony to proceed.

Approved venues

IN CUMBRIA





The Belsfield Hotel

SAY 'I DO' TO THE STUNNING BACKDROP OF LAKE WINDERMERE

The Belsfield Hotel is the epitome of romance, with 6 acres of landscaped gardens, breath taking lake views, beautiful designer interior, an award-winning restaurant, seating up to 120 guests and 62 luxurious bedrooms.

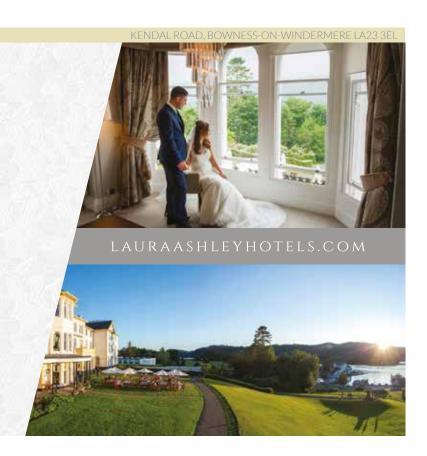
Where dreams are made and memories will last an eternity...



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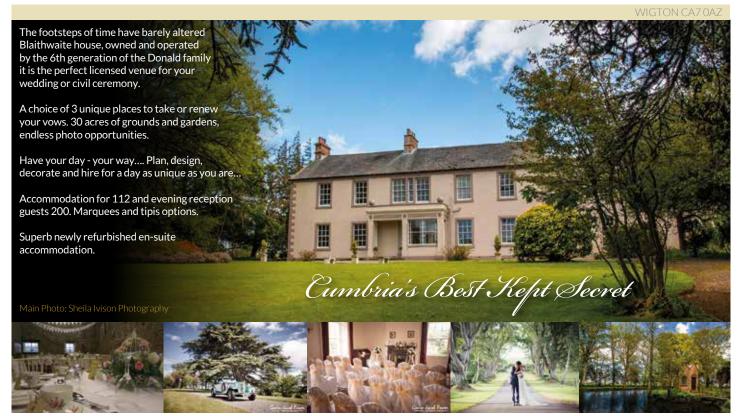
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Abbey House Hotel & Gardens



Abbey House Hotel & Gardens has been 5 times winner of the best wedding venue in Cumbria, servicing in excess of 140 significant events a year.

We're here to turn the day of your wedding dreams into a reality, nothing is out of the picture, if you can think it, we can provide it. Our dedicated wedding co-ordinators are on hand to offer advice, inspiration and make the planning of your special day a stress free, pleasurable experience.



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The Rowley Estates











BLENCOWE HALL: Grade I listed manor house located four miles from the Lake District National Park. Provides accommodation for up to 24 guests within the hall itself and 44 guests overall including the three cottages within its 30 acres of elegant gardens and grounds.

Exclusive use of 5* rated luxurious private family estates for wedding celebration weekends.

Self-catering or full catering and housekeeping available

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Licensed for civil ceremonies from 18 to 60 guests with marquee provision in the gardens for larger parties of up to 100 guests.

MELMERBY HALL: Set within 25 acres of sandstone walled gardens and wooded grounds in the foothills of the Pennines. It offers accommodation for 18 guests within Melmerby Hall itself and up to 30 guests overall including the two neighbouring cottages in its walled orchards and gardens.







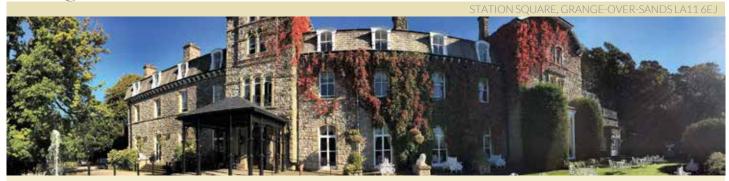
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Grange Hotel



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The Wordsworth Hotel

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THE WORDSWORTH HOTEL AND SPA is a historic and beautifully appointed 4* Lake District Hotel with a country house feel that offers a classic mix of warm hospitality, modern appointments, indoor spa, award winning food and set within 2 acres of riverside garden.

If it's a ceremony at St Oswald's ancient church next door, or a civil ceremony in our garden gazebo, bespoke Coleridge Suite or Classical Lounges, the Wordsworth Hotel and Spa Grasmere offers the perfect setting for your dream wedding in the heart of The Lakes, surrounded by the magic of the mountains.











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Four-poster suite

Ballroom with stage and original Victorian features

Flexible menu and pricing options

Civil ceremony licence





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Linthwaite House



Linthwaite House sits on a hilltop overlooking Lake Windermere and is the perfect setting for your wedding. Part of the Leeu Collection portfolio, Linthwaite House, with its superb location and breath-taking views, has been awarded 'Most Excellent Country House Hotel' by Johansens and placed in the top 200 hotels of the UK by the AA. Linthwaite is a four AA Red Star hotel with an award-winning restaurant.

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Brantwood & Steam Yacht Gondola



Overlooking Coniston Water with spectacular views of Coniston Old Man, there is no place more atmospheric than Brantwood, the beautiful historic home of John Ruskin.

Tailored wedding packages with Steam Yacht Gondola (National Trust), possibly the most iconic and photogenic yacht in the Lake District. Suitable for events with 2 to 60 guests, Brantwood is a licensed wedding venue offering a range of rooms and catering from their own restaurant or on board Gondola.







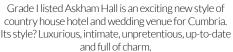






Askham Hall







Featuring a stunning barn with capacity for 150 seated, an original medieval hall and private dining rooms for smaller weddings, 15 en-suite bedrooms, spa, restaurant, gardens and an outdoor pavilion.



In-house catering using locally sourced produce, much of it grown and reared at Askham Hall itself and on the 800 year old family estate.

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Tullie House Museum & Art Gallery Trust





Set in its own grounds in the heart of Carlisle, Tullie House offers a truly unique and historic setting for your civil ceremony or special occasion.

With a choice of two rooms licensed for civil ceremonies – an impressive tiered Victorian Theatre or a more intimate Morning Room overlooking our Abbey Street gardens - we are set to make your dream day a reality.

Please contact our Wedding Team to discuss your special day on 01228 618766.

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The Daffodil Hotel & Spa



Sitting on the shores of the water in Grasmere, The Daffodil is the Lake District's newest 4 star Hotel & Spa. Stunning natural beauty outside and contemporary chic interiors inside makes The Daffodil a unique concept of modern luxury on the fringes of the romantic village of Grasmere.

Bring your thoughts, ideas and dreams to a meeting with our Wedding Planners and prepare to be inspired as we work with you to plan your perfect day from start to finish.







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North Lakes Hotel & Spa
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Four star comfort and style, matched with impeccable service and fantastic food. Roaring log fires and cosy corners make a great setting for winter photographs and we've outdoor terraces and grounds for the warmer months.

Whether it's a small and intimate gathering for 20 or a whole day of celebrations for 200 in our newly refurbished Voreda Suite, why not call in and talk to Jen Braithwaite, our wedding specialist.











Wordsworth House & Garden



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Low House



Stunning Country House in extensive gardens Exclusive use for your special day – intimate or large weddings Perfect venue for Civil Weddings and Wedding Receptions



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Roundthorn Country House



A Grade II listed Georgian Mansion set in its own landscaped gardens with panoramic views of the Eden Valley and Lakeland Fells. Licensed for Civil Ceremonies, Roundthorn is suitable for weddings from 20 to 200 and can be exclusively yours for the day.







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Knipe Hall



Exclusive use with the ability to choose your own decorations, caterers, drinks and entertainment. Two unique spaces:

The Old Dairy (seating up to 110) and the Party Barn with licensed bar. No corkage! There is plenty accommodation nearby for guests.

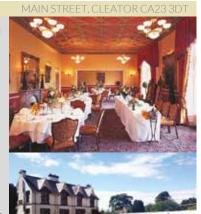
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Ennerdale Country House Hotel

Situated in 5 acres of landscaped gardens, our Grade II listed building is the perfect venue for your wedding celebration.

- Bespoke packages created to your personal requirements
- Dedicated wedding planner to assist in all planning
- Complimentary Honeymoon Suite on the wedding night
- Hotel exclusive use available
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The Trout Hotel





The Award Winning Trout Hotel is an oasis of tranquillity set within beautiful riverside gardens. It provides genuine Cumbrian hospitality whilst offering guests and clients professional service within exquisite and sophisticated surroundings.

The 49 bedroom riverside hotel is the perfect venue for couples who want a more intimate gathering. Functions for up to 56 guests can be arranged, simply to suit individual requirements, and most importantly, create memories that last a lifetime. Please request a brochure online.











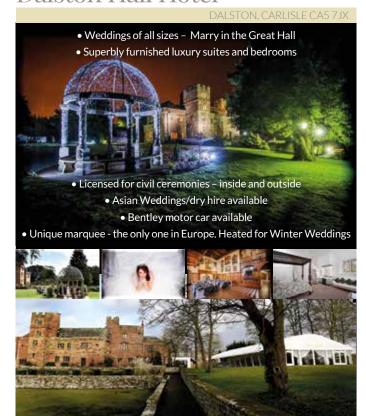








Dalston Hall Hotel



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Licensed for civil ceremonies Bespoke fine dining menus 19 en-suite bedrooms Dedicated wedding planner













Punch Bowl Inn & Restaurant



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Our restaurant, lounge and bar dining room are licensed for civil ceremonies. The restaurant seats a maximum of 48 for a wedding breakfast and can cater for up to 70 for a buffet incorporating the bar area.







Lindeth Howe



Lindeth Howe County House Hotel nestled close by Bowness-on-Windermere is steeped in history and is the perfect venue for civil ceremonies and wedding celebrations. From small intimate ceremonies for two people to traditional wedding celebrations with exclusive use, we can help you make your special day one that you and your guests will never forget.

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The choice is yours...





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BROCKHOLE ON WINDERMERE



Storrs Hall



Storrs Hall is unquestionably one of the most spectacular hotels in the Lake District. The Grade II Georgian Mansion offers an idyllic setting for a perfect day. Whether you are planning a small intimate wedding or a large and lavish celebration: we have everything here to create fabulous weddings all year round. From the moment you arrive, you will see why Storrs Hall is fast becoming the most exclusive and desirable wedding venue in the Lake District.









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Glenridding House



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Now a boutique AA five gold star B&B in an unrivalled stunning position with breathtaking views. Bespoke weddings for up to 50 guests in marquee configuration.

Choose either the Darwin Lounge, our entrance hall, under the cast iron trellis balcony, or our oak lakeshore gazebo.

Or a simple elopement ceremony - the choice is yours.

Licensed for civil ceremonies



Lakeside Hotel & Spa



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Lakeside specialise in intimate weddings for 2-20 guests.

Our Windermere Suite is an exclusive venue for 30-80 guests.

We understand no two weddings are the same, so let us personalise a wedding package just for you.











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The Woolpack Inn



Take your foot off the pedal and take in the fresh air, fresh food, fresh beer and fresh approach at the Woolpack Inn and Hardknott Bar & Cafe at the top of one of England's most dramatic valleys.

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Combining period features from the 17th century with modern luxury, in 15 acres of beautiful scenery, our special and unique venue is perfect for any celebration.



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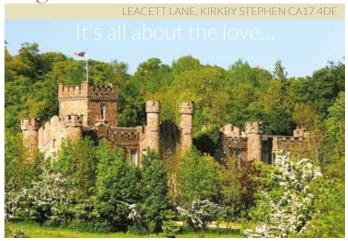
The Swan Hotel & Spa



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Augill Castle



There are few places more romantic than a castle and we'd love you to make Augill Castle your own for your wedding celebrations. At Augill we do small and beautiful where intimacy and privacy are the key ingredients so your perfect wedding is just you and the people you love.

Whether you'd like a lavish two day wedding house party with the castle exclusively yours, a private afternoon ceremony followed by a decadent afternoon tea, we can deliver the wedding of your dreams. There are no set formulas, no two Augill weddings are the same, it's your day not ours and we $take\ great\ pleasure\ in\ making\ it\ personal\ to\ you.\ The\ only\ elements\ of\ an\ Augill$ Castle wedding that are always the same are the intimacy and privacy of the venue, the beauty of your surroundings, the friendliness and un-stuffiness of the people who look after you.

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Your Quirky Wedding Venue... An Historic Ruin with beautiful gardens

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The Halston



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Inn on the Lake



Imagine a place with breath-taking scenery, set in 15 acres of landscaped grounds sweeping down to the shores of Ullswater. With 2 AA Rosette dining and a licensed lakeside gazebo, the Inn on the Lake is the ideal setting for your perfect day.

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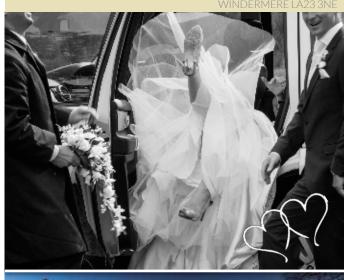
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Important things To remember

May we please respectfully remind you of the following:

- Payment for any ceremony is required in advance, eight weeks prior to the day
- If the ceremony will take place within eight weeks, full payment is required at the time of giving notice
- It is the responsibility of the couple to book, and confirm, dates and arrangements with Approved Venues, and to pay any fees due to the premises
- It is the couple's responsibility to ensure that the legal formalities and notices are complete and that you have obtained the necessary authorities before your ceremony

- Any rights of copyright for music, readings, etc., permitted at the ceremony are a matter for you and the venue
- A booking cannot be made unless you are legally free to marry or form a civil partnership (i.e. divorced or granted a dissolution) and are in receipt of any papers to prove this
- Whilst every effort will be made to make sure your ceremony starts on time, you should appreciate that circumstances beyond the control of the Registration Service staff may occasionally cause delays. Unfortunately, the Registration Service cannot accept responsibility for any delays beyond its control
- It is very important that you and your guests arrive in good time, at least 30 minutes before the start of your ceremony. This will allow you to be interviewed before the ceremony and for your guests to be seated. The Registrar will see you privately, either together or separately, to check details and final arrangements. We make every effort to perform the ceremony at the time stated. As our staff may have other ceremonies after yours, any unnecessary delays may result in them having to leave to attend other ceremonies.

If you need to discuss any of these points or have any other questions, please contact the Ceremonies Team on 0300 303 2472 or email: registrationservice@cumbria.gov.uk





Copy Certificates

Couples often require more than one copy of their marriage or civil partnership certificate, primarily for legal purposes.

If you do require extra certificates, they are available from the Registrar at a cost of £4 each. Please ensure you contact the Ceremonies Team in advance stating how many you require on the day. However, if at any time after your ceremony you require further copies of your certificate you can obtain these from the Registration Office in the district where your ceremony took place. You will be advised of the cost at the time.





Don't forget you may need to change your passport. Check with your travel agent or the country's consulate if you are travelling abroad for your honeymoon. You can change your passport details at any time within three months before the ceremony, although you will not be able to use it, until your ceremony date.

For further information, please check www.gov.uk





FLOWERS

All ceremony rooms at the Registration Offices are tastefully decorated. You may, however, wish to have or make your own floral arrangements.

MUSIC

Music systems and CD players are provided in all our Registration Offices with a selection of suitable music. Due to the variations in media format it is essential that you make sure that it is compatible with the Registration Services equipment in advance of the ceremony. If, however, you have a favourite or meaningful piece you wish to have played, please discuss it before the day with the Ceremonies Team.

WORDS & READINGS

You may choose to say special words to each other and/or add readings to enhance you ceremony.

WITNESSES

In Cumbria, it is required that you are accompanied by at least two witnesses over 18 years of age at your ceremony. They may be relatives, friends or colleagues who must be able to speak and understand English and also the significance of the ceremony.

PARKING

The availability of parking varies at each Registration Office. For further information, please contact the Ceremonies Team. Most Approved Venues have ample parking.

PHOTOS

Official photographers are welcome to take photographs before and after the formal ceremony, however it is important that all ceremonies begin on time, without delays as a result of photographs being taken.

All photography, professional or otherwise, is by the permission of the presiding Ceremonies Officers and must be agreed prior to the start of the ceremony. You are allowed to photograph the couple as they enter, the exchanging of ring(s) and the first kiss. Flashguns may only be used with the consent of the Ceremonies Team.

VIDEO

Video recording is at the discretion of the Ceremonies Team. Only one video camera to be used and the person recording the event should remain in one position. Any cameras or video equipment must be battery operated only.

MOBILE PHONES

Your guests will be asked to ensure that their mobile phones or electrical devices are silent or turned off during the ceremony.

CONFETTI

Confetti is a familiar part of any wedding, but please ask your guests not to throw confetti inside the building!

NO SMOKING

Cumbria County Council has a no smoking policy on all its premises and this includes all Registration Offices, ceremony rooms, car parks and grounds.

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12 months

Book venue & reception
Contact Registrar to check
availability of staff on your
chosen date
Contact Registrar to arrange to
give notice
Set Budget.



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9 months

Book photographer/video, caterers, music, decoration of room/tables

Book your honeymoon

Decide on best man, bridesmaids, page boys, ushers and start making guest list

Plan your dress and your bridesmaids' dresses

Think about menswear/hiring

Check on insurance
Confirm venue and pay deposit to secure booking.



4 months

Order your stationery
Buy ring/rings
Choose reception menu and
order cake.

6

6 months

Arrange transport
Begin thinking about your gift list
Choose your florist and place
order

Book transport to and from the venue.





3 months

Go over final honeymoon arrangements and check your passport is up to date
Book overnight hotel if necessary
Send out invitations/gift list
Send lists of local accommodation to guests who may need it
Buy attendants' presents
Buy your going away outfit.

8

8 weeks

Contact the Registration Service to pay the ceremony fees Chase up guests who have not replied Order travellers cheques/ currency Give final guest list to caterers Arrange hen/stag night

Check transport arrangements
Return Ceremony Plan to
Registration Office

Book your hair appointment

Ensure that any music is in a format compatible with the equipment in the Registration Office.

2 weeks

Contact the Ceremonies Team to finalise arrangements for the day.



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Time the journey to make sure there are no unexpected delays Give your gown, bridesmaids' dresses etc. a final check for fit Ensure all hired clothes are collected in time Pack for your honeymoon.

TO THE BIG DAY

Enjoy...

Renewing your vous

Renewal of civil partnership or marriage vows ceremonies are often associated with a special anniversary, such as tenth, twenty-fifth etc. but the ceremony is just as appropriate for couples at any stage of their relationship.

The ceremony is put together by you! Just as no two couples are the same, no two ceremonies to renew vows will ever be the same. Special people in your lives can take part in your ceremony; your children, guests who were at your ceremony and any friends and relatives.

For example if you were married abroad, you can renew your marriage vows in a ceremony held for family and friends. You can also ask friends or relatives to witness the signing of the certificate of the event.

Registration Offices and Approved Venues which are licensed for civil marriages or civil partnerships are listed in this brochure. They provide excellent locations and meet current fire and safety regulations with public liability insurance.

These premises are experienced at holding events and are also ideal for renewal ceremonies, however, there may be other options. If you are unsure of the suitability of a particular location please contact the Ceremonies Team.

Please Note:

Neither the renewal ceremony nor any other document issued following the ceremony has any legal status and are secular (no religious reference).









Any parent can make the arrangements to hold a naming ceremony.

Whether married or not, or from different religious or cultural backgrounds, you can host a naming ceremony to celebrate with your family. Ceremonies can also be used to introduce adoptive children and stepchildren into a new relationship and form part of the family bonding with an extended family unit.

You may choose to hold it prior to or following your wedding or partnership ceremony.

A naming ceremony provides an opportunity to:

Welcome the child or children into the family and wider community

Announce the names that have been chosen, and maybe give the reasons behind the choice

Make promises of commitment to nurture and support the child into adult life

Choose other adults prepared to promise a special supportive relationship to the child or children

Gather together close family and friends to celebrate the special occasion

You may choose from a selection of poems and readings to enhance the ceremony and you can present your child with a special gift to mark the occasion.

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We welcome your views

Cumbria County Council is proud to be able to supply this information free of charge to anyone wishing to be married, form a civil partnership or celebrate with any of the ceremonies provided in the County.

If you have any views on the service we provide or this publication, customer feedback cards are available.

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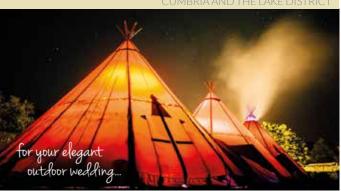








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