



BALFOUR

Weddings at
The Goudhurst Inn
Cranbrook

ABOUT THE GOUDHURST INN

For a wedding breakfast and reception, The Goudhurst Inn can host up to 50 guests for the wedding breakfast, and 120 for the reception. With four sumptuous en-suite rooms for you and your guests to retreat to, we have everything you need for an memorable & enjoyable day.

GOUDHURST, CRANBROOK

Nestled in the picturesque countryside of Kent, The Goudhurst Inn provides a tranquil escape. With its blend of natural beauty and cultural allure, The Goudhurst Inn promises a delightful retreat and is the perfect setting to make your dream wedding come true.

THE GOUDHURST INN

Exclusively yours, with a capacity of up to 50 guests for a wedding breakfast and 120 for a reception. If you are having a larger scale wedding, whereby the capacities of the indoors are not feasible, it is possible to have use of the grounds.

Our smaller dining room 'Hush Heath' is the ideal space for up to 30 people standing or those larger tables if you would like your own private room.

Once the celebrations have drawn to a close, you and your guests can retreat into one of our 4 sumptuous en suite bedrooms.

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The Goudhurst Inn is a stunning venue to celebrate. Whether you take over the whole venue, or the Hush Heath room - you're guaranteed to have a memorable day.

TESTIMONIALS FROM PAST WEDDINGS

"We had our wedding reception at this wonderful hotel! What a special place with a fantastic team ... Our wedding was faultless. We had guests staying in the rooms which were very nice , great food and brilliant company! We recommend that if you are considering a Kent based venue for a wedding, then this is the place"

Mr and Mrs Graham

"Absolutely fantastic wedding reception all round!! The staff were very helpful and friendly, especially 'Charlie' the events manager. She worked tirelessly to ensure everyone was looked after. The quality of food was amazing, delicious and hot! Such a great venue we stayed for hours. Massive thank you to all the staff!"

Rebecca M

"A massive thank you to you all. From the way everyone was so helpful throughout the whole experience, through how beautifully the place was decorated, to how absolutely and tasty the food was. You all made our wedding so special."

Amy

Throughout the planning stages and the day itself, the team were excellent and could not be faulted, friendly, attentive, helpful, nothing was too much trouble! The rooms are spacious comfy and clean with super comfy beds (very important) and very reasonably priced. The food could not be faulted (both breakfast and dinner). Big thank you to all who helped to make our big day so special!

@foodmole



A bouquet of white flowers, including daisies and baby's breath, is arranged in a clear glass vase. The vase sits on a light-colored wooden surface. The background is softly blurred, showing warm, bokeh-style lights. A dark green rectangular box is centered over the image, containing white text.

**“The Goudhurst
guarantees a wedding
with character. The pub
is over 500 years old, and
that history shines
through. But with a very
modern menu and focus
on service.”**

PLANNING YOUR PERFECT DAY WITH BALFOUR

- 01** **Contact our Events Manager** - so we can begin to create your bespoke wedding.
- 02** **Decide on some details** - keep it simple at this stage, just guest numbers and a budget.
- 03** **Scout the venue** - visit The Goudhurst Inn and talk with our team to begin putting your plan together.
- 04** **Scout locations for the ceremony** - you can also use a local registered site or local church before visiting us for the breakfast and reception.
- 05** **Plan the details** - have a tour, choose your menu and enjoy a tasting.
- 06** **Add the extras** - like our award-winning English wines and table setting extras. We can either recommend suppliers or you can pick your own.
- 07** **Book rooms** - we have capacity to host; perfect for your bridal party or nearest and dearest.
- 08** **Make it your own;** although all our spaces are beautifully presented, we're very happy to allow you to dress the space as you see fit.
- 09** **Sit back, relax...** This is a once in a lifetime day for you - let our team of experts take care of the rest.
- 10** **Enjoy the day!** Safe in the knowledge that you and your guests will be well catered for.



BALFOUR
FORTIFIED WINE
LESLIE'S

RAISE A TOAST AT THE GOUDHURST INN

Our culinary philosophy embraces a traditional approach, emphasising the use of high-quality, fresh ingredients to craft well-rounded dishes - perfect for your wedding.

Created by a team passionate about their craft, our focus is showcasing local, seasonal produce. As such, our menus vary season, to season. As a Balfour Winery inn, you can also trust us to deliver exceptional wines for your guests.



SAMPLE SET MENU

WEDDING FEAST

TO START

Kentish Charcuterie board, cider apple chutney, marinated olives, pickles, baked sourdough

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Kentish garden board, sweet potato & chilli parcels, roasted vegetables & balsamic onion tart, marinated olives, cornichons, baked sourdough

MAINS

Served family style

Slow roasted pork belly, crackling, celeriac & apple purée, Truffle roast new potatoes, confit garlic fine beans & savoy cabbage

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Chargrilled celeriac steak, celeriac & apple purée, truffle roasted new potatoes, confit garlic fine beans & savoy cabbage, (VE)

TO FINISH

Espresso panna cotta

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Dark chocolate fondant, cherry sorbet (VE)

SAMPLE SET MENU

PUB CLASSICS

TO START

'Dirty Martini' prawn cocktail

Duck liver & port pate, confit garlic crostini

Leek & potato soup, crispy leeks, warm sourdough (VE)

Wild mushrooms on toast, tarragon cream sauce (V)

Pork & apple scotch egg, piccalilli

MAINS

Lamb & mint pie, mashed potato, stock pot carrots,
red wine & mint jus

Brasied lentil 'Shepherd's pie' honey roasted carrot,
savoy cabbage

Pressed ham hock, crispy hens egg, triple cooked chips,
mustard sauce

Seared calves liver, bubble & squeak, savoy cabbage, crispy
onions, gravy

TO FINISH

Sticky toffee pudding & custard

Classic Eton mess

Apple & cinnamon crumble, vanilla ice cream

Millionaire's chocolate cheesecake

SAMPLE SET MENU

EVENING FOOD

8 hour -slow roasted pulled pork buns, sage & onion stuffing,
crackling, gravy

Chargrilled vegan Bratwurst, sauerkraut, brioche bun (VE)

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Fish & chip cones, tartar sauce

Halloumi & red pepper skewers

Garlic & chilli king prawn skewers

Spiced corn ribs, spring onion, paprika soured cream

Artisan cheese board, crackers, chutneys, grapes & celery

SAMPLE SET MENU

CANAPÉS

Smoked salmon & lemon crème fraîche blini

Four cheese soufflé tart

Honey mustard sausage & Yorkshire pudding

Rare roast beef & horseradish crostini

Wild mushroom arancini

Steak sliders, gherkins

Goats cheese & red onion tart

Crispy rosemary polenta bites

OUR SELECTION OF WINES & SPIRITS

English Wines

We're thrilled to offer our own English wines from Balfour Winery in Staplehurst, Kent for your celebration. Select from our sparkling or still range - or go for both and have a true English wedding! We recommend our Leslie's Reserve Gold for an indulgent toast.

Beers & Ciders

Opt for our own Balfour Beer & Ciders to be enjoyed throughout your day. Have a favourite supplier? We might even be able to serve them on your big day.

Cocktails

Our delicious, ready to serve cocktails from Edmonds mean you will have guests enjoying the day, and not queuing at the bar.

Private Bar

When the weather is shining, it would be a shame to keep your guests inside! Speak to our event planner for your very own Balfour Bar in our garden.



SAMPLE DRINKS PACKAGE

BEST OF BALFOUR

½ bottle wine per person

Select from:

Liberty Bacchus | Skye's Chardonnay |

Nanette's Rose | Luke's Pinot Noir

1 Glass Brut Rosé or Blanc de Blanc for toast

Still & sparkling mineral water

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½ bottle wine per person

Select from:

Bianco di Puliga | Il Caretto | Colombard Blanc

| Petit Ballon | Sangiovese | Il Caretto |

Merlot

1 Glass Prosecco for Toast

Still & sparkling mineral water

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½ bottle wine per person

Select from:

Picpoul de Pinet | Maison Azan | Sauvignon

Blanc | Lofthouse | Chamuyo | Malbec | Pinot

Noir

1 Glass Leslie's Reserve Gold for toast

- Still & sparkling mineral water

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½ bottle wine per person

Select from:

Gavi di Gavi | Chardonnay | St Emillion | Rioja

Crianza | Bodegas Zugober

1 Glass Brut Rosé or Blanc de Blanc for Toast

Still & sparkling mineral water

IS THE GOUDHURST INN RIGHT FOR YOU?

Characterful, charming...

The Goudhurst Inn is an authentic, beautiful inn. With a history dating back over 500 years, but with all the modern amenities you would expect. Characterful, but with plenty of space to add your own personality.

For up to 120 guests

From small and intimate, to larger celebrations - we can offer bespoke packages for your wedding.

Flexible expertise

We cater for dozens of weddings every year - so we know how to make your day a perfect occasion. But we're not big or corporate either; and can offer a bespoke, personal service based around your requests.

Prices start from just £50 per head

Choose an option which works for you - and create a wonderful occasion at the right price.





OUR OTHER VENUES ACROSS THE UK

1. THE TICKLED TROUT

Located in West Farleigh, The Tickled Trout is a smart modern pub with its own ceremonial licence. Available for a maximum of 120 guests, with six en suite bedrooms.

3. BALFOUR ST. BARTS

Overlooking the City of London's iconic, Smithfield Market. Available for a maximum of 150 guests.

5. THE SHIP INN

Located in the heart of the historic East Sussex coastal town of Rye. Available for a maximum of 120 guests, with eleven en suite bedrooms.

2. THE GOUDHURST INN

Located near Balfour Winery in the picturesque village of Goudhurst. Available for a maximum of 120 guests, with four en suite bedrooms.

4. THE WOOLPACK

15th Century Inn in the centre of Tenterden, Kent. Available for a maximum of 120 guests with seven en suite bedrooms.

6. THE FALCON

Georgian townhouse, nestled in the picturesque village of Painswick in The Cotswolds. Available for a maximum of 120 guests, with eleven en suite bedrooms.

OUR RECOMMENDED SUPPLIERS

If you're looking for excellent suppliers that we have used before, then please find a recommended list below. You are also welcome to use your own suppliers.

All You Need Wedding Styling

Styling & events

James David Films

Videographer

Village Vintages

Furniture hire

Ian Bignell

Photographer

Michael Saltwick

Photographer

Florence Berry

Photography

Garden room at Golden square

Florist

The Voltaires

Professional cover band

Fit 2 funk

Band

Due to being in a residential area, we must be considerate of our neighbours. As such, evening music must be discussed with our Events Manager.

WE'RE HERE TO HELP...

CONTACT US

We create bespoke weddings for each of our guests - with options to suit all budgets.

Contact our Events Manager, Charlie, who can talk you through your options and create a beautiful, personalised day - for you and your loved ones.

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