

WEDDING SUPPLIERS

With the exception of our nominated venue stylist, we understand the desire to find the right suppliers to work with you on your special day and this is very much a matter of personal taste, but we spend a great deal of time and interest in selecting and handpicking interesting designers and suppliers to add to our recommended list in order to help couples plan their weddings. All of the suppliers have been chosen because of their style, elegance, individuality, reliability, innovativeness, integrity and quality of their work, respect for our venue, as well as being enjoyable to work with. Furthermore, where required we understand that they can comply with our health and safety requirements.

We recommend you speak initially to several contractors from each category on our recommended list to ensure that you feel happy and comfortable with your chosen contractors.

Please ensure that your contractors:

- Have a minimum of £2 million public liability insurance
- If connecting to the electricity supply at Gaynes Park, that their equipment is PAT tested to ensure no disruptions in the electrical supply for your wedding and to prevent accidents. We need copies of their insurance certificates and schedule of electrical items which have been tested prior to agreement that they may work at Gaynes Park. Where couples or their friends/families bring in electrical equipment, we will also need verification that the equipment has been correctly PAT tested

Musical entertainment

In addition to the above, before you book any music entertainment, please ensure they are pro-fessional entertainers who will understand playing in a barn venue our size with a decibel inhibitor set at 90db. When you sign your contract with your musicians, band or DJ please make sure that they are happy to sign your contract with the conditions found with the booking guide:

- Can and will play through the venues 90dB inhibitor
- Will not bypass the sound inhibitor system or use an uninterruptable power supply
- Will not use subwoofer speakers
- Will always place their speakers in the designated area, ie in the normal DJ/band area and facing the Gather Barn direction.
- Will only use electric drum kits (hot rods are acceptable for jazz bands with acoustic kits)
- Can provide a copy of their ProDub licence, where required, i.e. where music has been down-loaded and played through a computer and the supplier is being paid. Playing from CDs or a personal iPod is fine
- Can provide a Risk assessment procedures form to show e.g. how they tape down cables so guests and staff do not trip over and injure themselves, prevent accidental electrocution etc.
- Will abide by the instructions of the Gaynes Park Event Manager on the day

We regret that failure to provide the relevant copies of certificates and meet the requirements to maintain our wedding licence may result in suppliers being unable to work at Gaynes Park.

NB. We have been advised that pop party style bands with brass instruments and or saxophones are not suitable to play at Gaynes Park

NNB. Gaynes Park cannot accept any DJ/music provider who cannot comply with the above. Any of our recommended musical suppliers should be able to fulfil the venues general requirements and play within our sound and licence requirements.

NOMINATED VENUE STYLIST

We have appointed an nominated venue stylist, Mediterranean Occasions, whom we trust to not only do the job beautifully, but will also preserve and respect our venue. They are the ONLY supplier we will allow to provide and install the following decorative items should you wish to have them:

- Dancefloors: any dance floors
- Staging: any staging for bands/DJs
- Venue dressing: items such as mirror balls/chandelier lights, drapes or bunting style items hung from the heights of the Mill Barn ceiling and Gather Barn
- Lighting:
 - any in or outside lighting or uplighting placed outside of the standard designated dance area, which is to the side of the main Mill Barn
 - light curtains for general styling around the venue
 - GOBO lighting e.g. Mr & Mrs lighting signs above the top table

Mediterranean Occasions Venue Stylist 07950 578168 www.mediterraneanoccasions.co.uk

GENERAL VENUE DECORATIONS HIRE AND STYLING

For other stunning and decorative items to hire, please talk to:

Mediterranean Occasions Venue Stylist 07950 578168 www.mediterraneanoccasions.co.uk

BRIDAL GOWNS

Jenny Packham 020 7493 6290 www.jennypackham.com

The Bespoke Wardrobe (Ingatestone) 01277 355787 www.luellasboudoir.co.uk

Rock My Vintage Dress 07950 578168 www.rockmyvintagedress.co.uk

CHAIR DECORATIONS

Mediterranean Occasions 07950 578168 www.mediterraneanoccasions.co.uk

CONFETTI

Only real flowers or dried REAL FLOWERS and non-dyed flower confetti is permitted. Rice, paper and metal con-fetti is not permitted to be used for the damage they can create to wedding dress fabrics and the difficulty in cleaning from the paths and grass. Most of your florists can provide real flower petals as well and the website below can supply the real dried flower petals confetti that we are happy for you to use outside the Orangery.

Shropshire Petals www.shropshirepetals.com

DANCE FLOORS, BAND STAGES, DRAPES AND CHANDELIER/DISCO BALLS

Please refer to nominated Venue Stylist, Mediterranean Occasions specified for all dancefloors and staging for any bands and DJs.

FLORISTS

Lily and May 07866 718147 www.lilyandmay.co.uk

Luke & Lottie Flower Design Ltd 07515 391925 www.lukeandlottie.co.uk

Violets and Velvet 07866 754913 www.violetsandvelvet.co.uk

Red Floral 07739 709400 www.redfloral.co.uk

FREELANCE MAKE UP & HAIR

I Do Make-up 07814 446312 www.idomakeup.co.uk

GROOMSWEAR

Tux 'n' Tails 020 8508 8835 (Loughton store) www.tuxntails.co.uk

Coles of Epping 01992 572426 www.coles-menswear.co.uk

Oliver Sweeney www.oliversweeney.com

Reiss Menswear www.reiss.com/mens

MUSIC

Please read introduction notes.

It is essential that you advise any outside music contractor that the noise limiter is set at 90 decibels as stipulated in the Entertainment Licence issued by Epping Council. Musical entertainment will need to end in time for the contractor to vacate the premises by midnight.

We are happy to accommodate a DJ/band of your own, but we ask that you let us know who is coming before you book them and that they provide us with the required documentation and signed Terms & Conditions. DJ music is to finish by 11.30pm and Live Bands by 11pm as per our Music Licence. All equipment is to be packed away by midnight. No musician/entertainer is to use subwoofers or speakers outside the permitted areas as stated by the Events Manager on the day or try to circumvent the dB inhibitor.

Live Wedding Music

Any band playing at Gaynes Park is required to play through the 90dB inhibitor. Bands must not include brass instruments, saxophones, subwoofers and use an electric drum kit in order to comply with our sound licence requirements. The bands listed below should comply with our sound restrictions and decibel limiter.

The Cassettes 07968 363859 www.thecassettes.co.uk

Mixed Feelings (Jon Nicholls) 07710 420933 www.mixedfeelings.com

Sugar Shack – 5 Piece 07957 640646 www.sugarshackweddingband.co.uk DJs

Dream Machine 07801 252862 www.dreamdisco.co.uk

Terry Lewis DJ 07974 123567 www.djterrylewis.com

ENTERTAINERS - NON MUSICAL

Kevin Bird, Magician 07973 226290 www.kevinbirdmagician.co.uk

Caricaturists/Silhouettes Drawn 4 U - Caricaturist Steve Hearn 01268 418214 / 07960 006799 www.drawn4u.com

TOASTMASTERS

Some clients ask about having a toastmaster. We believe this can enhance the day although it is very much a matter of personal choice. We would be very happy to liaise with your own choice or can suggest the following very experienced Toastmasters:

Ken Tappenden 07719 478644 www.kentappenden.co.uk

PHOTOGRAPHERS

Ilaria Petrucci 07715 894 198 www.ilariapetrucci.co.uk

Ed Clayton

07795 831565 www.edclaytonphotography.co.uk

Justin Bailey 01277 262687 www.justin-bailey.co.uk

VINTAGE TABLEWARE / CHINA HIRE

Mediterranean Occasions 07950 578168 www.mediterraneanoccasions.co.uk

VENUE STYLING, LIGHTING AND DECORATIONS

Please refer to nominated Venue Stylist, Mediterranean Occasions who is the only supplier for all lighting, uplighting etc. outside of the normal dance floor area, chandeliers, any light curtains and GOBO lighting e.g. Mr & Mrs.

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WEDDING CAKES

The Cake Doll 07791 526402 www.thecakedoll.co.uk

Bunty's Cakes 07786 234256 buntyscakes.co.uk

WEDDING PLANNER AND DESIGNERS

Carter Nendick Wedding Events 07906 913842 www.carternendick.com

Ethereal Events 07720 848798 www.etherealevents.co.uk

Bernadette Chapman 01376 561544 www.dream-occasions.co.uk

Tigerlily 020 7226 3850 www.tigerlilyweddings.co.uk

WEDDING SHOES AND WELLIES

Emmy 020 7704 0012 www.emmyshoes.co.uk

Filippa Scott 01502 724333 www.filippascott.com