



CASTLEKNOCK
HOTEL

**Wedding
options &
more...**

A message from us

Congratulations on your engagement!

We know this is a very exciting time and a busy one too, full of decisions and plans to be made. It's our mission to smooth the path of wedding planning so that you can savour the experience, starting with this booklet. Here you'll find all the information you need as you ponder your options.

At Castleknock hotel, we take pride in our ability to offer a warm and welcoming venue that presents the perfect backdrop for your unforgettable wedding. Delicious food and excellent customer service are always our top priorities.

The hotel has an experienced Wedding Team on hand to meet and exceed all your expectations before, during and after your wedding day. At Castleknock hotel, we all share the same core values of quality, integrity and putting our guests first. You can also enjoy the peace of mind of knowing that you're being looked after by one of Ireland's leading hotel groups.

So please have a look through our brochure, website and visit our award-winning venue while enjoying the hospitality and expertise of our Wedding Events Team. Wherever you choose for your wedding we wish you every happiness on the day and for your future together.



Guy Thompson

*General Manager, Castleknock hotel
FBD Hotels & Resorts*

Classic Option

We've stripped every hint of stress out of the wedding planning process with our full Classic wedding option, available at any time of year. You'll find everything you need for a perfect day included right here, along with the flexibility to choose some personalised perks to really make your day shine!

- One wedding a day policy
- Complimentary use of Moposa, the award-winning online wedding planning service
- A private heated and covered smoking terrace located just outside the room
- Wedding garden for photographs
- Free parking for all guests

Food

- Special dietary requirements catered for
- Delicious tasting of the proposed wedding day menu served with the selected wine for the wedding couple prior to the wedding day
- Canapés served during the drinks reception
- Tea, coffee and shortbread selection for all your guests
- A delicious 5 course meal with choice of main course included
- Use of cake stand and cake knife on the day
- Finger food evening reception buffet

Drink

- Glass of champagne on arrival for the bride and groom
- Glass of sparkling wine or Castleknock Cocktail for all your guests on arrival
- Two bars located inside the main wedding room; the Phoenix Suite
- ½ bottle of specially selected wine per person with the wedding meal

Decor

- Red carpet on arrival with lanterns
- Fairy light backdrop behind your top table
- Tea lights on all tables during drinks reception
- Personalised printed table plan and table menus
- Choice of fresh floral arrangements or candelabras for your tables
- Chair covers with a selection of sashes

Hospitality

- Special accommodation rates for your guests
- Wedding Suite available to wedding couple on their wedding night followed by a Prosecco breakfast the next morning
- Complimentary 1st year anniversary dinner for two in the award-winning Earth & Vine Restaurant

Choose your perks

This is where you can individualise the Classic option with your own personal touches. Depending on the size of your wedding, you can choose a number of extra perks to make your day extra special.

- 100 - 109 adult guests - 1 Perk
- 110 - 129 adult guests - 2 Perks
- 130 - 149 adult guests - 3 Perks
- Over 150 adult guests - 4 Perks
- Over 180 adult guests - 6 Perks

Choose from:

- 1 Romantic package the night after your wedding in a Deluxe Executive room
- 2 Two Executive guest bedrooms with breakfast included on the night of the wedding
- 3 €350 voucher to be used towards ceremony décor with WOW Weddings
- 4 Bar extension till 2.30am
- 5 Sparkling wine toast drink at dinner
- 6 Upgraded cocktail options for your drinks reception

- 7 Three Standard double/twin guest bedrooms with breakfast included for the night before or after your wedding
- 8 Cocktail making class for a party of up to 20 people before your wedding
- 9 Craft beer/whiskey tasting for a group of up to 20 people before your wedding
- 10 Two 4 balls at Castleknock Golf Club
- 12 Upgraded options for your evening food reception
- 13 €250 Voucher for your wedding cake with Amazing Cakes

Pile on the perks!

If you want to add even more to your option, you can. For just €8 per person extra, you can add on an additional 2 Perks and for just €10 per person extra, you can avail of an additional 3 Perks from the list.

**Terms & Conditions Apply; For weddings with less than 100 adult guests, please contact our Wedding Team. All perks are subject to change and are correct at time of going to print.*

Rates

€85 - Friday & Saturday
(Peak Season April to September plus December)

€75 - Sunday to Thursday and off peak weekend dates (October to March excluding December)

*Above rates are applicable to 2019 per adult guest.
Please contact our Wedding Team for future dates.*

Premium Option ~ Spring or Summer

A wedding experience with a difference. Available from March through October, our Premium Spring/Summer offering provides you with elevated versions of everything included in the Classic offering, along with some particularly luxurious touches. Enjoy the splendour of fine linens and table settings, upgraded menu options, a banqueting room expertly adorned with personalised decor and a wide range of especially indulgent perks to choose from.

Savour our premium Spring/Summer menu

Inviting a guest list full of foodies? You and your guests will be spoiled for choice with our superior wedding menu. During your private tasting visit with our team, you can choose a spectacular six course menu, including an elegant sorbet course, tailored to your specifications. Select your favourites from a list of gourmet appetisers and mains prepared with local, artisan ingredients by our highly trained chefs.

Surround yourself with beauty on your wedding day

Our premium décor options for Spring and Summer provide a floor-to-ceiling treatment to your suite. Expert room draping gives a soft and intimate atmosphere. Satin champagne full length tablecloths, with matching chair sashes and table napkins glow in the soft evening light. Your top table will be decorated with a premium flower display, and you can choose your own show-stopping centrepieces for each guest table, depending on your personal taste: birdcages with flowers, large crystal candelabras, fresh floral arrangements with roses, cherry blossom trees or silver candelabras.

Choose your perks

Add in those personal touches to your wedding day with our individualised perks. Depending on the number of guests at your wedding, you can choose a number of added perks.

- 100 - 109 adult guests - 1 Perk
- 110 - 129 adult guests - 2 Perks
- 130 - 149 adult guests - 3 Perks
- Over 150 adult guests - 4 Perks
- Over 180 adult guests - 6 Perks

Choose from:

- 1 Bar extension until 2.30am
- 2 Open bar toast drink (2 Perks)
- 3 Romantic package the night after your wedding in a Deluxe Executive room
- 4 Live Musician during your arrivals reception
- 5 Barbecue or finger food reception for 40 people the afternoon after your wedding night
- 6 Cocktail making class for up to 20 people before your wedding
- 7 Craft beer/whiskey tasting for group of up to 20 people before your wedding
- 8 Two 4 balls at Castleknock Golf Club
- 9 Three-month membership of Castleknock Golf Club for one person
- 10 €350 voucher to be used towards ceremony décor with WOW Weddings
- 11 Afternoon Tea for group of up to 20 people before your wedding or day after
- 12 Selection of premium wines during your meal

- 13 €250 Voucher for your wedding cake with Amazing Cakes
- 14 Two Executive guest bedrooms with breakfast included on the night of the wedding
- 15 Three Standard double/twin guest bedrooms with breakfast included for the night before or after your wedding
- 16 Upgraded options for your evening food reception

Add even more perks to your day:

For only €8 per person extra, you can avail of an additional 2 Perks! For only €10 per person extra, you can add an additional 3 Perks from the list.

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Rates

March to October

€106 - Friday & Saturday

€86 - Sunday to Thursday

Above rates are applicable to 2019 per adult guest. Please contact our Wedding Team for future dates.

Premium Option ~ Winter Theme

Enchant your guests with a fantastical Winter themed wedding day and another level of luxury. Available from November through February, our Premium Winter offering is an opulent package which includes everything in the Classic option along with seasonal canapes and drink options (winter cocktail, mulled wine), truly lovely wintery decor and a wide variety of special seasonal perks to choose from.

A premium Winter wedding menu

Greet your loved ones with a lovely Winter cocktail or sparkling wine reception and get the evening off to a wonderful start. While the cold wind blows outside, you and your guests will be snug in your wedding suite, enjoying hearty, warming dishes prepared with an elegant touch and a lot of love. You can select your favourites from our premium menu during your private tasting with the culinary team, creating a spectacular meal which reflects your own individual taste.

Capture the magic of a snowy Winter's day

The Premium Winter decor creates a crisp, sparkling atmosphere for your wedding day. Winter white draping around the room is the perfect backdrop for icy blue up and down lighting to set the mood as the celebrations begin. The chair covers, silver satin sashes and silver table napkins add a hint of glitter, catching the twinkle of the fairy light backdrop and each table is graced by elegant Winter centrepieces. Silver lanterns and candelabras and a Winter floral display offer the final finishing touches to a setting you'll remember for the rest of your days.

Choose your perks

Put your own stamp on the day by picking out your favourite perks from our Premium Winter perk list. Depending on the size of your wedding, you can choose a number of added perks.

- 100 - 109 adult guests - 1 Perk
- 110 - 129 adult guests - 2 Perks
- 130 - 149 adult guests - 3 Perks
- Over 150 adult guests - 4 Perks
- Over 180 adult guests - 6 Perks

Choose from:

- 1 Personalised ice sculpture
- 2 LED dance floor (2 perks)
- 3 Winter themed cake
- 4 White or milk chocolate fountain
- 5 Winter candy table or Winter candy wheel
- 6 Winter themed props including conifer trees, old fashioned lamp posts and sleigh
- 7 Romantic package the night after your wedding in a Deluxe Executive room
- 8 Finger food reception for 40 people the afternoon after your wedding night
- 9 Two Executive guest bedrooms with breakfast included on the night of the wedding
- 10 €350 voucher to be used towards ceremony décor with WOW Weddings
- 11 Bar extension till 2.30am
- 12 Sparkling wine toast drink
- 13 Three Standard double/twin guest bedrooms with breakfast included for the night before or after your wedding

- 14 Cocktail making class for up to 20 people before your wedding
- 15 Craft beer/whiskey tasting for groups of up to 20 people before your wedding
- 16 Two 4 balls at Castleknock Golf Club
- 17 Upgraded options for your evening food reception

Make it even more special:

For only €8 per person extra, you can choose 2 more Perks! For only €10 per person extra, you can choose an additional 3 Perks from the list.

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Rates

November & December

€89 - Friday & Saturday
(includes 27th to 31st December)

€79 - Sunday to Thursday
(excludes 27th to 31st December)

'Winter Theme' Promotion

*January & February**

€72 - January

€75 - February

**Bank Holiday supplements apply*

Above rates are applicable to 2019 per adult guest. Please contact our Wedding Team for future dates.

Wedding Menu

Starters

Tart of Aged Tipperary Brie and Leek

With apple relish and apple gastric

Tender Confit Duck and Parfait*

With fig conserve and brioche

Lightly Smoked Chicken Caesar Salad

With bacon, parmesan and sourdough crumb

Roule of Oak Smoked Irish Salmon

With celeriac remoulade and red onion mignonette

Charred Five Mile Town Goats Cheese

With roast beets, beet reduction and herbs

Antipasto of Macroom mozzarella*

With prosciutto and grilled asparagus

Salad of Poached Prawn Tails*

With Vietnamese pickle dressing

Marinated and Grilled Chicken Satay

With smoked peanut spiced vegetable salad

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Soups

Velouté of Leek and Potato Soup

Slow Cooked Onion and White Port

With confit onion garniture

Cream of Root Vegetable Soup

With parsley emulsion

Smooth Broccoli and Cashel Blue

Roasted Red Pepper and Tomato

With piperade and herbs

Baked Butternut Squash and Cajun Spice Velouté

Truffle Scented Wild Mushroom

With herb cream

Cream of Honey Roast Parsnip

Sorbets

Prosecco Fizz Sorbet

Tropical Fruit Sorbet

Green Apple Sorbet

Lemon Zest Sorbet

Blackberry Bramble Sorbet

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Main Courses

Roast Supreme of Chicken

With tender stem broccoli, hazelnut dressing and jus roti

Grilled Sea Bass Fillet*

With sun blushed tomato crushed potatoes, sauce vierge

Seared Canon of Slaney Valley Lamb*

With provençale vegetable ratatouille and basil jus

Classic Roast and Stuffed Breast of Turkey

With baked Limerick ham, cranberry jus and chestnut crumb

Butter Basted Loin of Hake

With creamed potato, peas French style and olive oil

Roast Pave of Salmon

With a dressed asparagus and sauce hollandaise

Seared Fillet of Irish Beef*

With green beans lyonnaise, bourguignon garnish and pomme purée

Club Cut of Roast Irish Beef Sirloin

With potato fondant, red wine and shallot jus

Vegetarian Options

Cassoulet of Lentil and Root Vegetables

With sourdough crust and tzatziki

Risotto of Sweet Potato and Chive

With parmesan tuile and dressed rocket leaves

Roast Garlic and Herb Soft Polenta

With fricassee of wild mushroom and spinach

Chargrilled Asparagus and Tenderstem Broccoli

With shallot and hazelnut dressing

(all vegetarian dishes are adaptable to vegan with prior notice)

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Desserts

Milk Chocolate and Praline Crunch

With caramel sauce

Apple and Mixed Berry Crumble

With vanilla ice cream

Meringue Roulade of Berries and Cream

With pistachio mousseline

Warm Almond and Raspberry Financier Torte

With crème patisserie

Castleknock Lemon Tart

With soft berry compote

Oven Fresh Caramelised Apple Tart Au Fin

With vanilla ice cream

Or

Castleknock Assiette of our most favoured Desserts*
to include 3 of the above in miniature form

Or

Selection of Artisan Irish Farmhouse Cheese*

With seasonal fruits, crisp crackers, relish and honey

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Freshly Brewed Tea or Coffee

With minted chocolates

**These dishes are included in the Spring Summer Option.*

Menu changes and upgrades are available upon request.

Contact our Wedding Team for supplement prices for the Classic & Winter Setting.

Guest Accommodation

January to March

Sunday to Thursday

€121 per single room

€132 per double room

Friday & Saturday

€144 per single room

€155 per double room

April to October

Sunday to Thursday

€132 per single room

€143 per double room

Friday & Saturday

€155 per single room

€167 per double room

November to December 24th

(Excludes 26th December to 1st January)

Sunday to Thursday

€121 per single room

€132 per double room

Friday & Saturday

€144 per single room

€155 per double room

December 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th & all Bank Holiday Weekends

€176 per single room

€188 per double room

December 31st

€197 per single room

€208 per double room

All prices above are for 1 night B&B only in 2019 and relative to the actual night of the wedding date. Terms and Conditions apply, please contact our Wedding Team for details.

Frequently Asked Questions

1 What is the minimum number requirement to book my wedding at Castleknock hotel?

The minimum number required to book your wedding with us would be 100 adult guests. If you wish to get married on a Bank Holiday date or on New Year's Eve the requirement would be 140 adult guests.

2 What is your maximum capacity?

We can cater for numbers up to 250 guests in the Phoenix Suite.

3 Do you have more than one wedding a day?

No, we have a one wedding a day policy.

4 Do you have peak and off peak months?

Yes, our peak months would be April, May, June, July, August, September & December. Our off peak months would be January, February, March, October & November.

5 Can I make a provisional booking before paying the deposit?

Yes, if you are interested in one of our available dates we can place a provisional hold on the date for 7 days. After this time a deposit would be required to secure your date.

6 What amount of booking deposit is required?

A booking deposit of €1500.00 is required to secure your date.

7 Do you offer reduced accommodation rates for guests staying over?

Yes, as part of your agreement with us we will block book 20 bedrooms for you at a special wedding rate. The wedding rate will depend on when you wish to get married. Guests can also book bedrooms outside of the 20 allocated rooms at the best available rate with 10% discount offered at booking stage.

8 Is the Hotel wheelchair accessible?

Yes, the hotel is fully wheelchair accessible.

9 Do you cater for special dietary requirements?

Yes, please provide your Wedding Coordinator with a list of all dietary requirements and we will take care of this.

10 Is there a Residents Bar and what time does it close at?

Yes, our Lime Tree Bar is available to you and closing time is upon the discretion of the Bar Manager on duty.

11 Is there somewhere to store wedding cards and gifts?

All of our bedrooms include a safe. We do not take responsibility for any cards or gifts left in the hotel.

12 Can I take my photographs on the grounds of the hotel?

Yes, you have full use of the grounds of the hotel on the day of your wedding. Some popular photo location around Castleknock hotel would be Castleknock Golf Club, Phoenix Park, Farmleigh Gardens and Strawberry Beds.

13 Can you give us a recommendations for wedding suppliers

Yes, absolutely, we have a full list of wedding suppliers and your Wedding Coordinator will provide you with this list upon request.

14 How can I arrange a wedding appointment?

To arrange a wedding appointment please contact our Wedding Team on Tel: 01 640 6309 or email: weddings@castleknockhotel.ie We are available for viewings seven days a week and we can also accommodate evening appointments.

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