

Frequently Asked Questions - 2010

1• What times are weddings held?

Morning weddings: 09:30 – 12:30

Afternoon weddings: 12:30 – 17:00

Evening weddings: from 17:00 to 00:00

These times are approximate and can be changed by arrangement

2• What are the minimum and maximum number of guests the venue can accommodate?

Minimum of 10 and up to 60 indoors or up to 80 in- and outdoors

3• Do you hold office parties, birthday parties, anniversaries, corporate getaways, conferences etc.?

Yes!

4• How far in advance can a booking be made?

Bookings can be made on the first of the month one year beforehand.

5• Can we bring wine and champagne?

No, Val d'Or is fully licensed and as such will provide all the beverages. Corkage are negotiable with management only.

6• Can we get married in the garden?

Yes, the ceremony can take place in the garden. We supply the chairs, umbrellas and gazebo at no extra charge.

7• How are meals for functions served?

We serve buffet style, cocktail or plated meals. Should you require any other arrangement, kindly contact us.

8• Can we bring our own florist, disco or band?

We recommend that you use our preferred suppliers, but you may use your own service provider.

9• Can we party after 00.00AM?

No, 00.00AM is the cut-off time.

10• Can we bring snacks for pre-dinner drinks?

No, our caterer can provide canapés or nibbles at an extra charge. We can send you the options.

11• Do you charge a venue hire?

Yes – R 5 000.00. This is non-refundable.

12• Do you have accommodation?

Yes, and if your party reserves all accommodation for one night you get a 50% discount on your venue charge or if they reserve all accommodation for two nights, the venue is free of charge.

13• Do we have to book accommodation at Val d'Or?

At the very least, the whole of the Barn House and all the self-catering units (ten rooms in total) have to be booked, as these sections are adjacent to the wedding venue.

14 • Do we have to use your caterer?

Yes. If you prefer to use your own caterer there will be a kitchen surcharge of R2500.00.

15• When do final numbers of guests need to be confirmed?

Final numbers are confirmed two weeks before the function in low season and three weeks before the function in high season

16• When must the deposit be paid?

On confirmation of your wedding booking, we will require a non-refundable deposit of no less than 50% of the approximate cost of your wedding with a minimum of R5000.00, which will be deducted from the main account.

17 • When must the balance of the payment take place?

The balance payable is due 3 days prior to your function, together with 75% of the cost estimate for waiters, beverages and 100 % on any additional hiring requirements. The balance on departure.

18 • Do you have chair covers?

Yes, @ R15 per cover

19• Do you provide drapes etc?

No. All décor are to be provided by the wedding party.

20• Is there enough parking for 60-80 guests?

Yes, there is and it is secure.

