



# **THE LODGE RESTAURANT & PUB** Wedding Information | 2022





# **CEREMONY AND RECEPTION SITES**

## SUMMER/AUTUMN

**THE GROTTO** | The Grotto provides an intimate setting for a ceremony, cocktail party, or sit-down dinner. Surrounded by greenery, the peaceful water feature and market lighting allow for lovely photo opportunities. Can accommodate up to 65 seated guests.



## WINTER/SPRING

During the winter, the Lodge's interior spaces with several stone fireplaces are cozy and inviting. Huge windows highlight the dynamic view of the surrounding trees and mountains, dusted with snow. The indoor spaces can accommodate smaller groups or up to 150 for a full buyout.

**THE SAGE, ASPEN, AND ALDER ROOM + THE PUB** | The Lodge Restaurant and Pub interior spaces offer a comfortable setting for rehearsal dinners, welcome parties, wedding brunches, or small receptions. Upstairs, the Sage and Aspen room overlook the 8th green. Downstairs, the The Lodge Pub has a striking bar and is a perfect spot for an intimate after party.



## **CEREMONY + COCKTAIL + RECEPTION**

### **INTIMATE WEDDINGS**

For weddings of 30-65, available Sunday-Thursday Inquire about ceremony and dancing options

### THE GROTTO

Four-hour cocktail reception and sit down dinner \$2,000

### **COCKTAIL RECEPTION**

30-80 people Friday-Saturday I \$700 Sunday-Thursday I \$600

### FOOD AND BEVERAGE MINIMUMS

Sunday-Thursday: \$4,700+ in food and beverage Friday-Saturday: \$10,000+ in food and beverage



WINTER WEDDINGS AT TAHOE DONNER

## INCLUDED

Ceremony with folding white chairs

The use of the Lodge Pub for the cocktail hour

The Lodge Dining Room for Dinner

Followed by dancing in the Alder Room

Professional Service Staff

Tables, chairs, glassware, flatware, linen tablecloths and napkins

## **EXTRAS TO CONSIDER**

Wedding Coordination Flowers or Décor Officiant Photographer Music & Sound

## SAMPLE TIMELINE

3PM - Ceremony in Alder Room 4PM - Cocktail hour in the Lodge Pub 5PM - Dinner in the Aspen Dining Room 7-9PM - Dancing in the Alder Room

## COSTS

Site fee: \$3,000 Food & Beverage minimum 30-60 people



### THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERING THE LODGE AT TAHOE DONNER FOR THIS SPECIAL EVENT!



# **INCLUDED IN OUR SITE FEES**

Set Up and Breakdown of All In-House Equipment

White Resin Chairs with Padded White Seat Cushions

**Dining Tables** 

Gift, Cake, Registry and Head Tables

Floor-Length White Linen Tablecloths and White Napkins

China, Glassware, Flatware and Votive Candles

Uplighting

All Necessary Servers, Bartenders and Kitchen Staff

**Complimentary Parking** 

# **ADDITIONAL OPTIONS**

Dessert Cutting Fee \$4 per person

Bartender Service \$50 per hour for no-host bars, only if \$800 in bar revenue is not met

Outside Rentals Permitted but will be charged at actual cost plus 20% if the lodge staff is managing the rental process

Outside Vendor Overtime Charge \$1,000 per hour if clients' vendors have not vacated premises by 12 a.m. midnight (for dj, lighting, rentals, etc.)

Heaters (4) Glass tube patio heater | \$100 each

Foraged Wood Decor Various heights and widths of local fir pine trees naturally felled on Tahoe Donner land. Includes stumps for ceremony, centerpiece underlays, and dessert display | \$250

### WEDDING COORDINATOR REQUIRED

To assist with your special day, it is required that you utilize the services of a professional wedding coordinator.



# **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

### 1. Is there an onsite wedding planner?

No. Once we enter into a contract, the banquet and event manager will work with you to guarantee numbers and coordinate set-up for your event, as well as help with general guidelines and timing. All other details, (i.e. florist and DJ) and any specific details (first dance, centerpiece set-up/ breakdown etc.) are items you would need to work out directly with your vendors.

### 2. What do you provide?

The Lodge provides tables, chairs, flatware, glassware, china, standard linens, square glass votives, dance floor, lighting, set up/breakdown service and labor.

### 3. What sizes are the tables?

We seat guests at 6-foot rounds in groups of 8 or 10. We also have 6-foot banquet tables for head table, gifts, guest book, and dessert bars.

### 4. What kind of chairs do you have?

We have white resin folding chairs with padded seats for the ceremony and reception.

### 5. What linens do you provide?

We provide floor-length white tablecloths and napkins. Specialty linens are available at an additional cost.

### 6. What do I need to rent on my own?

Any additional items you would like for your event (i.e. furniture, additional lighting, specialty linens) are available for an additional charge.

### 7. Can we have a rehearsal the day before?

Yes, you are welcome to do a rehearsal the day before your event. However, this needs to be scheduled around previously booked events taking place at The Lodge.

### 8. Can we bring in our own food?

We require all food to be purchased through The Lodge and prepared in our kitchen, with the exception of the wedding cake/dessert.

### 9. Can we bring in our own alcohol?

All alcohol, including beer, must be purchased through The Lodge. You may bring in wine with a \$25 per 750 ml corkage fee, plus tax and gratuity.

#### 10. Is there a child's price?

Yes, for 12 and under, we offer half price of your selected menu.

### 11. What is the deposit?

The deposit is 20% of the estimate and is nonrefundable. See contract for further deposit information.

### 12. Do you allow outside vendors?

Yes, depending on who they are. Major décor/ set-up vendors need to be approved in advance and we require a copy of their liability insurance. Florists, photographers, DJ's etc. are welcome. We have a suggested referral list which we offer after a contract is signed.

### 13. Do you offer vendor meals?

Vendor meals are chef's choice hot meals at \$35 each.

### 14. What are set up and breakdown times?

Professional vendors can come in as early as 12PM on the day of the wedding. Friends and family coming to set up additional décor items (if florist or wedding planner isn't doing it) may arrive up to two hours before ceremony start time.