



HILLYARD
HOUSE
CASTLEWELLAN



Wedding Receptions



A Wedding Reception as special as you

Welcome To Hillyard House



At Hillyard House Hotel we make dream wedding receptions become reality. Our friendly expert team are dedicated to making sure your wedding reception is as special and unique as you are.

Our 20 bedroom boutique hotel is located next to the stunning Castlewellan Forest Park which has become our adopted back garden. It's perfect for beautiful photographs on your big day and is literally a 2 minute walk from our main entrance.

Inside Hillyard House, we also have a modern yet intimate 100 seater Yard Restaurant and our beautifully appointed Mrs

Coleman's Bar with upstairs mezzanine area and the Redwood Suite – a luxurious private dining room which seats up to 12 guests.

Our excellent value wedding packages can be tailored to your exact requirements so why not speak with us about how we can make your wedding dreams become a reality?

Hillyard Weddings at a Glance



ACCOMMODATION

20 luxurious, modern ensuite rooms all finished to the highest standards



THE YARD RESTAURANT

A rustic yet modern and tastefully designed 100 seater restaurant is perfect for your big day celebrations



MRS COLEMAN'S BAR

Cocktail mixology, local craft beers, gins and whiskeys available in our beautifully appointed bar and mezzanine area



REDWOOD SUITE

A tastefully decorated private dining suite that seats up to 12 people is available to hire



WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHY AT CASTLEWELLAN FOREST

The stunning natural beauty of Castlewellan Forest Park is perfect for Wedding Photography



UNIQUE PERSONALISED PACKAGES

We have three packages that can be tailored to your individual requirements





THE YARD RESTAURANT

The Yard Restaurant: Your Perfect Wedding Reception Venue

As you embark on the journey of a lifetime at Hillyard House, we invite you to celebrate your wedding reception in our exquisite Yard Restaurant. The Yard Restaurant offers an unforgettable setting for your special day. With a capacity of up to 100 guests, we offer a uniquely intimate wedding experience with a personal touch.

We believe in creating mouthwatering dishes that tell the story of Ireland's finest ingredients. Indulge in a culinary masterpiece with our 4 or 5 Course Bespoke Menu, thoughtfully crafted to tantalise your taste buds with a carefully curated selection tailored to your unique preferences for your big day.

Beautiful Modern Restaurant



The Hillyard Wedding Experience

At Hillyard House Hotel, we're dedicated to making your dreams a reality. Our wedding planner will work closely with you to create unforgettable moments that will last a lifetime.

Whether you're looking for a cosy, intimate setting or a one-of-a-kind wedding reception that reflects your personality and style, we can work with you to make your experience as unique as you.

Hillyard House is uniquely positioned to offer bespoke wedding experiences with a more personal approach. Perfect for up to 100 guests, we can make your intimate wedding as special as you and your partner.



Unique Personalised
Weddings



Location, Location, Location



Travel Distance

BELFAST - 45 MINS

DUBLIN - 90 MINS



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Grab a drink & enjoy the craic

Mrs Coleman's Bar is the perfect place to relax and unwind after your beautiful wedding reception meal. Sip on our delightful range of cocktails before your party gets started.

We are happy to set up your evening entertainment in Mrs Coleman's Bar or the Yard Restaurant, leaving the beautifully appointed Mezzanine as a quieter area for relaxation and conversation.

Extend Your Wedding Celebrations





Unique Personalised
Packages

Our Bespoke Wedding Packages

Our friendly team are dedicated to helping happy couples create their magical day. We take care of every last small detail to ensure your big day is as memorable and unique as you are.

Our Wedding Packages are designed to make it easy for you to create your perfect day and you are of course most welcome to add your own special touches to personalise the packages further to your requirements.

Our Wedding Packages include

- One wedding per day policy
- Red carpet on arrival
- Congratulatory champagne for bride and groom
- Complimentary Superior Room for Bride and Groom
- White linen napkins & table cloths
- Cake stand & knife
- Use of Castlewellan Forest Park (next door to hotel) for photographs
- Use of AV Equipment
- Master of Ceremonies
- Discounted Bedroom rates for your guests





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Bronze Package

2024-2025
October - March

Mon-Thur £59pp
Friday £64pp

Call us for Saturday
and Sunday Pricing



Arrival

Tea & Coffee with shortbread

Dining

Choice of 1 starter, 1 main and
1 dessert from Bronze menu

Evening

Tea and Coffee with selection
of Sandwiches

Hot Platters available
for a surcharge

Small Print

Min Numbers: Mon-Thurs: 60 guests / Friday: 75 guests

Venue Hire of £1000. Date exclusions apply, please contact us to discuss

Bronze Menu



Starters

Green Leek and Potato Soup, Guinness Wheaten Bread, Whipped Butter

Irish Ham Hock Terrine, Granny Smith Apple, Apricot, Pickled Vegetables

Chicken Caesar Salad, Aged Parmesan, Sourdough Croutons, Crispy Bacon

Mains

Herb Roasted Chicken, Fondant Potatoes, Carrot Purée, Confit Carrot, Herb Jus

County Antrim Turkey, Sage Stuffing, Belfast Ham, Creamed Potatoes, Roast Potatoes, Caramelised Vegetables, Turkey Gravy

Roast Silverside of Irish Beef, Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes, Champ, Caramelised Vegetables

Desserts

Chocolate Brownie, Fudge Sauce, Ice-Cream

Vanilla Cheesecake, Berries

Eton Mess, Strawberries



THE YARD
RESTAURANT



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Silver Package

2024-2025
All Year

Mon-Thur £69pp
Friday £74pp

Call us for Saturday
and Sunday Pricing



Arrival

Tea & Coffee with shortbread

Dining

Choice of 1 starter, 1 main and
1 dessert from Silver menu

Evening

Tea and Coffee with selection
of Sandwiches

Hot Platters available
for a surcharge

Small Print

Min Numbers: Mon-Thurs: 60 guests / Friday: 75 guests

Venue Hire of £1000. Date exclusions apply, please contact us to discuss

Silver Menu



Starters

Spiced Carrot and Coriander Soup, Guinness Wheaten Bread, Whipped Butter

JawBox Cured Salmon, Cream Cheese, Cucumber, Guinness Wheaten Bread, Chives

Poached Chicken and Irish Ham Hock Terrine

Mains

Roast Irish Chicken Supreme, Truffle Mash, Mushroom Ketchup, Pickled Mushroom, Tarragon and Tomato Jus

Cured Hake, Fondant Potato, Caramelised Cauliflower Purée, Hazelnut Crumble, Prawn Velouté

Slow Braised Daube of Irish Beef, Caramelised Onion Mash, Mushroom Compote, Beef Jus

Desserts

Vanilla Bread Anglaise

Chocolate Fondant, Vanilla Ice Cream

Raspberry Cheesecake, Raspberry Coulis, Raspberry Cream



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Gold Package

**2024-2025
All Year**

Mon-Thur £89pp
Friday £94pp

Call us for Saturday
and Sunday Pricing



Small Print

Min Numbers: Mon-Thurs: 60 guests / Friday: 75 guests

Venue Hire of £1000. Date exclusions apply, please contact us to discuss



Arrival

Tea & Coffee with shortbread
Glass of bubbles on arrival

Dining

Choice of 1 starter, 1 main and
1 dessert from Gold menu
Sorbet
Tea & Coffee
A glass of prosecco for the toast
Two glasses of house wine per
person

Evening

Tea and Coffee with selection
of Sandwiches
Hot Platters

Gold Menu



Starters

Prawn & Irish Oak Smoked Salmon,
Compressed Cucumber, Avocado

Mushroom Consommé, Mushroom Tart, Crispy Onions

Irish Beef Tartare, Sourdough Crouton, Free Range
Hens' Egg, Capers

Mains

Pan Roasted Cod Loin, Saffron Fondant Potatoes,
Artichoke, Courgette, Spinach, Prawn Bisque

Merlot Braised Daube of Irish beef, Chicken Liver
Parfait, Sourdough Croutons, Potato Rosti, Red Wine
Jus

Chicken Ballantine, Pomme Anna, Truffle, Burnt
Carrot Purée, Bone Marrow Carrots

Desserts

Dark Chocolate Mousse, Cherries and Rum

Sticky Toffee Pudding, Yellowman Ice-Cream,
Honeycomb

Tonka Bean Crème Caramel, Homemade Cookie



THE YARD
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Guest
Reviews

Wedding Guest Reviews



KEREN & RUSS

'We had our wedding at Hillyard House. Everything was fantastic from the initial meeting to the day. We decided to have reception drinks and live music in the mezzanine and then had our wedding breakfast in the top of the Yard Restaurant. The food and drinks were divine and the service was excellent. This venue is so beautiful for a unique, small wedding and we would highly recommend it'.

SARAH & CIARAN

'Myself and Ciaran would like to thank all the staff for a great wedding day, it was brilliant start to finish you couldn't have been more helpful. Please thank the chef for us also, the amount of complements received about the food was unbelievable!'

CHRIS & HELEN

'Had our wedding lunch here for 22 people. Food was absolutely delicious. Everyone cleared their plates and commented on how superb the meal and venue were. The team provided an excellent high quality service. We were afforded the privacy of the beautiful mezzanine for cake, drinks and speeches after our meal. We were all very impressed and will be back again and again!'



Terms & Conditions

Booking and Function Details

A provisional booking can be made and will be held for up to 14 days. The Hotel will not consider the booking definite until a signed wedding contract is received and an initial non-refundable booking fee of £500 has been received from the couple (£1,000 if the wedding is booked for a date within the following twelve months).

A further non-refundable £500 is payable twelve months before your booked date. The final balance of the wedding cost will be payable 21 days prior to the booked date based on provided final numbers. Should your numbers decrease in the 21 day period, no refund/discount is

applicable. Increases in your numbers attending will be charged accordingly.

Hotel Policies

The Hotel will not accept responsibility for any entertainment booked for a wedding. It is essential that all entertainment arrangements have the approval of the hotel management, prior to the date of your reception.

All entertainers must provide their own equipment and accept full responsibility for same. All prices quoted are in sterling and may vary depending on an increase in food or labour costs, VAT rate changes, Taxes or any unforeseen circumstances.

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Cancellation

In the event of any cancellation by the couple, the following cancellation charges will be incurred and the initial deposit will be forfeited;

Cancellation effected between: 12 months and 9 months – loss of initial and second deposit.

Cancellation effected between: 9 months and 6 months – 50% of your chosen package price.

Cancellation effected between: 6 months and 3 months – 50% of your chosen package price.

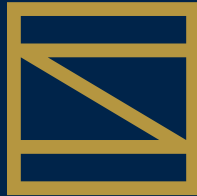
Cancellation effected between: 3 months to Wedding date – 100% of your chosen package price.

Cancellation charges shall be calculated upon the basis package choice at the time of booking and the hotel minimum numbers.

All cancellations and /or amendments must be in writing by both parties.

Please note that the conditions above will be implemented less the deposits already received.

The hotel reserves the right to cancel any event that it deems will adversely affect the reputation, standing in the community or the safety of staff and other guests of the hotel prior to or during an event.



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