



THE DOWNLAND GRIDSHELL

Completed in 2002, the Downland Gridshell was the first building of its kind to be built in the UK. Built from solid oak laths, bent into a double curvature, it takes its name from the shell-like shape that results. Today, the Downland Gridshell hosts ceremonies and receptions for up to 180 people.

With no supporting vertical beams, the result is architecturally awe-inspiring; unique, unusual and dramatic. As a wedding venue it offers a backdrop that can't be matched and an uninterrupted space surrounded by peaceful and beautiful woodland.

For most of the year, the Gridshell is the Museum's workshop where historic time-framed buildings are repaired and conserved. Each year we release a limited number of dates for couples who want to use this exceptional space to create their perfect day.

FACILITIES INCLUDE

- Exclusive use of Gridshell building Friday afternoon- Sunday morning
- Large catering space with basic functional kitchen
- Access to the entire museum for you and your guests on the day
- 1 year joint adult membership activated the day after your wedding to celebrate your 1 year anniversary
 - A dedicated Wedding Coordinator as your point of contact

Prices start from £6,000 + VAT



CRAWLEY HALL

Crawley Hall is situated in the heart of the venue's medieval market square. Surrounded by historic buildings and cobbled paths, this charming timber-framed barn is an ideal choice for more intimate celebrations. Crawley Hall is licensed for civil ceremonies, and it can host parties of up to 50 guests.

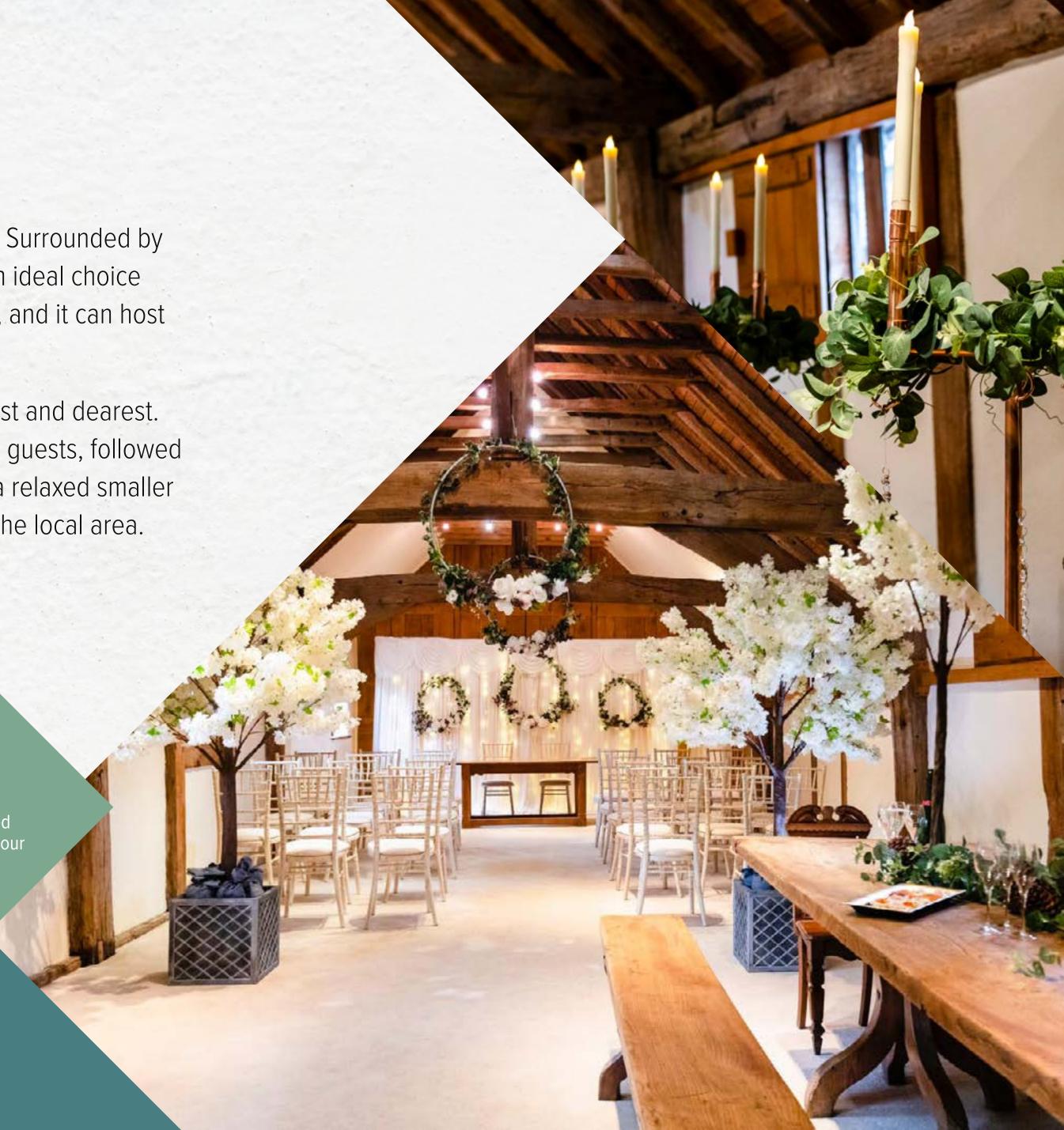
Crawley Hall is the perfect setting for an intimate ceremony with your nearest and dearest.

After the Civil Ceremony, enjoy the museum grounds and facilities with your guests, followed by a rustic picnic buffet next to the tranquil millpond. This venue allows for a relaxed smaller wedding for the day before proceeding onto a evening reception venue in the local area.

FACILITIES INCLUDE

- Use of Crawley Hall 9am-5pm
 - Discounted chair hire
- Access to the entire museum on the day for you and your guests
 - Reserved parking
- 1 year joint adult membership activated the day after your wedding to celebrate your 1 year anniversary
 - A dedicated Wedding Coordinator as your point of contact

Starting from £1,300 + VAT



GREENWAYS FIELD

The Weald & Downland Living Museum is set in 40 acres of glorious Downland countryside in the Lavant Valley at the centre of the South Downs National Park. With the character of the Museum in the backdrop, immersed in beautiful scenery, it truly is a unique and romantic setting for your special day. The Greenways Field is a completely blank canvas nestled in amongst the Museum ready to spark your inner creativity.

"This fully licenced outdoor space offers the perfect setting for sharing your special vows. Whether you want to celebrate surrounded by nature or in your beautifully designed marquee, we will share the opportunity for it all."

The Greenways Field offers an idyllic and tranquil setting as well as offering a variety of scenic areas within the Museum for stunning photo opportunities for you and your guests.

PARTY SIZE

The field can accommodate a marquee sized for up to 500 people.

FACILITIES INCLUDE

- Electricity and water
- Car parking facilities
- Access into the Museum

Starting from £2,500



RECOMMENDED SUPPLIERS LIST

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Suppliers and Terms and Conditions

We have carefully collated a list of suppliers here at the Museum. Each is familiar with the Museum and aware of our expectations to ensure you have a stress free day. We ask our couples to select from our preferred caterers and they have been carefully selected to offer a wide variety of options. Other suppliers are those we highly recommend.

Terms and conditions and a list of our preferred suppliers can be found on our website:

www.wealddown.co.uk/weddings

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