



PERFECT WEDDINGS 2011



LONGHIRST
Experience the essence of England



Congratulations!

Nestled in rural Northumberland, Longhirst Hall is a grand Georgian building designed in 1824 by the renowned Newcastle architect John Dobson and is reputed to be one of the best examples of his work in this period. The Hall is set in 75 acres of beautiful woods and landscaped gardens providing the ideal backdrop for your perfect day.

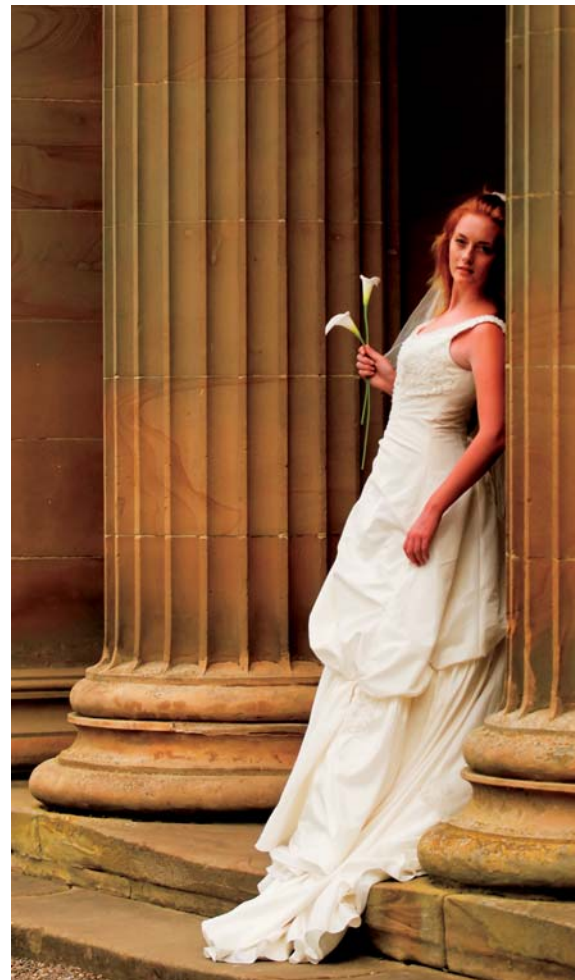


Here at Longhirst we can offer you all the expertise, guidance and help that you will need to ensure you have a wedding day that is truly memorable.

Our experienced co-ordinators who are supported by a team of highly professional managers will initially meet with you to advise on availability and discuss your requirements.

Upon booking, our wedding co-ordinator will assist and advise you in tailoring your wedding to ensure that your day is perfect from start to finish.

For wedding guests who would wish to stay at the Hall to extend the celebrations, we are pleased to offer special rates inclusive of full English breakfast, please ask our wedding co-ordinator for details.





Your wedding at Longhirst

Included for your special day

- Wedding co-ordinator to guide you through your initial enquiry and co-ordinate arrangements throughout
- A dedicated Toastmaster on the day
- Overnight accommodation including breakfast for Bride and Bridegroom
- Personalised menus and table plan
- Use of a cake stand and knife
- White table linen

Civil Ceremonies

Longhirst has a selection of spectacular rooms which are licensed for Civil Ceremonies.

To check availability please contact Longhirst on **01670 795 000**, then contact the Registrar on **01670 513 232** to match their availability.

Once you have booked the Registrar, follow normal booking procedures.

Room Hire

Civil Ceremonies and Wedding Receptions

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| Drawing Room | £550.00 (capacity 65) |
| Joicey | £525.00 (capacity 50) |
| Grand Hall | £700.00 (capacity 110) <i>(seating and standing)</i> |
| Lawson | £525.00 (capacity 55) |
| Room hire only | |
| Grand Hall | £550.00 (capacity 110) |
| Court Suite | £500.00 (capacity 180) |

Room Capacities

Wedding Breakfast

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| Court Suite | Capacity 180 |
| Russell | Capacity 80 |
| Drawing Room | Capacity 55 |
| Joicey | Capacity 40 |
| Lawson | Capacity 40 |

Evening Receptions

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| Grand Hall | Capacity 110 |
| Court Suite | Capacity 180 |





Minimum Spends

A seasonally defined minimum spend will apply to your event.
Minimum spends exclude bedroom sale and subsidiary bar spend.

October to March **£3,500** (Sole wedding use **£6,000**)

April to September **£4,500** (Sole wedding use **£7,000**)

If you would like exclusive use of Longhirst Hall, a minimum spend of **£17,000** applies (**£19,500** to include Decoro Spa). This is subject to availability and timings.



Canapés

Tempura king prawn

Mini mozzarella and tomato tart (v)

Water melon and strawberry brochette (v)

Mini minted lamb kebabs

Smoked salmon roulade

Chicken liver barquettes

Prices

Three Canapés **£4.25 per person**

Four Canapés **£5.00 per person**

Five Canapés **£5.75 per person**

Intermediate Course

Selection of locally produced sorbet (v)
£2.00

Pan-fried salmon with spinach
and saffron cream **£4.00**

Baked fillet of snapper with
shellfish broth **£4.00**

Smoked North Shields haddock with
wilted greens and mustard cream **£4.25**

Wedding Package Option One

£50.00 per person

Drinks Packages

On arrival or following your Ceremony

One glass of bucks fizz

During your Wedding Breakfast

Two glasses of house red or white wine

For your Toast

One glass of sparkling wine

Starters

(Please select one option for all guests)

Galia melon with fresh berries and
Champagne sorbet

Roasted tomato, pepper and basil soup
with tapenade croutes (v)

Cream of broccoli soup with
flaked almonds (v)

Butternut squash soup and toasted
pumpkin seeds (v)

Wild mushroom soup with
roasted chestnuts (v)

Vegetable and leek soup with
snipped chives (v)

Carrot, honey and ginger soup (v)

Main course

(Please select one option for all guests)

Roast chicken with sage and onion stuffing
and kilned sausages

Oven-roast chicken breast on baked chorizo
with sweet pepper and tomato coulis

Pan-fried chicken with baby onions, smoked
pancetta with mushroom jus

Chicken wrapped in smoked bacon served
with asparagus and chive cream

Pork tenderloin wrapped in smoked bacon
with cider and mustard cream

Honey-glazed bacon loin with baby onion
and roast vegetables

Pan-fried salmon fillet with basil and
saffron cream

Roast pork with crackling and apple relish

Wedding Package Option Two

£55.00 per person

Vegetarian

Slow-roasted vegetable tian served with goat's cheese and tomato coulis

Wild mushroom and spinach ravioli with Parmesan and white wine cream

Roast aubergine with tomato coulis, mozzarella and Mediterranean vegetables

Desserts

(Please select one option for all guests)

Sticky toffee pudding with butterscotch sauce with vanilla ice cream

Blood orange delice with raspberries and mint

Trio of chocolate truffle with caramelised oranges

Summer pudding with crème fraîche

White chocolate panna cotta with summer berries

Drinks Packages

(As Wedding Package Option One plus the following additional choices)

On arrival or following your Ceremony

Prosecco or Pimms and lemonade

During your Wedding Breakfast

(As Wedding Package Option One)

For your Toast

One glass of Prosecco

Starters

(As Wedding Package Option One plus the following additional choice. Please select one option for all guests)

Roast chicken tian with pancetta and parmesan tuille

Ham hock terrine with piccalilli and toasted sour dough

Tomato, mozzarella and asparagus salad with balsamic shallots

Main course

(As Wedding Package Option One plus the following additional choice. Please select one option for all guests)

Garlic and rosemary scented leg of lamb

Pan-fried rump steak with tarragon and tomato reduction

Roast beef with Yorkshire pudding

Roast lamb with poached apricot compote and red currant jus

Roast sea bass fillets with tomato and fennel reduction

Baked haddock loin with creamed leeks and haricot beans

Vegetarian

(As Wedding Package Option One)

Desserts

(As Wedding Package Option One)

Wedding Package Option Three

£65.00 per person

Drinks Packages

(As Wedding Package Option One plus the following additional choices)

On arrival or following your Ceremony

Moët & Chandon Champagne or
Champagne Kir Royal

During your Wedding Breakfast

(As Wedding Package Option One)

For your Toast

One glass of Moët & Chandon
Champagne

Starters

(As Wedding Package Option One plus the following additional choice. Please select one option for all guests)

Smoked salmon with potato salad and
lemon vinaigrette

Smoked haddock and leek tart with
warm tartar sauce

Spiced beef salad with stir-fried vegetables
and sesame dressing

Main course

(As Wedding Package Option One plus the following additional choice. Please select one option for all guests)

Pan-fried fillet of beef with thyme roast
tomatoes and watercress purée

Vegetarian

(As Wedding Package Option One)

Desserts

(As Wedding Package Option One plus the following additional choice. Please select one option for all guests)

Pear and almond pudding with clotted cream

Hot chocolate fondant, chocolate sauce
and vanilla pod ice cream

A selection of Northumbrian cheeses
with walnut bread

Homemade Petit Fours

Vanilla fudge
Double chocolate pots
Strawberries dipped in rich chocolate
Homemade shortbread
Chocolate and lavender soup pots
Mini lemon tarts
Chocolate truffles

Prices

Three Petit Fours **£4.25 per person**
Four Petit Fours **£5.00 per person**
Five Petit Fours **£5.75 per person**



Evening Wedding Buffet

Set Items

Selection of sandwiches
Selection of Chef's salads
Tortilla wraps with various fillings

Items to select

Broccoli quiche (v)
Poached salmon tartlet with crème fraiche
Thai scented chicken skewer with chilli and spring onion dip
Traditional fish and chips with tartar sauce
Hot pork stotties with sage and onion stuffing
Chinese seasoned chicken drumsticks
Warm garlic bread with chives (v)
Stone-baked cheese and tomato pizza (v)
Beef burger with caramelised onions
New season thyme roast potatoes with basil and garlic dip (v)
Lamb kofta with cucumber and yoghurt dip
Pork ribs with hickory glaze
Cherry tomato and mozzarella tart (v)
Spinach and feta bruschettas (v)
Petit meat bakes

Six items

Three set items (three set items plus three choices): **£12.00pp**
Additional items: **£2.00 per item**

Wedding Barbeque Menu

During the summer months an evening buffet may be substituted for a barbecue for evening receptions held in the Grand Hall and Drawing Room.

Set Items

Traditional burgers
Pork sausages
Selection of salads

Items to select

Pork ribs
Jacket potatoes
Lamb koftas
Vegetable kebabs
Mixed bean tacos
Salmon steak
Garlic bread

Six items

Three set items plus three choices: **£14.50pp**
Additional items: **£2.00 per item**



Wedding Extras

Event Dressing Package

£5.95 per person

- Chair cover with organza sash
- Matching ribbon napkin ties
- Matching organza favour bags filled with heart soap, almonds or chocolate hearts
- Matching organza table runners (excluding top table)

Chair covers including organza sash **£4.50 per chair**

Midnight Snacks

Bacon rolls **£2.95 per person**

Sausage baps **£3.75 per person**

Wedding booking terms and conditions

Contact Longhirst to check availability, a provisional booking will be taken over the telephone.

Upon return of our signed terms and conditions a £1000.00 deposit is required to confirm your booking. Please note this deposit is non-refundable and cannot be paid until our terms and conditions are signed.

An invoice will be raised for 50% of the cost of the wedding based on the approximate number of guests expected. This is payable six months

prior to the wedding taking place. If minimum numbers are not achieved, a charge will be applicable.

Please note all guests attending a function must be catered for.

The balance will be prepared taking into account adjustment for final numbers for payment two weeks prior to the wedding. Once the final balance has been paid should the number of guests reduce up to three days before the wedding, the hotel will refund up to a maximum of five guests. Should the numbers increase

then payment would be due on notification of the change.

There will be no charge for children under two years of age.

Children under 12 may have a half portion at half price.

Cancellation charges are based on the estimated total account of the event and according to the following scale:

Cancellation received between 6-3 months: 50% (less any deposit paid)

Cancellation received between 3-1 months: 75% (less any deposit paid)

Cancellation received within one month: 100% (less any deposit paid).

We shall always use our best endeavours to re-let the allocated function space or accommodation and in event of successful re-letting a reduction of the cancellation charge may be made.

Weddings booked for dates outside of those on the front of this brochure will not be subject to the prices within this publication.

DECORO

LUXURY SPA AT LONGHIRST

Set within the wonderful grounds of Longhirst Hall, **Decoro Spa** offers a completely unique and totally British experience. Personalised exclusive organic treatments complemented with beautiful décor and furnishings have been designed to create a wonderful country house atmosphere providing complete relaxation.

Visit www.decorospas.com or call 01670 791 155 to enquiry about our Hen and Bridal packages





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