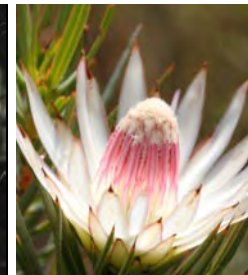




Bartholomeus Klip



Weddings at Bartholomeus Klip Farmhouse

The Perfect Setting

Bartholomeus Klip Farmhouse, a charming, beautifully-decorated country lodge, is situated just over an hour away from Cape Town. Its long history of hospitality and friendly, well-trained staff will guarantee the success of your dream wedding – and the setting at the foot of the Elandsloof mountains is nothing short of spectacular.

Driving through the wheatlands and pastures of one of the largest working farms in the Western Cape, you come to a spread of lush green gardens and shady ancient oaks surrounding the Victorian farmhouse. On the way, you may catch a glimpse of some of the herds of buck in the farm's own fynbos nature reserve, or spot an errant springbok bounding away as you pass. Arriving at the farmhouse, you see just a short distance away the towering mountains reflected in the great stretch of water of the farm's enormous dam. This is indeed the perfect setting for a wedding to be remembered.

The Perfect Wedding

At Bartholomeus Klip, we specialise in intimate weddings of up to fifty guests, and our experienced staff will enjoy helping you plan your own unique occasion. We can offer you a variety of locations for the wedding ceremony itself, both indoors and outdoors. Couples have chosen to marry in a grove of wild olive trees in the reserve, or underneath the ancient oaks of the farmhouse garden, or at the water's edge – but we can help you choose your own particular special site, or direct you to a church in one of the neighbouring towns.

There are any number of beautiful backgrounds for your photographs, and while they are being taken, your guests will be served canapés and drinks, perhaps at our newly appointed Deckhouse beside the dam.

You then move through to the conservatory-style dining room (for smaller groups of up to 30), or to tables set in the garden, perhaps inside a marquee, for your reception lunch or dinner. We are renowned for our food and our chef has plenty of creative suggestions to help you plan your menu, with local produce from the area such as the succulent Riebeek Valley lamb, Franschoek trout and berries from Paarl among the options.

The honeymoon suite, set apart from the main building, will welcome you with a complimentary bottle of Cape sparkling wine on your wedding night.

We pride ourselves on being able to meet your every need. Situated as we are in the Western Cape's famous winelands, and with the Riebeek Valley on our doorstep, we have a well-stocked wine cellar as well as a bar for your convenience. We can arrange to provide services such as flowers, candles, décor, and music, as well as the hiring of a marquee and dance floor, and will gladly book extra accommodation nearby for your guests, if needed. We specialise in meeting challenges, and look forward to discussing your particular requirements with you.

Bartholomeus Klip is within easy reach of Cape Town and its international airport. Transfers can be arranged to and from any of the major surrounding centres.

Please ask us to quote on rates, which include:

Accommodation and meals for 17 guests for a two-night stay
Use of all the facilities, and twice-daily game drives
Canapés and a reception lunch or dinner for in-house guests
Sparkling wine for the bridal couple
Gratuities

Our rates exclude:

Flowers, candles, marquee, dance floor & other décor requirements
Minister / Magistrate & other administrative costs
Massages or other organised events
Wedding cake

Additional Guests:

Additional guests can be catered for at the service and reception, at rates which include canapés after the ceremony, a three-course dinner / buffet at the reception, and the hiring of additional chairs, tables, crockery and cutlery as required.

Accommodation

Bartholomeus Klip Farmhouse has the following accommodation for guests:

- 1 x double honeymoon suite
- 3 x twin / double luxury rooms
- 1 x double luxury room

Wild Olive House is a self-contained house, with its own swimming pool, about 100m from the main farmhouse. Accommodation includes the following rooms, which share two bathrooms:

- 2 x twin / double luxury rooms
- 1 x single luxury room

The cottage in the garden of Wild Olive House has its own private bathroom, lounge & deck as well as:

- 1 x twin / double luxury room

Special Wedding Offer

BRING THIS LEAFLET ALONG WHEN BOOKING YOUR WEDDING AND WE'LL INCLUDE A TWO-NIGHT HONEYMOON FOR THE BRIDE AND GROOM IN THE WEDDING PACKAGE, AT NO EXTRA COST.