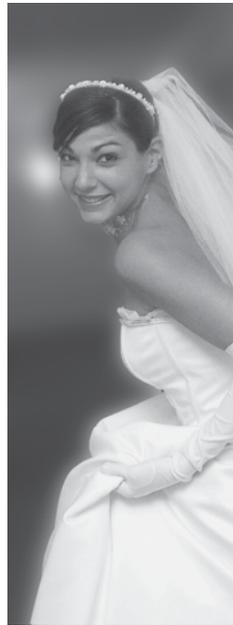
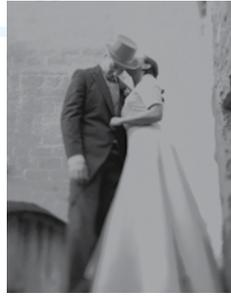


# Making Memories

*One promise that lasts a lifetime*



**Holiday Inn** Chester South



# 🌿 Congratulations 🌿

## **Congratulations on your engagement and forthcoming wedding!**

It's now time to start planning your big day and we are delighted that you are considering our venue to host your wedding. Getting married is such a special occasion and choosing the right venue is just as important.

Our hotel has such a lot to offer to ensure that your special day is *your day, your way.*

With all our years of experience, we will make sure that your day is special and we pride ourselves in offering the highest standard of service to ensure your day is run with perfection. We want your wedding to be memorable and we would like to help make this happen.

From your first visit to the hotel, our dedicated wedding co-ordinators will be on hand to assist you every step of the way.

# Wonderful Weddings

Here at the **Holiday Inn Chester South**, we pride ourselves on being one of the area's premier wedding venues.

Licensed to care for every detail, our impressive function suites have their own character and features allowing us to tailor your wedding exactly the way you dreamed it would be.

The central courtyard of the hotel, with decked area, is the ideal spot for a drinks reception with your guests and provides a lovely backdrop, this along with meticulous planning will help to create the perfect location for ever lasting memories.

We have 145 modern and spacious bedrooms including 21 executive rooms which are ideal to accommodate your family and friends. Our room rates include access to our impressive health & leisure club, Spirit.

Your special day is our priority and we will ensure we make it a day to truly remember!



# Superb Suites

Our superb function suites are versatile and perfect to create your own personalised ambience

## Eccleston Suite

The Eccleston Suite can hold up to 80 guests for a sit down meal, 100 guests for an informal buffet or 80 for a civil ceremony. The room has plenty of natural daylight and is fully air conditioned, ideal for those warm summer days. The room also has a private bar and dance floor, so you can continue your celebrations into the early hours.

## Curzon Suite

With views over the courtyard, the Curzon suite can hold up to 50 guests for a civil ceremony or 30 for an intimate reception. The light, airy atmosphere provides a relaxed environment for your guests, and also has the benefit of air conditioning.

## Wrexham Suite

Located off the main restaurant and with views across to the Clwydian range, the Wrexham Suite is perfect for an intimate wedding breakfast for up to 20 guests or a civil ceremony for up to 40.

When choosing the **Holiday Inn Chester South**, we can assure you of the finest service and facilities. We will be pleased to listen to your own ideas and help you tailor make your perfect wedding package.





PACKAGE ONE

## Champagne & Sparkle

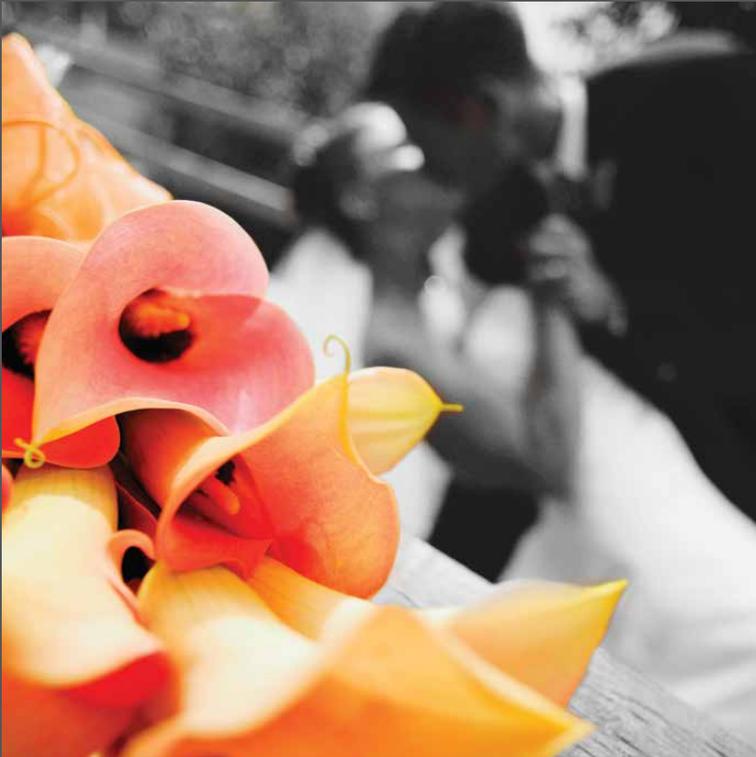
£2000 {includes 30 day guests and 80 evening guests}

### Included in the package:

- Dedicated wedding co-ordinator to help you with the planning of your day
- Resident banqueting manager as toastmaster to ensure everything runs smoothly on the day
- Glass of sparkling wine on arrival
- Hire of the Eccleston Suite for the wedding meal & evening reception, dressed with white linen
- Chair covers with sashes in a choice of colour
- Three course wedding breakfast with tea & coffee
- Three course children's menu and drinks
- Personalised table plans and menus
- Gold evening buffet (see page 11 for options)
- Tables decorated with confetti and balloons in colours of your choice for the evening
- Overnight stay in an executive double room for the Bride & Groom with full English breakfast
- Discounted accommodation rates for your guests

### Extra Guests

Additional day guests are charged at £39.95 per person  
Additional evening guests are charged at £14.95 per person



## Children's Menu

Tomato soup  
 Garlic bread with cheese  
 Fan of melon

.....

Two sausages with mashed potato and gravy

Chicken nuggets with fries and baked beans

Pasta with a tomato sauce

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Vanilla ice cream  
 Chocolate brownie  
 Fresh fruit salad

Menu is for children aged between 2-12 years, children aged under 2 are free of charge

## Wedding Meal

**Please choose one starter, one main and one dessert**

Chef's homemade soup, made from the freshest market ingredients served with a freshly baked roll

Rich chicken liver parfait served with warm bread and sweet chutney

Classic prawn cocktail with shredded lettuce and Marie rose sauce

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Lamb rump with a cranberry and herb crust, Lyonnais potatoes, savoy cabbage and a mint jus

Supreme of chicken stuffed with sautéed mushrooms, fresh Rosemary and shallots served with a white wine sauce, fondant potato and seasonal vegetables

Cod loin on dauphinoise potatoes served with spinach and white wine sauce

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Raspberry and white chocolate cheesecake served with a fruit coulis

Trio of chocolate bavarois with mocha cream

Tarte au citron with pouring cream

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Freshly brewed tea & coffee with mint crisps

## Gold Evening Buffet

Select 2 items from choice 1, 3 items from choice 2 and 3 items from choice 3

Profiteroles with chocolate sauce



# Dreams & Delights

£1500 (includes 30 day guests and 80 evening guests)



### Included in the package:

- Dedicated wedding co-ordinator to help you with the planning of your day
- Resident banqueting manager as toastmaster to ensure everything runs smoothly on the day
- Glass of Pimms on arrival
- Hire of the Eccleston Suite for the wedding meal & evening reception, dressed with white linen
- Three course wedding breakfast
- Three course children's menu and drinks
- Personalised table plans and menus
- Silver evening buffet (see page 11 for options)
- Tables decorated with confetti and balloons in colours of your choice for the evening
- Overnight stay in a double room for the Bride & Groom with full English breakfast
- Discounted accommodation rates for your guests

## Evening Buffet

Select 1 item from choice 1, 3 items from choice 2 and 3 items from choice 3

## Extra Guests

Additional day guests are charged at £32.95 per person  
Additional evening guests are charged at £12.95 per person

## Wedding Meal

**Please choose one starter, one main and one dessert**

Chef's homemade soup, made from the freshest market ingredients served with a freshly baked roll

Brussels pate served with warm bread and sweet chutney

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Grilled salmon fillet with sautéed new potatoes, sugar snap peas and fine green beans served with white wine sauce

Supreme of chicken served with a bacon, mushroom and red wine sauce, fondant potatoes and seasonal vegetables

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Traditional baked vanilla cheesecake served with a cinnamon cream

Heavenly chocolate fudge cake served with a fresh cream

## Children's Menu

Tomato soup  
Garlic bread with cheese  
Fan of melon

.....

Two sausages with mashed potato and gravy

Chicken nuggets with fries and baked beans

Pasta with a tomato sauce

.....

Vanilla ice cream

Chocolate brownie

Fresh fruit salad

Menu is for children aged between 2-12 years, children aged under 2 are free of charge

PACKAGE THREE

# Hearts & Kisses

£999 (includes 30 day guests and 80 evening guests)



### Included in the package:

- Dedicated wedding co-ordinator to help you with the planning of your day
- Resident banqueting manager as toastmaster to ensure everything runs smoothly on the day
- Glass of bucks fizz on arrival
- Hire of the Eccleston Suite for the wedding meal & evening reception, dressed with white linen
- Three course wedding breakfast
- Three course children's menu and drinks
- Personalised table plans and menus
- Light evening buffet
- Discounted accommodation rates for you and your guests

### Extra Guests

Additional day guests are charged at £24.95 per person  
 Additional evening guests are charged at £4.95 per person

### Wedding Meal

Chef's homemade soup, made from the freshest market ingredients served with a freshly baked roll

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Roast chicken served with Rosemary infused gravy, roast potatoes and seasonal vegetables

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Profiteroles with chocolate sauce

### Children's Menu

Tomato soup  
 Garlic bread with cheese  
 Fan of melon

.....

Two sausages with mashed potato and gravy

Chicken nuggets with fries and baked beans

Pasta with a tomato sauce

.....

Vanilla ice cream  
 Chocolate brownie  
 Fresh fruit salad

Menu is for children aged between 2-12 years, children aged under 2 are free of charge

### Evening Buffet

Bacon rolls with a selection of sauces



PACKAGE FOUR

# Winter Romance

£1999 (includes 30 day guests and 80 evening guests)

Package available on selected dates throughout November, December, January and February

### Included in the package:

- Dedicated wedding co-ordinator to help you with the planning of your day
- Resident banqueting manager as toastmaster to ensure everything runs smoothly on the day
- Glass of mulled wine on arrival
- Hire of the Eccleston Suite for the wedding meal & evening reception, dressed with white linen
- Chair covers with sashes in a choice of colour
- Three course winter wedding breakfast with tea & coffee
- Three course children's menu and drinks
- Personalised table plans and menus (festive themed)
- Gold evening buffet (see page 11 for options)
- Tables decorated with crackers, festive novelties and balloons in colours of your choice for the evening
- Overnight stay in an executive double room for the Bride & Groom with full English breakfast
- Discounted accommodation rates for your guests



## Wedding Meal

**Please choose one starter, one main and one dessert**

Chef's homemade soup, made from the freshest market ingredients served with a freshly baked roll

Brussels pate served with warm bread and sweet chutney

Classic prawn cocktail with shredded lettuce and Marie rose sauce

.....

Lamb rump with a cranberry and herb crust, Lyonnais potatoes, savoy cabbage and a mint jus

Supreme of chicken stuffed with sautéed mushrooms, fresh Rosemary and shallots served with a white wine sauce, fondant potato and winter vegetables

Grilled salmon fillet with sautéed new potatoes, sugar snap peas and fine green beans served with white wine sauce

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Luxury Christmas pudding served with brandy sauce

Trio of chocolate bavaois with mocha cream

Meringue boats filled with winter berries

.....

Freshly brewed tea & coffee with mince pies

## Children's Menu

See pages 7, 8 and 9

Menu is for children aged between 2-12 years, children aged under 2 are free of charge

## Gold Evening Buffet

Select 2 items from choice 1,  
3 items from choice 2 and  
3 items from choice 3

Profiteroles with chocolate sauce

## Extra Guests

Additional day guests are charged at £39.95 per person

Additional evening guests are charged at £14.95 per person

# ❧ Evening Buffet ❧

Thinking of getting married abroad and want to celebrate the occasion with friends and family when you return?

We offer evening buffet menus, here's an example of what we have to offer:

**Silver evening buffet** £12.95 per person - **Gold evening buffet** £14.95 per person

## Menu Choice 1

**Select 1 item for the silver evening buffet  
or 2 items for the gold evening buffet**

- Prawn skewers
- Mini shepherds pies
- Chicken satay
- Fish goujons with tartar sauce
- Cheese & onion quiche

## Menu Choice 2

**Select 3 items for both the gold  
and silver evening buffets**

- Selection of sandwiches and wraps
- Pizzas
- Sausage rolls
- BBQ chicken wings
- Onion bhaji and vegetable samosas
- Spring rolls with sweet chilli sauce
- Baby baked potatoes with cottage cheese

## Menu Choice 3

**Select 3 items for both the gold  
and silver evening buffets**

- Mixed leaf salad
- Garlic bread slices
- Coleslaw
- New potato and chive salad
- Spiced oriental salad
- Italian pasta salad
- Potato wedges



## Little Extras

We've thought of a few things to make your day extra special

- DJ and disco
- Canapés on arrival
- Table centrepieces
- Flowers for the top table
- Sweetie table
- Chair covers with a choice of coloured sash
- Upgrade to an executive bedroom with champagne and chocolates
- Upgrade to champagne for your arrival or toast drink
- DJ and bar extensions

### Midnight Snacks

For those hanging on 'til the end, give yourselves and your guests an extra treat!

- Bacon rolls
- Hot dogs
- Cone of chips

### Prices available upon enquiry

### Our Menus

If you have a particular dish or menu you would like to offer your guests, please ask us. We can also provide alternatives for any special dietary requirements you may have.

## Bespoke Packages

We pride ourselves on the packages we offer, however, if you would like a bespoke package creating, this can be arranged.

We understand that your wedding day is special and every wedding day is unique which is why we offer the flexibility for you to add your own creative touches to your special day.

Please speak with your wedding co-ordinator who will be happy to discuss your requirements further.



# Weddings Timeline

## 12 - 18 months before the big day:

- Set the date for your wedding
- Set your budget and decide who is organising each aspect
- Identify the type of venue for your ceremony & reception and contact the Wedding Co-ordinator
- Book wedding photographer
- Book wedding cars & other transport
- Book band or DJ for reception
- Order invitations & stationery
- Decide on Bridesmaids, Best Man & Ushers
- Order wedding cake
- Decide on the number of guests & start drawing up a guest list
- Purchase wedding insurance
- Reserve a block of rooms at the hotel for out of town guests

## Six months before the big day:

- Register for your wedding gift list
- Choose wedding dress & accessories
- Choose Bridesmaid dresses
- Book your honeymoon & remember to check with your travel clinic about vaccinations
- Decide on theme and select flowers, table decorations etc.
- Bridegroom to arrange suits for Best Man, Ushers & Fathers
- Organise the hen night and stag night

## Four months before the big day:

- Post wedding invitations with details of timings, transport, directions & details of the hotel
- Select wedding rings
- Finalise order of service and select music/hymns
- Contact your wedding suppliers e.g. florist, entertainment etc. to confirm details
- Wedding menu taster session at the hotel

## Six to eight weeks before the big day:

- Confirm any travel arrangements & hotel reservations
- Organise presents for Bridesmaids and Mothers of the Bride & Bridegroom
- Choose wedding favours for the reception
- Make hairdresser & beauty salon appointments
- Meet with your Wedding Co-ordinator to discuss seating plans, place cards and drinks packages
- Confirm final number of guests & seating plan with your Wedding Co-ordinator

## Three weeks before the big day:

- Arrange wedding rehearsal
- Give florist total number of button holes and delivery details
- Confirm timings with wedding cars & transport operators
- Discuss with your photographer the photos you would like
- Give the DJ/band a list of songs you would like played
- Final fittings for wedding dress
- Ensure Bridegroom, Best Man & Father of the Bride write speeches
- Bridegroom to arrange a gift to be delivered to the Bride before the ceremony
- Remind the Bridegroom to get a haircut
- Collect wedding rings and ensure they fit

## One week before the big day!

- Have trial hair and make-up session
- Meet with Best Man, Bridesmaids and Ushers to finalise wedding day plans
- Confirm arrangements with photographers, transport operators, florists etc
- Wear in the wedding day shoes at home!
- Collect wedding dress, veil & accessories
- Pack for honeymoon and ensure tickets have arrived

Finally - relax and enjoy the big day!



## Weddings and Civil Partnerships

Our hotel is licensed to host Civil Weddings and Civil Partnership ceremonies which means that your complete day can take place at the same special venue.

We understand that every venue is unique. Here at the **Holiday Inn** Chester South, we have a selection of rooms which include the Eccleston Suite and Curzon Suite which can host a ceremony for up to 80 guests.

Room hire rates are from £100.00. This price includes a red carpeted aisle and a speaker system, compatible with most devices, to play your chosen music.

For more information on booking your registrar, please contact the Chester Register Office by calling **0300 123 7037** or send an email to [chesterregisteroffice@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk](mailto:chesterregisteroffice@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk)

## Looking after you and your guests

Guests who choose to stay overnight will be offered a preferential rate as part of your wedding party and we would be happy to reserve a block of rooms just for your wedding guests.

We have 145 spacious and modern bedrooms all having en-suite facilities, flat screen TVs, and tea and coffee making facilities with the added addition of having complimentary use of our Spirit leisure club during your stay.

Amongst the 145 bedrooms, we have 21 executive rooms which add a bit of luxury to your special occasion for your guests to enjoy. The executive rooms have bathrobes, luxury toiletries and complimentary chocolate and mineral water. We also have a limited number of interconnecting and family rooms, please enquire for details.

We are delighted to offer your friends and family a special rate from £75.00 bed and breakfast based on one or two adults sharing a room on the night of your wedding. The rate includes Full English breakfast the following morning, car parking and use of our leisure club.

\*Please note rates are subject to availability, terms and conditions apply.

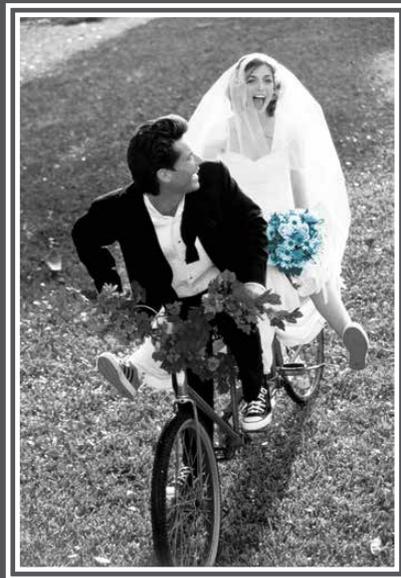
## Relax and Rejuvenate



With our health facilities located at the hotel, there is no better way to get in shape for your big day. Our fitness facilities offer a relaxed, friendly atmosphere as well as the latest equipment. We also offer tailored fitness programmes and exercise classes.

Of course if sometimes you need to totally escape wedding preparations, you could let your stresses float away in our pool, or lie back and relax in our Jacuzzi or sauna.

Preferential rates for membership are available for couples who are holding their wedding with us, please ask your dedicated wedding co-ordinator.



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