



WRIGHTS
Anglers Rest
Serving great Irish food since 1865



*Award winning boutique wedding venue
on the banks of the River Liffey, Dublin*

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Introduction

Firstly, congratulations on your engagement, this is such an exciting time for both of you and we want to make sure that every step from planning to the big day is a memorable one.

Our award-winning wedding team are some of the best in the industry and are here to make your wedding journey an enjoyable and stress-free experience.

We are truly honoured when couples choose to host their weddings with us in Wrights Anglers Rest and we would be delighted to make the day of your dreams even more special. So please just ask us, nothing is too much trouble, and we will go above and beyond for you!

For over 15 years we have had the pleasure of hosting hundreds of weddings and our great reputation, along with multiple awards, has made us one of Dublin's most popular wedding choices for many couples.

Planning from abroad? We can offer private video calls with a wedding show-around, along with supplier recommendations to make your planning process smoother.

“From our first viewing to collecting our last bits after the wedding, dealing with the Anglers Rest was an absolute pleasure - No details were forgotten or overlooked. The prices are very reasonable compared to a lot of other venues we looked at. The venue goes above and beyond.”

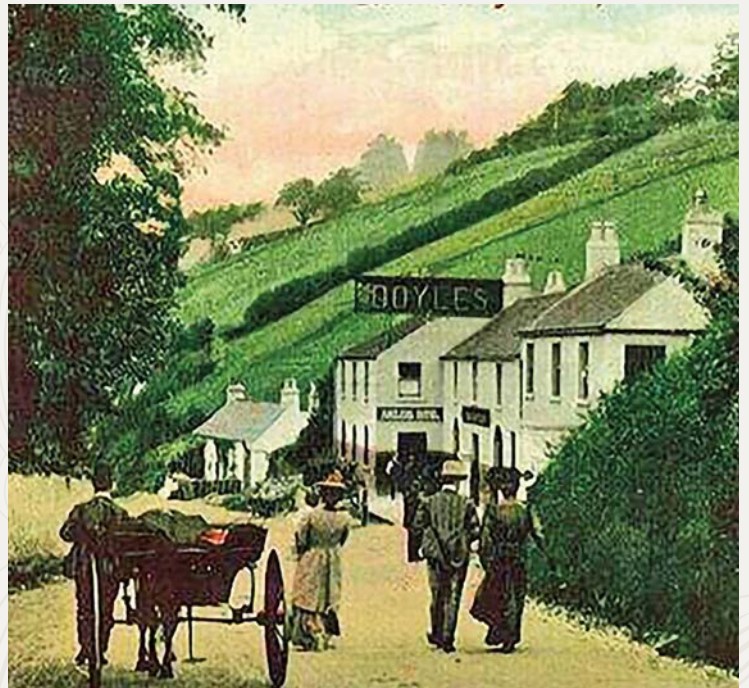
Julia & Eoin

Our History

Originally built as a hotel in 1865 and used by honeymooning Dubliners, it has always been synonymous with romance and a reputation for great food.

Just a 10-15-minute drive from Dublin City Centre, this landmark establishment in the seclusion of the Strawberry Beds – next door to the Phoenix Park, originally a royal hunting park dating back to 1660 with a large herd of wild fallow deer – has a history that stretches back to Cromwellian times and the famous patriot Michael Collins. It has long been considered as his favourite watering hole and for anglers fishing along the banks of the adjacent River Liffey.

Today, the tradition of great food and drink continues with a strong culinary reputation, including the freshest seafood landed by Wrights of Howth, and a wide selection of national and international brands of beers, wines and spirits.



“Where do i start, from the moment we went to view our venue we fell in love with the Anglers Rest. Our day was a day I will never forget, the anglers rest really do go above and beyond to make your day so special, our food was amazing, our guests were blown away by the rustic feel of this beautiful venue. Thank you so much to the crew for the most amazing day we truly enjoyed every minute.”



The Venue

Wrights Anglers Rest is one of Dublin's best known and most inviting wedding venues. We offer top class cuisine in a welcoming ambience beautifully styled in an elegant and unique setting. Charming features include rustic floors, exposed stone walls, sash windows, glamorous lighting, and gold leaf accents throughout. Old world charm meets vintage grace.

Our unrivalled location, only a stones-throw from Dublin city centre and on the banks of the River Liffey, will leave you with the feeling of being immersed in the tranquillity of the country-side. Coupled with this, there are an abundance of photo opportunities close by such as The Phoenix Park, the banks of the river or indeed throughout our venue.





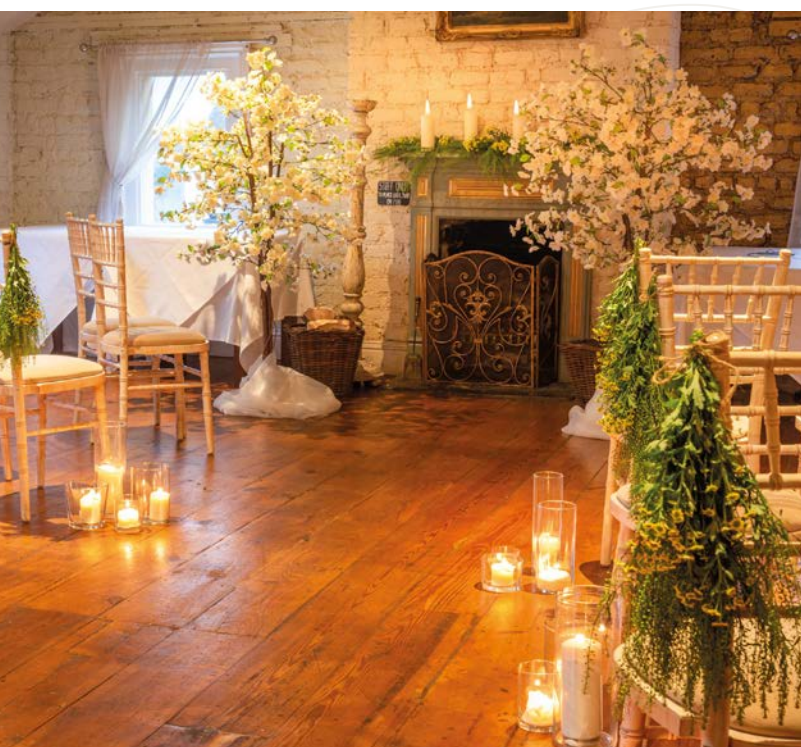


Your Ceremony

Choose to host your ceremony on site with us and get the most out of your day..... after all, time flies when you're having fun!

Our stunning Collins Room upstairs, is yours complimentary for your ceremony. Guests will be greeted by a crackling log fire, an aisle filled with candle-lit lanterns and a warm and welcoming team. The room has breath-taking views of the River Liffey and beyond.

We are HSE approved, meaning we can cater for all types of wedding celebrations and can seat up to 120 guests. Lift access is available.



"From the beginning we were put at ease, it seemed nothing was too much to ask and the team there had a solution to all of our questions/worries. The venue itself is unique and beautifully decorated. The ceremony room is warm and intimate which made us feel like all of our guests were part of our special moment. The food was unbelievable. Our most difficult decision was what dishes to leave off the menu on the day! Having everything on the same floor, including a large balcony, meant that guests could get some air if needed and no-one had to leave the venue for the entire day."

Darragh & Seána



Your Wedding

We have created an A LA Carte wedding menu so you can build a bespoke package that is tailor-made to suit your taste and budget.

We love all things quirky, unique and individual when it comes to weddings, and we go above and beyond to create the most special day for you and your family and friends.

Your vision is our mission.

“We had an absolutely amazing wedding in the Angler’s Rest. Having a venue with really good food was something that was super important to us, and all of our guests were raving about how it was the best wedding food they ever had. As well as the food being really top quality, we were also able to have more choice on the menu compared to the other wedding venues we looked at. And the venue is beautiful, especially with all the fairy lights in the dining room. We were also able to do our photos at Farmleigh in Phoenix Park before the ceremony which was fab. Overall, a fantastic experience”

Ciana & Rob







Your Special Day

From the moment you arrive till you hang up your dancing shoes.....we are at your service.

When you arrive to Wrights Anglers Rest, a warm welcome awaits with our team on hand to greet you and your guests along with our iconic crackling log fire.

Whether your day begins with your ceremony hosted with us or elsewhere, you will feel immersed in the romantic charm of our wedding space.

Should you choose to delight in pre-dinner drinks and canapes, this can be arranged inside or on our private south facing terrace. The perfect spot to mingle with your guest's pre-dinner.

The bell rings and you will be called to sit for dinner, this is when you will make your first entrance as a married couple! Wine and dine on delicious food with your bespoke wedding menu.

After toasts and speeches, it's time to dance the night away with your choice of entertainment. Additional evening guests are more than welcome and late bar extensions are available upon request.



A photograph of a wedding venue interior. A large, ornate chandelier hangs from the ceiling. A white wedding dress is displayed on a hanger in a window. In the foreground, a round table is set with white linens, glassware, and a centerpiece. The room has stone walls and string lights.

"We do not have enough good words to say about the whole experience, they are amazing. From start to finish it was such a stress free and enjoyable experience. As we got closer our wedding coordinator completely reassured me that she had everything organised from the beginning and she really did. We could really enjoy the day. All of our guests commended how beautiful the venue was, how nice the staff were, how AMAZING the food was. And every single person said to us that the day felt really relaxed and enjoyable, would recommend this venue 100%."

Jenny & Killian

Read what some of our amazing couples have said about their special day with us.





Included On Your Special Day

- Complimentary Collins Room for your ceremony with aisle of candlelit lanterns
- Phoenix Room for your reception with tables dressed in crisp white linen, chivari chairs, choice of centre plates, candles and vases with seasonal fresh flowers
- Private outdoor terrace perfect for pre-dinner drinks on a sunny afternoon
- 3-Course menu (with menu choices and all dietary requirements taken care of) including tea and coffee
- Complimentary menu and wine tasting for the couple in advance of the big day
- Use of microphone and PA system for speeches
- Cake stand and knife
- Dedicated wedding coordinators to help you plan your perfect day from start to finish
- Complimentary drink of choice in Marquette Dublin Airport when heading off on honeymoon





Day Two:

Sometimes the after party or the pre-party is even better!

- Choice of BBQ or buffet menu (with a choice of two main courses)
- Choice of Traditional Irish Music Band (3 hours) or DJ (4 hours)
- Evening food options served with tea and coffee
- Late Bar (on request)
- Exclusive use of our Phoenix Room available from 3pm

"I honestly have no words to describe how amazing our wedding was at Wrights Angler's Rest. Jenny was amazing, extremely accommodating and answered all queries in no time, which made us super confident in having the wedding with them. Apart from all the help we had from them, the food is absolutely delicious & the venue is intimate). The day of the wedding the team made sure to organize things so everything would be perfect. It's like they had known us for years. I cannot recommend them enough."

Julia & Everton



Frequently Asked Questions

- 1 Is it possible to hold a date or dates before confirming?
Yes, we know how difficult it is to tie down a date that suits everyone, so we are happy to hold a date or two for up to a week before a deposit is required
- 2 How much is the deposit?
€1,000
- 3 Is there a room hire and set up fee?
No, our elegant Phoenix Room is given to you complimentary for your wedding reception. In addition, the room is set with chic chivari chairs, round tables dressed in crisp white linen, mirrored or wooden centre plates, candles & vases of fresh seasonal flowers on all tables.
- 4 Can we bring in our own caterer?
Wrights Anglers Rest provides its own award-winning catering service and our head chef will be happy to customise the menu for you. All dietary requirements can also be catered for.
- 5 Can we bring our own wine?
We have an extensive wine list with something for every taste and budget. If there is a particular wine you like that we don't carry let us know & we can go to our suppliers & price on your behalf. You can also bring in your own wine, a corkage fee applies.
- 6 Is Wrights Anglers Rest an approved Ceremony venue?
Yes, we offer you our beautifully appointed Collins Room complimentary for your ceremony, set with Chiavari chairs, candles & lanterns along the aisle.
- 7 How many guests can the ceremony room hold?
Our Collins Room overlooking the River Liffey can seat 120 guests with some additional standing room. If your numbers are less the room can be partitioned to give a cosier feel.
- 8 Is there a menu tasting included?
Yes, your wedding coordinator will schedule your menu and wine tasting approximately 4-6 weeks in advance of your wedding date. This is a lovely opportunity for you both to come in and enjoy trying a selection of dishes of your choice along with suggested wines. After you can discuss any changes with our wedding coordinator.
- 9 What is the venue capacity?
Up to 120 in our Phoenix Room or 180 using our Collins Rooms also.
- 10 What is included in the price?
Ceremony room hire and set up, reception room hire and set up including flowers on all tables, chivari chairs, white linen table cloths, centre plates, candles, cake knife and stand, post box for envelopes, mic and pa, 3-course menu with choices plus t/c, pre wedding menu tasting for the couple and complimentary drink of choice in Marquette Dublin Airport when heading off on your honeymoon.
- 11 Is there parking onsite?
Yes, we have a complimentary car park for your guests.
- 12 Is it wheelchair accessible?
Yes, we have a lift from outside directly to the 1st floor.
- 13 Where is best for wedding photos?
We are in a fantastic location just minutes from Dublin's Phoenix Park which makes a stunning backdrop for your wedding photos, you might even be lucky to get some of the fallow deer in the background! Also, just a short walk is a lovely spot just on the banks of the River Liffey.
- 14 When do we have to give final numbers?
A month in advance of the wedding your balance will be due based on the numbers at the time however you have up to 72hrs in advance to add any additions.
- 15 Is there accommodation nearby?
Yes within 5-10mins drive there are a large number of hotels, bed and breakfasts and Airbnb's. We have a list which we will be happy to send you. Also, if you are looking for a vintage wedding style bus/coach company we can give you a contact.
- 16 Can you get a late licence?
Yes, most couples choose to get a late licence, we only apply for these 6 weeks in advance so can be decided on closer to the date.





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