



How to get to Westonbirt

3 miles south west of Tetbury on A433
10 miles north east of junction 18 M4
and south east of junction 13 M5

Ceremony fees

Monday to Friday and Sunday
Apr – Dec £650
Jan – Mar £600
Saturday £750

All 3 hour bookings

Additional hours £100 per hour or pro rata

Non-refundable deposit on booking £200

Contact details

The wedding co-ordinator

Friends of Westonbirt Arboretum
Westonbirt – The National Arboretum
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WESTONBIRT
THE NATIONAL ARBORETUM



the friends[🍁]
of Westonbirt
Arboretum

Your
perfect
day...

Weddings and
Civil Partnerships at
Westonbirt Arboretum

A unique romantic setting...

Set within the beauty of Westonbirt, The National Arboretum, lies the Great Oak Hall, a glorious medieval style timber framed building

Licensed for Civil Weddings, Renewal of Vows and Civil Partnerships. Guests are encouraged to roam in the Arboretum's 600 acres of beautiful Cotswold landscape containing one of the largest collections of trees in the United Kingdom.

Though it is not legal in this country to get married outdoors, the Great Oak Hall offers an enchanting option amongst the world famous collection of trees which capture a spirit all of their own.

This cosy structure overlooking the Downs can seat up to 80 people on stylish wood and fabric comfortable chairs, with tables available for catering.

Tailored for you...

You and your guests

There are exclusive parking arrangements for you and your guests. Guests are encouraged to throw hop confetti or petals and, whilst sharing in the delight of your special day, are invited to explore the Arboretum.

Our Wedding Co-ordinator and Ceremony Host recognise the importance of this occasion; they will provide guidance and reassurance where needed to make your day special.

Catering

Whether champagne and chocolate strawberries, chilled wine and canapés or a sumptuous buffet are desired, Maples Restaurant will delight!

Call direct on **01666 880064**.

Photographs

This magnificent Hall offers an superb venue within Westonbirt's magical setting. Enjoy, in the years to come, those most special of photographs against such stunning scenery – ask our Wedding Co-ordinator for details.

We can arrange Introductions to local photographers who are familiar with the Arboretum for still and video records of your day.

Music

A musical background of your choice may be selected for both the ceremony and reception.

Arranging your day

The Registrar

Following provisional booking of your ceremony at the Great Oak Hall, you must contact a Ceremony Co-ordinator (tel 01242 532455) to confirm the details and their availability. Formal notice can be given up to a year before the ceremony date to the Superintendent Registrar of the Office in the District in which you reside. Confirmation, details of legal requirements and the fee to be paid will be forwarded by them within seven days of your request.

You cannot get married or register a civil partnership without giving notice in the District(s) where you live. After notice has been given by both parties, a Choices pack will be issued outlining the options available for your ceremony. The ceremony at the approved premises must have no religious connotations. You must ensure you have satisfied all the legal requirements.

