



# *Staglands Weddings and Civil Unions*

CEREMONY & RECEPTION



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## *Your Wedding Ceremony*

Staglands is a beautiful location to hold a wedding ceremony and there are a number of idyllic outdoor options to choose from. The ceremony can be held anywhere – alongside one of the ponds or the river, within the Secret Garden, or Bush Settlement, or even in The Barn - the location is up to you. We are happy to suggest some of the areas that have worked well for other couples.

Cost to hold a wedding ceremony at Staglands:

- \$150 for up to 40 guests
- \$200 for 40 -100 guests
- \$250 for 100 - 130 guests
- 130+ guests by negotiation



This includes a time for you to come up to Staglands during our opening hours for a rehearsal prior to your special day. It also includes the opportunity for you and your photographer to use any of the great locations around The Reserve for your wedding photos. You are welcome to bring your photographer up before the wedding to look over the options for some great wedding photos. We also provide a table for signing the registry.

These prices do not include admission. If your guests wish to walk around The Reserve this must be agreed beforehand and a fee will apply.

This is a location fee only. Barn hire is \$120 per hour (minimum of 3 hours).

We have seating available to hire.



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## *Your Wedding Reception*

Staglands is a wonderful location for a wedding ceremony and The Barn provides the perfect venue for celebrating your special day. The charming, yet rustic style of this building is ideal for a 'wedding with a difference' as there's no other place in Wellington quite like it. Surrounded by stunning native bush with a verandah that overlooks a beautiful pond and waterfall, The Barn is set in a superb location.

The Barn holds up to 90 guests seated or 150 guests standing.

Costs to hire The Barn:

Before 5pm: \$120 per hour

5pm to midnight: \$90 per hour + \$30 per hour staff charge. If we do the catering we may waive the staff charge.

After midnight: \$150 per hour + \$30 per hour staff charge.

(Please note: there is a minimum fee of \$1200 for wedding receptions. This fee includes three site visits, two consultations and a rehearsal. It does not include your ceremony fee.)

We realise that every wedding is different and we have purposely designed our venues and catering options with this in mind. When we meet with you, we will go over the important details you need to know, so we can tailor a package to suit your needs.

We are more than happy to discuss what options work for you to ensure your wedding day will be truly memorable.

Feel free to contact the functions coordinator at Staglands on 04 526 7529 to arrange a time to come up and discuss your ideas, or email [wildlife@staglands.co.nz](mailto:wildlife@staglands.co.nz) with any enquiries you may have.

Please note the following:

- ☞ These prices do not include admission. If your guests wish to walk around The Reserve this must be agreed beforehand and a fee will apply ☞
- ☞ A \$60 clean up fee applies if self-catering – we have crockery available for hire ☞
- ☞ Our normal liquor license allows us to serve liquor until 12.00pm ☞
- ☞ We do not have a BYO license ☞
- ☞ A non-refundable deposit of \$300 is required to secure a booking ☞
- ☞ The Barn is normally unavailable for hire in December, January or public holidays ☞
- ☞ All prices include GST and are correct as of February 2019 ☞
- ☞ Please remember there may be other customers in The Reserve during your wedding ☞

## Transport Options

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Hutt City Taxi's – 04 570 0057

Per van (holds up to 10 people) from Staglands to Upper Hutt Central City = approx \$95

### Bus Hire

Contact a local bus hire company for further information and quotes. Local companies include:

- NZ Coach Service - [www.nzcoach.co.nz](http://www.nzcoach.co.nz). e: [nzcoach@xtra.co.nz](mailto:nzcoach@xtra.co.nz). p: 0800 634 572
- Newlands Coach Services- [www.newlands.co.nz](http://www.newlands.co.nz) e: [ncs@newlands.co.nz](mailto:ncs@newlands.co.nz) p: 04 478 8315
- Tranzit - [www.tranzit.co.nz](http://www.tranzit.co.nz) e: [info@tranzit.co.nz](mailto:info@tranzit.co.nz) p: 04 387 2018

## Accommodation

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Wellesley Country Park - [www.wellesleycountrypark.co.nz](http://www.wellesleycountrypark.co.nz) p: 04 474 2424. 2120 Akatarawa Rd

5 minutes from Staglands.

They can provide accommodation for up to 150 guests. Options range from cabin rooms to riverside suites with ensuites

Harcourt's Holiday Park – [www.harcourtholidaypark.co.nz](http://www.harcourtholidaypark.co.nz) p: 04 526 7400. 45 Akatarawa Rd, Brown Owl

20 minutes from Staglands

Various options from self-contained units, tourist flats or motels units

Clouston House - [www.cloustonbedandbreakfast.co.nz](http://www.cloustonbedandbreakfast.co.nz) p: 04 526 2979. 2021 Akatarawa Rd Upper Hutt

10 minutes from Staglands

Exclusive, boutique accommodation set in the beautiful Akatarawa valley

## Toiletry Services

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Spik'n' Span Toilets -

[www.spiknspan.co.nz](http://www.spiknspan.co.nz) 04-526-3433 or 0274 934 187

For up to 100 people: 2 units - \$400.00 + gst for one day hire.

Can be towed with a large vehicle or delivered to the site for a fee.

Portable Toilet -

[www.hirepool.co.nz](http://www.hirepool.co.nz) 0800 15 15 15

Flushing units available for \$185 a day. Luxury restrooms available for \$1,000 a day

These prices include delivery and next day pick-up following the wedding.

## Seating hire

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We have green plastic seats available to hire for \$2.50 each. This price includes delivering seats to the area at Staglands you require them and collecting them when you are finished

Note: these prices are indicative only and may be incorrect. We advise clients to contact businesses directly for up-to-date quotes.