



## A 'PETERSHAM' WEDDING

The Petersham is without doubt Richmond's finest hotel, standing proud on the side of Richmond Hill, overlooking one of the most famous and historic stretches of the River Thames and surrounding meadows; just 8 miles from the centre of London and the West End.

Privately owned, the hotel has retained its traditional values and is dedicated to making your special day truly memorable. Renowned for its unique setting, fine dining and excellent service, you can be assured of a magical day.

### **The River Room**

With its private terrace and views stretching out across the Petersham meadow to the Thames, The River Room provides the perfect setting for exchanging those all important vows. The room is elegantly appointed and the private terrace allows ample room for guests to enjoy a breath of fresh air and admire the view. Located on the first floor, The River Room is licensed for civil ceremonies for up to 40 people, including the Bride and Groom and the two registrars.

### **The Terrace Suite**

With rich, classic décor, The Terrace Suite combines two splendid rooms to create an exclusive private suite. Following your drinks reception in The Rose Room, interconnecting doors lead into the main dining room where up to 28 guests can be seated for the Wedding Breakfast and up to 60 guests for a finger buffet reception.

### **The Cellar**

Comprising the Tasting Room and Claret Room, The Cellars offer a unique and exclusive dining experience, ideal for smaller, more intimate Wedding celebrations. Seating for up to 16 guests for the Wedding Breakfast and up to 35 guests for a buffet reception.

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## PETERSHAM PRICES

### THE WEDDING PACKAGE

Includes: The River Room for your Civil Ceremony and The Terrace Suite for your Wedding Breakfast. Two glasses of Champagne Petersham 'en magnum' per person for your drinks reception and your Wedding Breakfast (three courses with coffee and petit fours). Also included is a complimentary double bedroom for the bride and groom.

	May to September	October to April
<b>Saturday</b>	£135.00	£115.00
<b>Sunday</b>	£135.00	£115.00
<b>Friday &amp; Monday</b> (Bank Holiday only)	£115.00	£100.00

Number of Guests: Minimum 20 – Maximum 28 (prices are per person)

### INDIVIDUAL PRICES

**Create your own bespoke Wedding:**

#### The Ceremony

The River Room	(max. 40 persons)	£450.00
The Terrace Suite	(max. 40 persons)	£450.00

#### The Wedding Breakfast

The Terrace Suite ~ Daytime	(max. 28 persons)	£450.00
The Terrace Suite ~ Evenings	(max. 28 persons)	£375.00
The Cellar	(max. 16 persons)	£275.00

#### The Reception

The River Room	(max. 60 persons)	£450.00
The Terrace Suite ~ Daytime	(max. 60 persons)	£450.00
The Terrace Suite ~ Evenings	(max. 60 persons)	£375.00
The Cellar	(max. 35 persons)	£275.00

Prices may change without notice and include VAT at the current rate.

## FOOD & DRINK

### Menus

Wedding Breakfast (three-courses)	from £35.00
Finger Buffet	£24.95

### Cocktail Snacks & Canapés

Canapés	£15.00
Black and green olives, parmesan cheese straws, smoked salmon and dill canapés	£5.00
Black and green olives, parmesan cheese straws	£2.50

### Wine & Champagne

Champagne	from £39.50
Methode Traditionnelle	from £31.00
Wine	from £23.50

### The finishing touches

Liqueurs (50ml)	from £4.50
Personalised Menus and Place Cards	per person £2.00
Guest favours of handmade chocolate truffles	from £5.00
Flowers	table arrangements from £40.00
	Presentation bouquets from £30.00

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## STAYING THE NIGHT

At The Petersham, we believe that a proper night's sleep is one of the most important parts of anyone's stay. All 60 guest rooms are meticulously appointed for your utmost enjoyment and comfort. Room Service is 24 hours and porter and concierge services are also available.

### **Overnight Accommodation**

Single  
Double (Single Occupancy)  
Double / Twin  
River View Double / Twin  
River View Suite

Prices are room only, per night and are available upon request.

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## WEDDING BREAKFAST

Please choose one starter, one main course and one pudding to create a menu which will be served to all guests.

### STARTER

#### COLD

Scottish smoked salmon, rocket and dill	£14.50
Potted shrimps, lobster butter, pickled cucumber	£11.50
Foie gras maison, haricot vert, muscat jelly, toasted brioche	£14.50
Petersham terrine of smoked ham hock & old spot pork, pickled vegetables, toast	£12.50

#### HOT

Smoked mozzarella, saffron and courgette risotto, olive emulsion V	£11.50
Grilled red mullet & squid, soft herb risotto, anchovy and garlic butter	£13.50
Scallops & black pudding, celeriac puree, mixed leaf, caper and raisin beurre noisette	£14.50
Vine tomato tarte tatin, grilled goats cheese, onion ring and rocket V	£12.50

#### INTERMEDIATE DISHES

Sorbets 'Maison'	£6.50
Soup of the moment	£7.50
	£9.50

### CHEESE

Selection of fine cheeses, multi cereal bread and biscuits	£3.50
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### COFFEE AND Speciality TEA

with petit fours

### MAIN

Cutlet & shoulder of lamb, smoked aubergine caviar, gratin potato, balsamic jus	£24.50
Roasted duck breast, fondant sweet potato, pak-choy and ginger, cherry and Port sauce	£23.50
Grilled pork loin steak, Lyonnaise onions an black pudding, Puy lentils, sweet mustard sauce	£21.50
Fillet of beef 'en croûte', field mushroom duxelle, green beans, peppercorn sauce	£27.50
Corn-fed chicken supreme, basted with honey, cream potatoes, morel and vin Juane infusion	£23.50
Grilled veal chop, roasted shallot, truffle pomme puree, red wine sauce	£27.00
Seared halibut & honey roast bacon, braised savoy cabbage, stew of white bean and ceps, Madeira braise	£24.50
Roasted sea bass fillet, parmesan & olive crust, asparagus fritte, caper potatoes, smoked paprika emulsion	£24.00
Vegetarian dishes as available ~please ask for details	£16.00
	£8.00

### PUDDING

Crème brûlée of the day
Braeburn apple tart tatin, cinnamon ice cream
Sticky toffee pudding, vanilla ice cream
Chocolate & praline layered cake, dark bitter sweet chocolate sauce
Chocolate & hazelnut brioche bread & butter pudding
Petersham's tiramisu, espresso coffee ice cream
Vanilla & strawberry cheesecake, lemon ice cream

Head Chef Alex Bentley

Vegetarian or special dietary requirements can easily be arranged with prior notice.

Prices and dishes may change without notice. VAT is included at the current rate. Private room hire applies.

## CHILDREN'S MENU

At The Petersham, we know how to make sure the little ones are happy.  
The following menu is available for children up to the age of 12 years.

£12.00 ~ two courses  
£16.00 ~ three courses

### STARTER

Soup of the moment  
Cured ham & melon  
Salad of avocados, cucumbers & peppers  
Petersham risotto

### MAIN

Catch of the day ~ fried or grilled  
Minute Steak, grilled tomato & mushrooms  
Pasta, tomato sauce, parmesan  
Grilled chicken breast, thyme beurre blanc

All with new potatoes or chips & seasonal vegetables

### PUDDING

Treacle sponge pudding - custard  
'Petersham' ice creams or sorbets  
Platter of fresh seasonal fruit  
Chocolate brownie

Prices are per child and include VAT at the current rate.

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## RECEPTIONS AT THE PETERSHAM

### **FINGER BUFFET** £24.95

#### **Canapés**

Smoked salmon, crème fraîche and dill bagel  
Smoked chicken and aubergine caviar  
Celeriac rémoulade and Serrano ham  
Mozzarella and dried tomato, basil V  
Palm heart and olive V

#### **Selection of finger sandwiches**

Honey roast ham and mustard  
Tuna and pickled cucumber  
Roast beef and Horseradish  
Cheese and apple chutney  
Egg and cress

#### **Hot**

Cocktail Cumberland sausages, mustard  
Courgette and mozzarella beignet  
Catch of the day  
Tandoori chicken kebabs  
Onion Bhaji

#### **Selection of homemade Petersham pastries Coffee and Speciality Tea**

### **CANAPES** £15.00

The ideal companion at your pre dinner drinks reception

#### Mini soup of the moment

Olive and parmesan cheese straws

Mini baked new potato

Smoked chicken and aubergine caviar

Palm heart and olive V

Smoked salmon, crème fraîche & dill bagel

Celeriac rémoulade and Serrano ham

#### **£5.00 per person**

Spanish olives

Parmesan cheese straws

Smoked salmon and dill bagel

#### **£2.50 per person**

Spanish olives

Parmesan cheese straws

Each additional item from the canapé selection above at £2.00 per person.

## WEDDING CAKES

### FRUIT CAKES

Soft icing over marzipan, hand decorated with sugar flowers and a ribbon. The top tier may be inscribed with the names of the bride & groom.

### SPONGE CAKES

Your choice of vanilla or chocolate sponge, filled with butter cream and jam or chocolate fudge, covered with soft icing sugar flowers and a ribbon. The top tier may be decorated with the names of the bride & groom.

### CHOCOLATE CAKES

Chocolate sponge filled with chocolate fudge and decorated with chocolate cigars or smooth finish. The top tier will be decorated with chocolate curls and fresh fruit, and can be displayed with a plaque inscribed with the names of the bride & groom.

Vanilla sponge cake filled with fresh cream and fruit, decorated with chocolate cigars. The top tier will be decorated with chocolate curls and fresh fruit, and can be displayed with a plaque inscribed with the names of the bride & groom.

Round or Square	Size	Serves	Price
Small tier	8"	20	£145.00
Medium tier	10"	30	£175.00
Large tier	12"	40	£215.00
Two tier ( <i>small</i> )	6" & 8"	35	£235.00
Two tier ( <i>medium</i> )	8" & 10"	50	£290.00
Two tier ( <i>large</i> )	10" & 12"	70	£360.00

### MAKING TIMES

Generally, fruit cakes are best if made two months in advance. Sponge cakes require less notice, although a minimum of two weeks is necessary for the icing and decoration.



## **WEDDING INFORMATION**

### **RESERVING THE PETERSHAM**

Your provisional date is held for 1 week. To confirm your booking, you will be asked to do so in writing with credit card details to guarantee your booking. You will then be sent a booking contract outlining the details discussed which must be signed and returned in agreement with the full Terms and Conditions (available upon request). A deposit payment of £500.00 is required on receipt of the signed contract. All details including your choice of menu and wine, should be confirmed 2 weeks prior to your wedding day. Final numbers will be charged as advised 3 working days prior. A pre-authorisation for the total estimated amount of your booking will be made direct with your card provider a few days prior to the event, with the final bill payable within 14 days on receipt of invoice.

All prices include VAT at the current rate. Full booking Terms and Conditions are available on request.

### **LOCAL REGISTRY OFFICE**

As soon as you have made provisional arrangements for your marriage on the approved premises, please contact the Superintendent Registrar for the district at Richmond upon Thames Registry Office (020 8940 2853).

Without the presence of a Superintendent Registrar or deputy and a Registrar there can be no marriage. Any arrangements with The Petersham depend entirely on their availability. It is therefore essential that an advance booking with the Superintendent Registrar be made.

### **GUEST ACCOMMODATION**

Sixty traditionally styled bedrooms are available, all en-suite, some offering balconies and unrivalled views across the River Thames and the meadows.

### **MENU TASTING**

This can be arranged prior to the wedding and will be served in the restaurant and charged as indicated on the menu. Some dishes on the menu may not be available for a tasting.

### **SUPPLIERS**

We work with a number of recommended suppliers so please ask for details of florists or photographers. Alternatively, we are more than happy to work with your own preferred supplier.

### **CONFETTI**

Paper and silk confetti may be used in The River Room, The Terrace Suite and The Cellars only. Fresh flower petals are not permitted.

### **THEMING THE ROOM**

If you are looking to add a little individuality please talk to us about theming your wedding, from elaborate centrepieces or unusual crockery. We would be pleased to put you in touch with one of our recommended suppliers who are used to working at The Petersham and have a wealth of experience.

### **GIFT IDEAS**

The joy of giving a present to someone is just as rewarding as receiving one. Treat the Father of the Bride or member of the family to a beautifully wrapped Magnum of Petersham Champagne or perhaps some handmade chocolate truffles; a unique table gift for your guests at the celebratory lunch or dinner. A selection of Gift Experiences and Gift Vouchers are also available.

### **FLORISTS**

Flowers and table centres can make all the difference. The Petersham work closely with a number of florists but we are more than happy to liaise with you and your own suppliers.

### **MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT**

For background music, we would be pleased to supply names of professional musicians from harpists to string quartets, who have played at The Petersham.

### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

The wedding album will be one of your most important mementos, so it is vital to find a photographer who can best capture the atmosphere of the day. There are a variety of photography styles to choose from, including creative, contemporary, casual, candid, witty, soft-focus, fly-on-the-wall and reportage, amongst many others. The Petersham would be pleased to supply names of local photographic firms and freelance photographers.

### **VIDEO & DVD**

A personally edited wedding video or DVD makes a fantastic record of your big day and captures the magical happenings as they unfold; giving you and your family something you can watch and enjoy for years to come. We would be pleased to supply names of local firms and freelance videographers who are known to The Petersham.

## LARGER WEDDINGS AT OUR SISTER HOTEL



The Petersham is a superb venue for smaller weddings, however should your wedding breakfast be above twenty eight, our sister hotel, The Elvetham in Hampshire, could be just what you're looking for.

The Elvetham is just 40 minutes from Richmond and regarded as one of Hampshire's finest wedding locations. Specialising in larger wedding parties, this magnificent 19th Century mansion, set in 35 acres of gardens located just outside the village of Hartley Wintney, 15 minutes drive from the M3 and M4 motorways.

Built in 1860, The Elvetham is steeped in history and has retained many of its original features including hand carved fireplaces, painted ceilings and stained glass windows. Each room is filled with natural daylight and large windows frame beautiful views stretching out across the formal gardens and grounds.

The Elvetham has 70 bedrooms and is available every Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Public Holiday for weddings, lending itself effortlessly to both small and large parties, for up to 350 guests. Should The Elvetham be of interest we would be delighted to arrange a viewing for you, alternatively, you may contact The Elvetham directly.

*Licensed for Civil Ceremonies up to 200. Minimum 60 guests.*