



Frensham Heights | Weddings



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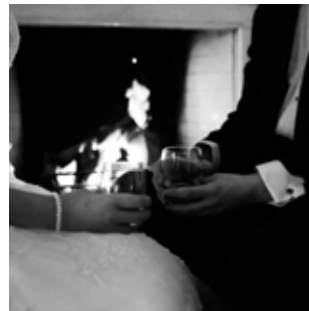
WELCOME TO FRENSHAM HEIGHTS

Built in 1898, Frensham Heights is a proud and beautiful building with a wonderful heritage. It has hosted fabulous house parties at the turn of the century, been a sanctuary for wounded soldiers from the Great War like the fictional Downton Abbey and has provided the perfect backdrop to hundreds of weddings, receptions and celebrations.

Within the main building, you will find an Edwardian ballroom complete with Minstrels' Gallery, a gorgeous Louis XVI drawing room and a Jacobean hall with baronial fireplace. All three are licensed for marriages.

The house is also blessed with stunning grounds, including a beautiful terrace, an intimate walled garden and outstanding views.

You will have the added advantage of an expert wedding coordinator to help you turn your vision for your day into a reality – and, if you need them, we have carefully selected a range of local businesses able to provide some of the other essentials for the day.





THE ROOMS

THE BALLROOM

At the heart of the house lies our stunning Ballroom. Decorated in Louis XVI style, its coved ceiling, ornamental frieze, fireplace and Corinthian columns offer the perfect backdrop for your reception.

The Ballroom also boasts an orchestral gallery and balcony – the perfect position for musicians to entertain your guests. The acoustics are excellent and the room is made for music. The opposite end gives access to, and views across, our intimate terrace and beyond to the sweeping backdrop of the Surrey Hills.

Rich in history, the Ballroom became a haven for wounded soldiers during the First World War. Today the walls echo with memories of lavish Edwardian house parties through to more recent dinners and celebrations.

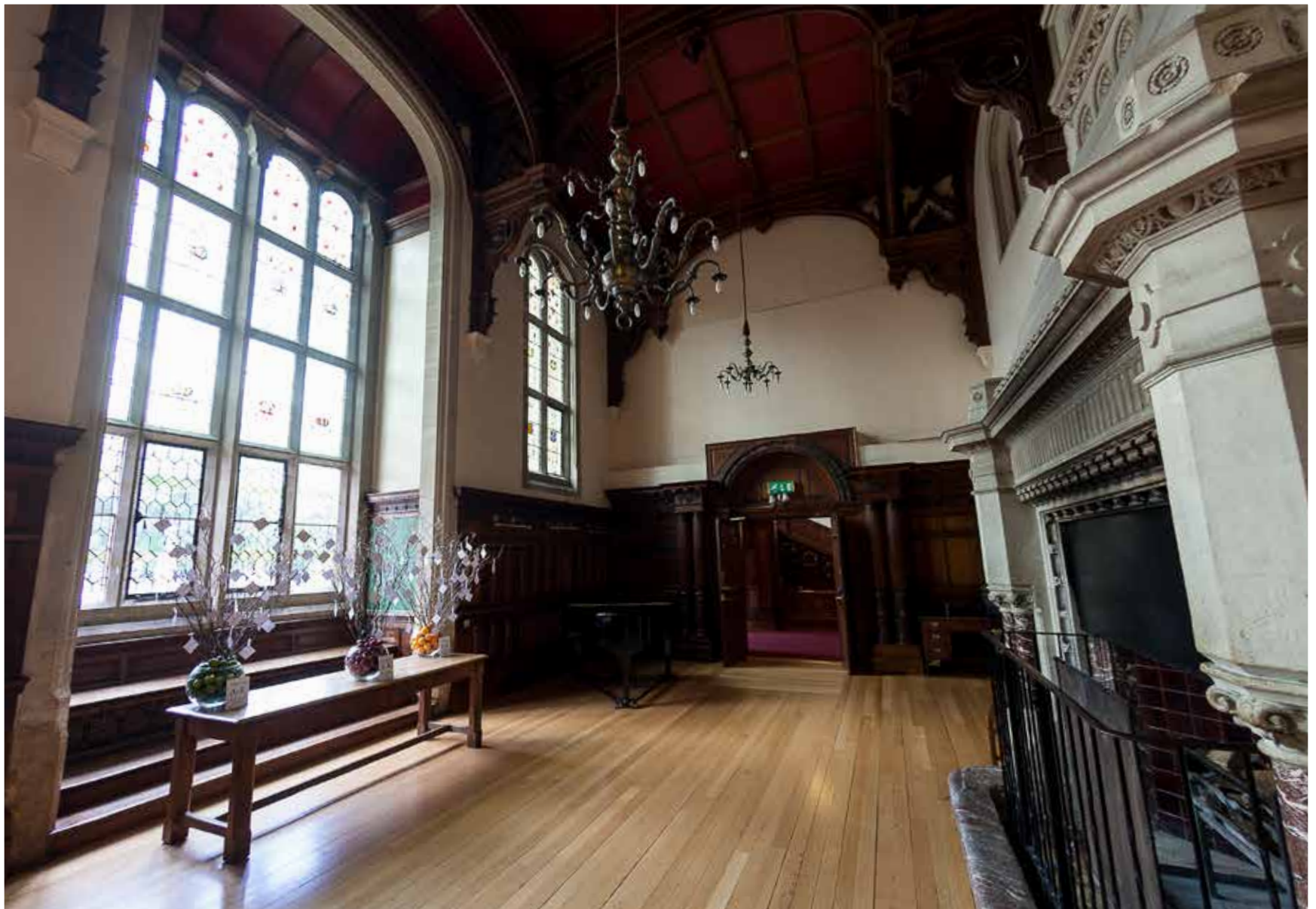
Capacity:

Size (approx): 15 x 7.5 metres

Guests: 250 standing/130 seated

Licensed: For 150





THE ROOMS

THE LONG GALLERY

Two storeys high with the entire north side dominated by exquisite stained glass windows, the Long Gallery is linked by grand double doors to the Ballroom. It provides a deceptively intimate space that is often used for the marriage service itself.

At the centre and opposite the almost floor-to-ceiling main window is a Gothic style chimney-piece of Bath stone and white veined marble, crowned by a coat of arms in carved oak.

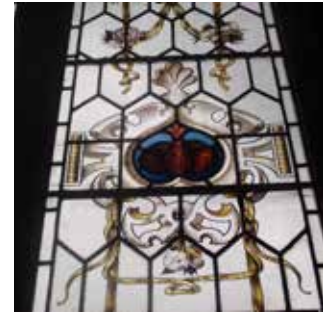
When lit, the fire quickly becomes a focal point, providing both warmth and atmosphere; on a hot summer's day, it lends itself to handsome flower arrangements and becomes a lovely backdrop for photographs.

Capacity:

Size (approx): 11 x 6 metres

Guests: 120 standing/80 seated

Licensed: For 90





THE ROOMS

THE DRAWING ROOM

Decorated in harmony with the Ballroom, with reflecting ornamental friezes and Coninthian columns, this double Drawing Room is a relaxing and comfortable space. The beautiful bay window gives views across Frensham's lawns and across the Surrey countryside towards Frensham Ponds.

As in the Long Gallery, two fireplaces offer equally special backgrounds whether lit in the colder months or decorated with flowers in the summer.

The Drawing Room can be used as an intimate wedding venue. Alternatively it is often used as a quiet room where guests can recharge their batteries. It is linked directly to the Long Gallery and through that to the Ballroom, so offers the happy balance of relaxation without being secluded.

Capacity:

Size (approx): 9 x 6 metres (widest)

Guests: 60 standing/30 seated

Licensed: For 60





THE GROUNDS

120 ACRES

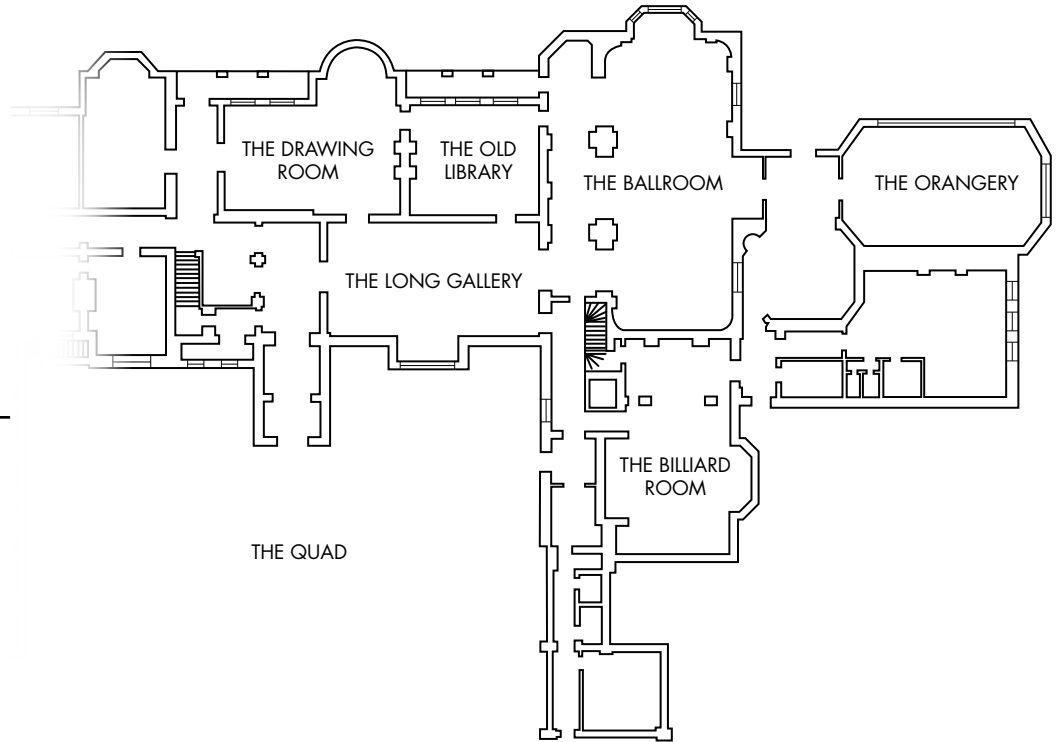
Arguably the most outstanding feature of Frensham Heights is its grounds. Some 120 acres of prime mature Surrey countryside surround the Tudor-style mansion, itself just three miles from central Farnham and six miles from Haslemere.

The walled garden is licensed for civil ceremonies under the pavillion, with capacity for up to 150 guests. The tree house makes a superb intimate setting for a smaller, less traditional ceremony.

Our sweeping terrace offers the perfect setting for a game of croquet or quoits, or for serving champagne or Pimms on a summer's day, or simply a lovely open space where younger guests can use up some energy!

Further afield can be found a wonderful array of trees, from stately cedars to grand oaks. Plants of all sizes paint the landscape with greens in the spring and summer, red and gold in the autumn and misty hues in the winter months – making Frensham a magical place for a wedding whatever the season.





FLEXIBILITY

One of the joys of Frensham Heights is the smooth layout of the main rooms, all of which interconnect allowing the spaces to be adapted to whatever plans you have.

There are further rooms available should you wish to use them: the wood panelled Old Library (c. 6.5 x 5.5 metres), the Billiard Room (c. 10 x 6 metres) and the lovely light and airy Orangery.



T H E P A C K A G E



THE CHEF CHRIS BIRCH

Frensham Heights chef, Chris Birch, has many years of experience running a kitchen and catering for a vast array of events, from banquets and buffets to intimate dinners and soirées.

He is passionate about creating menus tailored to the individual couple, working within your budget to develop the right meals to fit the occasion. He will discuss your ideas with you and, where possible, base suggestions on what is in season and available through local suppliers. On the day itself, our team of trained waiting staff will professionally and unobtrusively ensure the smooth delivery of your meal.

We also have an extensive selection of wines available to order - or you are welcome to provide your own.

Contacting our chefs:

Please make an appointment to see Chris through Kerry Guy, Wedding Manager.





THE PHOTOGRAPHER

MATT LINK PHOTOGRAPHY

Matt aims to capture the whole story of your wedding day – the atmosphere, the anticipation, the character and the fun. Most couples want to have some formal photographs, particularly for the family. Matt will organise these so that the whole process is relaxed and does not break up the flow and enjoyment of the celebrations.

For the rest of the day, Matt stays as anonymous as possible, making full use of long lenses, leading to more natural and relaxed shots.

Packages include eight hours' coverage, a Graphistudio Italian wedding album, all images on High Res disk, a website album for family and friends to view and purchase online and a pre-wedding shoot at Frensham Heights. Please contact Matt to discuss your requirements.

Contacting Matt:

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Your wedding is unique to you, so please don't feel you have to use our suggested suppliers!





THE FLORIST EDEN BLOOMS

Eden Blooms is Farnham's leading luxury flower and floral events business. They are the only florist in Farnham with Good Florist Guide status. Eden specialise in providing classic, contemporary bouquets and floral designs for homes and businesses, weddings and events.

Its floral designers and staff, along with owner Hazel, are experienced, talented florists and event planners who can bring together creative and current designs to your requirements. They use only the best quality seasonal flowers and build floral arrangements that will complement the stunning rooms of Frensham Heights.

So whether it's countryside chic or modern minimalist, Eden can work with you to create the perfect setting for your perfect day.

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THE PRICES
2018

For the exclusive hire of Frensham Heights:

January to April: £3,995
May to September: £4,600
October to December: £3,995

Canapés (based on five per person): £9 per person

Wedding breakfast (minimum of 85): £50 per person

Hog roast supper: £15.75 per person

Light supper: from £6.75

All prices include VAT where applicable

"THERE'S A FEW THINGS YOU WANT OUT OF A WEDDING RECEPTION VENUE, AND FRENHAM HEIGHTS HAS ACED THEM ALL! BEAUTY – WHAT A BEAUTIFUL VENUE! AND THE GROUNDS LOOKED AMAZING ON THE BIG DAY. EVERYTHING WAS VERY CLEAN AND TIDY, AND EVEN THE SMALLEST OF DETAILS WERE TAKEN CARE OF. THE PHOTOS ARE GOING TO LOOK AMAZING!! STAFF – THE STAFF WERE BRILLIANT ON THE WEDDING DAY. THEY WERE HAPPY AND RELAXED, YET WENT THE EXTRA MILE TO MAKE SURE ALL THE GUESTS WERE HAVING A GOOD TIME."

MOLLY
