

Celebration Drinks Receptions

Wedding Drinks Receptions

Shaw House is a unique venue to have your wedding ceremony and we are delighted to offer you and your guests a drinks reception whilst you have your photographs taken.

Reception drinks are served in the Chandos Room, which is located on the ground floor close to the Ceremony Room and is tastefully decorated with stunning reproduction silk papers, natural oak wood floors and a stunning chandelier. It is one of the most beautiful rooms in Shaw House and can host up to 50 guests.

Availability

Wedding drinks receptions are available every Saturday throughout the year but must be the last ceremony of the day to guarantee exclusivity. Other days and times will be considered on application.

What's included?

Tables set with terracotta linen (terracotta with white drape)
 Champagne glasses
 One member of staff

Vases are available if you wish to bring flowers and banners can be added to the table displays. Access to the room for decorating can be offered but is dependent on availability and must be pre-arranged.

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We also offer drinks receptions and afternoon tea for celebrations such as Christenings, naming ceremonies and school reunions.

Afternoon Tea & Canapés

Afternoon tea can be served for a maximum of 35 seated guests and is the ideal way to celebrate with friends and family. Our local caterers offer a range of options such as canapés from £6.60 per person, sandwich buffets from £9pp and afternoon teas from £14.95pp. Please enquire for a full quote.

Drinks menu

Champagne	£32 - £56
Prosecco	£14 - £22
Red/White Wine (bottle)	From £10
Jug of Pimms	£15
Beer & Cider (bottle)	£3
Jug of Orange Juice	£6.75
Bottled Water 750ml	£1.50

Charges

The room hire fee for all drinks receptions is *£75 per hour.

For more information or to arrange a viewing please contact us on 01635 279279 or email shawhouse@westberks.gov.uk

*Please note that additional VAT costs may be incurred to your wedding ceremony, please contact us for more information.



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About Shaw House

Shaw House is one of the best preserved Elizabethan manors in England, built in 1581. Over the centuries it has welcomed royalty, seen action during the Civil War, housed soldiers during World War II and schooled generations of local children.

The interior of the House has been adapted over the centuries and we have ten unique rooms which are available to hire for conferences and meetings for up to 100 delegates.

Shaw House is also host to a year-round programme of events and activities for all ages.

Stay in touch

If you would like to receive more information about our events and family activities please visit www.westberkshireheritage.org/events-mailing-list.

How to find us

Shaw House is ideally situated on the tranquil north edge of Newbury, within an hour's reach of London, Bristol, Oxford and the South Coast, and just five minutes from the M4/A34 junction. Parking is free.

It is also within a leisurely 25 minute walk from Newbury town centre and is accessible by public transport.

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