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Weddings at Firle Place



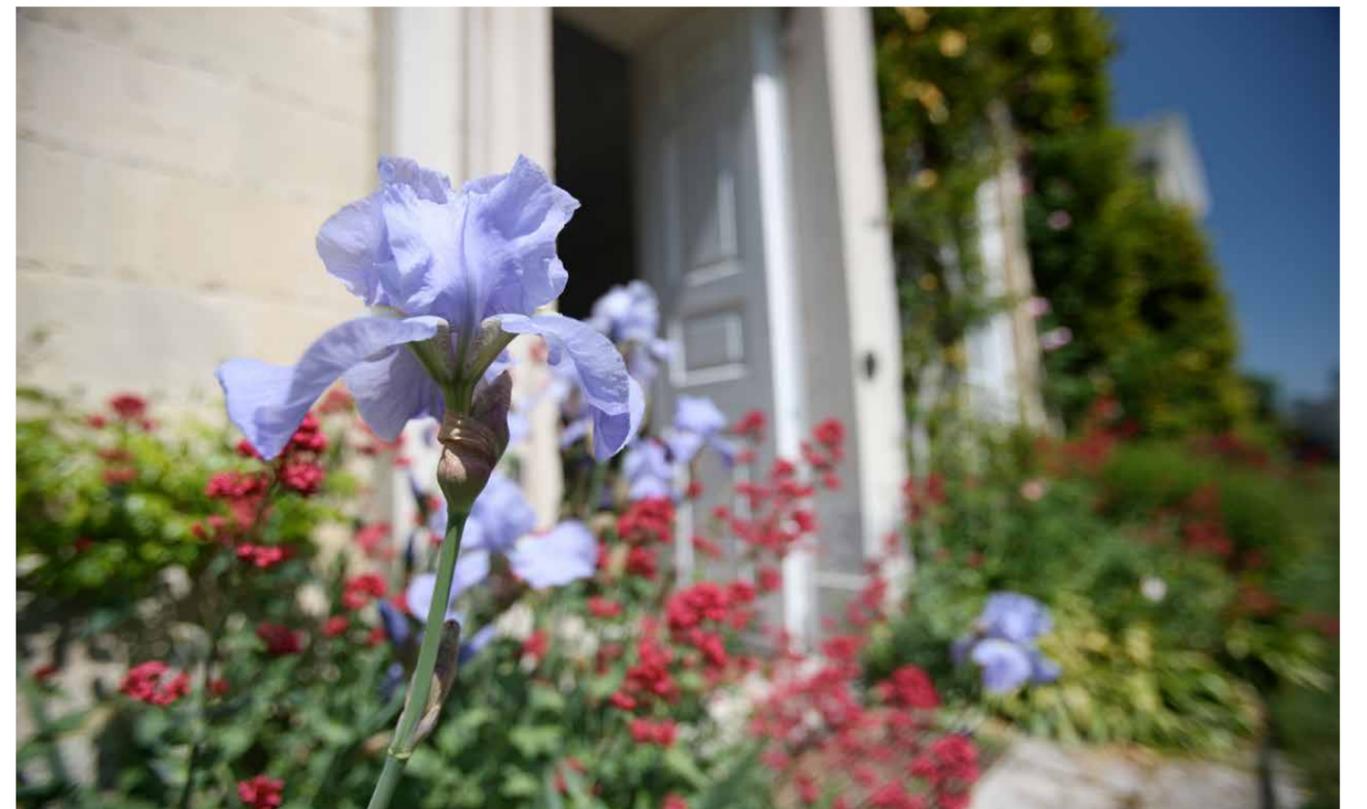


The perfect country wedding venue nestled at the foot of The South Downs

Firle Park is a stunning private estate and historic house set in the heart of the South Downs National Park. We offer a truly spectacular setting for wedding receptions with a wide range of options dependent on the individual size and style of the event. Choose from The Georgian Riding School and Croquet Lawns, a majestic listed building and adjacent grounds, or one of our unique marquee sites beautifully suited to those looking for this style of occasion. All weddings at Firle Place enjoy use of the grand driveway that winds up through the Firle Park, with parking for all guests on site.

St Peter's Church hold weddings each year for village residents and regular church attendees. It's possible for non-residents to use the church for blessing ceremonies if booked well in advance.

The beauty of a wedding at Firle is that couples have the freedom to design their wedding exactly as they wish for a truly bespoke occasion. Should you want to utilise our excellent, experienced and creative team to help with planning, coordination, management and styling, this can be discussed along with a range of additional services, should you require. Simply email or call us to arrange your private viewing and we can discuss the details in person.





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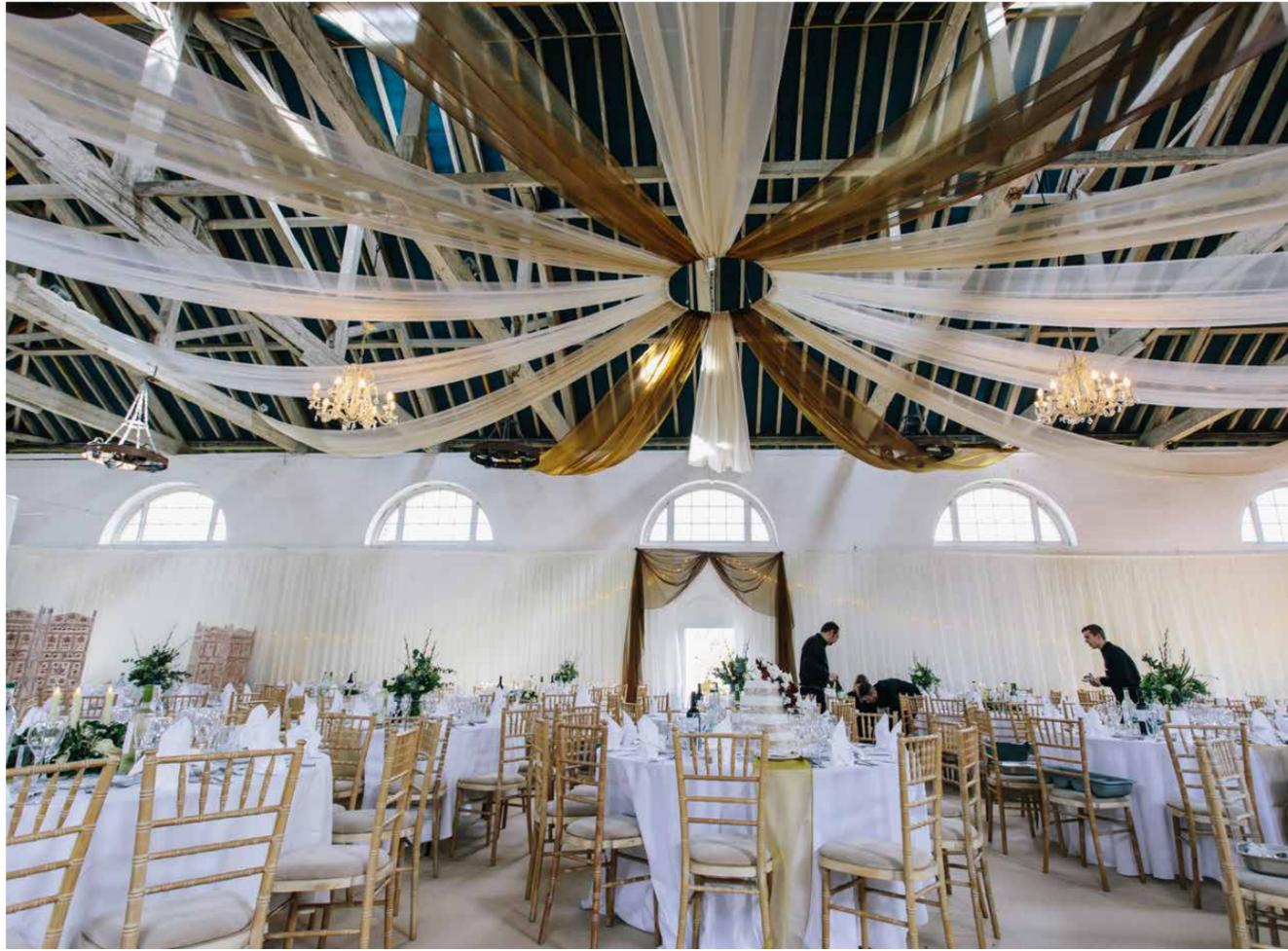
The Firle Estate has remained intact for over 500 years and encompasses several picturesque downland villages with traditional pubs, a highly regarded farm shop and of course Firle Place itself. Firle derives from the Anglo-Saxon word 'Fierol' meaning 'oak covered land' and sits on ancient downland chalk landscapes at the foot of the Firle Beacon.

Firle is proud to be home to the wonderfully atmospheric Ram Inn, the perfect setting for an ushers' lunch, serving delicious English food with an emphasis on locally-sourced ingredients. Here, you can also enjoy excellent local beer and ale, including those from the international-award winning Burning Sky brewery, located a stone's throw from the pub.

The Firle Estate is also home to a wide range of accommodation options for parties of any size. Within the village itself, the Ram Inn is open throughout the year, while rooms are also available at several local hotels, bed & breakfasts and self-catering facilities, all within easy reach. In the summer the Firle Camp Site offers a range of tent pitches and facilities, while luxury glamping experiences within comfortable bell tents are also available in the secluded folds of The South Downs nearby. Please visit the website or speak to us to find out more about options to suit your wedding needs.







The Georgian Riding School

Rustic chic at its best in a stunning 16th century listed building.

The Georgian Riding School at Firl Place is a stunning Grade 2* listed building located in the private grounds of the house. Its grand size and spectacular ceiling with exposed oak beams, make it a truly wonderful indoor space for weddings and parties for up to 250 guests (although it can be easily partitioned for smaller events). The Georgian Riding School sits just above the croquet lawns, Cherry Walk and lake and so couples who choose to hold their wedding here can also enjoy the stunning outside space that surrounds it. St Peter's Church is situated right next door and so those booking a church wedding can just walk through to their venue after the service.

The Georgian Riding School is a beautiful, historic building for those looking for a unique indoor space but without losing the great charms of an outdoor wedding. It is an impressive building with rustic charm located deep within the Estate, so with a great sense of privacy. When booking the Georgian Riding School, guests can enjoy reception drinks on the croquet lawns situated beside the lake and so are able to drink up the magical surroundings. This spot also includes use of the breathtaking driveway through the Park and parking for all guests. Cars can be left overnight.

Wedding capacity: Up to 250 guests

Venue hire price: £4,750 Fridays, Saturdays & Sundays
£4,000 Wednesdays & Thursdays

Access: From 10am the day before your wedding until 4pm the day after





The South Lawn & Dell Gardens

Breathtaking grounds with the historic house as your backdrop for an elegant country garden-style marquee wedding.

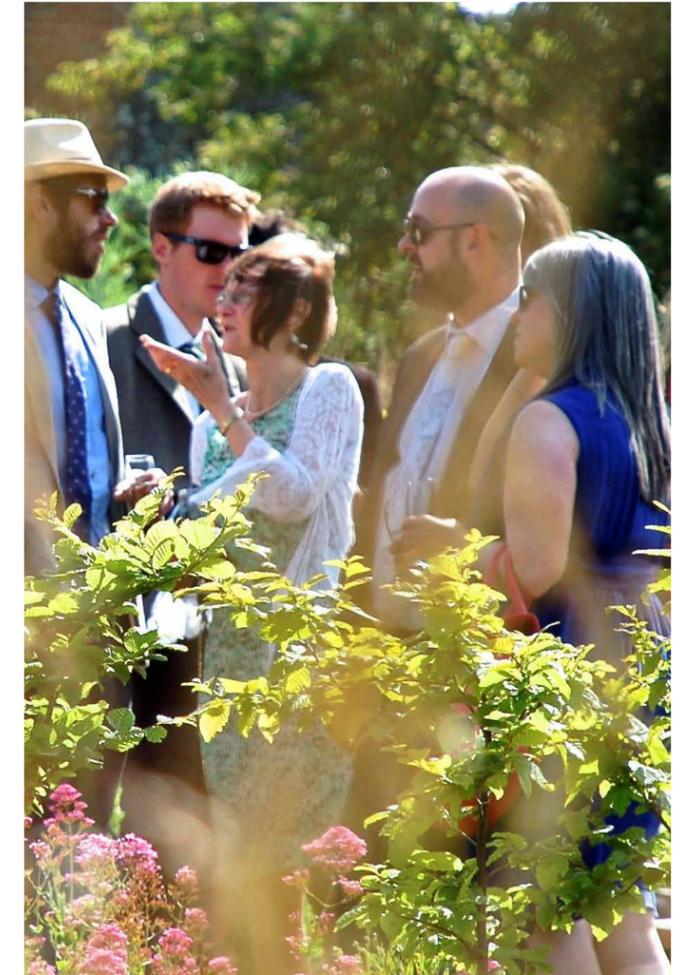
The private gardens of Lord and Lady Gage are tucked behind the stunning stately home with views of the whole Estate. Guests arrive at the gated entrance to the house itself which leads on to the breathtaking South Lawns. This site also has a beautiful, private walled garden called The Dell complete with a 16th century thatched dairy cottage, lawned terrace and wild flower meadow, ideal for reception drinks. Majestic stone steps or a daisy-strewn, wild-orchid walkway, lead back down to The South Lawns - a totally private space overlooked by The South Downs and Firle Place itself.

The private gardens are perfect for couples looking for an elegant, show-stopping setting for their wedding, with the historic house itself as the backdrop. This location includes the use of the breathtaking driveway through the Park and private parking for all guests.

Wedding capacity: Up to 200 guests.

Venue hire price: £4,500 Saturdays & Sundays
£4,000 weekdays (inc. Fridays)

Access: From 10am the day before your wedding until 4pm the day after



Firle Place Herb Garden & Orchard

A romantic and relaxed setting for a marquee wedding amidst a charming walled garden and orchard.

Firle Place Herb Garden is an 18th century walled garden with adjacent fruit orchard, which has been lovingly restored by Lady Gage to provide a dreamy, romantic setting for wedding receptions. It is an abundance of colour and fragrance throughout the Spring, Summer and Autumn. Enter the Herb Garden from an enchanting woodland walkway beside the lake or by a gate from St Peter's Church. Guests can wander the flower strewn walkways, drink in hand, and then move through to the orchard which provides space for a marquee for wedding breakfast and party.

Couples who are looking for a rustic, bohemian feel but still want the glamour and romance of Firle Place's impressive grounds will love this venue. This spot includes the use of the breathtaking driveway through the Park and private parking for all guests.

The Herb Garden can also be booked as an extra for couples booking The Georgian Riding School as a wonderful spot for photographs and drinks.

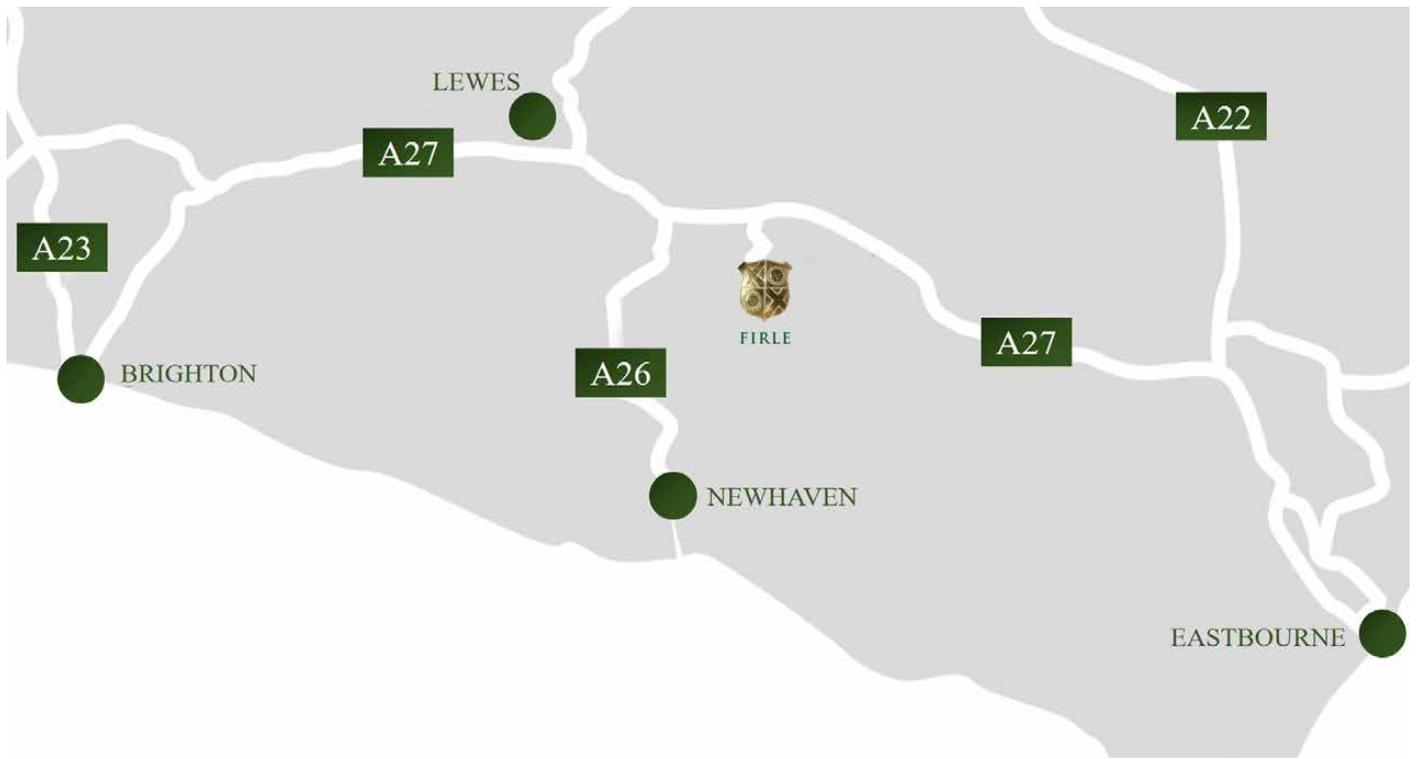
Wedding capacity: Up to 100 guests

Venue hire price: £2,000 Friday
£1,500 Monday - Thursday
£300 If booked alongside the Georgian Riding School

Access: From 10am the day before your wedding until 4pm the day after







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