



# CROYDON HALL



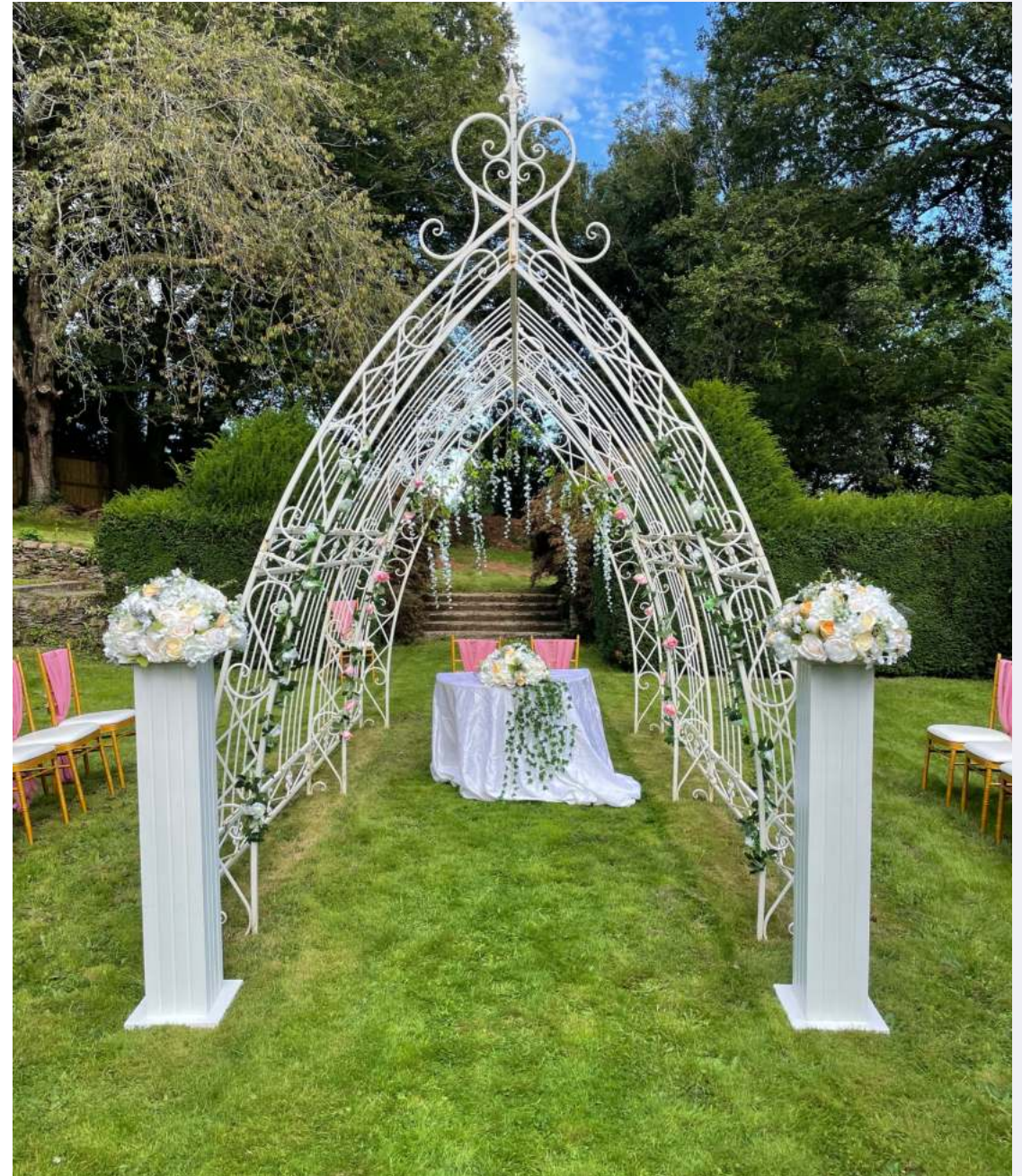


*Welcome to Croydon Hall*  
**An Exclusive  
Wedding Venue**

Croydon Hall is a privately owned, exclusive country house hotel in Exmoor National Park. The view from the hotel is spectacular, the setting tranquil, the pace relaxed, so it's the perfect place for intimate and exclusive weddings away from the hustle and bustle of the city life.

With charming original features and modern amenities this boutique country house estate offers a unique, romantic location for one of the most important days of your lives.

Bought and developed in 2020, the hotel is a new wedding venue, however the team have been working together, producing bespoke weddings and events for over twenty years.



# *800 Years of History*

## **An Historic Venue**

History enthusiasts will be interested in Croydon Hall's wonderfully colourful and eclectic past – just what you'd expect from a building that's been standing for over 800 years.



1221

The earliest written record of Croydon Hall dates back to 1221, pre-Norman Conquest times, where it was reported to have been a farmstead for the Cistercian monks at Cleeve Abbey. In the 1500s, Croydon Hall became a family home for Landed Gentry.

1700

A plaque on the front of the building from the 18th Century suggests that Croydon Hall was used as a Magistrate's Court.

1907

The house was significantly rebuilt in the 1800s and again in 1907, when it was bought by Count Konrad von Hochberg, a German aristocrat who made many improvements to the property including adding the Italian Garden.

2020

The start of this elegant period of Croydon Hall ended abruptly with the outbreak of the First World War when the Count fled back to Germany.

Since then, Croydon Hall has had many uses, from a home for evacuees, a school for troubled teens to a Buddhist retreat. It fell into a state of disrepair when the last business fell on hard times, so it was ripe and ready for redevelopment when it was bought in 2020. It is now family run hotel and restaurant with elegant spaces for events, weddings and celebrations.



# For all Seasons

Whatever the weather, we have luxurious indoor and outdoor spaces available for your wedding ceremony. If it's cold and wet we can use the Drawing Room or the Barn and on sunny, warm days, we can hold the ceremony outside, in the beautifully landscaped Italian Garden.

*The Drawing Room*



*The Grounds*



*The Barn*



*The Flower Room*





## The Barn

The newly refurbished Barn, which sits next to the main hotel, is a chic, rustic banqueting space that boasts chandeliers, wooden cladding, and a stunning ambiance. With high ceilings and adjustable lighting, the barn offers an intimate yet grand setting, perfect for wedding breakfasts from 50 - 170.





# The Flower Room

The Flower room has a ceiling adorned with six chandeliers and silk flowers. Perfect for intimate ceremonies and wedding breakfasts for up to 30 guests.





## The Drawing Room

With a marble fireplace and large windows looking out onto the picturesque Somerset grounds, the Drawing Room is one of our entertaining spaces in the hotel. This room is fully equipped with state-of-the-art lighting and an audio system. Perfect for Wedding Breakfasts for up to 70 guests and for evening entertainment for larger weddings after Wedding Breakfasts in the Barn. We can also use the Drawing Room for winter or wet weather Ceremonies.





# The Grounds

Nestled in five acres of picturesque English countryside, the grounds surrounding the hotel provide privacy, tranquillity, and are a superb backdrop for your official photos.

The grounds include a secluded Italian Garden which is an oasis of greenery, and colourful rose beds, making it the perfect place for an intimate ceremony.





# Our Accommodation

## *Hotel*



15 individually designed and appointed ensuite bedrooms and apartments

## *Glamping*



12 Luna Bell Tents available during the summer

## *Croydon House*



A seven-bedroom Edwardian farmhouse set within the grounds of Croydon Hall



## Pearl

A two-room apartment with a super king size bed and an 8ft mirror in the bedroom, and three sofas, a fully fitted kitchen and dining area in the living space.

The perfect suite in which to relax with friends and family the night before the wedding and all the room you need for you and your bridal party to get ready on your special day.





# Honeymoon Suite



## White Rose

A beautiful and intimate space, perfect for your wedding night, with a super king size bed, standalone bath, large rainfall shower, and a balcony overlooking the glorious countryside.



# Croydon House

Accommodating up to 14 guests in seven bedrooms, Croydon House has four bathrooms, a well-equipped farmhouse style kitchen with a large dining room, a family sized lounge with an open fire and a 65" TV. The veranda runs along the length of the southern side of the building overlooking the garden and the rolling Quantock hills.

The bonus for Croydon House guests is that they have use of the facilities at the hotel.



*Wellness*

# Hotel Facilities

Exclusive hire of the hotel includes access to all the hotel's facilities which include a seasonally heated outdoor pool, Spa with Jacuzzi, Steam Room and Sauna and a Gym.





# Our Menus

Food glorious food! Choose the main dishes for your big day and we'll happily work with you to adapt the courses to ensure that every dietary requirement is taken care of. All our food is homemade by our talented chefs where possible, so we can be flexible.



## Starters

### **Roasted Vine Tomato Soup with Basil Oil**

(V, VeO, GFO, DFO)  
*celery, milk*

### **Sweet Potato, Coconut & Cardamom Soup**

(V, VeO, GF, DFO) + £6  
*celery, milk*

### **Goats Cheese Mousse on Toasted Focaccia, Roasted Beetroot & Walnuts**

(V) + £6  
*gluten, milk, nuts*

### **Twice Baked Stilton Souffle, Garlic Mushrooms & Rocket**

(V) + £6  
*gluten, milk, mustard, eggs*

### **Truffled Mushroom Pate, Toasted Sourdough**

(DFO, GFO, VeO)  
*celery, gluten, milk, mustard, sulphites*

### **Chargrilled Chicken Caesar Salad, Smoked Bacon & Herbed Croutons**

*gluten, eggs, milk, nuts*

### **Prawns in a Marie Rose Sauce, Avocado & Baby Gem Lettuce**

*crustaceans, egg, milk, sulphites, mustard, gluten*

### **Chicken Liver Parfait, Caramelised Onion Chutney & Toasted Sourdough**

*gluten, milk, mustard, soya, sulphites*

### **Mature Cheddar & Onion Tart, Chive Crème Fraiche & Dressed Rocket**

(V) (GFO)  
*gluten, milk, eggs*

### **Lyme Bay Crab, Freshwater Prawns & Crayfish, Dill Crème Fraiche**

(GF, DFO) + £8  
*crustaceans, milk*

### **Duck Liver Parfait, Red Wine Glazed Shallots, Sourdough Croutes**

(GFO) + £8  
*gluten, milk, sulphites*

### **Oak Smoked Salmon & Prawn Terrine, Red Onion & Caper Salad, Lemon Dressing**

(GF, DFO) + £8  
*fish, crustaceans, milk*

*Please choose 2 starters and a vegetarian/vegan option.  
Evening buffet and canapé menus available upon request.*

*Please make us aware of any allergens or dietary requirements. V – Vegetarian/Ve – Vegan/GF – Gluten Free/GFO-Gluten Free Option Available/DFO – Dairy Free Option Available/VEO – Vegan Option Available*



## Mains

**Chicken Breast Stuffed with a Sun Blushed Tomato, Olive & Basil Cream Cheese, Oregano Roasted New Potatoes**  
(GF, DFO) + £8  
milk

**Pan Fried Fillet of Sea Bass, Lemon & Dill Butter, Pea Puree, Roasted New Potatoes**  
(V) + £8  
fish, milk

**Roasted Butternut Squash, Beetroot & Mushroom Wellington, Red Wine Jus & Roast Potatoes**  
(V, DF, Ve) + £8  
gluten, sulphites

**Slow Cooked Beef Brisket in a Green Peppercorn Sauce with Creamy Mashed Potato**  
(GF, DFO) + £8  
gluten, milk, mustard, sulphites

**Oak Smoked Salmon & Prawn Terrine, Red Onion & Capers Salad, Lemon Dressing**  
(GF, DFO) + £8  
fish, crustaceans, milk

**Medium Rare Topside of Beef, Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes & Rich Gravy**  
(GFO, DFO)  
celery, sulphites

**Pan Seared Chicken Breast in a Garlic & White Wine Sauce with Roast Potatoes**  
(GF, DFO)  
gluten, milk, celery, sulphites

**Sage & Apple Stuffed Pork Loin in Cider & Thyme Gravy with Creamy Nutmeg Mash**  
(GFO, DFO)  
celery, gluten, milk, sulphites

**Almond & Thyme Crusted Fillet of Hake, Crushed New Potatoes, Garlic & Leek Cream**  
(GFO, DFO)  
gluten, fish, milk, nuts, sulphites

**Roasted Parsnip, Cranberry & Walnut Loaf with Roast Potatoes & Red Wine Jus**  
(V, GFO, DFO, VeO)  
gluten, eggs, milk, sulphites, nuts

**Duck Breast in a Spiced Orange & Cranberry Sauce with Sweet Potato Boulangère**  
(GF, DFO) + £10  
celery, sulphites

**West Country Lamb Rump in a Minted Red Wine Gravy served with Dauphinoise Potatoes**  
(GF, DFO) + £10  
celery, milk, sulphites

*All of the above is served with fresh seasonal vegetables in bowls to the table*

**Olive, Feta & Green Pesto Tagliatelle, Cherry Tomatoes & Toasted Pine Nuts**  
(V, GFO, DFO) + £6  
celery, gluten, eggs, milk, nuts

*Please choose 2 main courses and a vegetarian/vegan option.  
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## *Desserts*

**Passion Fruit & Mascarpone Cheesecake,  
Crushed Pistachio**  
(GFO) + £6  
gluten, milk, nuts

**Vanilla & Buttermilk Pannacotta,  
Summer Berry Compote**  
(GF)+ £6  
Milk

**Blackberry & Frangipane Tart,  
Vanilla Crème Anglaise**  
+ £6  
gluten, eggs, milk, nuts

**Vegan Dark Chocolate  
& Peanut Butter Cheesecake**  
(GF,DF,Ve) + £6  
nuts, peanuts

**A selection of Local Cheese & Crackers  
served with Chutneys, Apples & Grapes**  
+ £6  
gluten, milk, celery, mustard

**Dark Chocolate & Amaretto Brownie,  
Chocolate Ganache & Strawberries**  
(GFO)  
gluten, eggs, milk, nuts

**Fresh Summer Berry Pavlova,  
Chantilly Cream & Raspberry Coulis**  
(GF)  
milk, eggs

**Sticky Date Pudding, Caramelised  
Pecans, Salted Caramel Sauce**  
gluten, eggs, milk, nuts

**Raspberry & White Chocolate  
Cheesecake with Fresh Cream**  
(GFO)  
gluten, milk

**Lightly Spiced Apple & Berry Crumble  
with Fresh Cream**  
(GFO,DFO,VeO)  
gluten, milk

**Exotic Fresh Fruit Salad**  
(Ve, GF, DF)

**Chilled Chocolate Fondant, Salted  
Caramel Sauce & Hazelnuts**  
(GF) + £6  
eggs, milk, nuts

**All Butter Shortbread, Chantilly Cream,  
Fresh Local Strawberries,  
Pimm's Strawberry Puree**  
(GFO) + £6  
gluten, milk, sulphites

**Zesty Lemon & Lime Tart,  
Chantilly Cream & Raspberries**  
+ £6  
gluten, eggs, milk

**Poached Pear in a Spiced Red Wine  
Reduction, Cinnamon Eton Mess**  
(GFO,DFO,VeO) + £6  
milk, egg, sulphites

*Please choose 2 desserts including a vegetarian/vegan.  
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# Happy Couples



*Samantha S.*  
Bride

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“Thank you for an amazing weekend.

Croydon Hall and their team went out of their way to make sure our say was perfect for us!

Everything from start to finish ran like clockwork and it was such a perfect setting for any wedding.

I would highly recommend Croydon Hall for any special event.”



*Karen O.*  
Mother of the Groom

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“My son Neil and his wife had their wedding reception here. I cannot fault anything!

The venue is stunning, food is first class, staff are professional but friendly and well organised.

We stayed overnight, the rooms were luxurious, and a wonderful breakfast finished the weekend, we could not ask for more! Thank you again.”



*Emma & Morgan*  
Bride & Bride

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“Looking for your perfect wedding venue can be a daunting task. Jeremy and Rylene made this decision so easy for us. From the very minute we arrived, they made us both feel so welcome, nothing was too much trouble.

The food was absolutely out of this world. We booked the whole hotel and the rooms are so clean and picture perfect. We all had breakfast together the next morning and it was the icing on the cake.”

# Sample Wedding Package

The sample package is based on 50 adult guests for us to use as a starting point for our discussions. Exclusive hire is subject to all 15 bedrooms being booked by you and your guests for the night of your wedding.

*Starts from £6,995*

- Exclusive use of Croydon Hall
- Pearl Bridal Suite the night before your wedding
- White Rose Honeymoon Suite on wedding night
- Reception drink of Bucks Fizz / orange juice
- Three course Wedding Breakfast or Sharing Platters
- Crisp white tablecloths and linen napkins
- Table décor to suit most colour schemes (tbd)
- Fully stocked cash bar (bar tabs available)
- House DJ provided from 7pm until midnight
- State-of-the-art lighting and audio system in the Drawing Room
- Sound system in the Barn for background music
- Speakers in the Italian Garden for background music
- Complimentary parking for 40 cars



# Contact Croydon Hall

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