National Glass Centre

Weddings at National Glass Centre



A unique setting with stunning riverside views, National Glass Centre offers seamless organisation and exceptional hospitality to ensure that each and every wedding day is absolutely perfect.

Our modern, bright and airy spaces offer floor-to-ceiling windows with sweeping views over the River Wear, providing you and your guests with a spectacular setting for your celebration.

With an exclusive location on the banks of the River Wear, and only a short distance from Roker Park, Roker Pier and Blue Flag Award Winning beaches, National Glass Centre is home to a number of striking photo opportunities, including our unique glass backdrops and contemporary art galleries.

Enjoy your day knowing that our dedicated team is on hand to take care of every need and our service and commitment will ensure that you and your guests have the day of your dreams.

Our wedding packages have been created to make your planning as seamless as can be. If you have any specific requirements, our team is more than happy to create a bespoke package just for you.

The Riverside Room

The Riverside Room is a bright and modern space, fitted with contemporary lighting, natural hardwood floors and views overlooking the stunning riverfront. Large enough to accommodate up to 120 guests for your civil ceremony or wedding breakfast, this room is the perfect blank canvas for you to personalise.

The Pod

Ideal for a more intimate affair or ceremony, The Pod is a unique 'floating' event space overlooking The Glass Yard. This room also offers floor-to-ceiling windows overlooking the riverfront and can accommodate up to 50 guests for your civil ceremony or 30 guests for your wedding breakfast.

The Glass Yard

Available under exclusive hire or for your evening reception, The Glass Yard is a spectacular glass enclosed room with panoramic views of the riverfront. Equipped with a built-in bar, this spacious room is perfect for dancing the night away with up to 150 of your closest family and friends.





We are passionate about fresh and seasonal ingredients, and with a reputation for excellence, our menus blend together traditional and modern cuisine.

Showcasing strong local heritage and innovation, we ensure that each dish is carefully prepared by our chefs and delivered with creativity and passion.

Our menus aim to entice every palate, however can be tailored to your exact preference.



Glass Slipper Package

This Full Day Package has everything you need from the moment you say 'I Do'.

- Hire of our stunning function rooms
- The services of our dedicated wedding team and Master of Ceremonies
- Red carpet on arrival
- A glass of Prosecco for your guests following the ceremony
- Three course wedding breakfast followed by coffee, tea and mints
- Half a bottle of wine for each guest with their meal
- A glass of Prosecco for your toast
- Personalised evening buffet
- White linen tablecloths and napkins
- White chair covers with a sash in your choice of colour
- Use of our cake stand and knife

If you have any specific requirements, please let us know and we would be delighted to create a bespoke package just for you.

*Prices are subjective to the number of guests, please contact our Wedding Coordinator for a personalised proposal

£65 per person*

Twilight Package

If you've already tied the knot and are looking to celebrate with your family and friends, our Twilight Package is perfect for you.

- Hire of our stunning function rooms
- The services of our dedicated wedding team and Master of Ceremonies
- A glass of Prosecco for your guests on arrival
- Personalised evening buffet
- White linen tablecloths and napkins
- White chair covers with a sash in your choice of colour
- Use of our cake stand and knife

*Prices are subjective to the number of guests, please contact our Wedding Coordinator for a personalised proposal

> £25 per person*

Frequently Asked Questions

Firstly, congratulations on your engagement!

Q: How many weddings do National Glass Centre hold per day?

A: We only hold one wedding per day, meaning the venue will be exclusive to your special day.

Q: How do I book my wedding at National Glass Centre?

A: We ask for a 25% deposit in order to confirm your wedding. Our dedicated Wedding Coordinator will be on hand to help plan your special day and will support you from your initial enquiry to your first dance.

Q: How do I arrange my Civil Ceremony? A: Please contact Sunderland City Council on 0191 520 5553 in order to book your Ceremony.

Q: Is there onsite parking available for my guests? A: National Glass Centre offers complimentary parking for all guests.

Q: Do you have any arrangements with local accommodation? A: We work closely with the Hilton Garden Inn, located less than 1 mile from National Glass Centre. Please speak with your wedding coordinator for more information.

Please don't hesitate to contact us with any additional queries.



"We had the most incredible day. The rooms looked beautiful, the food was delicious and the staff were impeccable. Thank you so much to everyone who was involved."

Lauren & Nicholas

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