

# THE **PORTLAND** MASONIC

The Portland Masonic is poised to become one of the most unique arts, cultural and special event spaces in New England. By incorporating the rich history of Freemasonry and the grand architectural spaces of the Temple, with a renewed investment in public interaction, our goal is to create and sponsor programming that exists in dialogue with the Temple's phenomenal spaces.



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Better known as *The Portland Masonic Temple*, the building was erected in historic downtown Portland, Maine in 1911. The Portland Masonic is home to several active Masonic organizations including Triangle Lodge - one of North America's oldest Masonic lodges, founded in 1762. Portland and the St. Alban's Commandery, and the Valley of Portland Scottish Rite.

Some of Maine's famous Masons include Governors, Naval Commanders, Attorneys General, Supreme Court Justices, and International Diplomats. The Portland Masonic is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and is home to the most magnificent spaces in Maine.



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The Portland Masonic features dramatic spaces for both intimate and large events. Filled with period millwork, painted plaster, original stained glass windows, antique chandeliers & furniture and extensive use of scagliola, a 17th century plaster technique that produces a marble-like finish.

The first floor of the Masonic Temple features easy access from Congress Street, and offers two beautiful function spaces. The Scottish Rite Reading Room is perfect for cocktail parties and pre-dinner mingling surrounded by antique wood paneling and Masonic portraits.





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Down the hall, 20-foot doors open into the impressive Armory. Surrounded by hundreds of Masonic Regalia lockers and an original stained glass window depicting the Knights Templar and 20' x 10' mirror opposite the door, the Armory can seat up to 200 people with room for a dance floor.

The second-floor features two large rooms of flexible function space. Boody Hall offers private space for meeting and smaller gatherings of up to 50. The grand Corinthian Hall features over 4,000 square feet of tremendous architectural detail, a 20-foot stained glass window, a working organ, and space for seating for up to 200 guests for meetings, concerts, and other large functions.

#### **INCLUDED WITH RENTAL OF THE PORTLAND MASONIC**

- ❖ 200 - Fruitwood Chiavari Chairs
  - ❖ 4 - 8" Tables
  - ❖ 20 - 60" Tables
- ❖ 5 - 36" Round High Top/Cocktail Tables
  - ❖ 1 - 36" Round Cake Table
- ❖ Basic white china & stainless steel flatware for 200

REINVENT YOUR EVENT WITH  
*Blue Elephant Events & Catering*



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Blue Elephant Events & Catering creates unique and memorable designer events and weddings for any budget. A boutique catering company offering competitive pricing, innovative menus, table & room decor, and staffing for any special event.

Our goal is to work with each client individually to bring ideas and budgets together to create special events that will make a lasting impression on all who attend. The Blue Elephant Events & Catering team will guide you through each and every detail, including menu planning, seating arrangements, floral design, favors, and more. We work with a network of southern Maine's most experienced event professionals - florists, mixologists, cake and pastry designers, lighting designers, musicians, hair and makeup designers, providers of formal attire, and many others.

We look forward to working closely with you to create an elegant wedding, anniversary dinner, birthday party, Sunday brunch, business luncheon, corporate gala and any other special event that will impress your guests and fulfill your own unique vision.





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## RENTAL FEES + DEPOSITS

Use of the Scottish Rite Reading Room for 5 hours: \$1,500

Use of entire first floor for 5 hours: \$4,500

*Deposit equals room rental fee. Deposit is due in full at time of booking.*

*Space is not secured until deposit is paid in full.*