



# *The Perfect Wedding Venue Set in a nature reserve*



The romantic Houw Hoek Hotel is your ideal wedding venue. We are peacefully positioned in the Kogelberg Nature Reserve, **with a panoramic backdrop of mountains and ponds.**

We are a **leisurely 80 km from Cape Town** and 75 km from Cape Town International Airport.

We can **sleep up to 185 guests per night** for those wanting to stay over.

**Our romantic setting of picturesque natural beauty makes this a photographer's paradise.**

This is also a beautiful venue for a winter wedding.



## *We will customise anything you may need for your special day*

We will tailor your special day to meet your needs perfectly.

**We offer a variety of venue, catering and accommodation options to suit your budget,** just let us know your requirements. Our friendly and efficient staff will ensure that your special day is a wonderful and memorable experience.

Please contact our event coordinator with any questions or if you have any custom requirements. We also have a range of reliable suppliers that can help complete your wedding day.

Your décor and flowers are not included. You will need to organise and install these at your own expense.



Built in 1779, we are the oldest licensed hotel in South Africa and the winner of two **Haute Grandeur Global Excellence Awards** – The Best Scenic Environment Hotel in South Africa and the Best Historical Hotel in South Africa.



# *Our Wedding Packages*

Please **contact us with your planned wedding date, estimated number of guests and any special requirements**. We will send you a quotation and all the necessary information to plan your perfect wedding day.

We can also recommend all sorts of service providers: florists, photographers, musicians and suppliers of stretch tents, gazebos, draping and décor.

## INCLUDED IN OUR PACKAGES:

- Catering during wedding reception
- Venue hire
- Tables and chairs
- Service staff
- White table linen and serviettes
- Hotel's cutlery, dishes and glasses



## NOT INCLUDED IN OUR PACKAGES:

- Lunch, room service orders or any other meals
- Table linen and serviettes other than those of the hotel
- Cutlery, dishes and glasses other than those of the hotel
- All wedding décor
- Any hired items for the ceremony or reception
- All beverages
- Flowers
- Wedding cakes
- Photographers
- Videographers
- Service gratuity

## *Ceremony Venue Options*



Established in 1779, **the Houw Hoek Hotel is the oldest licensed hotel in South Africa** and the original buildings have a wonderful charm. Each individual wedding venue has retained its original character and offers all the facilities required to make your wedding a very special day. Should your celebrations include music or dancing, **we have the perfect venue, for both day and night.**

- Ceremonies can be indoors or outdoors
- Plastic and wooden chairs available – chair covers are for your own account
- Centre-aisle set-up with red carpet and podium

### **OUTSIDE CEREMONIES**

- Our garden weddings are set on our rolling lawns with a panoramic mountain backdrop
- Elegant gazebo overlooking the pond



### **THE SEMINAR ROOM**

- Up to 200 guests

### **THE RED ROOM**

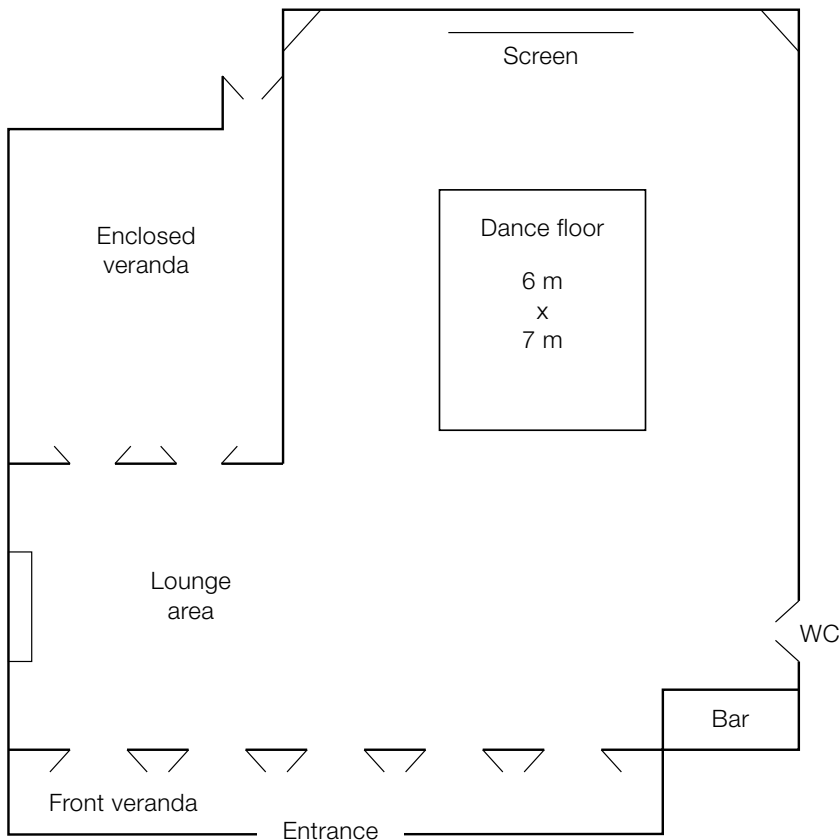
- Up to 60 guests



# Reception Venue Options

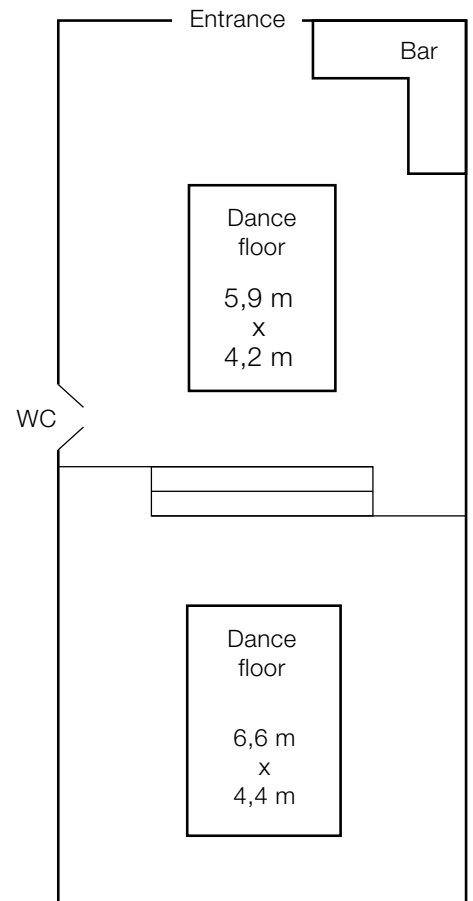
## OU KAAPSE HOEK

- **Our largest venue with 2 verandas**
- Up to 250 guests, minimum of 50 guests
- 1 dance floor (6 x 7 m)
- **Size:** 440 m<sup>2</sup> (24 m long x 23 m wide)
- **Ceiling height:** 3,3 m



## THE BARN

- **Usually not available on Saturday evenings (please enquire)**
- Up to 150 guests, minimum of 50 guests
- 2 dance floors
- Dance floors can be used for extra seating
- **Size:** 298 m<sup>2</sup> (25,5 m long x 11,7 m wide)
- **Ceiling height:** 2,75 m – 3,15 m



## TABLE SET-UPS

- **Round tables (1,8 m)**  
Seats 10 people per table
- **Rectangular trestle tables**  
Can be arranged in many combinations







## *Catering for your Guests*

**Our chefs can create any menu you choose and we can quote accordingly.** Alternatively, you may want to choose one of our many set menus or our delicious buffet menu. As soon as we have the guest count, date of wedding and type of food you require, we will forward you your menu options.

- All menu prices include the set-up, crockery, cutlery, glasses, tablecloths and serviettes, as well as the tables and chairs.
- Snack platters, pâtés and dips can be organised for pre-drinks (for your own account).
- **We can organise the perfect pre-drink station.**

### **OUR STAFF**

Our friendly and efficient staff will pay attention to every detail to ensure that your special day is wonderful in every way.

### **MENU OPTIONS**

- **3-course Set Menu** – Starter or soup, 2 mains, dessert buffet, tea and coffee
- **4-course Set Menu** – Starter and soup, 2 mains, dessert buffet, tea and coffee
- **Houw Hoek Buffet** – Salads, seafood platter, entrée of your choice, carvery, dessert buffet, tea and coffee
- **Houw Hoek Braai** – Selection of salads, vetkoek and homemade breads, lamb cutlets or chops, farm chicken and traditional boerewors, potatoes, dessert buffet, tea and coffee
- **Brunch Buffet** – Choose between a cold and a hot buffet





## *A Wide Choice of Accommodation*

We have 76 beautifully appointed rooms. All rooms offer an en-suite bathroom, WiFi and 20-channel DStv. Some rooms have a fireplace for those cosy winter days.

- **We can sleep up to 185 guests per night**
- Up to 2 children under 12 years stay for free if sharing with parents
- Includes breakfast

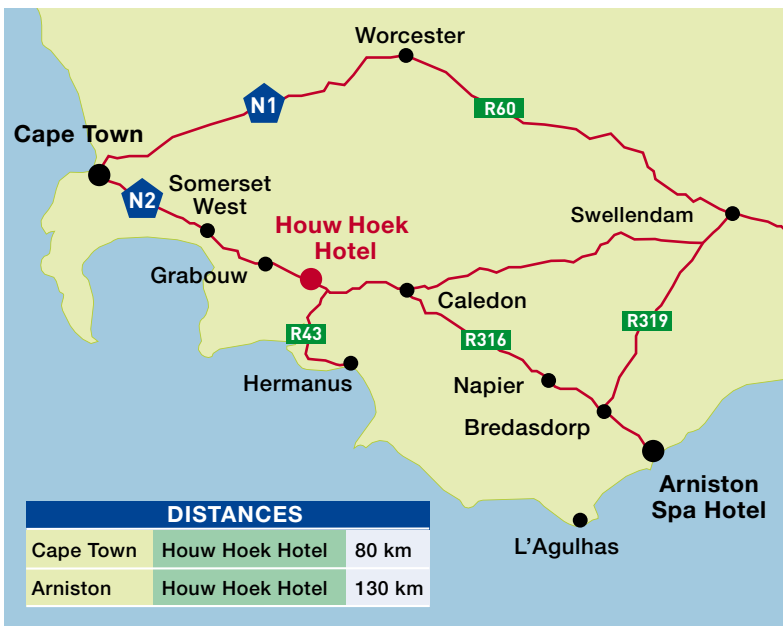
### ROOM AMENITIES

- En-suite bathroom
- Room service
- Fridge
- Tea and coffee facilities
- WiFi
- DStv – 20 channels

### HOTEL ACTIVITIES

- Snooker and pool
- Darts and foosball
- Table tennis and air hockey
- Putt-putt
- Volleyball
- Tennis
- Squash
- 2 swimming pools
- Boules court
- Trampoline
- Hiking trails and walks
- Mountain biking





## Make an appointment to view our facilities.

N2, Houw Hoek, Grabouw,  
Western Cape

PO Box 95, Grabouw 7160  
South Africa

### GPS coordinates

34°12'18.37"S / 19°09'03.45"E

You may want to try our sister hotel,  
the **Arniston Spa Hotel**.

This beautiful wedding venue is  
situated on an unspoilt coastline.  
For enquiries call 028 445 9000  
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