

THE NEW BRIDE



WEDDING PLANNING SURVIVAL GUIDE

*4 Steps To Start Planning A Laid Back Wedding, Without
Maxing Out Your Credit Cards Or Pulling Your Hair Out.*



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Creating A Reception Budget

Keep in mind, this is a “reception budget”. So, it excludes things such as photographer, DJ, flowers, etc. (Basically food and place) Typically you can expect to spend anywhere from \$50-\$90/guest. For example, if you're expecting 100 people to attend your wedding then to cover your reception costs including catering, you'll expect to spend roughly \$7,000.

How do we get that number? The math is basically averaging out the cost of your venue or rentals PLUS the average cost per guest for food and drinks.

When creating your realistic budget, you'll want to include the following:

- ✓ Venue or rentals
- ✓ All food and catering
- ✓ Cake and deserts
- ✓ All drinks including alcohol
- ✓ Décor and styling costs
- ✓ Misc. things such as photo booth, DJ, etc.

Estimated Cost For Reception

Head Count	Cost Per Guest	Total Est. Cost
50	\$70	\$3,500
100	\$70	\$7,000
150	\$70	\$10,500
200	\$70	\$14,000
250	\$70	\$17,500

Picking Your Wedding Must-Haves

Here is your free checklist to plan all the wedding services/items you'll want to consider.

Rank them from 1 (most important) to 20 (least important). Anything in the top 10 is your "must-haves".

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- Delicious Cake
 - Great Food
 - Nice Flowers
 - Awesome Wedding Video
 - Amazing Photography
 - Experienced Event Planner
 - Lots Of Alcohol
 - Kick Butt DJ
 - Fun Things To Do
 - Gorgeous Venue
 - Great Decor
 - Cool Wedding Favors
 - Gorgeous Wedding Tent
 - Smooth Agenda
 - Highly Active Dance Floor
 - Plenty Of Space To Move Around
 - Convenient Guests Experience
 - Memorable "Send Off"
 - Formal Attire
 - Great Lighting Effects
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One thing that is very important to consider, is your "style and theme". If you want the fun/laid back wedding then you'll want to consider an outdoor tent wedding. If you're set on a perfect view and scenery is super important to you, then you'll benefit best from a high end venue.

The goal that we want to help you with this checklist is, narrowing down on whether you want to spend more money on a venue with more restrictions. Or, if you have any interest in an outdoor tent wedding.

Designing Your Wedding

Are you the rustic lover?
Maybe you're more formal?
Perhaps you just want
something laid back?

Here is a quick look at
some events that we have
done in the past and some
images we found online to
give you a better visual of
what your style is. This is
going to help you move in
the right direction towards
what type of wedding you'd
like to have.

Do you want a barn
wedding, tent wedding,
luxury venue?

View these images for
inspiration.



Accurate Timeline

Cheat Sheet

Use this cheat sheet as a quick reference for some of the main wedding to-do list things you'll encounter.

1+ Year Out

- Get initial quotes
- Build a Pinterest board
- Send save the dates

9M Out

- Reserve venue/rentals
- Reserve caterer
- Reserve photo/video

5M Out

- Order cake
- Reserve DJ
- Send invitations

1M Out

- Order decor
- Payoff balances
- Finalize head count



Watch Our Tent Reception Planning Video Series



01

Choosing Your Rentals

We'll quickly show you all of our gorgeous wedding rentals in just 2 mins.

02

Create Your Floor Plan

We'll show you a live video of us creating a custom 3D floor plan for a brides wedding.

03

Smooth Sailing Delivery

We'll explain exactly how stress free it is come the week of your wedding. You won't have to worry about a thing.

04

Custom Planning

We'll give you all the last planning tips you'll need to pull off an extremely successful wedding.

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