

# Weddings

**EVENT SPACE**  
at PAINTWORKS





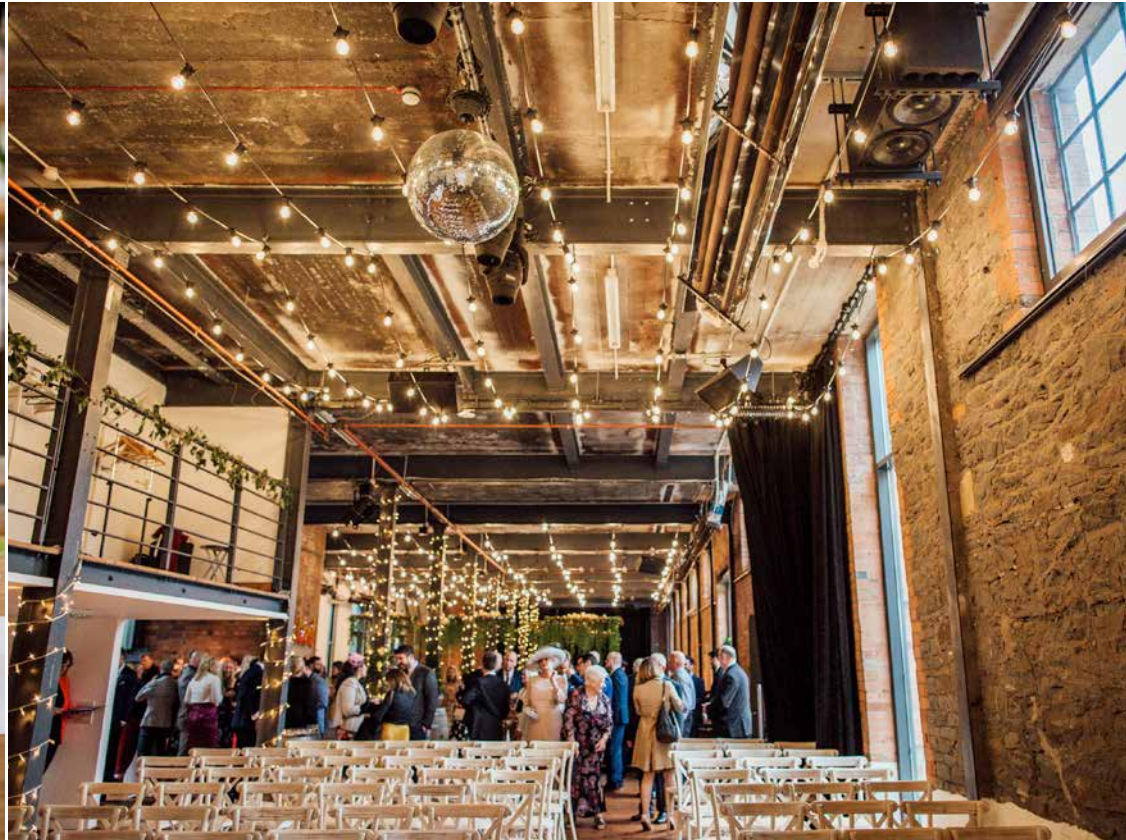
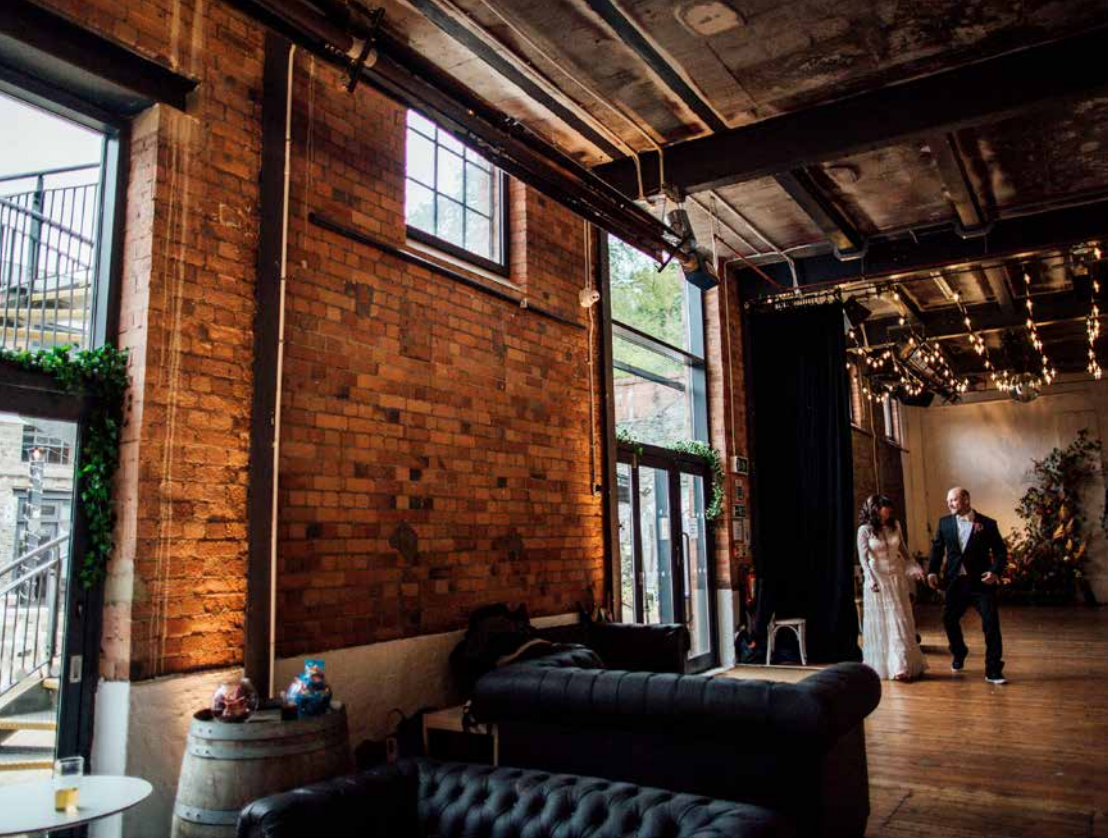


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*Paintworks is a part of town, not a development. It's a place where people want to work and a place they want to live. Not all that complicated really, but not many places are like it.*

*Paintworks Event Space is set in the heart of Paintworks and is a fabulous alternative venue for weddings & receptions, with a full licence for ceremonies. The interior is a mixture of exposed brick, stone and steelwork that make it an exciting and dynamic place to hold a celebration. The size of the space creates a sense of scale that's perfect for important occasions. It is a striking blank-canvas space with stunning proportions, and a unique off-beat, yet classy atmosphere.*





## The Ceremony

We are licenced to hold ceremonies for up to 140 guests in the Theatre End of the space, which is a more intimate part of the venue that can be screened off from the rest of the space and has a fantastic viewing gallery, which adds drama to your ceremony.

The hire of the space includes an experienced wedding co-ordinator to make sure all runs smoothly on the day, a PA for playing music through your own technical device, white or black folding chairs, a table, table linen (for signing the register) & set up of the ceremony space.

Please note that you will need to book the Bristol registrars directly. An initial meeting can be set up by calling 0117 922 2000 and asking for weddings. They are super helpful and will guide you through the whole legal process.



# The Reception

Paintworks Event Space is one large open venue, which is hired as a whole, but can be divided up by a heavy theatre curtain, dividing the Theatre Space (ceremony space) from the main bar & dining area.

The dining & bar area has an impressive 4.5m ceiling height, rugged concrete ceiling with exposed central steel columns and roof joists. The space has painted concrete and wooden floors, natural light from high level windows and an original brick lift shaft. Double doors open on to a 4,000 sq.ft. licensed courtyard, which can be used for reception drinks & photos, weather permitting.

As a blank canvas venue you have the versatility of choosing from many styles of floorplans including round or trestle tables. The hire of the space includes 12 x trestle tables and 12 x round tables, white table linen & a choice of black or white folding chairs.



You can design the lighting & décor however you desire. **PYCH** our recommended AV Company can guide you through many different options of festoon lights, ceiling drapes, uplighting and so on, to give it the style and feel that suits you best. You are also welcome to come in the day before to set up table decorations, cakes, photo booths, etc. with family and friends.







## Catering & Bar

For weddings and parties held at Paintworks Event Space. Relish have a highly experienced team that will ensure your event is really special. Working with the finest and often locally sourced ingredients, Relish's colourful dishes have a home cooked and wholesome flavour that's hard to beat.

We have no kitchen facilities in the venue, but Relish set up and run a temporary kitchen space and bring in all the equipment, crockery, cutlery etc that is required. All of this is factored into their menu prices, showing a complete price, including staff service.

Please see Relish's sample menus on our website, which are a starting point and can be customised.

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# Prices

## **Without ceremony - Two day venue hire: £2,650 + VAT**

Set up & Wedding day reception. Wedding coordinator support throughout & on the day, furniture for reception, white table linen, in-house sound system.

## **With ceremony - Two day venue hire: £2,950 + VAT**

Set up & Wedding day ceremony & reception. Wedding coordinator support throughout & on the day, furniture for ceremony & reception, white table linen, in-house sound system.

## **Wedding party only - One day venue hire: £2,300 + VAT**

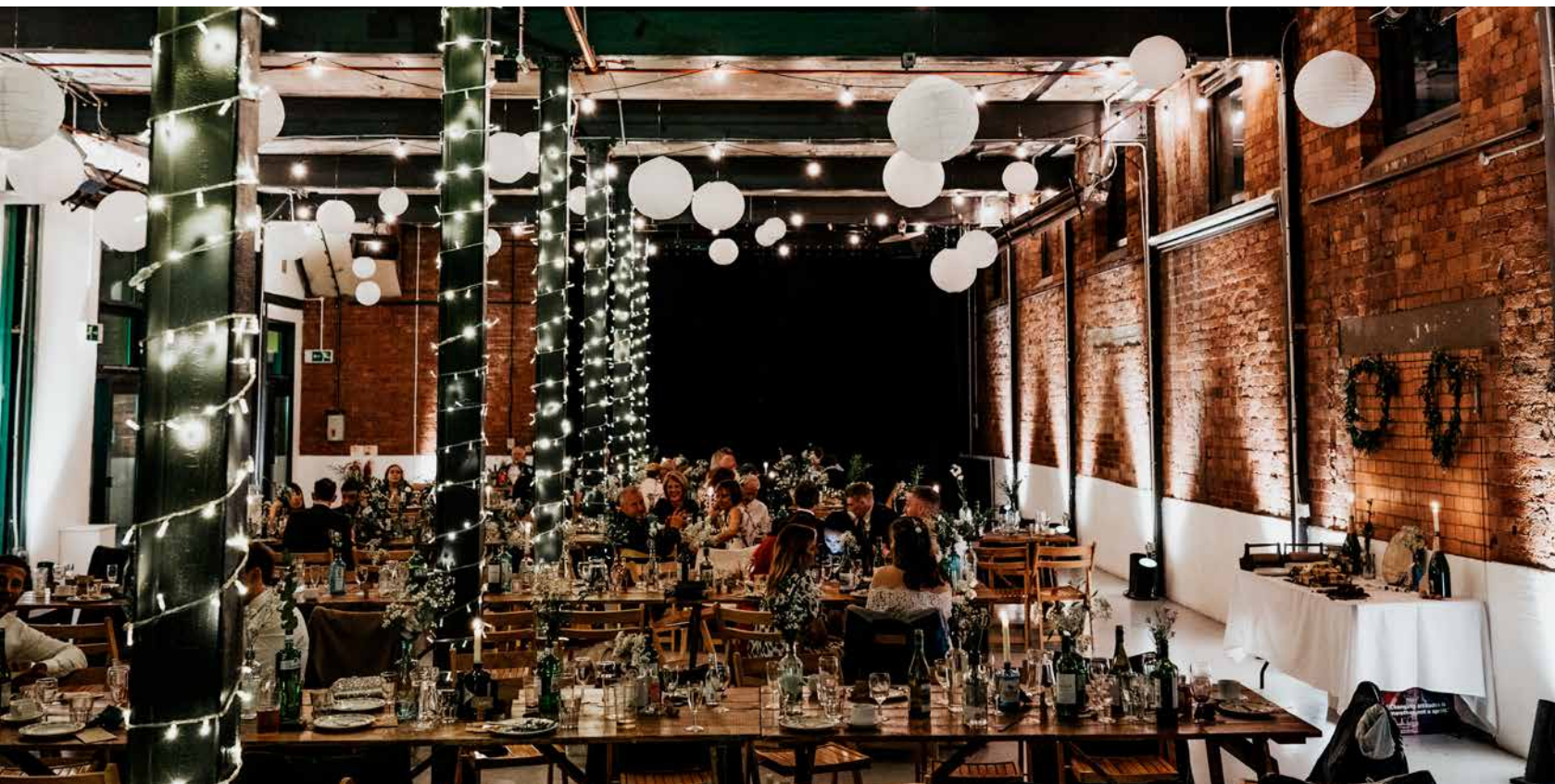
Set up & Wedding party (guest arrival not before 5pm). Wedding coordinator support throughout & on the day, furniture for party, white table linen, in-house sound system..

# How to Book

We hold viewing appointments once a month on Saturday mornings between 10am and 12pm. It's a perfect time to come and look, as often the space is set up for wedding, so you can truly see us in all our wedding glory!

If you like what you see and want to hold a date while you check to see if the registrar is free, we are happy to hold dates with no obligation for two weeks.

To confirm the date we ask for a 50% deposit of the hire fee with the other 50% due 6 months prior to your wedding. From this point forward we work with you over the coming months to help your ideas become a reality, organise a bespoke timeline of your set up day and wedding day & put together a floorplan of the space.





# Frequently Asked Questions

## Before booking

### Do I have to book to come to the open viewing?

We hold viewing appointments once a month on Saturday mornings between 10am and 12pm. Please check [www.paintworksevents.co.uk](http://www.paintworksevents.co.uk) for the next date.

### How do I find out what dates are free?

Please email [eider@paintworksbristol.co.uk](mailto:eider@paintworksbristol.co.uk)

### Who do I contact regarding a registrar for the day?

Bristol City Council. Do call 0117 922 2800 for further information pricing and availability.

### How do I book?

Please see further information on the previous page.

### Why do I have to take two day hire?

As we are a blank canvas. Everything needs to be put into place from the lighting to the flowers. An average set up time is 12 hours, so we break it into two days. On the Friday the lighting/large décor is put into place & then the furniture is set up. This gives you and family/friends time in the afternoon to set up flowers/table plan/place cards etc.

## After booking

### What happens now?

You get to relax for a minute! As long as the registrar is booked and you have returned your hire agreement, the venue is secure and you can start to arrange the other bits. Do call Relish to confirm your wedding date and make sure you are happy with their menus and quotes. You can book in a tastings at their head office that we have heard is super-filling. Do also meet with PYTCH, who can guide you through décor and bring you back down to the venue for another look around. We are on hand to make sure that you are guided through the process and will send over sample floorplans and timelines to help you plan the day. We then meet up 3 months prior to the wedding date and have a full wedding meet, to talk about the day in detail.

### Do you have fridges or storage?

No, I'm afraid we have no fridges or storage on site. Wedding cakes and cheeses can come on the Friday, if not on the Saturday morning and as the general temperature of the space is cool, items can be stored in containers overnight. If you have hired in additional furniture, this can be delivered on the set-up day morning and needs to be removed by 8am the morning after the wedding.

### Where can guests park?

We have a car park on site, one minute from the space that has no parking restrictions after 5pm on a Friday evening. This car park can hold up to 50 cars.

If you have elderly or disabled guests then you are welcome to park in our disabled space in our loading bay with prior arrangement.

### How many toilets do you have?

We have one disabled bathroom and baby change, four men's & four ladies lavatories.

### What furniture do you have?

The hire of the space includes 12 x trestle tables and 12 x round tables, white table linen & a choice of black or white folding chairs.

### Is confetti allowed?

Yes no problem, but as we are next to the river biodegradable only please.

### How do I play music?

We have an built-in sound system that plays music through speakers throughout the space. A male XLR cable is provided free of charge, that has a mini jack on the end that can be plugged in to iPhones, iPads, Lap tops and iPods. You are welcome to use this system for background music, music through the wedding service or if your DJ has the right connector & mixer then they are welcome to also use it for your evening music. If you would like a Microphone for speeches, do speak to PYTCH who can provide one at an additional cost.



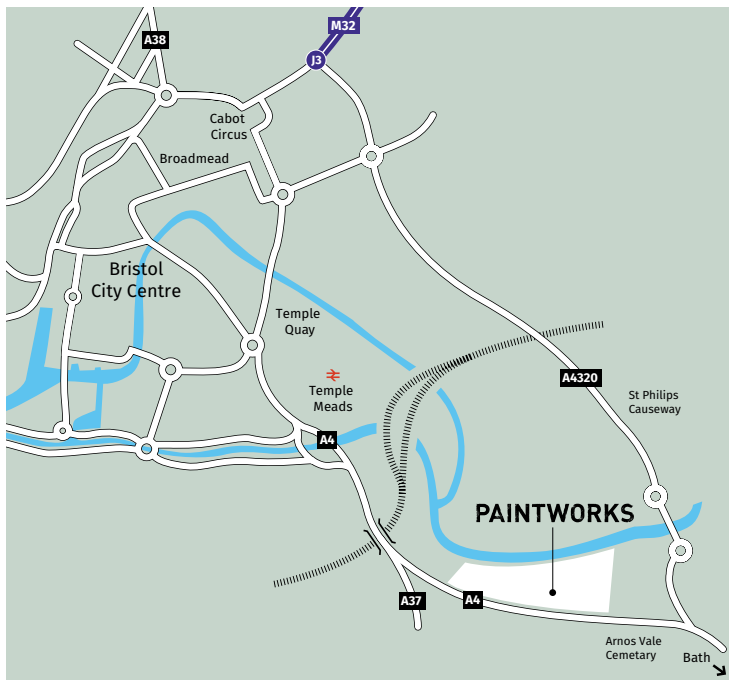


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