

Say “I Do”

- at The Old Courts

2025







Your Day,

The Old Courts is a beautifully restored historic building and a unique arts and culture venue located in Wigan. Known for its character-filled spaces, it offers an elegant Victorian Courtroom, the dashing charm of the Judge's Chamber, a luxury private bar, and versatile reception areas. Its central location makes it easily accessible, just a short walk from Wigan's train and bus stations.

Step inside and experience the beautiful venue for yourself, the perfect backdrop to your big day. Get in touch and arrange a private viewing today.

Summer 2025 availability & now taking bookings for 2026.

Contact Us
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Your wedding day is one of the most cherished moments of your life, and we are honored to play a part in bringing your vision to life. With a deep commitment to excellence and meticulous attention to detail, we ensure every aspect of your celebration is flawlessly tailored to your dreams.

From the moment you choose us as your venue, our dedicated Wedding Coordinator will be by your side, guiding you through each step of the journey. They will work closely with you, holding two comprehensive planning meetings—one approximately two months prior and another just one month before your big day—to refine every detail. Together, you'll create a bespoke wedding timetable that outlines all key information, ready to share seamlessly with your suppliers.

On the day itself, our Wedding Coordinator will be your trusted companion, present from start to finish to ensure everything runs smoothly. Whether it's addressing unexpected hiccups or providing reassurance, they'll be there, allowing you to focus entirely on savoring the joy of the moment.

We take care of all the communication and coordination with your suppliers, from cake designers and caterers to venue stylists, entertainers, and more. Every supplier will be fully briefed on logistics, setup requirements, and timelines. Additionally, we handle all necessary checks to ensure their insurance and documentation are in order, giving you complete peace of mind. On the day, we'll manage all third-party interactions, ensuring the seamless execution of your plans without disrupting your enjoyment.

To accommodate suppliers needing site visits before the event, we'll arrange and host these meetings, ensuring every detail is aligned well in advance. Our team dedicates countless hours to behind-the-scenes preparation, from meticulously setting up the venue and coordinating room transitions to polishing glassware, preparing pristine table linens, and ensuring every element is picture-perfect.

After the festivities, we'll carefully pack your personal belongings and décor items, ready for you to collect at your convenience. Our team will also handle the thorough cleaning and resetting of the venue, ensuring you leave with beautiful memories, not tasks.

Your package includes more than just venue hire. You'll have access to our professional-grade PA system, microphone, projector, and wedding license, making it possible to legally exchange your vows on-site. We also provide night-time security, offering peace of mind and ensuring privacy for you and your guests in our central location. From 9 am on your wedding day, the venue will be fully accessible for you or your decorators, allowing plenty of time to bring your vision to life.

Every detail matters to us because we know it matters to you. Let us take care of the logistics, so you can fully immerse yourself in the magic of your wedding day. With us, you're not just booking a venue—you're partnering with a team that's wholeheartedly committed to making your dream day truly extraordinary.



Full Day Wedding Hire

From £2100

Includes:

- Hire of the Victorian Courtroom, Judges Chamber & Private Bar
- 2 planning meetings with our Wedding co-ordinator
- Access to the venue from 9am for set up
- Open for guests 2:00pm - 12:00am
- Wedding Ceremony from 2:30pm
- Welcome drink for 70 guests
- Table Linen
- PA System, Projector and Microphone

April - October
Saturday

£3800

April - October
Friday / Sunday

£3300

April - October
Monday - Thursday

£2800

November - March
Saturday

November - March
Friday / Sunday



Twilight Wedding Hire

From £1600

Includes:

- Hire of the Victorian Courtroom, Judges Chamber & Private Bar
- 2 planning meetings with our Wedding co-ordinator
- Access to the venue from 9am for set up
- Open for guests 4:00pm - 12:00am
- Wedding Ceremony from 4:30pm
- Welcome drink for 70 guests
- Table Linen
- PA system, Projector and Microphone

April - October
Saturday

£3300

April - October
Friday / Sunday

£2800

April - October
Monday - Thursday

£2300

November - March
Saturday

£2200

November - March
Friday / Sunday

£1900

November - March
Monday - Thursday

£1600



Evening Wedding Hire

From £1200

Includes:

- Hire of the Victorian Courtroom, Judges Chamber & Private Bar
- 2 planning meetings with our Wedding co-ordinator
- Access to the venue from 9am for set up
- Open for guests 5:30pm - 12:00am
- Welcome drink for 70 guests
- Table Linen
- PA system, Projector and Microphone

April - October
Saturday

£2800

April - October
Friday / Sunday

£2300

April - October
Monday - Thursday

£1800

November - March
Saturday

£1800

November - March
Friday / Sunday

£1500

November - March
Monday - Thursday

£1200

Ceremony Only

From £660

Includes:

- Hire for 2 hours (completed by 4pm)
- Includes chair covers up to 70 chairs
- Lanterns for the aisle
- Petals
- Register tables with skirts & lanterns



Something Extra

Includes:

- Prosecco & Peroni drinks reception £5.95pp
- Prosecco toast £5.95pp
- House wine by the bottle £23
- Served tea & coffee with a biscuit £3pp
- Large bottles of water £4.50pp
- Corkage at £12 per bottle
- Wedding favours gift wrapped biscuits £3pp (with individual stamp +£10)



Frequently Asked Questions

Can we get married at The Old Courts?

Yes, you can get married if you have booked the Twilight Package or the Full Day Package. Please bear in mind, if you decide to get married here the ceremony room is the same room as the reception room so your guests will need to wait in the Judges Chamber whilst the room is turned around. We can allow a maximum number of 70 guests at a ceremony for this reason. Ceremonies need to be added within the hire times of the package you've booked.

What is the venue capacity?

For daytime guests the most we can cater for is 70. For evening receptions, we recommend a maximum of 120 due to the size of the bar however we will only have 70 chairs and 7 tables in the main room at night. Although there is additional seating in the Judges Chamber and we find a lot of our guests enjoy dancing and mingling.

Can you recommend a venue dresser?

Yes of course, we can recommend venue dressers who not only make the venue look fabulous but they are also really familiar with the layout of our venue (including the stairs). They treat our customers, team and Court Room with love and attention. They stay for room turn arounds and pack up at the end of the night too - they take care of all the running around so that you don't have to. They use all their skills and expertise to make your vision a reality or alternatively they can wow you with their own stunning ideas. We think they're great. If you'd like to discuss using another venue dresser or dressing the venue yourself, please speak to one of the team about this.

What time do you close?

Last orders are at 11.30pm, the bar shuts at 11.45pm and the venue closes at midnight.

Do you have disabled access?

We have a Supatrak suitable for standard sized wheelchairs – maximum width 700mm. This climbs the stairs to make every floor of the building accessible. This can only be used by one wheelchair at a time and is operated by a member of staff. For more information on the Supatrak please discuss with a member of the team who'll also be happy to show how it works.

Have a question for us?

Feel free to contact us with any questions. **01942 834747** or joanned@theoldcourts.com

Testimonials

“Where do we start!? We recently got married at The Old Courts and can’t recommend this venue enough... not just for the beauty of the building and the facilities it offers for a wedding but also for the amazing team that work tirelessly to ensure your day is perfect! I’d like personally take time to mention Michelle who moved heaven and earth to ensure everything was in place and running smoothly to make sure the day was perfect! Michelle has definitely become a friend for life.”

- Google Review

“We had our wedding at The Old Courts last weekend and honestly can’t thank the team enough for everything they did. The place looked amazing and the entire team were so friendly and professional nothing was too much trouble and many of our guests commented on how great they were. Thanks to everyone who played a part in making our special day so perfect.”

- Google Review

“Had our wedding at The Old Courts and from the venue to the staff I can not rate it highly enough there professional and so helpful. The venue is stunning, the rooms were perfect for our ceremony had so many positive comments from our guests. The staff are first class, we were attended to so well, weddings are stressful and they made it run so smooth the day flew by. Just couldn’t do enough for us from the bar staff to the DJ and the lovely manageress made it a happy day to cherish for a lifetime.”

- Mr & Mrs Porter via Google Review

“We want to say a HUGE thank you to everyone at The Old Courts for all your work and help with our wedding. We had the best day, better than we ever imagined and the venue was so, so brilliant. We got so many positive comments about the venue and the DJ from our guests. We feel very lucky that we had you there on the day as our coordinator, you were amazing, a massive support and you made our day go smoothly.”

- Laura Atherton

“Myself and my wife Kay had our wedding at The Old Courts in September and it did not disappoint! We highly recommend the venue to anyone looking for a wedding or party venue! The staff made sure our day ran smoothly and nothing was too much trouble. Becky was very helpful all the way through the planning of the day and we couldn’t have asked for anyone more laid back and cheerful through the stress of the wedding planning. The Court Room and its originality is perfect for anyone looking for a venue with character and personal charm.”

- Michaela Moorhouse

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