

# CONGRATULATIONS...

on your forthcoming wedding

## **ABOUT US**

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you on your engagement and thank you for considering the Lochside House Hotel, Lodges and Spa for your wedding celebration.

Tucked away in the Ayrshire countryside Lochside Hotel was originally built in the 19th century as a personal shooting lodge for the Marquis of Bute. Throughout the years it has grown in stature and now offers a majestic and spectacular setting.

The mature landscaped gardens, with the Loch of the Lowes and the Afton hills providing a wonderful backdrop, are perfect for your photographic memories. French doors lead out on to spacious patio areas and a wraparound terrace where breath-taking scenery can be enjoyed late into the evening.

Exchange your vows in front of striking views within the exquisitely designed Glen Caol Suite; boasting floor to ceiling windows, stunning chandeliers and impressive wall mirrored pillars.

Sip Champagne on the banks of the loch celebrating the start of your new life together.



a little piece of SCOTLAND exclusively yours

# ── OUR TEAM ──

From your first visit until your wedding day our dedicated wedding team will provide a professional, first class service to you and your wedding guests, ensuring you have the perfect day with memories to cherish.

Our wedding co-ordinators will take time to discuss in detail your wedding plans, guiding you through the running of the day. Our aim is to work with you to create your dream wedding, extending our experience and presenting suggestions along the way.

#### **AARON SUITE**

Enjoy exclusive use of our Aaron suite for your bridal brunch and your pre-wedding bridal preparations for hair, make-up or those final gown adjustments.





After a while, you just want to be WITH THE ONE that makes you laugh

# YOUR WEDDING INCLUDES

Red Carpet on Arrival

Exclusive use of your chosen Function Suite

Personal Wedding Co-ordinator and Master of Ceremonies

2 Pedestal Plinths with Artificial Hydrangea Floral Arrangement (Ceremony)

Personalised Seating Plan

Wedding Menus

Use of Cake Stand and Knife

White Table Cloths and Napkins

Complimentary Executive Double Room for Newlyweds on Wedding Night

# **←** MARRIED AT LOCHSIDE **→**

Lochside House Hotel can offer you our stunning Glen Caol Suite for your wedding ceremony (for an additional charge) overlooking the Loch of the Lowes.

As you make your way down the aisle to the perfect soundtrack, your carefully selected suppliers will work in partnership with your wedding co-ordinator to ensure your ceremony is everything you ever dreamed of.

During the planning process we are able to assist with your Wedding Ceremony, Event Décor, Flowers, Minister, Photographs, Piper, Organist and Entertainment.

Please note that legal fees are the sole responsibility of the Bride and Groom.

























# **←** WEDDING MENUS **←**

As important as your wedding ceremony, the wedding breakfast is a focal point of your day.

Our head chef has prepared a selection of wedding menus to choose from and with your wedding co-ordinator you can create a bespoke menu for your guests to enjoy.

Toast your future happiness together with cake cutting celebrations and traditional wedding speeches, in a choice of either our **Lochview** or **Glen Cáol** function suites. Catering for up to **220 guests** both boast panoramic views of the surrounding Ayrshire countryside.

# ← ACCOMMODATION →

Invite your guests to continue their Lochside experience with an overnight stay, taking time to relax and reflect on the memories of your celebration.

This majestic hotel offers a wide range of luxurious accommodation from rooms with a loch view to our stunning garden suites or lodges.

Elegance and style awaits you in either our Creoch or Lowes suite, each proudly placed for you to take advantage of our picturesque scenery.

Upgrade to our Cygnet honeymoon suite, overlooking the Loch of Lowes and Afton hills, the perfect ending to the most magical day of your life.







# **LODGES**

Boasting stunning views, your very own private terrace with outdoor hot tub, modern appliances and contemporary designer furnishings. With a choice of 4 or 5 bedrooms they truly are the perfect excuse to indulge with your family and friends.

#### YOUR HEN PARTY

Throw hints to your bridesmaids and enjoy our Here Come the Girls Lodge and Spa package, the ultimate hen party experience. Hen options can include your own cocktail masterclass or making full use of our SPA facilities.

### PRE WEDDING CELEBRATIONS

Start your pre-wedding celebrations the night before your wedding with your bridal party, the ones you can't imagine your wedding day without.







# **←** RESTAURANT DINING **→**

The Afton Restaurant offers a truly first-class dining experience. With wrap around terraces and panoramic views of the Afton Hills.

Complete your wedding experience, meet with family and friends the next morning for your first breakfast as a married couple.

### **NITHSDALE SUITE**

Experience unrivalled exclusivity in our newly transformed private dining suite. Our Nithsdale Suite exudes luxury and allows you to share special moments with future family in a secluded yet atmospheric setting.

You and your guests can enjoy our specially selected Pre-Wedding Dinner Menu over a glass of bubbly as you toast to your exciting next chapter...

# **RELAX... REJUVENATE... RESTORE...**

Cocooned in the heart of Lochside House Hotel the spa provides a perfect blend of tranquillity and luxury. Embark on a truly personal journey combining the natural balance of heat, water and the precious gift of time.

Place yourself in the hands of the experts at The Spa at Lochside. Your wedding Spa Concierge will cater to your every need at this special time and help you to relax, unwind and escape with tailor-made packages for the Bride and Groom.

#### PICTURE PERFECT

A package which offers an oasis and well-earned break from the last-minute pressures of finalising wedding plans. This full complement of Spa experiences will ensure a calm mind, relaxed body and luminous skin for your wedding day.

#### **BRIDAL PARTY COUNTDOWN**

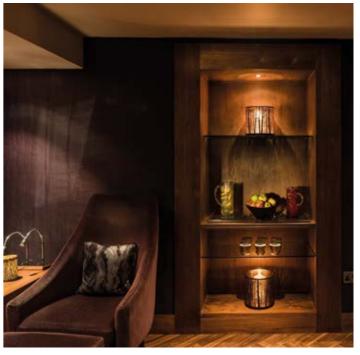
Indulge in this luxurious collection of highly effective treatments to rejuvenate your complexion, soften and prepare your skin with the perfect finishing touches to ensure you look and feel incredible on the most special of days.

#### **GROOMING THE GROOM**

Retreat to the tranquillity of the Spa at Lochside to relax, rejuvenate and prepare for your wedding day. The Men's facial will deep cleanse, purify and renew the skin and final grooming touches of hands and feet will leave you polished, invigorated and ready for the big day.











# — HOTEL AMENITIES AND — OTHER FACILITIES

Lochside Hotel, Lodges and Spa has ample car parking facilities including coach parking and turning. Full disabled access is available throughout the Hotel with garden suites on ground floor level, available on request.

We are also able to offer our sister Hotels, The Royal Hotel and The Carlton Hotel for accommodation to your wedding guests as an alternative option. The Royal Hotel based in nearby Cumnock offers 9 tastefully decorated en-suite bedrooms, while the Carlton Hotel, close to Prestwick International Airport offers 39 contemporary and modern en-suite bedrooms both including family accommodation.

These can provide an ideal base for your wedding party who may be extending their stay to visit the sights of Ayrshire. At all hotels in the RAD group, your wedding guests will receive discounted wedding rates.

Lochside Hotel, Lodges and Spa can provide guests tickets at a reduced rate to "9 hole" golf at New Cumnock Golf Course which is situated adjacent to the hotel on the banks of the Loch of Lowes.



# **WEDDING INFORMATION**

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# **WEDDING CEREMONY**

Lochside House Hotel, Lodges and Spa can offer you an alternative wedding service or ceremony within the hotel, have your wedding flow from your wedding ceremony to your evening reception.

Both civil and religious ceremonies are conducted at the hotel. From your initial meeting through to the date of your wedding, our wedding co-ordinator will take time to discuss your wedding plans, guiding you through the running of the day and ensuring that your dreams of that day are made a reality.

All the staff at Lochside strive to provide the very best service and hospitality. This is achieved in a friendly and welcoming manner, extended to all the guests attending.

# **MENU OPTIONS**

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### MENU 1

Chilled Platter of Melon

with Fresh Berries, Watermelon Sorbet, Passion Fruit Caramel

Cream of Potato and Leek Soup

Herb Crusted Roast Loin of Pork

Served with Sage Stuffing, Apple and Cider Jus

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Poached Fillet of Salmon

Edged with Lemon and Ginger Cream

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Oven Baked Apple and Pear Tart

Cinnamon Ice Cream, Créme Anglaise, Toasted Almonds

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Tea, Coffee and Petit Fours

### MENU 2

Atlantic Prawns

with Pineapple, Little Gem Salad, Marie Rose

Cream of Carrot and Roasted Vegetable Soup

Braised Chicken Supreme

Brandy and Wild Mushroom Sauce

or

Baked Fillet of Cod

Sweet Potato Crisps, Wholegrain Mustard and Applewood Smoked Cheese

Warm Chocolate Fudge Brownie

Milk Chocolate Sauce, Vanilla Ice Cream

Tea, Coffee and Petit Fours

### MENU 3

Chicken Liver Pate

with Smoked Pancetta, Toasted Garlic Ciabatta Bread, Red Onion Marmalade

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Traditional Lentil and Ham Soup

Braised Ribeye Steak

Cracked Black Pepper Cream

or

Succulent Breast of Chicken

Sunblushed Tomatoes, Mozzarella, Basil and Pancetta Cream

Vacherins of Meringue

Filled with Condensed Toffee, Chantilly Cream, Chocolate Curls

Tea, Coffee and Petit Fours

### MENU 4

Assiette of Melon,

Cream Cheese, Parma Ham, Crisp Salad and Basil Oil

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Cream of Asparagus and Ginger Soup

with Cremé Fraiché

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Breast of Chicken

Filled with Haggis, Whisky Cream

or

Roast Rib of Beef

Yorkshire Pudding, Chasseur Sauce

Strawberry and Lime Cheesecake

Chantilly Cream, Berry Caramel

Tea, Coffee and Petit Fours

### MENU 5

Gateau of Haggis, Neeps and Tatties

Whisky Cream

Roasted Vine Tomato and Red Pepper Soup

Roast Sirloin of Beef

Topped with Black Pudding, Mushroom and Tarragon Jus

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Fillets of Sole with Asparagus

Wrapped with Parma Ham in a Champagne Cream

Glazed Lemon Tart

Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream

Tea, Coffee and Petit Fours

### MENU 6

Chilled Seafood Platter

Oak Roast Smoked Salmon, Prawn Marie Rose Peppered Mackerel Mousse, Mini Oatcakes

> Sweet Potato and Butternut Squash Soup

> > Garlic Croutons

Medallions of Scottish Beef Fillet

with Haggis Potato Cake, Shallot and Whisky Scented Jus

or

Breast of Chicken filled with Goats Cheese

Wrapped in Parma Ham, Sunblushed Tomato Cream

Lochside Grande Dessert

White Chocolate and Strawberry Meringue, Lemon Drizzle Cheesecake, Milk Chocolate and Orange Tart

Tea, Coffee and Petit Fours



# 1/3 OFF YOUR WINTER WEDDING

Opt for a beautiful winter wedding and receive a 3rd off your chosen wedding menu and evening buffet

\*Available November, January, February and March -Minimum numbers Monday to Thursday 60 adult day guests / Friday to Sunday 80 adult day guests. Peak dates excluded.

# 25% OFF YOUR MID WEEK WEDDING

Opt for a mid-week wedding and receive 25% off your chosen wedding menu and evening buffet

\*Minimum numbers apply - Monday to Wednesday 60 adult day guests. Peak dates excluded.

# **VEGETARIAN MENU**

We aim to cater for the dietary requirements of all your wedding guests. The following vegetarian main course dishes are available, your wedding co-ordinator will be happy to discuss these during your meetings. Alternative vegetarian starter and soup course options are offered on request.

Crisp Vegetable Stir-Fry

Noodles, Hoi-Sin Sauce

Oven Roasted Vegetable Kebabs

Steamed Rice, Mild Curry Cream

Mushroom and Pepper Stroganoff

**Boiled Rice** 

Broccoli and Red Onion Tagliatelle

Cream Sauce Glazed with Brie

Vegetable Wellington Peppercorn Cream

Filo Tart of Cherry Tomato, Goats Cheese and Red Onion,

Tomato and Garlic Cream

If you or any of your guests have any dietary requirements, including the allergens listed below, please discuss these with your co-ordinator.

Celery | Gluten | Crustaceans | Eggs | Fish | Lupin | Milk | Molluscs | Mustard | Nuts | Peanuts | Sesame Seeds | Soya | Sulphur Dioxide

## **DRINKS PACKAGES**

The following drinks packages have been created as a guideline, alternatively create your own and we can cost accordingly.

### **PACKAGE A**

Glass of Sparkling Wine for Cake Cutting Toast

Glass of White, Red or Rosé House Wine with Meal

Drink of Choice for Speech Toast

### **PACKAGE B**

Glass of Sparkling Wine for Cake Cutting Toast

Glass of White, Red or Rosé House Wine

Plus Top up with Meal

Drink of Choice for Speech Toast

## **PACKAGE C**

Glass of Sparkling Wine or Bottle of Beer after Ceremony
Glass of Sparkling Wine for Cake Cutting Toast
Glass of White, Red or Rosé House Wine
Plus Top up with Meal
Drink of Choice for Speech Toast

### PACKAGE D

Glass of House Champagne or Bottle of Beer after Ceremony
Glass of Sparkling Wine for Cake Cutting Toast
Glass of White, Red or Rosé House Wine
Plus Top up with Meal
Drink of Choice for Speech Toast

### **PACKAGE E**

Glass of House Pink Champagne or Bottle of Beer after Ceremony

Glass of House Champagne for Cake Cutting Toast

Glass of White, Red or Rosé House Wine

Plus Top up with Meal

Drink of Choice for Speech Toast



# **CANAPÉS**

Add a selection of pre-dinner canapés during your Afternoon Drinks Reception

# Canapé Selector

Option 1 – choose 4 from canapé selector

Option 2 – choose 6 from canapé selector

Haggis Bites with Pepper Cream | Baked Filo Parcels with Goats Cheese | Cottage Pies in a Savoury Tartlet
Chicken Satay Sticks | King Prawns Crumbed with a Chilli Dip | Chicken Korma filled Poppadoms

Chocolate Dipped Strawberries | Mini Banoffee Tarts

Mini Strawberry Tarts | Baby Cream Meringue



# **EVENING BUFFET SELECTOR**

### Evening Reception Buffet Packages

BRONZE - 3 Items from Selector Menu with Tea and Coffee

SILVER - 4 Items from Selector Menu with Tea and Coffee

GOLD - 5 Items from Selector Menu with Tea and Coffee

PLATINUM - 6 Items from Selector Menu with Tea and Coffee

### Buffet Selector Menu

Selection of Freshly Filled Finger Rolls

Oven Baked Sausage Rolls

Onion Bhaji with a Tomato and Mint Dip (v)

Falafels with a Humous Dip

Barbecued Pulled Pork Crustade

Lightly Crumbed Goujons of Haddock with a Tartaré Sauce
Mini Cheeseburgers with Onion Relish
Selection of Mini Steak and Macaroni Pies
Chicken Pakora with Spicy Salsa Dip
Cones of Chips

## Alternative Evening Buffet

Selection of Morning Rolls with Ayrshire Bacon and Square Sliced Sausage Vegetarian Option of Morning Roll with Potato Scone and Cheese, accompanied with Tea and Coffee.

### Bridal Brunch

Indulge in our Bridal Brunch which includes a Selection of Sandwiches, Chocolate Dipped Strawberries and a Glass of Chilled Prosecco, a perfect way to start off the celebrations with your Bridal Party.

## Pre-Wedding Dinner –

Begin your wedding celebrations early by hosting a Pre-Wedding Dinner in one of our luxurious Private Dining Suites. Choose from our Chef's carefully selected menu or tailor-make your own.



### **PRICE LIST**

	2022	2023		2022	2023
Menu l	£64.75	£69.50	Ceremony Charge	£800.00	£850.00
Menu 2	£69.25	£74.25			
Menu 3	£73.75	£79.00	Outside Ceremony Charge	£900.00	£950.00
Menu 4	£78.75	£84.25			
Menu 5	£81.50	£87.25	Aaron Suite Wedding Morning Dressing Room Hire	£250.00	£250.00
Menu 6	£88.25	£94.25	Price includes Bridal Brunch for 6 people		
50% discount for children under 12 years with	n children under 2 ye	ears eating free of cha	Honeymoon Suite Upgrade	£250.00	£250.00
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Drinks Package A	£19.25	£21.00	•		
Drinks Package B	£24.50	£27.00			
Drinks Package C	£29.25	£32.50	BEDROOMS		
Drinks Package D	£32.75	£35.00	(based on 2 people sharing)		
Drinks Package E	£39.75	£42.00		2022	2023
Childrens Soft Drinks	£2.50	£2.50	Classic	£140.00	£145.00
(per drink based on selected package)			Executive	£150.00	£155.00
•			Suites	£170.00	£175.00
Canapés Package 1	£7.00	£7.50	Additional adult per room	£40.00	£40.00
Canapés Package 2	£9.00	£9.50	•		
Evening Buffet Bronze	£14.00	£14.50	•		
Evening Buffet Silver	£15.50	£16.00	CHILDREN/INFANTS		
Evening Buffet Gold	£17.00	£17.50			
Evening Buffet Platinum	£18.50	£19.00	Children 6-15 years	£20.00	£20.00
Alternative Evening Buffet	£14.00	£14.50	Children 0-5 years	F.O.C	F.O.C
Pre-Wedding Dinner from	£21.95	£21.95	Cot Hire	£10.00	£10.00
Bridal Brunch	£12.95	£12.95			

### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

### Confirmation and Deposits

Once you have chosen your wedding date you may provisionally hold this booking for 14 days without obligation. In order to secure the date, a deposit of £500.00 is required with a signed copy of our wedding contract. This is followed by a payment of £1000.00 one year prior to the wedding and £1000.00 three months prior to your celebration.

### Accounts Payable

Final guest numbers must be confirmed no later than 14 days prior to the wedding. A final account based on final guest numbers will be issued and due payable 14 days prior to your wedding date. There will be no refunds or re-allocation of monies paid if there is a reduction in guest numbers within the 14 days before the wedding. Any increase in final guest numbers must be confirmed and paid prior to the wedding date.

All payments made to the Hotel are non-refundable and non-transferable. Cheques should be made payable to Lochside House Hotel. VAT at the current rate is included in the price.

#### Minimum Numbers

Between the months of April to September (Inclusive), any wedding receptions held between Thursday to Sunday will be subject to minimum numbers: 60 adult day guests for a Thursday, 100 adult day guests for a Friday and Saturday, 80 adult day guests for a Sunday. October weddings minimum numbers are: 60 adult day guests for a Thursday and a Sunday, 80 adult day guests for a Friday and 100 adult day guests for a Saturday. Mid week weddings held Monday to Wednesday are subject to minimum numbers of 40 adult day guests, with 60 adult day guests required for promotional packages.

Promotional packages must meet minimum adult day guests to qualify. Promotional packages are available to NEW BOOKINGS ONLY. Please note that deviation from minimum numbers are at the discretion of management.

These numbers are chargeable for the wedding meal and drinks packages for all wedding dates.

#### Accommodation

Discounted rates are available for guests attending wedding celebrations within the Hotel. Rooms will be reserved via the wedding couple. A room allocation form will be provided to the wedding couple to complete with guest names and contact details. This form must be returned to the Hotel no later than 12 weeks before the wedding. At this time any unallocated rooms will be released to any other guests who wish to contact the Hotel direct. The bride and groom remain liable for all rooms reserved under their guest allocation form and will be charged accordingly for any non-arrivals. The rooms on the allocation form are also subject to a 14 day cancellation policy.

#### General Responsibilities

Whilst every effort is made to safeguard the clients property RAD Limited do not accept any liability for loss or damage, nor can the hotel be responsible for wedding gifts or decorations that have been delivered to, or handed over to a member of staff or representative.

Any damage by the client or guests to the hotel grounds or property as a result of vandalism or negligence will be the responsibility of the client of guests.

Strictly no wines, spirits, beverages or food may be brought into the hotel, allocated rooms or grounds by the client or guests for consumption on the premises under any circumstances.

#### JAM Events

Lochside House Hotel does not allow any external companies to provided fairy light canopies or LED Dancefloors to the Hotel. This is due to assembly and transit damage to internal areas within the venue. Lochside has both black or white LED dance floors available to book direct with your wedding co-ordinator. Both products can be added to the wedding and payable with your final balance.

The hotel reserves the right to undergo any refurbishment or remodelling that is required to maintain its current 'star rating'.

### **LUXURY LODGE PRICE LIST**

	2022	2023
FRIDAY & SATURDAY		
3 Bed Lodges based on 6 people sharing	£570.00	£600.00
4 Bed Lodges based on 8 people sharing	£760.00	£800.00
Birchwood Lodge min 2 night stay based on 10 sharing	£1000.00	£1050.00
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THURSDAY & SUNDAY		
3 Bed Lodges based on 6 people sharing	£480.00	£510.00
4 Bed Lodges based on 8 people sharing	£640.00	£680.00
Birchwood Lodge min 2 night stay based on 10 sharing	£850.00	£900.00
MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY		•
3 Bed Lodges based on 6 people sharing	£420.00	£450.00
4 Bed Lodges based on 8 people sharing	£560.00	£600.00
Birchwood Lodge min 2 night stay based on 10 sharing	£750.00	£800.00
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Additional adult in Lodges from	£60.00	£65.00
Additional adult in Birchwood Lodge from	£65.00	£70.00

<sup>\*</sup>Please note that rates for our Luxury Lodges increase on peak Festive Dates each year. Please speak to a member of our Wedding Team for more information.

### **LODGE TERMS & CONDITIONS**

On confirmation you will be allocated up to a maximum of 2 lodges, depending on availability, with no deposit due until one year prior to your wedding date when a 25% deposit payment will be charged to confirm the booking. Should you wish to add any additional lodges to your booking we will require 25% deposit to be paid at this time for all lodges for each night of stay. Final payment for all lodge bookings will be due 12 weeks before arrival unless paid on wedding account.

Deposits for lodges are non-refundable or transferable in line with our terms and conditions. The lead guest will be responsible for all bedrooms within the lodge. At check in we will require a £250.00 housekeeping desposit which must be provided via a credit or debit card transaction, this will be returned to you after check out ensuring the lodge facilities are to the standards upon check in, please note that this could take up to 5 days for the transaction to show back in your account.

