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La Beaumetane
CHATEAU EN PROVENCE

A magical venue
for the day of
your dreams

Wedding

2024/2026



A unique wedding venue



A unique architectural style that charms and captures the imagination



Shaded grounds surrounded by vines and olive trees



An authentic setting steeped in history and restored by our family



For events of up to 120 people



Spacious grounds with plenty of shade for your ceremonies, cocktails, dinners and activities



Accommodation for up to 45 people



Dedicated rooms for the happy couple to prepare



Free private parking for up to 70 cars with charging stations for electric vehicles



Air-conditioned receptions rooms



We have 10 years' experience in the events industry to advise and guide you to ensure your event is unique and memorable



Our help and advice in choosing all your service providers

Your wedding in Provence

An enchanting setting for an unforgettable day

An enchanting setting that combines the pastoral charm of the Provencal countryside with the elegance and refinement of a château with an architecture unique in Provence.

Château la Beaumetane is much more than a reception venue. It's a magnificent setting with a warm, intimate atmosphere and ambience. For your wedding in Provence, it is a magical place, a romantic and friendly haven of peace. These are the words of our happy couples as they look back on their special day! Elegance, nature and simplicity combine to create a truly authentic setting.

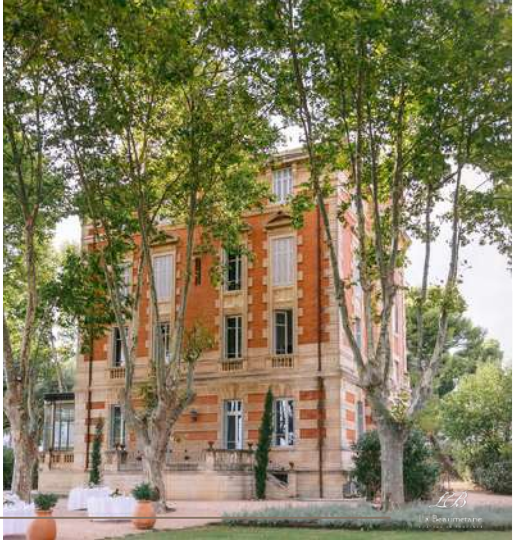


THE GROUNDS

Surrounded by vines in the shade of the Plane trees

Pastoral

First of all, Château la Beaumetane is a jewel, in the landscape of Provence. Surrounded by vineyards and olive groves, the Château is located in the heart of the Provence countryside - a haven of rural tranquility and bucolic calm. From its grounds, the view is one of vineyards and fields. What's more, the park is shaded by our superb plane trees, providing coolness on the hottest of days.



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Château la Beaumetane
PROVENCE - FRANCE



In the shade of the Château's magnificent plane trees

The superb plane trees, as old and tall as the château itself, provide welcome shade, ensuring the immaculate grounds are a pleasant place to be even during the hottest days of the provençal summer.

Completely enclosed, the grounds provide the perfect space for your ceremony, your aperitif or perhaps for you to dine outside under the stars. Your youngest guests are able to play freely in complete security, whilst the newlyweds will find a variety of places for the most sublime photos.



THE RECEPTION SPACE

Elegance, intimacy and charm

Unforgettable

The magnificent stained-glass conservatory transports you to a golden age as soon as you see it from the gates of the Château, and as you enter, it is clear this is a place steeped in character and history. And so the magic begins...

The beautiful reception rooms are infused with the elegance and refinement that make for an unforgettable day. The high ceilings, the original parquet floors and the beautiful chandeliers all add to the feeling that this is a place with a soul, and this adds to the intimate atmosphere. A magical place to spend the most magical of days.



An exceptional venue for the perfect day – the reception space

The fully air-conditioned reception space can accommodate up to 120 people seated at round tables with a dance floor. The ground floor is a flexible space that can be arranged according to your wishes.

In particular, you can use the space to create a single room of 100 people seated at round tables. You can equally create a warm atmosphere for a more intimate wedding (the smallest we have hosted was for 17 guests !).





An exceptional venue for you to relax and enjoy

At Château la Beaumetane, you feel relaxed and at home
as soon as you arrive.

La Beaumetane is, in effect, a « home away from home »
and many of our couples have told us how integral this
was to ensuring they enjoyed their special day to the full.



AS NIGHT FALLS

The magic begins

Fairytale

As night falls, you will enjoy shimmering lights and a sky full of stars.

The Château and its grounds provide a magical experience for you and your guests.





A HAVEN OF PEACE

The wedding suite

Magic

A majestic setting, an escape from the outside world, a chance to spoil yourselves...

After your special day, it is the perfect setting for you to relax and reminisce together about your first day as a newly married couple.



The final preparations

You can also welcome those closest to you to share with you in your final preparations, creating more wonderful memories that can be immortalized in magnificent photos.

A room is also available on the first floor where the younger children can be looked after during the evening festivities, leaving their parents to dance the night away with you!



FOR ADDED COMFORT

Accommodation at the Château

Convenient

In addition to the bridal bedroom, we also offer a further 43 beds for added comfort, safety and conviviality.

These come in the form of 20 rooms providing 4* accommodation in the former stables, newly-restored by Nathalie and Mike.





A place steeped in history

Château la Beaumetane, as it stands, has existed since the end of the 19th century. Some parts, however, are much older. It was Edmond Théry, an entrepreneur and man of many talents who gave it its present form nearly 150 years ago. Why multi-talented? Just a few examples: he held the monopoly of the French press under the republic, one of his great admirers was George Clémenceau, and at the beginning of the 20th century the only bubbles drunk in New York were his, following the devastation of the Champagne market by phylloxera insect....



Later, the famous French writer Marcel Pagnol stayed at the château and wrote part of his novel "Topaze" there.

Countless things have happened at La Beaumetane and just before Nathalie was born, her grandparents became the owners of this magnificent house.

We're here to support you

My name is Nathalie. My roots are here in Provence. Deep roots, because we're a family of winegrowers in the Coteaux d'Aix en Provence who are still active. I work at Domaine des Oullières, our family estate, half the time. This is Mike, the father of my children. He's the one who knows all the secrets of La Beaumetane and who looks after the château and its grounds. His British phlegm is a perfect counterbalance to the passionate Provençal spirit that characterises me.

It is now over ten years ago that we came back from England to take care of this magical place and open its doors so that more people could have the chance to experience the gentle life at La Beaumetane. Since then, we've hosted hundreds of events, mostly weddings.

What we love most is seeing the magic of La Beaumetane at work: the stars in the eyes of our couples when they discover the venue, and those same stars shining even brighter when they leave after celebrating their wedding.

The two of u will be your only contacts for your wedding. It's not just us and our beautiful house! We'll be there to support you, and guide you through the preparations for your wedding to ensure that your special day is everything you ever dreamed of.



YOUR WEDDING

The next steps

Unique

Now that you have visited the château through photos, we invite you to read the following pages which are a summary of all the questions our brides and grooms usually ask us. It will help you to understand how you can celebrate your wedding at the Château and how we operate.

The next step is to come and pay us a visit, to discover the Château .



In an ideal world, this visit would be face-to-face in order that you can fully appreciate the atmosphere and beauty of La Beaumetane, as well as appreciating the different spaces available to you for your wedding. Obviously, if you are planning a destination wedding, this may not be possible and we are happy to arrange a visit via video in the first instance.

We are happy to answer any questions you may have. When you've made up your mind, you can book the Château. To do this, we will draw up the contract together and we will ask you for a deposit. You will understand that no date can be blocked without reservation

The exclusive use of the château

When you book the Château for your wedding, what does that include?

- The interior reception area of the château and its grounds are reserved for your wedding from 10am onwards. This means that you have exclusive use of the chateau and its grounds from the moment you start preparing.
- Furniture for your meals and apéritifs is provided.
- Free parking with video-surveillance is available for all your guests.
- There are separate rooms for you to get ready together at the château.
- A room is available to you where the younger children can be looked after during the evening festivities.
- Exterior lighting of the château, grounds and car park, as well as the "guinguette" fairy-lights under the plane trees are included in the rental price.
- Our support throughout the preparations.
- We will be there to greet you and be available in the background throughout your time at the chateau.
- A magnificent setting for your wedding photos, providing memories for life.
- A dedicated area where the caterer can work in comfort to prepare your meals.



- The night in the Château's wedding suite is free to you (just as a small example of the attention we give to our brides and grooms).
- We keep our private areas of the chateau and grounds to ourselves (we hope you don't mind!).
- You'll have plenty of time to enjoy yourselves, as the end time is 4am.
- To ensure the high quality of the services provided, the choice of DJ and caterer must be made from our lists, which are long and include a variety of styles and suit a wide range of budgets.
- No corkage fee. Wines from Domaine des Oullières, my family vineyard, will be suggested but not imposed.
- Up to 43 beds available in the former stables of the château which we have recently renovated (extra charge).



Tarifs	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
June, July, August, September, December	7200	8000	8200	8000
April, May, October	6200	7000	7200	7000
January, February March, November	5000	5000	5000	5000

If you wish to continue the festivities with a brunch the next day (until 5pm), you'll benefit from an exceptional price for the second day of only €1750 extra.

What if you were to get married at the start of the week*?

Why not get married, and have a brunch during the week (Monday/Tuesday, Tuesday/Wednesday or Wednesday/Thursday)? If you book a minimum of 8 bedrooms with us, take advantage of the exceptional offer of your wedding day for €5000 in high season and brunch for €1500€. That's €6500 for rental of the château for two days! *This offer is not valid on the day before a public holiday.



**Prices for the
bedrooms**

185€

per room.

3500€

*for reservation of all 20
rooms*

- Three bedrooms have an extra bed at an additional price of €35 each.
- Local tourist tax to be added.

Accommodation for your guests

- 8-bedroom package: €1450 plus tourist tax
- Complete package of 20 rooms: €3,500 plus tourist tax
- Booking: €500 deposit to be paid on booking. The balance must be paid 2 weeks before. A security deposit will be required.
- Payment in 2 instalments must be made directly by the wedding couple (to avoid confusion and errors, guests cannot pay us directly).
- After this date, no refunds possible in the event of a change.
- Arrival: room keys are available from 3.30 pm to 4 pm as soon as your guests arrive in the château's car park. We will accompany your guests to their accommodation using the room-allocation plan if you have provided one in advance – if not, the rooms will be automatically allocated by us.
- On request, 1 or 2 rooms can be made available earlier – but we will generally be busy preparing the chateau for your wedding.
- Departure: the following day, keys must be left at reception by 11.30 a.m. at the latest.



Further information :

- All rooms have their own toilet and shower facilities
- The rooms are all a minimum of 16m². They are all secure/ lockable.
- We have a bedroom adapted and accessible for disabled guests.
- All rooms are equipped with kettle, hairdryer, iron, ironing board, TV, Wi Fi access, air-conditioning and heating and a safe.
- Bed linen and towels are provided. Soap and shower gel are also available.
- There is a communal area within the accommodation, which includes a fridge and microwave. 2 Nespresso capsules per guest will be available, as well as teas and herbal teas per guest. This area is for the exclusive use of those guests allocated rooms.

Answers to the most frequently asked questions (1/3)

1. We only have one event per day. So there will only be your wedding at the Château on your wedding day.
2. The furniture for the cocktail party and meal is included in the rental of the Château.
3. Chairs for your ceremony can be hired, set up and taken down by us at €5 per chair. We can show you the choice of chairs during your initial visit.
4. In the event that you prefer different furniture, we can offer you other options at extra cost or suggest other service providers.
5. No need to bring your broom! We'll take care of the cleaning 😊
6. All the lighting, including the "guinguette" fairy-lights, is included in the rental of the château.
7. You have access to the Château from 10am. Before that you need your beauty sleep and we need our wonderwoman/superman sleep to take care of you so that everything is perfect on your arrival.
8. End time/music cut-off time is 4am.
9. Ambient/acoustic music for the cocktail up until 9pm outside.
10. We don't charge corkage fees on wine, champagne or other beverages. But if you go and discover the wines from Nathalie's family estate, she'll be delighted 😊
11. Château la Beaumetane accepts no responsibility for children. As we love them dearly and want your wedding to be a celebration for all, we ask you to arrange a babysitting service for them (we can provide you with names).
12. No artificial confetti, fireworks or synthetic fireworks may be projected in the park or in the château's reception area.
13. Accommodation for up to 45 people (including you) is available at La Beaumetane for your event. A minimum rental of 8 rooms is required.

Answers to the most frequently asked questions

(2/3)

14. We will provide you with a list of all the service providers we recommend. It is complete (caterers, DJs, florists, decorators, ceremony officiants, make-up artists, hairdressers, babysitters, transport, etc....).
15. You can dine indoors or outdoors.
16. We have different locations where you can have your ceremony depending on your preference.
17. We limit weddings to 120 people. Yes of course we could have more people in the grounds, but we also take into account the need for fallback solutions for you in case of bad weather!
18. The DJ and caterer must be selected from our recommended suppliers. For all other service providers, you are free to choose as you wish.
19. We will be there to communicate with you throughout your preparations. We'll take it at your pace. If we think you need support or a little boost at any time, we'll take the liberty of getting in touch with you to see how everything's going.
20. When you reserve the château, we will ask you for documents that we are obliged to have, such as a certificate of insurance covering your rental. We also have our own professional insurance. We will also ask you for photocopies of your identity papers and proof of address. These are normal documents for any rental.
21. A security deposit will be required to rent the château. It will not be cashed and if there is no damage, it will be returned to you in full (which is the case in over 99% of our events).
22. During all the preparations for your wedding we are at your disposal. As you will have realised, it's just Mike and Nathalie... and we're pretty busy! We therefore advise you to contact us by email if you have any questions. We may be at a meeting or an event and unable to answer the phone.
23. After the booking deposit, a second deposit is required 6 months before the wedding and the balance 15 days before the wedding. It is at this point that we settle any additional options you may wish to take, such as the giant wooden games or the chairs for your ceremony.

Answers to the most frequently asked questions

(3/3)

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24. We strongly recommend a meeting a month before the wedding to review the timing and the layout of the tables, including a Plan A, B and C... or more if necessary.
25. Animals/pets are not allowed inside the château or in the rooms. In exceptional cases and subject to conditions to be set out in writing in advance, they may be allowed in the grounds of the château. Otherwise, animals will be refused entry to the château.
26. A tourist tax applies to all room rentals in accordance with the rules laid down by the metropolitan authority.
27. We cannot guarantee access to the Château the day before your wedding. However, if the premises are available and we are also available, we can give you a time slot if required.
28. To avoid any confusion or inconvenience (such as discovering that your champagne was drunk at the event preceding your wedding) we advise you to bring your drinks with you on the morning of your wedding from 10am.
29. Sparklers or any similar animation (roman candles etc) must be indicated and will only be accepted outdoors (we're protecting our parquet!). You must also take all necessary measures to limit the risk of fire. Fireworks are prohibited by the regional authority.
30. Have you read everything so far? Congratulations! If you have any other questions, we can continue to exchange by email or why not come and see us?
31. You can make an appointment for a visit directly via this link 1. link (<https://calendly.com/chateau-la-beaumetane/visite-du-chateau-la-beaumetane>), which is also available on our website.

To complete our services

To ensure the quality of the key services for your wedding we have selected caterers and DJs of different standings and styles. We ask you to choose from our list of service providers. You can find details of the caterers on our website.

If you are looking for additional accommodation, our website also features the accommodation most frequented by the guests of our couples.





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Visite sur Rendez-vous

15 min.

de l'aéroport Marseille-Provence

20 min.

de la gare TGV d'Aix-en-Provence

20 min.

d'Aix-en-Provence

20 min.

de Salon-de-Provence

30 min.

de la gare Marseille-Saint-Charles

45 min.

d'Avignon

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