

THE CELEBRATION CENTER

ON THE RIVER IN HISTORIC LECLAIRE

WEDDING PACKAGES

BREATHTAKING VIEWS | EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE | ONE-OF-A-KIND EVENTS



Your big day is unique and truly special.
Your venue should be too.

Set along the picturesque banks of the Mississippi River in Le Claire, Iowa, The Celebration Center offers a one-of-a-kind setting for your wedding day. With breathtaking river views, modern amenities and just the right amount of historic charm, every detail creates a warm and memorable atmosphere for celebrating with the people you love most. Whether you're exchanging vows, sharing your first dance or raising a glass together, The Celebration Center provides a beautiful backdrop for every moment of your celebration.

OUR CAPABILITIES: WE DO IT ALL FOR YOUR "I DO'S"

Our 9,000 square feet of event space offers flexibility and originality to accommodate any wedding celebration. Our goal is to help you get hitched without a hitch. If you can dream it, we can certainly help you make it come true at The Celebration Center:

Wedding ceremonies | Wedding receptions | Rehearsal dinners | Showers | Cocktail parties

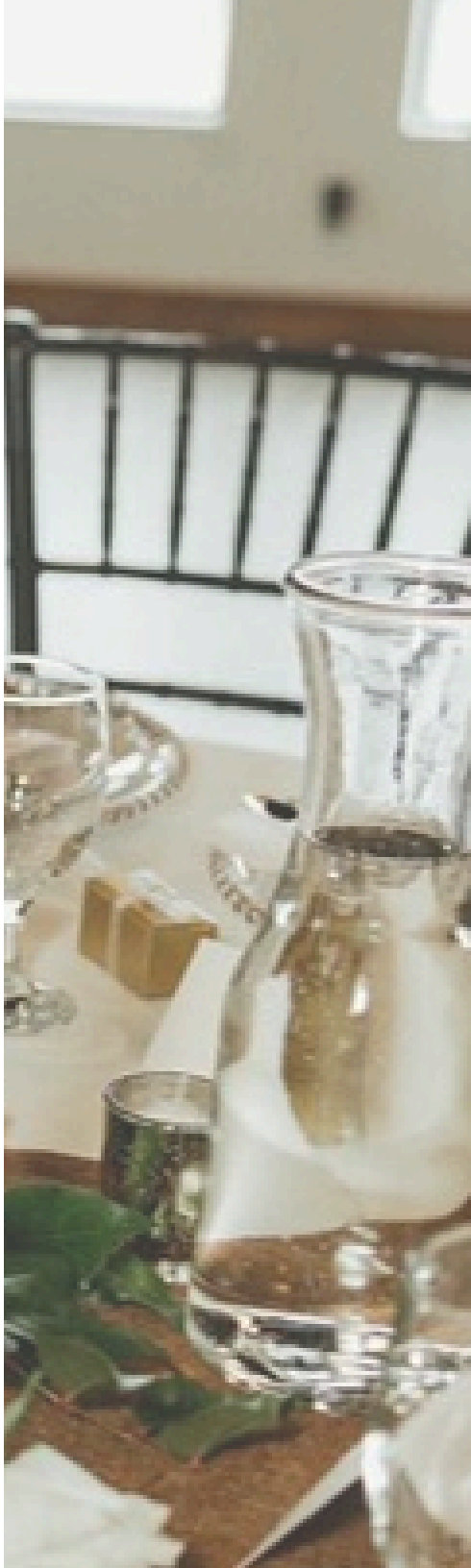


THE PERFECT SETTING FOR YOUR WEDDING

OUR SPACES

When you have your big day with The Celebration Center, you'll have access to multiple spaces, giving you the flexibility to choose the space that's just right for you. Take a look at our options and don't hesitate to reach out with questions – we're excited to put together a package that works perfectly for the beginning of **your happily ever after.**

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The 21st Floor

Named after the 21st amendment that repealed prohibition. This is our welcoming street-level and main space at The Celebration Center. This space features a charming banquet floor area, complete with large windows for stunning views of the river, high ceilings and beautiful exposed brick from the original 1854 butcher building which now houses the distillery next door.





At a Glance:

- 3,000 square feet
- Cocktail bar
- Capacity: 150 seated at tables



Pilot's Lookout

The best views of the river come from a little higher altitude. Our rooftop patio is unlike anything else in the region and is extremely popular for hosting ceremonies with our Rooftop Ceremony package. This scenic space includes a second bar, additional restroom and capacity for 80 seated at tables or 150 theater seating.

Our Rooftop Ceremony package includes white garden chairs, setup and teardown, and a built-in rain plan for you and your guests in case of weather.

At a glance:

- Available Rooftop Ceremony package
  (includes: white garden chairs, setup, teardown, rain plan)
- Flexibility to host various events
- Cocktail bar
- Capacity: 80 seated at tables, or 150 theater seating

THE HIDEAWAY

Need to host a small event or gather your bridesmaids to get all set for the big day? The Hideaway is the perfect location. This area is ideal for your wedding party to gather and prepare for your on-site ceremony. Exposed brick walls, high ceilings and bright sunshine (hello, natural light for photo ops) through the front windows make for a beautiful gathering spot. Featuring a private restroom, modeling mirrors, salon chair, wet bar, private lockers and electronic door code for entry, this is the perfect spot to get ready for the big day.





AT A GLANCE:

- Private restroom
- Salon chair, modeling mirrors
- Wet bar
- Private lockers
- Natural light



Barrel Cellar

Downstairs, you'll find more than just whiskey barrels. Tucked away in the basement is a secret meeting room and the perfect spot for additional wedding party prep. The exposed 1840s rock foundation creates a one-of-a-kind atmosphere filled with history and character. It's a memorable space for getting ready, capturing photos and enjoying a few quiet moments before the celebration begins.

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At a glance:

- Capacity: 20
- Video projector
- Large board room table
- Wet bar
- Combination lockers, mirrors and garment racks

RIVER WATCH

Have a smaller wedding day planned, need extra room for overflow from upper levels, or maybe you'd like a space for the kids to gather? The River Watch has you covered. This room overlooks the Le Claire levee and Mississippi River. Capacity for 40 seated at tables. This area also has access to the concrete patio outside.



AT A GLANCE:

- Capacity: 40 seated at tables
- Beautiful river views
- Access to private back patio
- The perfect space for classy wedding portraits



COCKTAIL BAR

Tucked away inside of the 1845 brick structure is the main level cocktail bar. Your guests will love the inviting atmosphere of this upscale bar area, where romantic ambiance and timeless charm create the perfect setting to sip, socialize, and celebrate. This area has enough room to accommodate a full buffet setup and has two wide entrances to keep traffic flowing right back into your party. Large windows let in plenty of natural light, and when the sun sets, we set the ambience with soft lighting. There's even room for a cake table, welcome table, or photo booth.

AT A GLANCE:

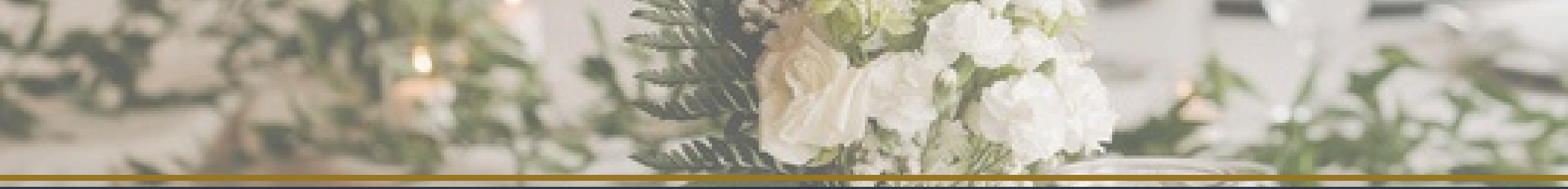
- Exposed brick
- Two entrances
- Ample space for vendor tables
- Antique stained glass window

CATERING

We want you to have the perfect food for your event. While we don't have our own chef on staff, we do provide a catering kitchen for catered events. Caterers can access the kitchen from the back without disturbing your guests. Warming cabinets are provided on each floor.

We have relationships with several caterers and encourage you to select a caterer from our preferred vendor list. These are caterers who know our space and how it works so we can ensure top-notch execution of your dining plan. A $500 catering fee will be added for approved caterers outside of our preferred vendor list (for events that exceed 50 guests). Caterers will provide table settings and staffing for your event. The Celebration Center charges a $2-per-plate catering fee.





2027 Wedding Pricing

Every little detail for your big day.

Our event staff can walk you through our pricing and options with our special online booking system. This system makes it easy to review your invoicing, make payments and interact with our staff so everyone has a clear expectation of what is included with your customized package. We want every detail of your special event to have a close eye on it.

WEDDING RESERVATION PRICES

	Capacity	Sun-Thu	Friday	Sat (Apr-Nov)	Sat (Dec-Mar)
21ST Floor	150	$2,500	$3,000	$4,500	$3,000
Pilot's Lookout	80				
Barrel Cellar	20				
Hideaway	12				
River Watch	40				
Reservation Add-Ons:					
Onsite Ceremony	150	$500	$500	$500	N/A

CEREMONY ADD-ON

Onsite Ceremony

- White garden chairs
- Rooftop ceremony site
- Rooftop restroom
- Complete setup and teardown

Ceremony can be moved indoors in the case of inclement weather

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

With a wedding rental,you will have access to our full facility from 10 a.m. to midnight, including the Pilot's Lookout (when in season).

Also included:
- Chiavari chairs
- Five-foot round tables
- Eight-foot banquet tables
- Six-foot banquet tables
- Black or Ivory floor length linens
- Cocktail tables
- Built-in bars
- Elevator access to all three floors
- Restroom access
- Venue coordinator
- Setup and teardown of venue equipment

Hideaway Ready-Room:
- Private electronic code lockers
- Full-length & vanity mirrors
- Salon chairs & lounge furniture
- Wet bar
- Private bathroom
- Bluetooth speaker

Barrel Cellar Ready-Room:
- Wooden banquet tables
- Wet bar
- Private electronic code lockers

BAR MINIMUM FEES

$500 for Monday thru Thursday | $1,000 for Friday thru Sunday

FOR BAR MINIMUM: Bar minimum balance will be charged at end of event if not met. Additional $250 Bartender Fee, 7% sales tax and a 20% service charge (which covers gratuity) will be added to your bar package final bill. All pricing is subject to change.

DRY EVENT FEES

$250 MININUM

Includes: Sodas & Juices

Additional $250 Attendant Fee, 7% sales tax and a 20% service charge (which covers gratuity) will be added to your bar package final bill. All pricing is subject to change.

PARKING



Because we are right on the river, parking is limited. There is some on-street parking available. There is also a 35-car public parking lot behind the Riverside Foursquare Church directly across the street from the distillery that can be accessed from Jones and Ewing Streets. A public lot is also available at 2nd & Wisconsin. Larger parking areas are available on the riverfront levee. However, law does not allow for people to cross the railroad tracks by foot except at the Jones Street crossing. We encourage larger parties to work with us for transportation from hotels and larger lots in the area to the venue.

DEPOSIT AND DATE CHANGE

DEPOSIT

100% of the room rental fee is due upon signing your rental agreement to hold your date on our calendar. Final payment is due 10 business days prior to your event.

DATE CHANGE & CANCELLATION POLICY

In the event the client requests changing the date of the event, The Celebration Center will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the request if the different date is available. In the case of a date transfer, all deposits and/or additional payments will apply to the new event date. Date transfer requests will be handled on a case-by-case basis. If a date is changed more than once, it is subject to a $250 date change fee.

If it becomes necessary for you to cancel your event rental, you may be able to receive your rental deposit back. If you elect to cancel your event with sufficient notice, The Celebration Center may be in a position to use the facilities for other purposes. Therefore, your rental is subject to the following cancellation terms:

WEDDING RENTALS:

Full refund for 9 months notice of cancellation (less $250 cancellation fee)
50% refund for 6 to 9 months notice of cancellation (less $250 cancellation fee)
No deposit refund within 6 months of event



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How often can I visit the event space prior to our event?
A tour of the space can be scheduled with our event sales staff. After booking, pre-approved visits are allowed if the space is not occupied.

Can we bring our own food?

Scott County health code requires any food service to be provided by a licensed food service provider. All caterers will be required to provide health certification at least 30 days prior to the event.

Can we bring our own alcohol?

No outside alcohol is allowed. All alcohol service must be provided through The Celebration Center.

What are the start and end times?

You have access to your event space beginning at 10 a.m. Last drinks are served at 10.30 p.m. Music must end by 11:00 p.m. and guests must depart by this time as well. Vendors and hosts must be out by midnight with all their belongings.

Can we have our ceremony and reception here?

Absolutely we have a wonderful setup for saying 'I do' with a river view and reception in one location. The wedding can be staged on the Pilot's Lookout rooftop patio. After the wedding, cocktails can be served upstairs as well. Following cocktail hour, guests would move to the 21^{stF} Floor for the reception.

What if we plan for the rooftop and there is bad weather?

They always say rain on your wedding day is good luck, right? We're in the Midwest and weather happens! Don't worry! Our event staff will work closely with you on a rain plan for your event if things need to move indoors.

Can we rehearse on site?

Rehearsal reservations are subject to availability and are scheduled 1 hour in length. No sound system or chairs are set for rehearsals. We would love to work with you to host a rehearsal and rehearsal dinner in the Pilot's Lookout on the same evening to allow you more time. This also allows you to do some decorating the day before.

Is there a dressing room?

Your wedding rental includes use of the Hideaway and the Barrel Cellar as these are private areas where your wedding parties can get ready. Electronic code lockers are available for use during the event.

Can we bring in our own decorations?

Yes, we just ask that decorations be pre-approved. Candles are allowed but must be housed in a glass container. Confetti, glitter, and flower petals are not allowed. Decorations may not be nailed, stapled, or glued to our walls or beams.

Is anything prohibited?

The Celebration Center is a non-smoking facility. No confetti, sparklers, fireworks, sky lanterns or open flames are allowed other than candles housed in glass containers. Absolutely no firearms are allowed on the property.

Any unruly or overly intoxicated guests will be asked to leave. Our staff has the authority to contact local law enforcement to protect our guests, personnel and property.

Are kids allowed?

Guests of all ages are welcome at The Celebration Center! Alcoholic beverages are reserved for guests 21 and older, and underage drinking is strictly prohibited. Children must be supervised by a responsible adult at all times.

Who is responsible for setup and teardown?

You or your vendors are responsible for setup and teardown of all items that you bring in or rent. Setup may begin at the time agreed upon in the contract. Teardown must be started and completed no later than one hour after the event end time. The venue must be left in the same condition as you found it. If you bring your own decorations, they must leave with you that evening. Our staff will handle emptying garbage and doing a final cleaning. Additional charges for messes or damages will be assessed at full replacement cost.

Do you have a lost & found?

We will have a lost & found box from your event that we will hold for 30 days. After 30 days, remaining items will be discarded.

NOTES

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A special thanks to our photographers:
Brandon Kane Photography | brandonkanephoto.com
JW Photography Studios | jwphotographystudios.com
Austin Day | austinhyler.com
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Trisha Keel | keelcophotography.com
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