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*Take a moment together to absorb the expressions around you – love, laughter, wonder, romance, pride – the essential ingredients that great dreams are made of and the foundation of a lifetime together*

Congratulations on your engagement and thank you for your enquiry; we are delighted you are considering Mansfield Traquair to host your wedding celebration!

Your wedding day is unique, a day unlike any other – to be treasured forever, it inspires hope and joy in all of us. Your wedding at Mansfield Traquair – majestic, magnificent with hints of magic abound. Wildly romantic, graced with the most beautiful art and steeped in history, a wedding celebrated here is destined to join the realms of the fairytale.

Please consider the following pages simply as the first steps in assisting you plan your wedding – designed to provoke thoughts and ideas, hopes and dreams. I have given you just a taster of what is achievable with our innovative and experienced Wedding Design team. My contact number is **0131 474 8013** and you can email me on **[bryony@heritageportfolio.co.uk](mailto:bryony@heritageportfolio.co.uk)**.

I would love to meet with you to help you create the most perfect wedding day!

Kindest regards

**Bryony Bargeton**  
**Wedding Designer**

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## Key Prices at Mansfield Traquair

When you're planning your wedding, you may have a vision of exactly how you would love it to be. For most couples practicality also comes into play and there will be a finite budget that will influence your plans for your wedding day. This information is designed to help you decide if Mansfield Traquair is the perfect venue for you.



### Essential Elements

- Wedding experience (*minimum 100 adult guests*) from **£99.00 plus vat per person**  
*For numbers less than 100 – please request for a bespoke proposal*
- Bar set up **£150.00 plus vat**
- Late extensions until 1.00am permitted **£500 plus vat**
- Wedding insurance (*estimate price*) **£50.00 plus vat**
- Canapés from **£1.50 plus vat per person**
- Glass of Prosecco for toasts **£4.00 plus vat per person**
- Evening buffet options from **£5.95 plus vat**



### Wedding Styling

Our wedding experiences include everything you need for your special day;

**Venue hire (2.00pm – midnight), drinks reception, three course wedding breakfast with coffee, tea and petit fours, wine, linen, tableware, , tables and chairs, PA system for speeches and background music, up-lighting to the Nave, Baldacchino and South Chapel, breakup colour wash over tables and pin spot lighting to enhance each table setting.**

However, we know that you'll want to make your wedding as distinctive and memorable as possible. So why not create your own combination of tableware and linen to enhance your day further.

We have a whole host of "tricks" and options that can make a big impact with relatively modest cost from bespoke linens, adding an extra course or creating floral table decorations – all optional but can add extra finesse. We are happy to suggest options of what can work well from our experience. The opportunities are endless; once we've had a chat we can create the perfect combination for your wedding that fits in not only with your budget but your own style and creativity.

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### Heritage Portfolio at Mansfield Traquair

Passionate, inspired and ambitious, Heritage Portfolio is the exclusive event partner of Mansfield Traquair. We are local, Scottish, consummate event caterers. Our staff are passionately driven, food obsessed and we hope charming, creators and purveyors of the very best hospitality you're ever likely to experience at a wedding. We have become "famous for food" and pioneers of precision hospitality.

"Building a business we are proud of" is the mantra followed by our team. In January 2013 we were granted our Royal Warrant of Appointment to Her Majesty the Queen as Supplier of Catering Services – something we are immensely proud of and that represents a huge amount of hard work, skill and professionalism from our team.

Innovative and artistic, our award-winning chefs and team of designers are self-confessed food fanatics, original and heavyweight 'foodies' who combine passion, imagination and culinary creativity in equal measure. Our chefs take the time to get to know the producers personally who take equal pride in knowing that their food and drinks are beautifully presented on your plates.

Our menus may dazzle, but every yin needs a yang. Our drinks selection is perfectly picked by our wine ambassador who has gone the extra mile to ensure every option is absolutely appropriate. Circumnavigating the globe in our pursuit of the perfect accompaniment, the integrity of our drinks list is founded in a stone-turning search for the world's best producers



### Wedding Design Team at Mansfield Traquair

It's our team that sits behind the promises that will turn a vision into reality. We know that exceptional value is delivered not only in the form of our excellent food and discreet yet meticulous service; the support and advice you'll receive at every juncture from the dedicated Mansfield Traquair Wedding Design team is the essential element in achieving a wedding celebration which delivers on every level.

Engage us in sourcing every element from spectacular floral artistry to gleaming, luxurious table settings, to music and lighting which will stir even the most reluctant romantic. All this, underpinned by exquisite menus, tantalising and tempting drinks and of course utterly professional and completely charming service.

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### Wedding Ceremony

Say "I do" in the wonderfully romantic Baldacchino at Mansfield Traquair. With its beautiful original tiled floor, archways, murals and soaring high ceilings there is a magical elegance that is picture perfect for your wedding ceremony. Here at Mansfield Traquair you can choose from either a Civil, Religious, Inter-Faith or Humanist ceremony and we can help you with the arrangements as we have excellent relationships with local celebrants. Ceremonies at Mansfield Traquair are always special so do talk to us about how we can make this part of your day absolutely perfect. There is no additional charge to have your ceremony – it's all part of your special day.



### Wedding Journey

**Planning Meeting** – start as we mean to go on! Meet with your personal wedding designer to talk over your ideas, and find out what is important to you. We can give you guidance on timings, music, wedding suppliers and much more.

**Menu Tasting** – “the best part of planning our wedding”, “Wonderful afternoon, can we take the chef home with us?” Just a couple of quotes after happy couples came to sample their wedding menu and match their wines.

**Wedding Rehearsal** – settle any last minute nerves, meet your celebrant or bring the wedding party to practice walking down the aisle.

**Wedding Day!** – the day has finally arrived! This will be one of the best days of your life and we love making this happen. The Wedding Team at Mansfield Traquair will seamlessly run your special day.

**Post Wedding Meeting** – when the ‘big’ day is all over, we want to keep you feeling like you are walking on cloud 9 – come back for a coffee, glass of fizz and relive those moments with the team (and bring your photos to share with us all!)

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### Mansfield Experience

#### Drinks Reception

2 glasses per person of Sumarroca Cava Brut Reserva



#### Wedding breakfast

Creamed root parsnips soup with crispy pancetta and roasted chestnuts

Lightly spiced sweet potato soup with a roasted cumin seed cream and coriander leaf

Puree of roasted butternut squash soup with coconut milk, lime leaf and roasted almonds

*Served with seasonal breads*



Charred chicken fillet marinated in yoghurt, lime and saffron with roast peppers and potato rosti

Slow cooked angus beef feather blade with winter truffle pomme puree, golden turnip tips, hedgehog mushrooms and shaved radish root

Fillet of Scottish plaice baked with fennel, lime and cherry tomatoes red pesto mash, pak choi and parsley oil



Compote of orchid apples and William pears with candied ginger and vanilla scented brulee

Kilner jar of damson plums, ginger crumble and mascarpone cream with rose puffs

Blueberry and maple tiramisu with amaretti crunch, honey comb and lavender shards



Freshly brewed Fairtrade Organic coffee with Scottish tablet

#### Wine to accompany dinner

Trebbiano, IGT, Terre Allegre, Cielo e Terra, Italy  
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(Half a bottle wine per person)



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### Included in all your Winter Wedding Experience



A dedicated Wedding Designer – to assist you throughout the planning, designing and creation of your special day

A dedicated Wedding Manager – ensuring a professional service and seamless wedding on the day

A dedicated team of Chefs – planning, designing and delivering your wedding breakfast with flair and expertise

Master of ceremonies - to guide you and your guests through the day

Fully trained service staff uniformed in black mandarin style shirts, slate grey bistro aprons

Venue hire – 2.00pm until midnight

Floor length table cloths in white, cream or black

Linen napkins in a white, cream or black

Fine white china

Elegant long stemmed glassware

Contemporary Monteverdi cutlery

Six foot round tables

Gold Bentwood chairs with cream or black seat pads

Two poseur tables in linen colours of white, cream or black

Two four foot round tables for your drinks reception with occasional seating

Exclusive use of the private garden for a drinks reception and photos

Tailored lighting appointment and menu tasting

Up-lighting for the Nave, Baldacchino and South Chapel with a change of colour for evening reception

P.A. system for wedding speeches and background music with a lighting and sound technician on site for the duration of the day

Pin Spot lighting to enhance each table centerpieces and breakup colour wash over the tables

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### Your Evening Entertainment

Below is the list of bands recommended at Mansfield Traquair

**Reel Time Events** – 0131 346 8393

**Reel Time Ceilidh Band:** If you are looking for a funky band to lead your guests through a night of Ceilidh this band is perfect. The band also calls the dances and can provide an iPod disco if required

**Scraggly Cats:** A great live band who can play a range of funky Ceilidh music and pop songs. The band has bagpipes, vocalists, electric guitar, keyboard and full drum kit

**One Night Wonders:** Party band playing an eclectic mix of pop, soul, rock and more

**Pipers and DJ's also available**

**Banana Row Music** – 0131 557 2088

**Callanish:** This band redefined event entertainment by being the first bands to merge traditional Celtic Ceilidhs with caller and live modern covers

**Absolute:** High energy guitar band with a vast play list of classic and contemporary music

**The Regals:** Blending jazz, Swing, 50's and 60's plus a few soulful hits by Amy Winehouse, Duffy and Adele

**Corra** – 0131 466 6561

Mix of traditional Scottish Ceilidh dances with caller and rock and pop covers

**Whisky Kiss** – 07780 583 100

A four piece cutting edge band from Scotland mixing traditional music and DJ infused modern beats

**Bleeker** – 07540 874 988

This powerful and energetic duos show will have any events dance floor packed. They are notoriously known as the duo with a "big band sound". Edinburgh based duo, Bleeker pride themselves on a big sound, despite being a small act, with a huge repertoire of songs which have been pulled from the last four decades. Vocals are what this band is all about.

**Luan** – 07972 671 049

Offering a range of services from a 3 piece Ceilidh to a six piece band with Irish/Scottish songs, pop songs, Ceilidh, Harpists, Pipers and DJ's

***YOU MAY BRING IN A BAND NOT LISTED HERE BUT THEY MUST COME WITH A SOUND ENGINEER TO MANAGE  
THEIR SOUND QUALITY IN THE VENUE***

***We have an extensive suppliers list which I would be delighted to email over to you, please just let us know and we'll get this  
over to you so you can start to get quotes and availability for your special day!***

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