



# *Providence Farm Wedding Packages 2018*

Providence Farm, a 400-acre farm nestled at the base of Mount Tzouhalem, was purchased in 1864 by the Sisters of St. Ann, on which they developed a boarding school and orphanage. In 1979 they donated the farm to the Vancouver Island Providence Community Association which now operates Providence Farm as a working, therapeutic, organic farm serving adults and seniors with a variety of mental health challenges, developmental and intellectual disabilities and age-related illnesses. It is an organic farm where people care for the soil, and the soil nurtures the people.

## *| Chapel Ceremony |*

Located in Providence House, the traditional 1920s chapel is an angelic and serene setting to share your vows with family and friends. The cathedral style chapel can accommodate up to 80 people.

Also provided within Providence House is a room for the bridal party to get ready and washroom access. Guests have the opportunity to take a self-guided tour, experience the beauty of the historic farm site, and take pictures.

**\$600 same day package**



## *| St Ann's Garden Ceremony |*

Enjoy the outdoor beauty of the spectacular St Ann's Garden with historical apple orchard, lush garden space and stunning Mount Tzouhalem as your back drop. St Ann's Garden is a flexible outdoor space with a gazebo which can accommodate a small or large group depending on configuration. Say your vows in the quaint garden gazebo or under an old growth apple tree beside a trickling creek. This location offers no shortage of picturesque photo opportunities.

**\$780 same day package**



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## | *Summer Pavilion Reception* |

Host an open air reception in the pastoral setting of the front meadow and summer pavilion. The summer pavilion provides a serene location for up to 200 guests with lots of surrounding area for entertainment and festivities.

Rental of the summer pavilion includes the surrounding green space, as well as outdoor kitchen, which includes the use of two BBQ's, fridge, freezer, dish area with running water and power hook ups. This package includes the use of a 30 x 60 event tent covering the dining space, and adjacent 20 x 40 event tent plus access to indoor washroom facilities (for up to 125 guests).



### **\$2800 one-day package**



## | *Full Site Weekend Rental* |

The full site rental package allows you to arrive on the farm Friday afternoon (4:00pm) allowing time for set up and an evening BBQ with family and friends. Camping included in this package allows for guests to stay on site in anticipation of the big day. Saturday morning, wake up knowing the site is set and ready to go for your ceremony and reception. Following the big day another night of on-site camping leads into a Sunday morning breakfast and allows ample time for a relaxed clean up and pack up before leaving the property Sunday afternoon.

Full site rental includes the ceremony in your chosen location, an indoor space for the bridal party to get ready on the morning of the ceremony, use of summer BBQ pavilion for all three days, use of adjacent covered stage with mill-felt dance floor, group camping on Friday and Saturday nights, and 24-hour indoor washroom access.

### **\$4900 all inclusive weekend package**



## *Additional Facilities*

### **Rustic Woodlands Campsite**

Camping on site is permitted in our woodland campground (tents only) and front field (RVs). These basic tent sites are a great way to accommodate an overnight event, and RVs are permitted in the front field or designated parking areas. No hook-ups are provided. Indoor washroom facilities are available 24 hours a day for use from the campsite.

**\$600 group rate per night, or \$900 for two nights**

### **Suite for the bride to get ready**

St. Ann's Building is adjacent to the St. Ann's Garden and provides a home-like setting for the bridal party to prepare for the ceremony. A beautiful, curved walkway leads from St. Ann's Building to the garden giving the bride a dramatic entrance to the ceremony.

**\$60 per hour**

### **Outdoor Brick Oven**

The outdoor brick oven is perfect for making pizzas and bread for your guests. The oven must be operated by a designated Providence Farm oven handler.

**Prices vary based on use**

### **Produce from Providence Farm's Market Garden**

Bulk orders of in-season produce can be ordered from our on-site market garden and store with one month's advance notice of your requirements.

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### **Stage**

The stage, near the summer pavilion, is a fully functional event stage which includes a 200 amp service, a green room and a space for your sound person to set up. Sound equipment can be arranged for an additional fee.

**\$240 per day** (if also renting the summer pavilion)

### **Dance Floors**

Mill Felt dance floors are available for the outdoor space around the stage and summer pavilion. Set up of your choice; choose from two sizes of dance floors to accommodate your guests dancing needs.

**\$120 - small**

**\$240 - large**