

Weddings and Brides

Why You Need a Wedding Planning Guide

It is imperative for any wedding planner and bride to be to have a checklist for planning any kind of wedding. Even a small and seemingly casual wedding, will have a lot of work that needs to be done and various aspects that might get overlooked. The last thing you want is for your guests to show up at your venue and find they have no where to sit, because you forgot to order chairs. This is why you need to have a wedding planning guide in place so that everything you need to do is set out and time lined and if you have people helping you (which is always a good idea) that they also know what is going on.

A wedding planning guide is a bride's best friend. Like many brides in today's society, you probably have a full time job and cannot devote as much time to planning your wedding as you would like to. Having a checklist at hand will remind you to make those few phone calls during your lunch break or look for that fabric you needed before going home after work. It will ensure that you don't forget anything and it will make sure that you get everything done on time, without getting too stressed out or upset. After all, this is supposed to be the happiest day of your life. Stress and pressure is not going to do you any good.

For weddings a planning checklist or guide is not only going to help you, but it also helps everyone else who is planning things for your wedding day. It will help the florist know what time to be at your venue to set up. It will allow the baker enough time to make a stunning cake for you and it will be a guide for the DJ as to where he has to be and what he needs to have for your wedding. Making a comprehensive file for your wedding is encouraged. In the file, keep addresses, phone numbers, names, quotes, fabric samples, letters, details and more, so that whenever you go to a supplier or contractor you have all the information you need at your fingertips.

You can get a wedding planning guide off the internet at many sites. These are samples that you can adjust and adapt to suit your own wedding, but most of them are quite detailed as it is. Some of the sample guides will even give you appropriate times for certain things to be done, like the invitations. They are normally sent out 3 months in advance, so you will need to have your venue, date and time finalized before then and the invitations designed and printed.

So, if you are a bride to be and want to make sure you are on top of things for your wedding and don't forget anything or leave anything to the last minute, be sure to get a wedding planning guide and start your planning early. Get a wedding file and also get a few people to help you with the planning to make things go smoother.

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