



MERCHANTS' HALL



The perfect location for your special event



WELCOME TO MERCHANTS' HALL

Steeped in history and located in spacious private grounds just a short walk from picturesque Clifton Village, the magnificent Merchants' Hall is a grand, detached house that offers a unique and memorable venue for your special event.

Whether you wish to hire a particular function room or the entire Hall for exclusive use, Merchants' Hall provides an elegant and historic setting for weddings, private functions, family celebrations and formal dining; as well as conferences, business meetings and corporate entertaining.

Whatever the occasion, our professional events team will provide an outstanding service alongside meticulous planning to ensure that your event is perfect in every way.

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FUNCTION ROOMS

Merchants' Hall offers a variety of impressive function rooms, each with its own unique ambience. The larger rooms are spacious and flexible with several different layout options to accommodate your special event.

THE RECEPTION ROOM

The spacious Reception Room features a Steinway Piano, gilt-framed paintings and antique furniture. Large windows flood the room with natural light during the day, while glittering chandeliers illuminate this elegant space during the evening.

Whether you're enjoying your 'first dance' as newlyweds, entertaining guests over drinks and canapés, or networking with clients; this beautiful room with its splendid décor helps to make every occasion special.



19.8 x 5.2m
120 (Standing)
104 (Wedding)
80 (Theatre)
30 (Boardroom)



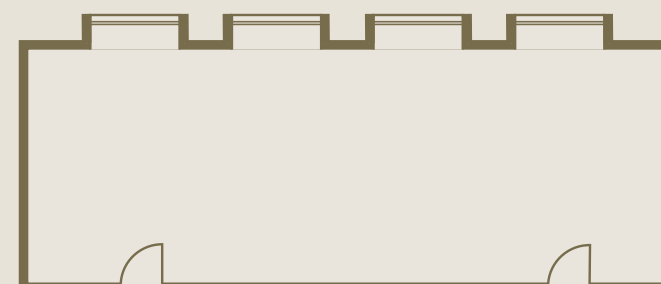
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THE DINING ROOM

The grand Dining Room is an impressive space for hospitality and dining, providing a memorable setting for a banquet, wedding breakfast, formal dinner or buffet lunch.

Comfortably seating up to 100 guests, the 18th century Georgian chandeliers are a striking feature of the room. There are a number of different seating options and we will work with you to design your ideal arrangement.



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THE GARDEN TERRACE

French doors lead from the Dining Room onto an elegant, raised stone terrace overlooking beautifully landscaped gardens. The perfect spot to enjoy a relaxing drink on the lawn with your guests during warmer months; and a stunning setting for photographs.



EXEMPLARY SERVICE

YOUR OWN BUTLER, TOASTMASTER AND FOOTMAN

No grand Victorian hall would be complete without the services of a Butler and Merchants' Hall is no exception. With a wealth of experience in organising weddings, civil partnerships, banquets, formal dinners, conferences and a range of other events, our Butler will provide professional advice and assistance in the run-up to your event.

A warm welcome awaits you and your guests on the day, with the Butler on-hand throughout the event to ensure that no detail is overlooked.

He will also act as toastmaster and will do his utmost to ensure that events unfold seamlessly. A footman dressed in the finest red livery is also available if required, to greet your guests and direct car parking.

FLEXIBILITY

This historic and beautiful venue can be offered as a complete package with all rooms available for use. Alternatively, individual rooms can be hired for smaller events. All rooms have wireless internet access, natural light and ventilation; and there is ample parking available onsite.





PRIVATE MEETING ROOMS

Merchants' Hall provides a flexible space, allowing you to hire the entire venue or, for smaller events and private meetings, individual rooms, including the impressive Committee Room which can be configured to a traditional boardroom setting.

We recognise the importance of providing a quiet, professional space, conducive to business. We will work with you in advance to determine your AV and catering requirements, ensuring a seamless event on the day.

CONNECTIVITY

The venue offers an enterprise-grade wi-fi network in every room, providing high-speed internet access.





CATERING

We work with highly regarded, creative and flexible catering firms. You will be guided by a professional and experienced team to customise your own delicious menu, tailored to your personal tastes, dietary requirements and the number of guests attending.





WEDDINGS AND CIVIL CEREMONIES

Merchants' Hall, Bristol's most prestigious wedding venue

With a rich heritage including visits from members of the Royal Family, Merchants' Hall with its beautiful gardens are exclusively yours to enjoy with your family and friends, seating up to 100 guests in the elegant Dining Room for

your wedding breakfast. Fully licenced to conduct marriages and civil ceremonies, from the moment you step into Merchants' Hall, you will be swept away.



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"We fell in love with Merchants' Hall as soon as we looked around. It's so beautiful with an intimate and really special atmosphere."

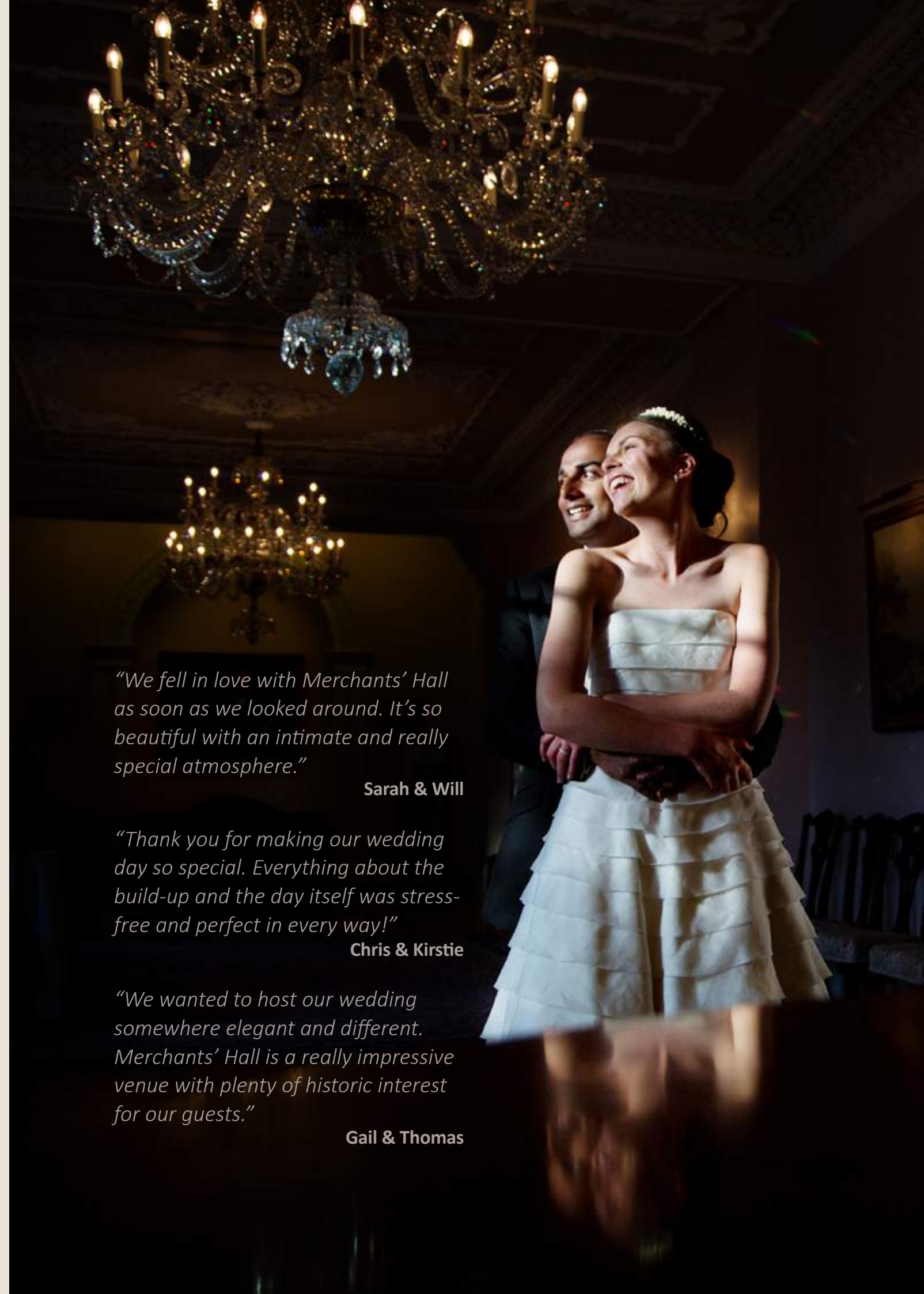
Sarah & Will

"Thank you for making our wedding day so special. Everything about the build-up and the day itself was stress-free and perfect in every way!"

Chris & Kirstie

"We wanted to host our wedding somewhere elegant and different. Merchants' Hall is a really impressive venue with plenty of historic interest for our guests."

Gail & Thomas





PRIVATE FUNCTIONS AND FAMILY CELEBRATIONS

Merchants' Hall, Bristol's most prestigious banqueting and event venue

Merchants' Hall is available to hire for a range of events including private parties, dinners and banquets, birthday celebrations, naming ceremonies, christening parties, wedding anniversaries and memorial services.

With a rich heritage including visits from members of the Royal Family, Merchants' Hall is a unique and memorable venue with an elegant Reception Room, an exquisite Dining Room and beautiful private gardens available for your exclusive use.

"Merchants' Hall is the perfect venue. The garden party was exactly as we had imagined and the 'wows' in the Dining Room were endless."

Gemma & Sam





CONFERENCES AND CORPORATE EVENTS

Merchants' Hall, Bristol's most prestigious conference and event venue

Merchants' Hall, steeped in Bristol's history, is a grand, detached mansion house set in spacious private grounds with ample parking. Located just a short walk from picturesque Clifton Village and its world-famous suspension bridge, this special venue is offered as a complete package with all rooms available for use. Alternatively, individual rooms can be hired for smaller corporate events and business meetings. Packages are tailor-made for your specific event to ensure that we meet your exact requirements.

The perfect location to host your conference, AGM or corporate entertaining, our professional events team will ensure that no detail is overlooked so that you can focus your undivided attention on the business at hand. We will work with you to determine your precise AV, catering and access requirements as well as your ideal room layout.



"Our AGM was such a success, thank you. Everyone was amazed by the history and beauty of Merchants' Hall."

James Tudor Foundation

"Once again, the occasion was organised immaculately by your professional team. The service was impeccable and everything ran like clockwork."

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de Bordeaux à Bristol**





GETTING HERE



Located on the Promenade in Clifton, close to the Downs, Merchants' Hall is just a short walk from the Clifton Suspension Bridge and the top of Bridge Valley Road.

We offer a generous number of onsite car parking spaces, with additional metered street parking available directly outside the grounds.

If travelling by bike, we offer bike racks onsite. If travelling by bus, Merchants' Hall is located on a main bus route.

Please visit www.firstbus.co.uk for the most up-to-date bus timetable.

VISITING MERCHANTS' HALL


We warmly welcome you to visit Merchants' Hall to see for yourself the splendour of our magnificent building and to meet our highly experienced events team to discuss the details of your special event.

To arrange a visit or for further information, please get in touch.

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