



THE GREAT BARN

AT HEADSTONE MANOR & MUSEUM

A Perfect Venue for Weddings, Ceremonies and Special Occasions



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We were very fortunate to find this gem in a city, but with a country feel. Our guests were amazed with the unique and quirky venue. The barn speaks for itself, full of charm and character with vast amounts of history



The Great Barn at Headstone Manor and Museum combines the grandeur, charm and character of a 16th century building with 21st century luxuries.

Built in 1506, the Grade II* listed barn is nestled in the picturesque grounds of a scheduled monument heritage site featuring a further three historic listed buildings, beautiful landscaped gardens and a 14th century moat.

Situated in Harrow, just forty minutes from the heart of London and with easy access to the M25, M40, M1 and Heathrow Airport, The Great Barn at Headstone Manor and Museum is the ideal venue for weddings, civil ceremonies and special occasions.

Our Events Package

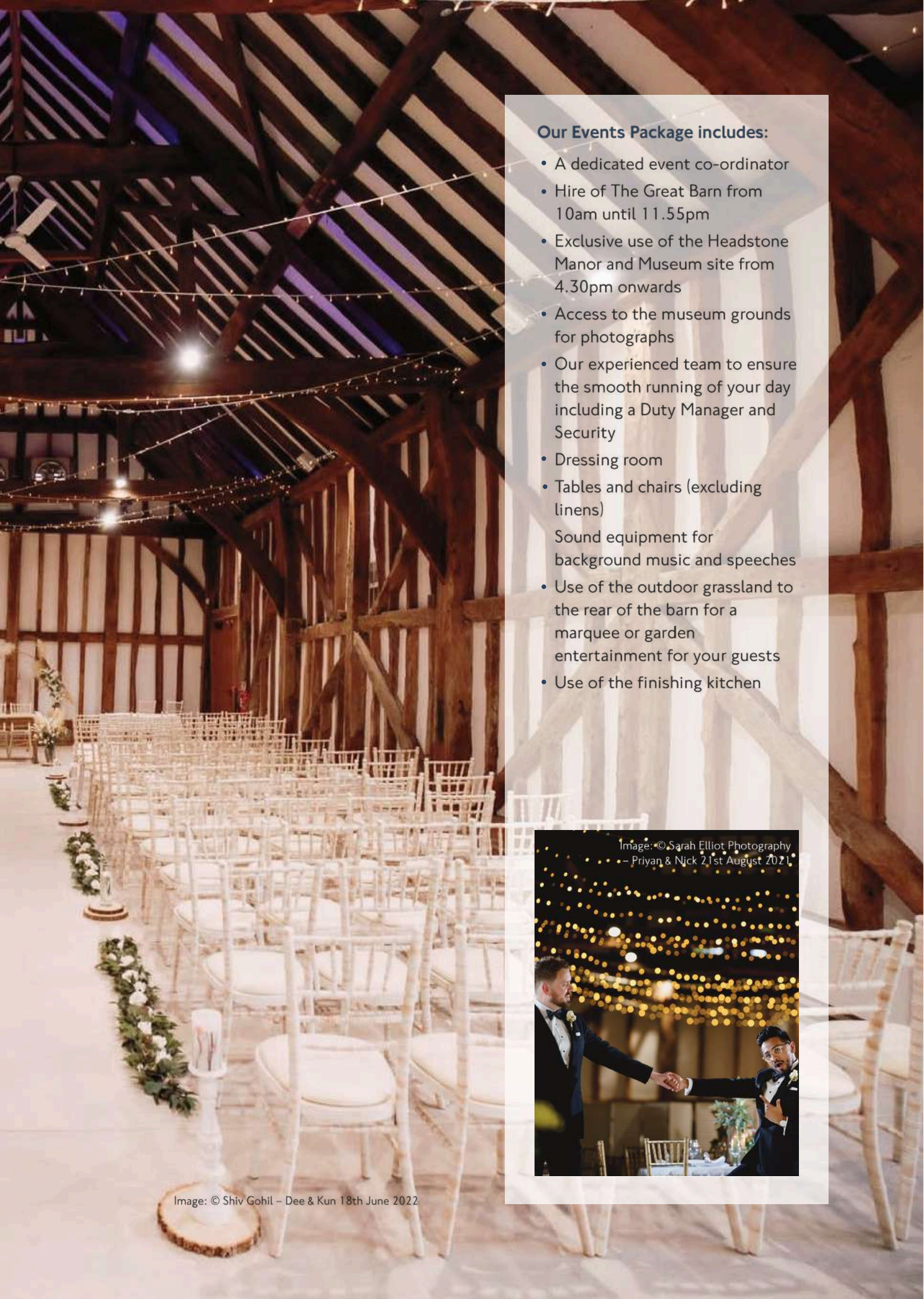
The Great Barn at Headstone Manor and Museum is the perfect venue for those special occasions in life. With a stunning vaulted ceiling, exposed wooden oak beams and limestone flooring, The Great Barn provides a beautiful and elegant venue for weddings, civil partnerships, birthdays, anniversaries, christenings, barmitzvahs/batmitzvahs, engagement parties and all other celebrations.

Our dedicated events team guarantee the highest level of service to ensure that your day is truly memorable. We would be delighted to show you around our magnificent site and wonderful historic buildings, and can also recommend fantastic caterers, photographers, florists, entertainment and other suppliers who are familiar with our site. Please contact us to arrange a visit.



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- Rebecca & Connor 1st August 2024





Our Events Package includes:

- A dedicated event co-ordinator
- Hire of The Great Barn from 10am until 11.55pm
- Exclusive use of the Headstone Manor and Museum site from 4.30pm onwards
- Access to the museum grounds for photographs
- Our experienced team to ensure the smooth running of your day including a Duty Manager and Security
- Dressing room
- Tables and chairs (excluding linens)
- Sound equipment for background music and speeches
- Use of the outdoor grassland to the rear of the barn for a marquee or garden entertainment for your guests
- Use of the finishing kitchen



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- Priyan & Nick 21st August 2021

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Pricing for 2026

April – October

Monday – Thursday:
£6,350.00

Friday – Sunday:

£7,734.00
(including bank holidays)

November - March

Monday – Sunday:
£5,007.00

Ceremony Charge:

£262.00

Early Access from 7am:

£159.00

Day before or De-rig charges:

Monday – Thursday
£523.00

Friday – Sunday

£1,568.00 per day
(8am – 3.30pm)

All prices are inclusive of VAT



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- Vai & Harry - 31st August 2024

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Preferred Suppliers

At The Great Barn, we take immense pride in curating a special list of preferred suppliers that exude excellence and creativity, ensuring an unforgettable celebration for our cherished couples. Each supplier on our esteemed roster has been handpicked for their exceptional services, attention to detail, and unwavering commitment to making dreams come true.

From renowned florists who weave enchanting arrangements to talented photographers capturing the most precious moments, our preferred suppliers epitomise the highest standards of quality and professionalism.

Whether it's the culinary mastery of our trusted caterers or the artistry of our sought-after decorators, we guarantee that every aspect of your wedding will be impeccably orchestrated, reflecting your unique style and love story.

With our carefully curated list, you can rest assured that your special day will be an enchanting and seamless experience, leaving you with memories to cherish for a lifetime.

Please visit our website for an up-to-date list of our preferred suppliers.

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Wedding Timeline

As a close-knit and friendly team, we possess extensive experience in wedding planning. Our collective years of expertise have allowed us to craft a helpful timeline, serving as a valuable guide for arranging your unforgettable day at The Great Barn.

“Will you Marry Me?”

● 14 months before

- || Pick a date for the big day
- || Pay a 25% deposit to secure your date

● 12 months ahead

- || Pay second 25% hire installment
- || Book all vendors and suppliers

● 6 months before

- | Pay final hire installment (50%)

● 2 - 3 months before

- | Send your final guest numbers, timings and supplier details to your wedding coordinator
- | Finalise floorplans with your wedding coordinator
- | Meet your dedicated events coordinator

● 1 month before

- | Finalise ceremony details with your registrar / celebrant / officiant
- | Confirm final details with suppliers and your wedding coordinator

● 1 week before

- | It's done, you're all set! Enjoy your special day and let your wedding coordinator take care of everything!

“I Do”

Testimonials

Welcome to our collection of heartfelt testimonials for our enchanting venue. Read on and be inspired by the beautiful stories of romance and joy that have unfolded within these walls, as we take immense pride in being a part of the most important day in our couples' lives.



The venue and the grounds are absolutely stunning. The team that come with hiring the venue, in my opinion, are exceptional... Our wedding would not have been what it was without the people working at this venue

Meera and Amit
Wedding Ceremony & Reception

I'm so incredibly happy that this was our chosen venue as we had the best wedding day! Our events manager was absolutely amazing from start to finish, words cannot even describe how thankful and grateful we are. ... I would highly highly recommend The Great Barn for any events, it's such a special venue

Rahul and Arti
Wedding Ceremony & Reception



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What an incredible venue! We held our wedding reception here earlier this month and honestly we couldn't have asked for a better place to do it... My partner and I could not have been happier with the service and we could not recommend and rate the team highly enough. Thank you so much!

Dimpy and Humzah
Wedding Reception

What can I say? It was truly a magical day. Our Event Manager was so helpful, not only on the day but on the months leading up to our big day. The barn itself is absolutely stunning!

Uma and Niraj
Wedding Ceremony & Reception

The Great Barn is such an amazing venue. It looked absolutely stunning on the day and it was the perfect setting for our wedding reception. We received so many compliments on the venue, and we know that it was a big part of why our day was so special

Elaine and Michael
Wedding Reception

Thank you so much for all of the time and effort you put into making our day so special. We are so appreciative and grateful. You were honestly a joy to work with and made the whole process so special and seamless

Penny and Jermaine
Wedding Ceremony & Reception

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- Matt & Manisha II | 11 May 2024



Venue History

From 1506 until 1928 The Great Barn was a working farm building. Archbishop William Wareham commissioned The Great Barn from a local carpenter. Its magnificent oak frame was constructed from trees felled from the ancient woodlands on the site.

In 1546, Archbishop Thomas Cranmer surrendered Headstone Manor to Henry VIII, a consequence of the beginnings of the Reformation. Henry sold Headstone on to Lord Edward North, whose descendants remained landlords for another 200 years.

The Great Barn was originally configured as a seven-bay threshing barn. There were an additional three bays and a second wagon porch to the south to provide stabling. The wagon porch and through doors opposite formed the central bay needed for access and ventilation during the threshing process.

A lease issued in 1514 defined The Great Barn as shared between the Archbishop

and the lessee, Robert Marsh. A timber partition separated the three bays and the wagon porch at the west end for the Archbishop's use. The socket holes for this partition are still visible in the frame of the third bay.

In 1894 The Great Barn became home to the cows of Hall & Sons Dairy. The Halls were the last farmers at Headstone, and moved their entire dairy business to Pinner Park Farm in 1928.

The Great Barn found a new lease of life during The Second World War, first as a training venue and stores for the Home Guard, and then as a theatre for the local authorities' 'Holiday-at-Home' campaign.

In 1986, after decades of work by local volunteers The Great Barn was opened as Harrow Museum & Heritage Centre. Now, the whole site has been revitalized as Headstone Manor & Museum, with The Great Barn providing a wonderfully historic space for events.

Enquire Today

If you'd like to discover more about The Great Barn or inquire about a specific date or a venue viewing, please feel free to reach out to our team on: **020 8863 6720** or via email at: **greatbarn@headstonemanor.org**

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