



Weddings at



**BEECH HILL
HOTEL**

on Lake Windermere

Dreams



to have and to hold

Waterside

Location



Tranquil

Surroundings




The Beech Hill Hotel is situated on the East bank of Lake Windermere in grounds gently sloping down towards the lakeside and private jetties. Enjoy the views across the water of the distant fells and Conistoun Old Man hosting the perfect backdrop for your most memorable photographs.



Award winning cuisine

Our award winning kitchen and restaurant team, are able to provide you with an interesting range of quality food and wine. We make use of fresh local produce to create popular dishes and creations of stimulating originality.



Our beautifully refurbished function suite and our spacious open plan lounge presents a relaxing and unique atmosphere with panoramic views overlooking Lake Windermere. The ambience is created by our natural setting and the way our interior rooms are designed and decorated in rich woods, warm colourings and delicate craftwork.

Private viewing

A personal tour of the Beech Hill Hotel is strongly recommended and can be arranged with our wedding coordinator, who will explain everything the hotel has to offer you for your special day.



A month by month countdown to a heavenly day

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- Make an appointment to see a minister, priest, rabbi or registrar to arrange the wedding.
- Book the reception venue and wedding night accommodation.
- Arrange entertainment if required.
- Decide how many guests will be invited and work out a budget and a guest list.

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- Book a photographer and videographer if you want one. If you are getting married in a church, check whether your minister is happy for them to take pictures or film there.
- Order your wedding cake.
- Choose your attendants, best man and ushers.

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- Choose your wedding clothes (allow at least four months for a made-to-measure dress).
- Choose your attendants clothes.
- Organise flowers, including buttonholes, bouquets and flowers for the ceremony and reception.
- Discuss food and drink options.

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- Start looking at honeymoon brochures and consider booking early, particularly if you're going during peak season.
- Organise a wedding gift list.
- Choose the wedding ring(s).

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- If you're getting married in a church, talk to the minister about music and see the organist. If you're getting married in a civil venue choose the music for the ceremony.
- Discuss the form of service if it's a religious one and, for either a church or a civil wedding, choose your readings.

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- Order invitations and envelopes (you'll only need one invitation per married couple or family). Arrange stationery for the reception, such as place cards, favours and a table plan.
- Order your order-of-service sheets for the ceremony.
- If you plan to send out wedding cake after the day, order boxes from a stationer.





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- Order wedding transport or make arrangements to borrow cars from friends or family.
 - Arrange the hire of formal wear for the groom, best man and other male members of the wedding party.
 - Choose gifts for your attendants, best man etc.

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- Make appointments with your hairdresser or beauty salon to discuss hair and make-up.
 - If you are changing your name, allow at least six weeks for a new passport. Notify your bank, building society, doctor, dentist and so on.

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- Send out invitations and as your guests reply, make a list of acceptances and refusals.
 - Visit the hairdresser with your headdress or veil to try out hairstyles. Practise your make-up.

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- Confirm final number of guests. Work out a seating plan if necessary.
 - Confirm your menus and drink requirements.

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- Make sure the ring(s) will be ready for your wedding day.
 - Check on honeymoon arrangements ensuring you have tickets, visas and any foreign currency required. Arrange any inoculations needed.
 - Check your wedding clothes and try on the whole outfit, including headdress, shoes and underwear.

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- Meet with your wedding coordinator to discuss final details.
 - Have a rehearsal at your place of worship if possible.
 - Have your hen or stag nights and forget about all the planning!





FAQ

Q: How many can you cater for?

A: We can cater for up to 120.

Q: Are you licenced for Civil Wedding Ceremonies?

A: Yes we are licenced. You will need to contact the Ulverston Registry Office directly to arrange the Registrar availability and fees.

Q: Do you host Evening Receptions?

A: Yes, although you will be required to book some bedrooms. The number of rooms required will depend on the size of your party, day of the week and time of the year, please ask for further details. We are able to arrange professional entertainment to suit the style of your day, a sumptuous buffet and even fireworks.



Q: How much will it cost?

A: How long is a piece of string? We at the Beech Hill attempt to keep within your budget, whilst being realistic. Your budget is our main consideration when designing and planning your special day. Our tailor-made packages give you an honest account of the total cost from the outset. We pride ourselves in giving value for money whilst maintaining the highest standards of food and service.

Q: We only want a small wedding, does that matter?

A: Your wedding day is your wedding day, our professional team is dedicated to you and to ensuring your day is memorable, it doesn't matter how many guests you have.



Q: Do you know a hairdresser/florist?

A: We can recommend a wide range of local services from photographers, hairdressers, beauticians, florists and confectioners, entertainers... The list is endless.

Q: We are looking for something a little different, can you help?

A: Yes, absolutely! This is your big day and we are happy to tailor the format, menus, decor, entertainment, etc. to suit your needs ... we're here to help you realise your dream wedding day.

Q: When do we discuss our requirements?

A: We will work at your pace. Ideally six weeks is far enough in advance for attention to detail. When accommodation is involved it is best to sort this out as soon as possible.


Q: We don't live locally, can we arrange our day without visiting the Hotel?

A: We like to meet you at least once in the planning of your day, if only to show you around the Hotel so that you can visualise how it will look on the day. If this is all you can manage then that's no problem, we are happy to make all of the arrangements by phone and e-mail.





*The following are provided
complimentary:-*

- Personal Wedding Co-ordinator
- A wedding reception room of layout specially designed to suit your requirements with no hire charge for parties of over 60 guests
- Personally designed menu 
- Cake Stand & Silver Knife
- Personal menu cards & table plan
- Complimentary overnight stay on your Paper Wedding Anniversary



Terms and conditions

Once you have arrived at the decision of entrusting the Beech Hill Hotel with your special day we book you in provisionally for up to two weeks, this allows you time to sort out your church or registrar. After this we require a non-refundable deposit to secure your chosen date. You will be issued with a copy of our terms and conditions to sign, this then serves as our contract whereby you agree our cancellation terms and payment details.



Luxurious Accommodation



Select Plus room



Premier double room



Ruskin suite

We have a wide variety of en-suite rooms on offer to suit individual requirements and budgets including our Classic, Select, Select Plus, Premier and Premier Plus rooms – with many having stunning lake views. Single, twin and family rooms are available as well as some of our rooms offering king-sized or four poster feature beds.

Our Premier Plus rooms and Ruskin Suite are beautifully modern and offer king-sized beds, plasma screen televisions and air conditioning. All of these lake view rooms have spacious bathrooms with corner spa baths and separate shower cabinets as well as patio doors that open onto a decking area.





View from the Wordsworth suite



The Wordsworth Suite is the last word in luxury – with a fabulous view of Lake Windermere through the floor to ceiling windows and its own private garden area complete with seating and a hot tub. The en-suite bathroom has a roll top bath, double walk-in shower and access to the pool area.



High Biggin House

Pre-wedding preparations or honeymoon retreat



The hotel is pleased to be able to offer a unique alternative to its guests, High Biggin is a luxury four bedroom, five bathroom holiday home with unrivalled views of Lake Windermere. It can be used for your honeymoon retreat or pre-wedding preparations

The stunning views and spacious, beautifully appointed and furnished rooms epitomise this wonderful detached holiday home set in landscaped grounds overlooking Lake Windermere. No expense has been spared to create a unique atmosphere for families and couples to relax in comfort and elegance close to the fashionable lakeside village of Bowness within 5 minutes walk, with its stylish boutiques, tea rooms, pubs and restaurants.



En-suite bedrooms



pre-wedding preparations



Lounge



Landscaped gardens





We can exclusively offer our guests at High Biggin House

- 4 Bedrooms
- 5 bathrooms
- Spacious terrace with patio furniture has lake views
- Hot tub
- Chef and waiter service
- 37in LED 1080p HD TV



What to see and do

Around the Lakes

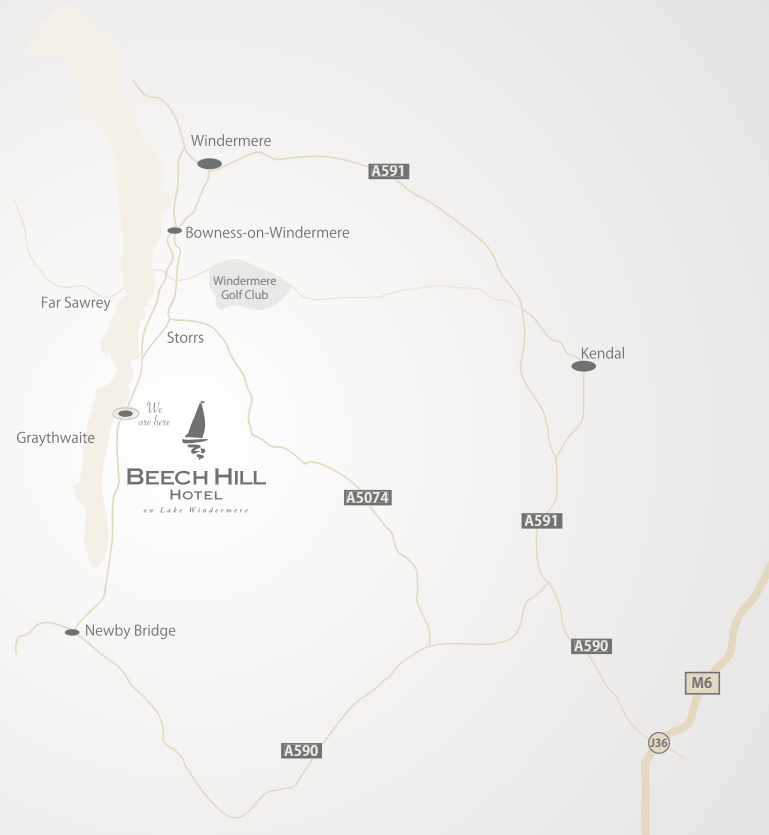


If you can draw yourself away from the Beech Hill and its wondrous view

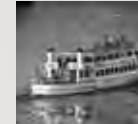
you'll find lots to see and do on the doorstep. The best way to appreciate the beauty of the landscape is by walking and the Lakes are famous for it.



Beech Hill Hotel



Around the Lakes



Just down the road from the hotel, Bowness on Windermere is a very popular town, especially in the summer months. Boat trips from its dock showcase the lake in its entirety.

One location offers 3 attractions in one beautiful setting - Holker Hall, Gardens and Lakeland Motor Museum. A "must see" is the World of Beatrix



Potter and Hill Top Farm, the home she purchased in 1905 and which inspired a number of her tales. In nearby Grasmere is Dove Cottage that was home to William

Wordsworth. Rydal Mount also has a connection to Wordsworth and it still belongs to descendants of the poet.

Golfers too can be happily challenged as there are 3 good courses within easy driving distance. For keen anglers, the Beech Hill has permits for over 18 different fisheries (see website for details).

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