

# THE CROFT HOTEL



*Your Happily Ever After*



# Welcome

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Congratulations on your engagement!

Choosing the right location for your wedding day, is as crucial as choosing the rings! We get that! So, as you start looking around for the perfect venue to compliment your personal love story, here at The Croft Hotel, we believe we are ideally situated to offer inspiration for your dreams to come true.

The Croft Hotel is a stunning Grade-II listed building overlooking the River Tees. We offer you class and elegance, ideal for any wedding held here. We have stood the test of time, and have seen many beautifully romantic stories playing out within our walls. Why not add your own unique fairy-tale to the prestigious history of this modernised Hotel and Wedding venue?

The Croft Hotel can easily cater for any size celebration: from an intimate wedding of just 20 guests, to a full-on dance-all-night celebration, with up to 200 evening guests.

With 24 en suite guest rooms in the hotel, as well as our unique two-storey Bridal Suite with its own private beauty salon, you could extend your wedding celebration to the next morning. Some of your guests, especially those who are not local, may consider staying at The Croft Hotel for a mini-break, to see you off in style the next morning, as you head off into the sunrise for your romantic honeymoon.

We would love to be a part of your story. Our wedding coordinator looks forward to welcoming you as you visit The Croft Hotel in all its exquisite glory.



# Your Ceremony

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The Croft Hotel is located next to Historic Grade-I listed St Peter's Church, where English author Lewis Carroll's father was rector, and his Alice in Wonderland character Cheshire Cat is said to have been inspired by a carving within.

As well as a perfect location for your wedding, the church and riverbank will make a stunning backdrop to your wedding day photos.

If you would prefer a Civil Ceremony, then The Croft Hotel would be delighted to exclusively host you - there will be no other weddings here on your special day.

The Croft Hotel is fully licensed for:

- Civil ceremonies
- Vow renewals
- Civil partnerships
- Naming ceremonies

Room hire is available on request, and does not include the Registrar's fees.

**Please note:**

A Registrar for your ceremony will need to be booked separately. Our local Registrar is located at Richmond Registry Office: 12 Queens Road, Richmond, North Yorkshire, DL10 4AE

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# Your Celebration

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The Croft Hotel is the perfect choice for a memorable wedding story. We guarantee that we have the ability to create that wow factor throughout your day.





## *Chaytor Suite*

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From the three striking, crystal chandeliers, to the elegant oak floor, The Croft Hotel's Ballroom offers an enchanted fairy-tale glamour to your beautiful day. The unique "L" shape feature of the room also means you can easily create two separate spaces, if you wanted a hassle-free journey leading from day into night.

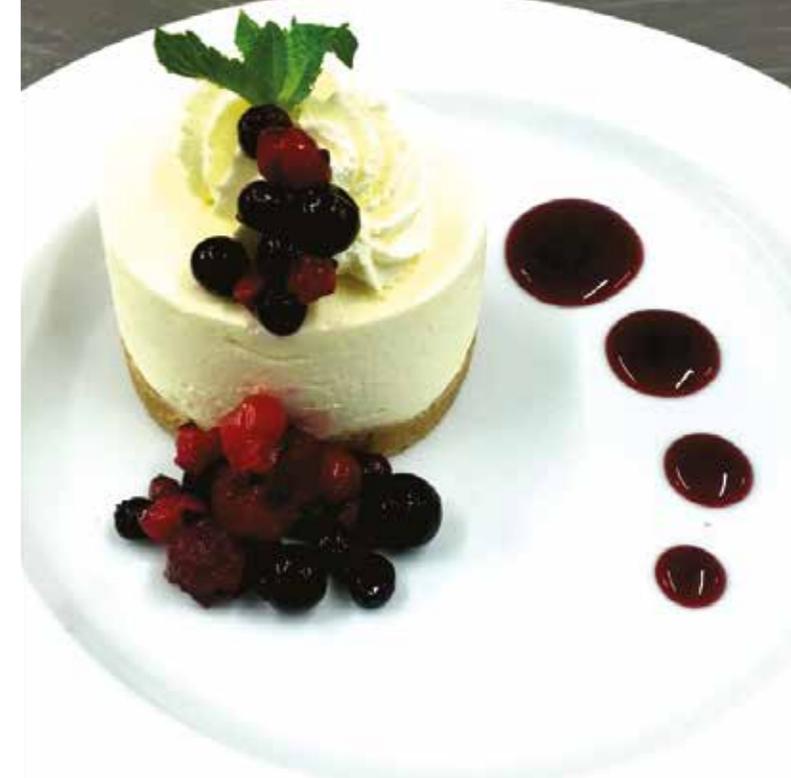
The Chaytor Suite can accommodate up to 180 guests for your civil ceremony and wedding breakfast. Should you wish to expand your evening guest list, we can clear the tables, creating space for up to 200 guests in total.

The room features its own bar and has a small patio area, ideal for those who want a quick breather from the dancing. There is also disabled access.

## *The Private Dining Room*

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For a more intimate wedding, the Private Dining Room is a cosy alternative. Feasting altogether around one large table allows you to interact with all your guests easily, providing a real family feeling you may prefer. Accommodates up to 20 people.



## *Your Wedding Breakfast*

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Making sure you and your guests are perfectly catered for with excellent local produce, is something The Croft Hotel takes great pride in.

You can rest assured our outstanding food is created using the freshest, highest-quality, seasonal ingredients. Excellent presentation, professional service and attention to detail by our highly-trained staff will all enhance your perfect day. Previous experience tells us that you, and your guests, will want to come back for more after the wedding.



## Our Accommodation

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### *Why not make a full weekend of your wedding celebrations?*

We can help you carry on the celebrations into the morning. For any of your guests who would like to stay, The Croft Hotel is proud to boast 24 beautifully renovated, ensuite bedrooms, combining period features with modern décor, with many rooms offering beautiful views of Croft Bridge and St Peter's Church.

On your behalf, we can create special breakfast invitations, which will be placed in your guests' rooms inviting them to join you for breakfast the following morning.

Room service is available with a reception desk operating 24/7 to assist you should you have any need for assistance. We have ample parking on site to ensure your stay is as easy as possible. All our bedrooms include free Wi-Fi, Freeview TV, heated towel rail, hairdryer and complimentary toiletries, and an iron with ironing board.

## Bridal Suite

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Our romantically, palatial two-storey Bridal Suite offers the ultimate in luxury, comfort and relaxation. Featuring a super king-sized bed, stunning chandeliers, and jacuzzi bath it is the perfect place for you to wake up as you begin your married life together.



# The Bridal Suite Beauty Room

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The Bridal Suite also comes complete with it's very own private beauty salon. On the morning of the big day the bride and her bridesmaids can ascend the stunning, wrought iron, spiral staircase to be pampered and beautified by your beauty team.

For the ultimate in relaxation, you may want to consider booking the Bridal Suite for the night before as well, giving you time to wake up refreshed ready for your big day.

# The Extra Touch

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We know how stressful the planning of a wedding can be for many couples so let our team help with their wealth of experience in wedding planning. We will look after the details on the day, so you can relax and enjoy living in your personal fairy-tale.

You will be assigned a specialist wedding coordinator, who will be on hand to answer any questions you have, and ease the pressure of organising your big day, and will meet with you as often as you need to put the finishing touches in place, meaning you won't need to think about anything on the day itself, except turning up and saying, "I do"!

To make your day feel that little bit extra special, at The Croft hotel we can also offer these extra touches:

- White Carpet Entrance
- Star lit dance floor
- Uplighting
- Hog roast
- Name cards & table plan
- Ceremony room dressing
- Red Carpet Entrance
- Starlit curtain
- PA system
- BBQ
- Menu on table

*We look forward to helping you write your wedding day story. Contact our wedding coordinators to book an initial conversation to find out how The Croft can help your story take shape. Our first conversation is a no obligation opportunity to explore together what your dream day could look like.*



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