



PENN ESTATE CELLAR

Isle of Portland

Events Drinks and Bars

Our events team can set up and manage all drinks requirements for your event and throughout your stay with us. More than just a supplier; the Penn Estate Cellar ensures that you and your guests always enjoy wonderful choices, with zero hassle.

Why use Penn Estate Cellar?

We know that you have many options in the provision of drinks for your event and we do not insist that you use the Penn Estate Cellar or charge any corkage if you choose to source your drinks from elsewhere. We want your decision to be based on the understanding that we provide a carefully curated selection, which your guests will enjoy.

What is the benefit of using the Penn Estate Cellar for my Event?

Experience - we understand every aspect of your drinks service and how it is best delivered. With trusted relationships between us and your chosen caterer, we can arrange everything without the need for you to co-ordinate with another supplier on deliveries, setting up, and breaking down.

Whilst planning your event you will get to know our events team well, they will work with you as an integrated part of your event planning and be there on the day knowing exactly what is required when. The Penn Creative Collection team will then co-ordinate your bar set ups and styling meaning that the 'drinks' parts of your day are considered within your full design.

Continuity – we can provide drinks throughout your stay. Covering everything from welcome drinks on arrival at the Castle, every aspect of a wedding or event, and even brunch the next day. Our team will manage and co-ordinate everything so that your guests continue to have an exceptional experience. If there is a special request or something unexpected it will be your events team that will resolve problems for you quietly and simply.

Difference – where guests choose to spend their budget varies from event to event and if you are looking to provide a drink service in the most economical way possible then the Estate Cellar may not be the right choice for your celebration, as we know there are many other options available to you. However, if you want a special experience, then that is where we can deliver. Our drinks will be a talking point for your guests who, if interested, can have access to tasting notes and stories as to why these wine choices were made.

Service - The provision of alcohol either via a table services or managing the bar, combined with a variety of guests of different ages and requirements is not something you want to be worrying about on the day. With your Events Team managing sourcing, and a combination of your chosen catering team and the Penn Bar team serving your guests throughout the day, you can be confident that your they will be looked after by a team you know well.

What are the options you provide?

The options are bundled to help you decide which drinks you would prefer, based on our expert knowledge. We can swap choices should you wish to better to accommodate your taste, or a specific wine you may have in mind. Delivery to the Estate, returns and administration is included in the pricing.

Your catering team will have included staff for basic drinks service up until the end of dinner, within their quote, and the Penn team will take over your evening bar service, as standard.

Staff costs are included for additional bolt on bars.

Celebrations

Carefully selected prosecco or Champagne, wine and alcohol-free alternatives for your, drinks reception, celebratory meal, with the option to bolt on welcome drinks and bar packages. We have carefully selected options from our wine list, with two different bundles to suit your budgets, based on our experience with quantities.



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Option 1 – The Orangery

Good quality wines, providing a great entry level selection.

Drinks Reception (post ceremony) 1.5hrs

NV Valfonda Prosecco Extra Dry, Cantine Gambellara

A great all-rounder Prosecco with finesse and elegance.

Per person – 2-3 glasses

And

Bottle Green Sparkling Elderflower

A great option in addition to prosecco to keep guests hydrated.

Per person – 1-2 glasses

(This will cover a 10% of guests preferring the non-alcoholic option, however please let us know if you have a larger percentage of your party)

Wedding Breakfast

2019/20 Bella Modella Pinot Grigio, IGT Colline Teatine, Italy

A beautifully, light, vibrant white to be appreciated for its zesty, citrus and green apple character and refreshing quality.

Per person – half bottle

2019 Sangiovese Vinvita, IGT Rubicone, Italy

Juicy and fresh with gently floral aromatics and lively acidity.

Per person – half bottle

New Forest Still and Sparkling Spring Water

Sourced and bottled natural spring water in the stunning and tranquil New Forest.

Per person – 1 bottle

The Toast and Speeches

NV Valfonda Prosecco Extra Dry, Cantine Gambellara

A great all-rounder Prosecco with finesse and elegance.

Per person – 1 glass

£26.00 per person

Option to add:

Arrival Drinks

Guests greeted on arrival a glass of fizz or for those opting for an alcohol free alternative, sparkling Elderflower

NV Valfonda Prosecco Extra Dry, Cantine Gambellara

60-80 guests - £335.00

80-100 guests - £430.00

Evening Wine Top Up

A selection the wines from the Orangery bundle, available throughout the evening. This selection also provides a good buffer/back up for your drinks reception, should it be needed.

60-80 guests - £255.00

80-100 guests - £310.00



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Option 2 – The Estate

A selection of excellent quality locally sourced, from Dorset and bordering counties, wines and drinks that provide a point of difference and really tell the Estate story.

Drink Reception (post ceremony) 1.5hrs

NV Classic Cuvee Corallion, Langham Wine Estate, Dorset

This award-winning Dorset Sparkling wine is aged for two years in cellars cut into the rocks at Portland harbour. Summer fruits in the background lead to a hint of peach with a crisp, clean and well-structured finish. Per person – 2-3 glasses

Or

NV Rose, Langham Wine Estate, Dorset

Matured in cellars cut deep into the rocks of Portland Harbour this beautifully made, award winning local sparkling rosé shows a deep pink hue that draws the eye while subtle red cherry flavours delight the taste buds.

Per person – 2-3 glasses

And

Luscombe, Wild Elderflower Bubbly

Elderflowers hand-picked in the June, Devonshire sunshine infuse this classic drink. The gentle sparkle lifts the floral notes for an elegant taste. A great option in addition to prosecco to keep guests hydrated.

Per person – 1-2 glasses

(This will cover a small percentage of guests preferring the non-alcoholic option, however please let us know if you have a larger quantity of guests)

Wedding Breakfast

2019 Bride Valley, Dorset Chardonnay

A delightful example of a cool climate Chardonnay, Dorset's answer to Chablis. Floral and fruit aromas with a refreshing finish.

Per person – half bottle

2018 Bride Valley, Dorset Pinot Noir

A glorious Pinot Noir - Steven Spurrier's, the late owners, dream wine. Light and fruity with a hint of oak, only produced in exceptional years.

Per person – half bottle

New Forest Still and Sparkling Spring Water

sourced and bottled natural spring water in the stunning and tranquil New Forest.

Per person – 1 bottle

The Toast and Speeches

NV Classic Cuvee Corallion, Langham Wine Estate, Dorset

This award winning Dorset Sparkling wine is aged for two years in cellars cut into the rocks at Portland harbour. Summer fruits in the background lead to a hint of peach with a crisp, clean and well structured finish.

Per person – (1 glass)

£68.00 per person



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Option to add:

Arrival Drinks

Guests greeted on arrival a glass of fizz or for those opting for an alcohol free alternative, sparkling Elderflower NV Classic Cuvee Corallion, Langham Wine Estate, Dorset

60-80 guests - £975.00

80-100 guests - £1,253.00

Evening Wine Top Up

A selection the wines from the Estate bundle, to be available throughout the evening. This selection also provide a good buffer/back up for your drinks reception, should it be needed.

60-80 guests - £678.00

80-100 guests - £825.00

The Bars

The Cocktail Bar

A specialist bar set up featuring fun pre-mixed cocktails from local mixologists at The Nook, Weymouth. Choose two cocktails of your choice from our bespoke list, (mocktail version's available), served from Penn's styled bar, during your post-ceremony drinks reception. Includes staff and glassware
£1,820.00 - (100 glasses)

The 'Dorset' Gin Bar

A selection of Dorset Gin, (including Conker Bowser alcohol-free if required), with carefully matched tonics and garnish. Served from Penn's styled bar, during your post-ceremony drinks reception. Includes staff and glassware
£755.00 - (100 glasses)

The Whisky Bar

Set up in the comfort of Penn's drawing room, the after dinner whiskey bar, will feature a selection of aged single malts, complete with ice and water for an authentic experience. Sit back, relax and enjoy! Includes staff and glassware.
£395.00 - Approx 50-80 glasses

The Beer Bath

Penn's vintage bath Penn's vintage bath, filled to the brim with a selection of premium larger, ale and cider. A help yourself service throughout your post-ceremony drinks reception. Includes glassware if required. Includes glassware required.
£250.00 - (80 Beers)

The 'Dorset' Beer Bath

Penn's vintage bath, filled to the brim with a selection of local beers and ales from Dorset Brewing Company and Cider from Purbeck Cider Company, on ice. A help yourself service throughout your post-ceremony drinks reception. Includes glassware required.
£325.00 - (60 Beers)

The Water Station

A styled water station, containing 330ml bottles of New Forest still and sparkling spring water, for guests to help themselves to on arrival, during the ceremony and throughout the day. An essential add on for peak summer events.
£1.90 per person



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'Boozy' Sorbets

Xin and Voltaire Cocktail Sorbets, served usherette style to your guests, perfect for that after dinner kick on a hot summers' day.

Choose from:

Alphonse – Dark rum, coconut liqueur, mango and passion fruit. 9.6% ABV

Aurelie – Single malt whiskey, Amaretto and pear. 8.4% ABV

Giselle – Mezcal, Champagne, raspberry, lime and agave. 7.9% ABV

Florian – Champagne, vodka, elderflower liqueur, white peach and vanilla. 7.6% ABV

60-80 guests - £865.00

80-100 guests - £1,060.00

Rentals

During your stay you may require wine and drinks options so you can help yourself. Alternatively, we can provide combinations of drinks services during your stay from an evening bar through to a bar waiting service for guests. Please get in touch with our events team for more information.

FAQ

[Can we select alternatives?](#)

Of course. We know you or your guests may have different tastes so you can swap choices in and out with the events team or go completely off our plan and design your own drinks menu with the assistance of Dorset Wines. We also understand that some of your guests may prefer to choose an alcohol-free selection during your celebration, so we ensure those options are equally thought through.

[Can we just purchase Cases of the Wine?](#)

All our wines are available to purchase by the case or half case. You may wish to order in advance of your arrival to enjoy together at the Castle, or to take home after your stay.

[Can we bring our own drinks?](#)

Absolutely. During a licenced event, the drinks service will be managed between your chosen caterer and the Penn bar team, even if you choose to provide your own drinks. Should you require staff to assist with serving drinks over and above your licenced event then this will be charged accordingly.

[How do you select your wines?](#)

The ethos behind our selection of wines and spirits is that they must have a story to tell, reflect the expectations of our guests and offer a range of price points.

For guests looking for something exceptional, the cellar can also arrange consultation and tasting provided by The Dorset Wine Company in Poundbury, Dorchester. We work closely with the team at Dorset Wine, who will also offer a bespoke wine matching service for your event.

[Is the Penn Estate Cellar open during our stay?](#)

You can order anything in the cellar from the Penn Estate E-shop at any time before, during or after your stay. For orders over 6 bottles, please allow 72hrs notice.