

LODGE AT PINE COVE



Weddings & Special Occasions

Celebrate Your Love at the French River



The Lodge at Pine Cove specializes in intimate weddings from 2 – 75 guests. The most popular way to enjoy a special occasion here is to book the Lodge exclusively for you, your family and friends. Our gorgeous setting on the French River will be the backdrop to a memorable celebration and true getaway for everyone. Your Wedding Weekend Package at Pine Cove can be as rustic or as elegant as you wish - we'll help you choose and achieve the perfect balance.

The following page describe how to celebrate your love at the French River! **Please note that this package is not available during long weekends.**

Wedding Weekend Package

Our Wedding Weekend Package has been designed for couples that wish to invite up to 75 guests to celebrate with them at the Lodge. We require a minimum 50 guest two-night stays with meals. Please see chart below for more details.

Beginning with our base rate of \$6500*, you will have exclusive use of the Main Lodge for 2 full days and nights – so start dreaming! This is the base weekend price for you and you can build on your guest list from there. The Lodge can accommodate up to 75 guests in 19 cottages.

The base rate includes everything listed in the following tables for the bride & groom including your accommodation in our wonderful waterfront cottages. A rehearsal can be staged upon request.

On your wedding day, we deliver romantic breakfast hampers to the cottages. We'll be ready for you with a fabulous celebratory cocktail party and wedding dinner at the Lodge. On Sunday, sleep in and then enjoy a special brunch at the Lodge with your guests.

We have included a pricing worksheet in this brochure for our Wedding Packages that will help you quickly calculate the cost of hosting your wedding here.

*May/June, save 10% on the base rate.

**Weekday weddings (2 nights of Tues, Wed, Thurs) save \$2000 off base rate.



<p>Wedding Weekend Package– from \$6,500 Our Base Price for a Fri/Sat night wedding weekend at Pine Cove begins at \$6,500 - Everything is included for the Bride & Groom. You build from there! *Plus Taxes & 10% Gratuity.</p>	<p>Spring Wedding May – June 24</p>	<p>Late Summer Wedding Sept 14 – Sept 30</p>	<p>Autumn Wedding Oct 1 – Oct 15</p>
<p>Planning Ahead Up to 12 months prior to your wedding, 1 night’s complimentary stay for 2 in a cozy waterfront studio cottage for planning your wedding at Pine Cove *Reimbursed with wedding booking if not used beforehand. **Complimentary stay not valid on long weekends or holidays. ***We reserve the right to change the date of complementary stay.</p>	<p>Extra nights and Additional Guests may join you to preview the Lodge at our seasonal rates. Please enquire. The Lodge has a lovely selection of studio, 1, 2 and 3-bedroom cottages. We can help with guest lists and cottage assignments. Visit our Accommodations page on the website for descriptions and photos.</p>		
<p>Wedding Weekend Accommodation Complimentary Private Waterfront Cottage for Wedding Couple (Please check with the Lodge to confirm # of persons per cottage) *Minimum two nights stay.</p>	<p>Guests \$135 pp/night</p>	<p>Guests \$149 pp/night</p>	<p>Guests \$145 pp/night</p>
<p>Your Own Private Lodge Exclusive use* of the Lodge at Pine Cove for the weekend (or any 2 nights booked for the wedding) * up to 19 cottages and main lodge; based on availability. **can be booked during weekdays</p>	<p>No additional charge.</p>		
<p>Discover the French River A unique, simple, tranquil, rustically elegant setting right on the waterfront at Wolseley Bay.</p>	<p>Your guests will love you for choosing the Lodge at Pine Cove and leave refreshed from a weekend at the French River.</p>		
<p>Choose Your Backdrop Wedding ceremony set up at Pine Cove plain-air or in Main Lodge. Several lovely spots around the property offer perfect settings for your ceremony. The Main Lodge features a large screened porch overlooking the beach and Wolseley Bay; the Beach is immediately adjacent to the Main Lodge.</p>	<p>Our staff will assist you in setting up for your ceremony.</p>		
<p>Natural Entertainment for Everyone at the Wedding Use of kayaks & canoes for short paddles around the Lodge; equipment & planning for longer trips on the river is available at extra cost.</p>	<p>Our protected Pine Cove is perfect for paddling and swimming; trip planning, instruction, guides and outfitting equipment are available for an additional charge.</p>		
<p>Everything You Need China, glassware and flatware are included for all dining events of up to 50 guests; table linens and napkins are rented on your behalf for a nominal charge.</p>	<p>You are welcome to add your own touches. For weddings over 50 guests, all china, flatware, glassware, linens etc.. are rented by the bride & groom.</p>		
<p>Settling In for the Weekend Welcome tea & coffee are available at your cottages. Help with your wedding luggage and packages are available.</p>	<p>Guests are welcome to bring other snacks to store in their cottages.</p>		
<p>Relax Early check-in* at 2pm for wedding couple and wedding party on day of arrival. All other guests are welcome to arrive after 4pm.</p>	<p>Although bags will be picked up from cottages during breakfast on the day of departure, all wedding guests are welcome to stay and enjoy the lodge, swim, canoe and hike after check out on Sunday.</p>		

<p>Wedding Weekend: The Food! Our Base Price for a Fri/Sat night wedding weekend at Pine Cove begins at \$6,500 - Everything is included for the Bride & Groom. You build from there! *Plus Taxes & 10% Gratuity. *Midnight snack is optional.</p>	<p>Spring Wedding May – June 24</p>	<p>Late Summer Wedding Sept 14 – Sept 30</p>	<p>Autumn Wedding Oct 1 – Oct 14</p>
<p>Casual Rehearsal Dinner Wedding rehearsal beach bbq & bonfire. We do all the work and bring the marshmallows 'Smores' supplies for after dinner.</p>	<p>Guests \$38 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$44 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$38 per person</p>
<p>A Special Start to Your Special Day Wedding day breakfast. A romantic breakfast hamper will be delivered to your cottages on Saturday morning.</p>	<p>Saturday breakfast is included in all guest accommodation rates.</p>		
<p>Launching the Celebration "Romantic Cruise" on the French River. Our guide will take you out in our "floating lounge" on a leisurely cruise on the French River. Max 12 persons.</p>	<p>Guests \$22 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$27 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$22 per person</p>
<p>Congratulations! Post Ceremony Wedding Cocktail Party in the Main Lodge. It's time to raise a glass to you with your friends and family. A special hors d'oeuvre menu will be designed to complement your Wedding Dinner.</p>	<p>Guests \$11 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$16 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$13 per person</p>
<p>Waterfront Wedding Dinner 4-Course Wedding Dinner in the Main Lodge. We offer plated dinners with choices of soup, salad, fish and meat. *Must be seated by 6:30pm. **All wedding dinners are held in main dining room.</p>	<p>Guests \$55 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$60 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$55 per person</p>
<p>Have Your Cake Your wedding dinner menu includes a luscious dessert of your choice. Although we are not wedding cake bakers, if you would like your main dessert to be "cake", we have some unique ideas.</p>			
<p>Wines, Beer & Spirits We are licensed by the LCBO and offer a nice selection of wines; We also offer a corkage fee of \$25 per bottle if you would like to supply your own Wine; private consumption in rented cottages is fine.*We offer bar packages, please ask for more details.</p>	<p>Reasonably priced wines, beer & spirits, along with special, themed cocktails, can be arranged to suit your menu selections. Wines are sold by the bottle; beer and spirits are sold per standard drink. Cash bars can be arranged for any part of your weekend celebration.*Please ask us for more details on the cash bar.</p>		
<p>Midnight Snack All that dancing works up a late night appetite. A selection of hot or cold snacks is available to choose from.</p>	<p>Guests \$11 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$16 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$13 per person</p>
<p>Sunday Brunch* Choose between our romantic breakfast baskets delivered to your cottages or a hot Sunday brunch in the Main Lodge. *Not included in accommodation rates. **Service from 9:00am – 10:30am for brunch</p>	<p>Guests \$22 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$27 per person</p>	<p>Guests \$24 per person</p>

FAQ's

What do the Base Rates Include?

The base rates include our assistance with some details of your wedding at Pine Cove. This includes planning the wedding day menu, guest accommodations coordination, and logistics of accepting rental equipment. This includes exclusive use of the main lodge building.

How Do We Reserve our Wedding?

To reserve your wedding, The Lodge at Pine Cove requires a non-refundable deposit of \$4500 CAD for a weekend package.

90 days prior to your wedding date, The Lodge requires a second non-refundable deposit representing the balance of your wedding base rate.

45 days prior to your wedding date, The Lodge requires the final balance of your wedding package including all applicable taxes and a credit card to guarantee alcohol, service charges and other incidentals during your stay with us.

45 days prior to your wedding date, The Lodge will also request the final number of dinner guests and equipment rental requirements. Final billing will be based on this number of guests and cannot be less than this number. However additional guests can be added with prior agreement of The Lodge.

How do our guests pay?

Guests can contact the lodge & provide payment details via Visa, Mastercard or E-Transfer. Payments are due on booking no later than 60 days before wedding day.

What is the Cancellation Policy?

Weddings deposits and payments are non-refundable. Please be certain of your plans prior to committing to our wedding deposit requirement. The Lodge at Pine Cove cannot accept responsibility for cancellations due to illness, inclement weather, change of plans or other factors beyond our control



More FAQ's

What About Outside Guests?

You and your overnight guests are our guests at the Lodge. Outside guests are considered your guests, and we need to ensure that we are sharing responsibility for them. **We request that all outside guests have arrangements made for designated drivers, such as mini-vans or buses which will transport guests to and from their homes in the local area, Sudbury or other local accommodations. Please do not allow your guests to drink and drive.**



Is a Damage Deposit Required?

The Lodge at Pine Cove requires a \$2,725 damage deposit along with your final deposit. We will pre-authorize your credit card the weekend of your wedding. The damage deposit is 100% refundable provided there is no willful damage to the Lodge and its equipment (including all cottages and grounds). Accidents do happen, and the Lodge will not hold its guests responsible for minor loss or breakage. Damage to floors, walls, furniture and other equipment. Thank you for asking your wedding guests to drink responsibly and to be respectful of our facility and our staff.

Does the Lodge Recommend Wedding Suppliers?

The Lodge at Pine Cove can provide you with names of local suppliers for photography, a local wedding planner, flowers, cakes, etc. We do not make recommendations, but we do provide a list of reputable businesses.

When can we meet?

We are able to meet on weekdays and some weekends. Please contact us to make arrangements in advance.

For more information and assistance with pricing, please email info@frenchriver.com or call 705.898.2500

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