



BRYANT PARK grill
weddings & private events

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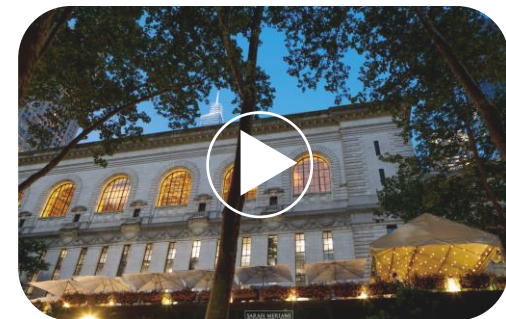
CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR ENGAGEMENT!



With the romance of a Parisian garden, set in the heart of New York is Bryant Park, the Bryant Park Grill offers award-winning service and an unforgettable experience for your special day. No other wedding venue has the dramatic backdrop of classic and modern skyscrapers, shades you with vibrant trees, colors you with thousands of flowers and adorns your view with one of the country's greatest cultural architectural institutions, the New York Public Library.

Bryant Park Grill has won eight times both The Knot Best of Weddings award and WeddingWire Couples Choice award, and is also a member of the Knot Hall of Fame.

[View our video gallery:](#)



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THE
JEWEL
OF
BRYANT
PARK

Let your story begin at Bryant Park . . .



PICTURE YOUR DAY!



Guests can witness your ceremony vows either on our Rooftop Terrace or in the South Garden, celebrate with a lovely cocktail reception, sit down for a three course meal, then tear up the dance floor in our Grill Dining Room.

COMPRISED OF THREE AREAS:



rooftop terrace



the south garden



grill dining room

You can design your ceremony and reception to fit your needs. Depending on the season, the space can accommodate up to 220 people.

Our event coordinator will be happy to ensure your wedding is perfect and exactly how you imagined it. Every detail will be covered, giving you peace of mind on your special day. Thank you for considering the Bryant Park Grill for your Wedding, Bridal Shower or Rehearsal Dinner.

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sample WEDDING EVENT

5:30 pm

guests arriving

6:00 pm

wedding ceremony on roof
dj playing music for ceremony

6:30 pm

cocktail reception on roof

7:30 - 7:45 pm

guests move to grill

dj playing in grill

first dance, parent dances

half hour of dancing

7:50 – 8 pm

guests sit for dinner, orders taken

8:15 pm

first course

two speeches between appetizer and main course

8:40 pm

entree served

10 pm

cake cutting

slices served to each guest

11:25 pm

sparkler send off

11:30 pm

celebration concludes



THANK YOU

for considering
BRYANT PARK GRILL
for your upcoming wedding!

Our event experts will work with you to customize the menu for your event.

A tantalizing cocktail reception comprised of deluxe open bar, a specialty cocktail, butler-passed hors d'oeuvres and a grazing station will precede a gourmet three course meal including appetizer, choice of two entrées, dessert, wine service with dinner and unlimited sparkling wine.

To view & download our complete menus [\(click here\)](#)

Brunch and lunch menus available upon request.

Diverse dietary needs can be accommodated.

The following pages are a guideline to display what is included.

sample

ONE HOUR RECEPTION with deluxe open bar (two signature cocktails included)

liquor

grey goose vodka
ketel one vodka
tito's vodka
grey goose le citron vodka
bombay sapphire gin
hendrick's gin
bacardi silver rum
casamigos reposado tequila
casamigos blanco tequila

maker's mark bourbon
woodford reserve bourbon
widow jane bourbon
sagamore rye
aperol
jack daniels whiskey
suntory japanese whiskey toki
jameson irish whiskey
dewar's 12 yr scotch
speyburn single malt scotch

prosecco

la marca prosecco

wine

selection of one white wine & one red wine

white

franciscan chardonnay, california
prophecy pinot grigio, italy
dashwood, sauvignon blanc, new zealand

red

j pinot noir, california
bonterra organic, cabernet sauvignon, california

rosé

gérard bertrand cote des roses, rosé, france

hard seltzer

high noon hard seltzer

beer

bottled

corona
heineken light
lagunitas ipa
heineken
everyday ark ale

draft

six point pilsner
blue moon white ale
sierra nevada hazy ipa

soft drinks

sparkling mineral water, sodas, juices, tonic & club soda & garnishes

sample

COCKTAIL RECEPTION

hot & cold hors d'oeuvres

passed by waiters

potato latkes with american caviar & sour cream

sashimi tuna taco *gf*

fresh tuna tartar cone with wasabi aioli & tobiko *gf*

petite new england lobster roll

louisiana crab cake with creole sauce

popcorn sesame chicken with hot & sour sauce

mini angus burger melt with cornichon on a petite brioche

mini steak frites peppered filet mignon & chipotle aioli served on a potato chip

plus, a beautifully presented grazing antipasto station

charcuterie platter prosciutto di parma, sweet copa, imported salami, olives cornichons & olive oil crostini

assorted artisanal cheeses served with tomato marmalade, spiced nuts, dried organic fruit & fine crackers

selection of grilled vegetables asparagus spears, peppers, artichokes, squash, eggplant & endive *gf, vg*

tuscan white bean dip *gf, vg*

arugula, fennel, & orange salad pine nuts & fresh oregano *gf, vg*

individual crudités served in glasses with herb dressing *gf, v*

bowls of savory olives picholine & alfonso *gf, vg*

olive bread, focaccia & grissini display parsley & lemon

marinated bocconcini tomatoes & basil *gf, v*

baby spinach & artichoke dip *gf, vg*

sample
DINNER MENU

appetizer

burrata mozzarella & heirloom tomatoes v

main course

grilled angus filet mignon roasted fingerling potatoes, sautéed spinach, wild mushrooms, au jus gf
or
mediterranean branzino creamy polenta, caponata vegetables, watercress beurre blanc gf

silent vegetarian

option also available

grilled cauliflower steak israeli couscous with harissa, golden raisins, feta & almonds, patty pan squash v

petite sweets

granny smith & jack daniels apple pie

valrhona blackout chocolate mousse

chocolate dipped cheesecake lollipops

sweet & salty trio caramel popcorn, chocolate-dipped pretzels & peanut brittle

caramel panna cotta with popcorn whipped cream & chocolate cigarette

french macarons lemon lime, hazelnut, cherry, chocolate chip, blackberry merlot gf

fresh berry tarts

coffee & tea service

A wedding cake, if desired, may be arranged with and brought in by an outside baker.

Bryant Park Grill does not charge fees to slice and plate your wedding cake.

To help satisfy your sweet tooth, a display of petite sweets is offered, all baked in-house!

We strive to use locally sourced products and sustainably caught seafood whenever possible. The Restaurant may make reasonable substitutions to the menus when product availability or menus change. Client will be notified of such changes in advance of the Event.



FACTS & QUESTIONS

rooms & layout

Will my wedding be in a private room at the restaurant?

We accommodate special events in our restaurant dining areas – Rooftop Terrace, South Garden and Grill Dining Room - by closing our business to the public. There are no dedicated private dining rooms at Bryant Park Grill.

Is there a separate buyout fee to close the restaurant?

Our pricing is structured as a package price which includes the value of the business lost by closing to the public, based on day/date/time of the event, as well as the cost of food and beverage arranged for the event, as determined by the number of anticipated guests, and ultimately menu selections.

fees

Is there a wedding ceremony fee?

Yes, this fee covers additional labor and equipment required and allows an additional half-hour for the event duration.

traditions

For **Jewish ceremonies**, Bryant Park Grill can provide a glass for breaking (light bulb) and Challah Bread for the blessing. Arrangements for these items should be made in advance with your Catering Manager.

The **Chuppah and/or Arch**, as well as an aisle runner, if applicable, is the responsibility of the Client.

vendors

Can I use my own vendors?

Absolutely. In the interest of personalizing your event, we welcome outside vendors, including music, florist, decor, lighting, wedding cake, photography and videography. Alternatively, we are happy to share vendors with whom we've worked successfully in the past. All vendors must carry the required insurance that is stipulated in our contracts.

Do you provide vendor meals?

Vendor meals (i.e. for musicians, DJ, photographer, etc.) working with your event are to be requested 1 week prior to the event date and are an additional charge. The meal includes the chef's choice of hot entrée and non-alcoholic beverages.

transportation

Is transportation readily available for my guests after a wedding?

Taxis are available on West 40th or West 42nd Streets. If using a car service, it is recommended that arrangements for private car service be made directly with a car service company at least 24 hours prior to the event. All cars, taxis, vans and buses can drop off and pick up on West 40th Street.

parking

Is there parking available for my wedding guests?

Parking garages are conveniently located nearby Bryant Park Grill as follows: Icon (1114 Avenue of the Americas (entrance on 42nd St between 5th and 6th Aves), (212) 997-8995) or Champion (102 West 39th Street (at 6th Avenue), (212) 852-9033).



FACTS & QUESTIONS continued

details

Are there any other charges aside from the package price?

The package price is subject to a 24% administrative charge, captain fee(s), bar set up fee(s), coat check fees and any current NY state sales tax. Any administrative charge, and any captain fee, bar set-up fee, coat check fee, and supplemental staff fees (if applicable), are not gratuities and will not be given to the wait staff or any other employee. These fees will be retained entirely by the restaurant as part of the contract price that is used to cover costs and overhead relating to the catered event. The banquet wait staff is paid a special banquet hourly rate well in excess of the statutory minimum wage rates and are notified that the administrative charge and these fees are not intended to be a gratuity and will not be distributed to them.

We invite you to contact us for a **customized proposal**, detailing pricing and fees, based on your anticipated date and group size.

When can I drop off items to be used for my event (i.e. seating cards, favors, etc.)?

One day prior to the wedding date, to be coordinated with the Event Director.

Does Bryant Park Grill offer Glatt Kosher Meals or Catering?

Yes, Bryant Park Grill works with some of the premier Kosher Caterers in New York to offer the finest in Kosher Food.

What is the ratio of servers to guests?

Elegant and contemporary service is provided with 1 waiter per 10 guests, with bar service with 1 bartender per 75 guests. Additional staff required to accommodate Client requests is at the Client's responsibility.

Is overtime available for our After Party?

Extending your event beyond the contracted time will increase the per person price by \$35 per person per hour (or \$25 per person per half hour) based on the guaranteed guest count. The additional charge includes bar service, and is subject to 24% administrative charge & sales tax.

Is the venue wheelchair accessible?

Upon arrival and request for the Rooftop or lower level restrooms, guests will be directed to the stairwell for efficiency, though Bryant Park Grill has a fully operational service elevator available upon request. Both the mens' and women's restrooms have wheelchair accessible facilities.

Is there a menu tasting for my wedding?

For plated menus, Bryant Park Grill is pleased to offer a single, complimentary menu tasting/consultation for up to 4 guests, to be scheduled 60-90 days prior to the event date. Our Chef schedules tastings Mondays-Thursdays at 5:00pm or 5:30pm. A minimum of three weeks' notice is required.

Does Bryant Park Grill offer special pricing for children?

Children aged 4-11 years old are eligible for half-price, while children under 4 years old are complimentary. Special children's menus can be arranged with your Catering Manager, if so desired.

Can we take photos in Bryant Park/on the NY Public Library steps?

There is an online permit available at www.bryantpark.org which permits wedding photos to be taken in these areas.

Does Bryant Park Grill provide a wedding suite on the day of my wedding?

Yes, at the Bryant Park Hotel, conveniently located across the street from the restaurant. Upon confirmation of the wedding at Bryant Park Grill, we make a reservation for the couple's wedding night on behalf of the client. Any changes/additions to the reservation must be communicated to the hotel directly by the Client.

Have questions or want to
check available dates?
Contact our special events team
at 212-206-8815.

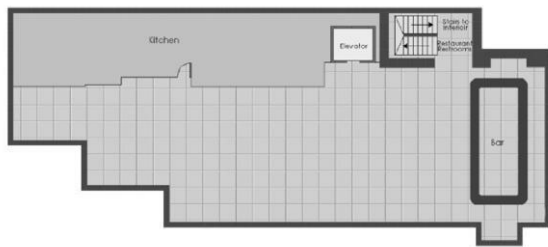
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EVENT CAPACITIES & FLOOR PLANS

We are happy to discuss different event flow options based on the season, client’s anticipated guest count and their unique vision.

Tenting of the Rooftop Terrace for events during warmer months is available upon request, at an additional charge. Our outdoor areas are enclosed at other times by the Restaurant.

rooftop terrace



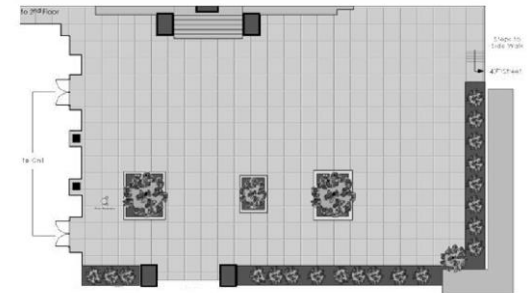
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cocktail reception: 200 guests
buffet reception: 150 guests

grill dining room



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dinner with dancing: 150 guests
dancing & desserts: 220 guests

the south garden



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