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SANTA BARBARA
HISTORICAL MUSEUM



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Evoked the Romance...

of early Spanish California by celebrating your special occasion at this cultural landmark located in the heart of Santa Barbara's historic district. Enjoy the ambience of two private, interconnected courtyards distinguished by native and exotic landscaping and accented with splashing fountains.

Museum Courtyard Occupancy: 50-450



Adobe Courtyard

Occupancy: 250 Ceremony/Cocktail,
175 Reception



Bridal Room



Casa Covarrubias (1817)

Occupancy: 75 Ceremony/Cocktail, 60 Reception

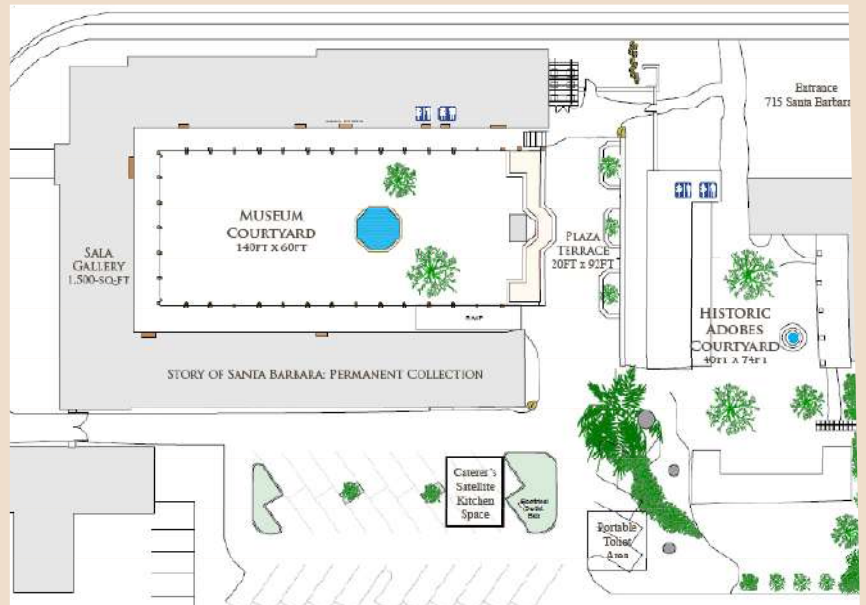


Plaza Terrace

Occupancy: 100 Cocktail Reception



The Venue



SANTA BARBARA HISTORICAL MUSEUM MEETING & WORK SPACE

PRICING INCLUDES:

Use of the Penthouse Boardroom (incl Wifi & A/C)
Private Bathroom, Kitchenette, and Balcony
Boardroom Table & Chairs



The Santa Barbara Historical Museum is centrally located in the heart of downtown Santa Barbara.

Our boardroom offers a clean, wifi-enabled, air conditioned space that includes:

- Large Walnut Boardroom Table with 12 Chairs
- Sitting Area
- Private Bathroom
- Kitchenette w/Full Sized Fridge
- Private Veranda

Come work in our little slice of paradise for a day, and take your meetings at the boardroom table, on the veranda with views of the mountains,

Our beautiful outdoor courtyards are also available to rent separately, and can accommodate meetings of any size, up to 100 guests with social distancing. Inquire for rates.



\$75/HR (2 HR MIN) - THURS-SAT
\$250/DAY (\$150 1/2 DAY) - MON-SAT

CONTACT RENTALS@SBHISTORICAL.ORG FOR AVAILABILITY

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VENUE RENTAL RATES

PRICING INCLUDES:

Use of Outdoor Courtyards, Restrooms, and Bridal Suite
Up to 300 Guests
Event Hours 4pm-10pm

Installation may begin at 9am (Clean-up must be completed by Midnight)

High Season: April - Thanksgiving

Low Season/Last Minute: Thanksgiving - March (or less than 90 days in advance)

2022

Mondays - Thursdays

High Season: \$4,500

Low Season: Inquire

Saturdays

High Season: \$9,000

Low Season: \$6,000

Fridays & Sundays

High Season: \$7,000

Low Season: \$5,000

2023

Mondays - Thursdays

High Season: \$4,500

Low Season: Inquire

Saturdays

High Season: \$9,500

Low Season: \$6,500

Fridays & Sundays

High Season: \$7,500

Low Season: \$5,000

ADD-ONS & ADDITIONAL FEES:

300-500 Guests = \$500+

+Additional Restroom rental also required

Casa Covarrubias Room Rental = Inquire

Additional bridal party prep area, indoor cocktail hour / lounge area, etc.

Penthouse Boardroom Rental (starting at 10am) = \$500

Additional bridal party / groomsmen prep room

Air conditioned, and includes a private bathroom, fridge, & balcony

Private Access to Museum Gallery = \$250 per hour after 5pm

Includes Docent-Led Tours (as available, by request)

Commercial Photo Shoot = \$500

4 hours (\$250/additional hour), limited to a group of 20 (Inquire for >20 rates)

Early Vendor Access = \$100 per hour before 9am

As available, subject to approval

Early Event Start (before 4pm) = Inquire

As available, subject to approval, alcohol service not to exceed 6hrs

RENTALS@SBHISTORICAL.ORG

Frequently Asked Questions

How do I contact the Museum's Venue Rentals Coordinator?

Please send an email to RENTALS@SBHISTORICAL.ORG, or call 805-966-1601 x115

How do I view the event spaces?

Guided site tours are available by appointment, and can be booked via email. Feel free to stop by any time during regular Museum hours to take an advance peek!

How can I check availability or hold a date?

Please email for availability or date holds. The Museum does not take deposits; securing a date requires a completed contract and check payment of rental fees in full.

What is the earliest event start time/end time?

Events may begin at 4:00 pm; daytime events and earlier times may be negotiated in advance. By city code and the Museum's strict rule, the event must end no later than 10:00 pm.

Can I have my rehearsal on site the day before my event?

Yes, as long as it is at a time that does not interfere with other events. 12-2pm is almost always available.

How early can my event vendors access the site?

The grounds open at 9:00 am for your vendors. Vendors are to be off-site by midnight.

May I use candles?

Yes, enclosed in protective containers and safely placed on tabletops.

Does the Museum provide any tables, chairs or event supplies?

No, the Museum provides the site only. Rentals must be provided by an Approved Vendor.

What if it rains?

If renting during the rainy season we recommend creating a backup tenting plan with your Rentals Vendor. The Casa Covarrubias may be used as a back-up plan for guest counts under 75.

Does the rental fee include staff?

A Museum representative will be present the day of your event to assist your coordinator with vendors and to manage site issues and custodial services.

Does the Museum require a day-of wedding coordinator?

Yes. We require that all weddings hire an approved, professional, local, day-of wedding coordinator.

Is there a space available for the bride to prepare prior to the ceremony?

Yes, there is a private room in the lower courtyard available for the bride included with the venue rental. The Penthouse Boardroom, with attached bathroom, balcony, fridge, and AC, is available for an additional fee.

May I bring my own alcohol?

Alcohol must be served by a licensed caterer or bar service from our Approved Vendors List. Arrangements for the purchase of alcohol should be agreed with your vendor, but most do allow you to provide your own.

May I use vendors not on the approved list?

You must use one of our Approved Vendors for rentals, lighting, catering, and bar service. For your coordinator, you may use an outside vendor, but they will need to be submitted for approval. Approval of any vendor is at the discretion of the Museum, and is not guaranteed.

What if my guests arrive early?

Guests will not be permitted into the event space until your contracted start time; however, early guests are welcome to tour the Museum galleries. Please email if you would like to arrange a docent-led tour for your guests.

Does the Museum provide parking?

Onsite parking is limited to Museum staff, gallery visitors, your event vendors and your event satellite kitchen. However, the SB School District parking lot is conveniently located across the street and provides fifty spaces that are available to the public (or can be reserved for a fee) on weekends and after 5pm on weekdays.

Is Insurance required?

The client must provide a Certificate of Insurance covering \$1,000,000 general liability (naming the Museum as additional-insured), which can usually be obtained through your home-owners policy or a private event insurance carrier.

Are there contractual obligations after the contract is approved?

Yes, your \$1,000 refundable cleaning/damage deposit, Proof of Insurance, and vendor list is required 60 days prior to your event.

Does my rental fee help the operations of the Museum?

Yes! Your rental fee contributes directly to the community, educational and curatorial goals of the Museum.

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EXCLUSIVE VENDORS

Lighting

Bella Vista Designs (805) 966-9616 bellavistadesigns.com

Rentals

Amigo Party Rentals (805) 653-6518 amigopartyrentals.com
Bright Event Rentals (805) 566-3566 bright.com
Party Pleasers Event Rental Co. (805) 482-0339 partypleasers.com
The Tent Merchant Event Rentals (805) 963-6064 thetentmerchant.com
Town & Country Event Rentals (805) 770-3300 townandcountryeventrentals.com
Ventura Rentals Party Center (805) 644-4496 venturarental.com

Catering

Catering Connection (805) 566-1822 cateringconnect.com
Country Catering (805) 964-3811 countrycateringcompany.com
Creative Services Catering (805) 965-9121 creativeservicescatering.com
DJ's California Catering (805) 850-0194 djscatering.com
Duo Catering (805) 957-1670 duoevents.com
Field to Table (805) 474-5719 fthevents.com
Lorraine Lim Catering (805) 646-2200 lorrainelimcatering.com
Los Arroyos (805) 965-6173 losarroyos.net
Lucca Wood Fired Pizza (Requires staffing) (805) 403-5606 lucatruck.com
Martino's Catering (805) 988-8068 martinoscatering.net
Mony's Tacos (Requires staffing) (805) 895-2978 monyssb.com
New West Catering (805) 688-0091 newwestcatering.com
Omni Catering (805) 564-4200 omnicateringsb.com
Plemmons Santa Maria Style BBQ (805) 349-8389 plemmonscatering.com
Pure Joy Catering (805) 963-5766 purejoycatering.com
Rincon Events (805) 566-9933 eventsbyrincon.com
Savoir Faire Catering (805) 963-9397 savoirfaresb.com
The Chef's Touch (805) 686-1040 thechefstouch.com
Seasons Catering (805) 339-9665 seasonscateringca.com
Via Maestra 42 (805) 569-6522 viamaestra42.com

Bar Service

Flair Project (805) 280-8507 flairprojectsb.com
Liquid Cult (805) 886-2452 liquidcult.com
Simply Cocktails (805) 637-3455 simplycocktailssb.com
Top Shelf Events (805) 450-5660 topshelfsb.com

Facilities & Valet

Marborg Industries (805) 963-1852 marborg.com
Signature Parking (805) 969-7275 signatureparking.com

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SUGGESTED VENDORS

Coordinators

Alegria by Design	(888) 255-8992	alegriabydesign.com
Alexandra Kolendrianos	(323) 363-9005	alexandrak.com
Amazing Day Events	(805) 403-0479	amazingdaysevents.com
Ann Johnson Events	(805) 570-6396	annjohnsonevents.com
Burlap & Bordeaux	(805) 243-8004	burlapandbordeaux.com
Donna Romani	(805) 286-6505	donnaromanievents.com
Dulce Dia Events	(805) 403-5408	dulcediaevents.com
Event of the Season	(805) 705-9727	eventoftheseasonsb.com
Felici Events	(805) 895-3402	felicievents.com
Imagine Weddings	(805) 682-6776	imaginesb.com
Jill & Co.	(805) 455-0722	jillandcoevents.com
KB Events	(805) 895-2030	kbeventssb.com
La Fete Weddings	(805) 563-5045	lafeteweddings.com
Magnolia Event Design	(805) 886-4979	magnoliaeventdesign.com
Megan Rose Events	(860) 867-6527	meganroseevents.com
Nina Moore Designs	(805) 881-8167	ninamoore.com
Onyx + Redwood	(805) 403-1618	onyxandredwood.com
RSVP Weddings & Events	(805) 687-3345	rsvpsb.com
SB Once in a Lifetime	(805) 453-6172	sbonceinalifetime.com
Tonya Szele Events	(805) 448-8028	tonyaszele.com
Top Shelf Events	(805) 450-5660	topshelfsb.com
Toast Events	(805) 960-2330	toastsantabarbara.com
Wild Heart Events	(805) 252-7566	wildheartevents.com

Officiants

Father Jerry Bellamy	(805) 687-4248	santabarbaraweddingminister.com
Miriam Lindbeck	(805) 564-4414	weddingsantabarbara.com
Patrice Handley	(805) 886-5930	santabarbaraclassicweddings.com
Barbra Mousouris	(805) 895-7428	IDoSantaBarbara.blogspot.com
John Palminteri	(805) 452-5632	palminteriisprimetime.com
Juanita Spitzer	(805) 291-2130	yelp.to/PCLfpXSIOjb

Photographers

Elizabeth Messina	(310) 779-9151	elizabethmessina.com
I Heart My Groom	(805) 722-8094	iheartmygroom.com
James & Jess Photography	(805) 452-4767	jamesandjess.com
Jose Villa	(805) 688-8654	josevilla.com
Lavender & Twine Photography	(805) 705-8361	lavenderandtwine.com
Michael & Anna Costa	(805) 455-8792	michaelandannacosta.com
Patrick Moyer	(805) 452-2100	patmoyerweddings.com
Willakveta	(805) 633-4633	willakveta.com

Photobooths

Egan Entertainment	(805) 689-3622	eganentertainmentsb.com
S.B. Photobooths	(310) 702-3260	sbphotobooths.com
The Camera Bus	(805) 870-5652	805camerabus.com

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Bakery/Specialty Caterers

Christine Dahl Pastries	(805) 569-5889	santabarbaracakes.com
Crush Cakes	(805) 963-9353	crushcakes.com
Enjoy Cupcakes	(805) 451-0284	enjoycupcakes.com
Lilac Pâtisserie	(805) 845-7400	lilacpatisserie.com
Rori's Ice Cream	(805) 220-6019	rorisartisanalcreamery.com
The Cappuccino Connection	(805) 969-7295	capbar.com
The Little Things Bakery	(805) 845-5519	thelittlethingsbakerysb.com
The Wild Posy	(805) 252-7566	thewildposy.com

Floral & Design

Alexis Ireland Florals	(805) 680-8965	alexisirelandflorals.com
Anna le Pley Taylor	(805) 245-1032	annalepleytaylor.com
Bloom Floral & Foliage	(805) 316-0287	bloomfloralandfoliage.com
Blue Magnolia Events	(805) 764-1202	bluemagnoliaevents.com
Cody Floral Design	(805) 403-4100	codyfloraldesign.com
Ella & Louie	(805) 722-5553	ellaandlouie.com
Grass Roots Floral	(805) 682-9105	grassrootssb.com
Haute Blossoms Floral	(805) 705-0694	hauteblossomsfloral.com
Hogue & Co.	(805) 969-1343	hoguefloral.com
La Fleur Du Jour	(805) 220-8254	lafleurdujour.com
Terra Malia Designs	(805) 966-5521	terramaliadesigns.com
Toast Events	(805) 960-2330	toastsantabarbara.com

DJs & Musicians

AMS Entertainment	(805) 899-4000	ams-events.com
DJ Hectik	(805) 259-8277	djhecktik.com
DJ Zeke	(805) 698-0791	djzekesb.com
DJ Darla Bea	(805) 895-3400	djdarlabea.com
Egan Entertainment	(805) 689-3622	eganentertainmentsb.com
Gavin Roy Presents	(805) 617-4650	gavinroypresents.com
Music by Bonnie	(805) 965-8249	musicbybonnie.com
Scott Topper Productions	(805) 965-7978	scotttopperproductions.com
Area 51 (Live Band)	(805) 637-3632	area51livemusic.com
Aurora Ensemble (Classical Quartet)	(805) 683-8993	theauroraensemble.com
Ybarra Music (Guitarist)	(805) 403-6375	tonybarraguitar.com

Supplemental Rentals

All Heart Rentals	(805) 448-6325	allheartrentals.com
Avenue Twelve	(805) 242-1323	avenuetwelve.com
Elan Event Rentals	(805) 760-0544	elaneventrentals.com
La Tavola Fine Linen	(707) 257-3358	latavolalinen.com
Otis & Pearl Partywares	(805) 626-0313	otisandpearl.com
Found Rental Co		foundrentalco.com