

YOUR WEDDING AT

Ushers Ferry



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USHERS FERRY HISTORIC VILLAGE
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WELCOME

Ushers Ferry is a picturesque village on a 10-acre site along the Cedar River with opportunities to make your wedding as unique as you are. From the romantic gazebo and charming country church to natural, rustic settings that make beautiful backdrops, at Ushers Ferry you can create the wedding of your dreams.

For your rehearsal, wedding and reception, our quaint village, historic ambience and modern reception facilities welcome you as you begin your new life together.



Photo by Wiggins Photography

I couldn't have asked for a more charming setting for our wedding. It was absolutely beautiful!

- 2018 BRIDE



Photo by Andrea Boller



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OUR VENUE. YOUR VISION.

Our facilities give you the flexibility of relaxing and hosting your rehearsal, wedding and reception all at one location or using the village to complement your other venues. Customize your wedding to fit you.

THE GROUNDS

Ushers Ferry is a destination without a drive. Enjoy the peaceful setting of the village, consisting of buildings restored to the 1890-1920 time period, with your wedding party and guests. Choose options to tour select buildings and enjoy the grounds all day or for just the hours you choose.

THE LODGE

The lodge is a 7240 foot modern event space built in 2014 that accommodates up to 300 guests indoors. With windows that bring scenic views inside, and a patio that allows your reception to flow outdoors, the lodge is a beautiful setting for a spectrum of wedding themes from rustic and natural to sophisticated and elegant. The facility includes a full catering kitchen, lounge for your bridal party to dress, and parking close by. It is fully accessible for your guests with disabilities and offers you the ability to personalize your reception through your choice of caterer and décor.

Historic charm



Photo by Cliff Jette



Photo by Kirstie Veatch

SAYING I DO

Choose the perfect spot for one of the best moments of your life.

- A charming gazebo sits in the center of the village ready to host your wedding ceremony in a beautiful outdoor setting with bench seating for up to 150.
- Choose the small country church for small, intimate weddings for up to 75.
- Pick a rustic spot on the village grounds, in front of the barn, or in a wooded area.

UNIQUE TOUCHES

Add creative elements to your day that reflect your personality. From a sarsaparilla in the town saloon and vintage settings for getting ready, to a fire pit for ambiance, every moment of your day will be memorable.

Classic touches

PACKAGES



Photo by Austin Day Photography



Photo by Kirstie Veatch

INVEST IN YOUR DAY

PEAK SEASON PACKAGES

Premium Investment

- 1 hour on the grounds during open hours Monday through Friday for engagement pictures
- Lodge use from 8:00 a.m. to midnight the day of your event
- Use of the grounds for 8 consecutive hours the day of your event
- Lodge use for four hours on Friday for setup
- Rehearsal on Friday is included

Select Investment

- Lodge use from 8:00 a.m. to midnight the day of your event
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- \$175 for each additional hour at each additional site (lodge or grounds)

Standard Investment

- Lodge use from 8:00 a.m. to midnight the day of your event
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Rates range from \$3,400 to \$4,600. If these package don't fit your needs, ask about our 'Lodge Only' options.

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