

WEDDINGS & EVENTS





WELCOME TO

CASA ROMANTICA CULTURAL CENTER & GARDENS

Thank you for considering Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens as the destination for your special event. We look forward to the opportunity of working with you to make your wedding or private event an unforgettable occasion.

Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens is southern California's most exquisite bluff-top estate. With its spectacular views of the beautiful Pacific Ocean and its stunning architecture, Casa Romantica provides an incomparable venue for weddings and private gatherings. Here, you and your guests can enjoy every moment of your special occasion in the privacy and timeless beauty of our exquisite property.

HISTORY

San Clemente is one of the first master-planned cities in California. Co-founder Ole Hanson came to the site to create his ideal community, a "Spanish Village by the Sea."

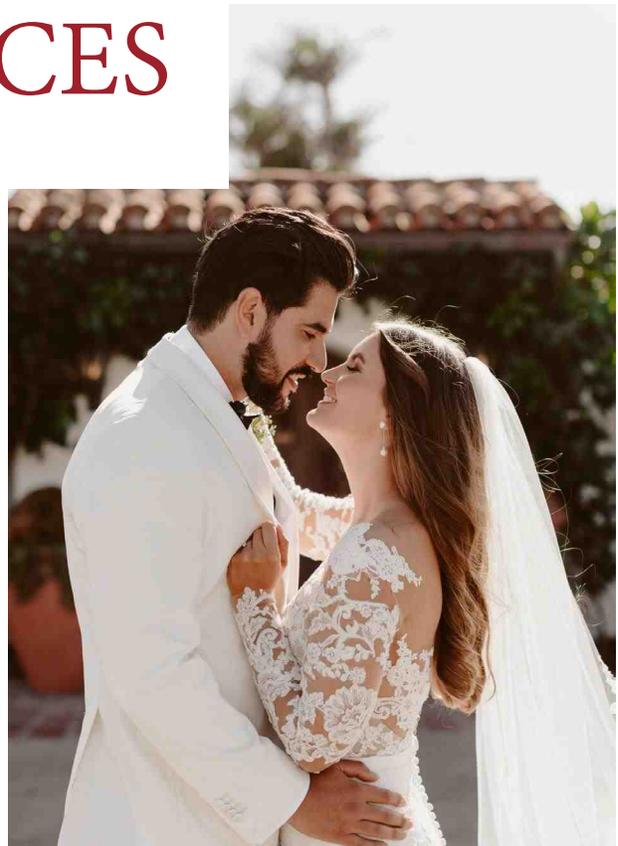
Casa Romantica was built in 1927 as Hanson's family home. The seven-bedroom, seven-bath house was designed by Carl Lindbom, who also designed La Casa Pacifica (also known as the 'Western White House'). The Casa represented Hanson's expression of the California dream. It set the tone for the majority of the other homes and businesses built within his development plan.

Over the years, the home passed through several owners, including the family of Hollywood entertainer and orchestra leader Fred Waring.

The San Clemente Redevelopment Agency purchased the property in 1989. In 1991, it was listed on the National Registry of Historic Places. The City of San Clemente, its Redevelopment Agency, and the Casa Romantica Founding Board elected to completely renovate the Casa for use as a cultural center. In early 2003, Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens opened to the public as a 501(c)3 nonprofit, and has become a premier southern California cultural center as well as a cherished venue for weddings and other private events.

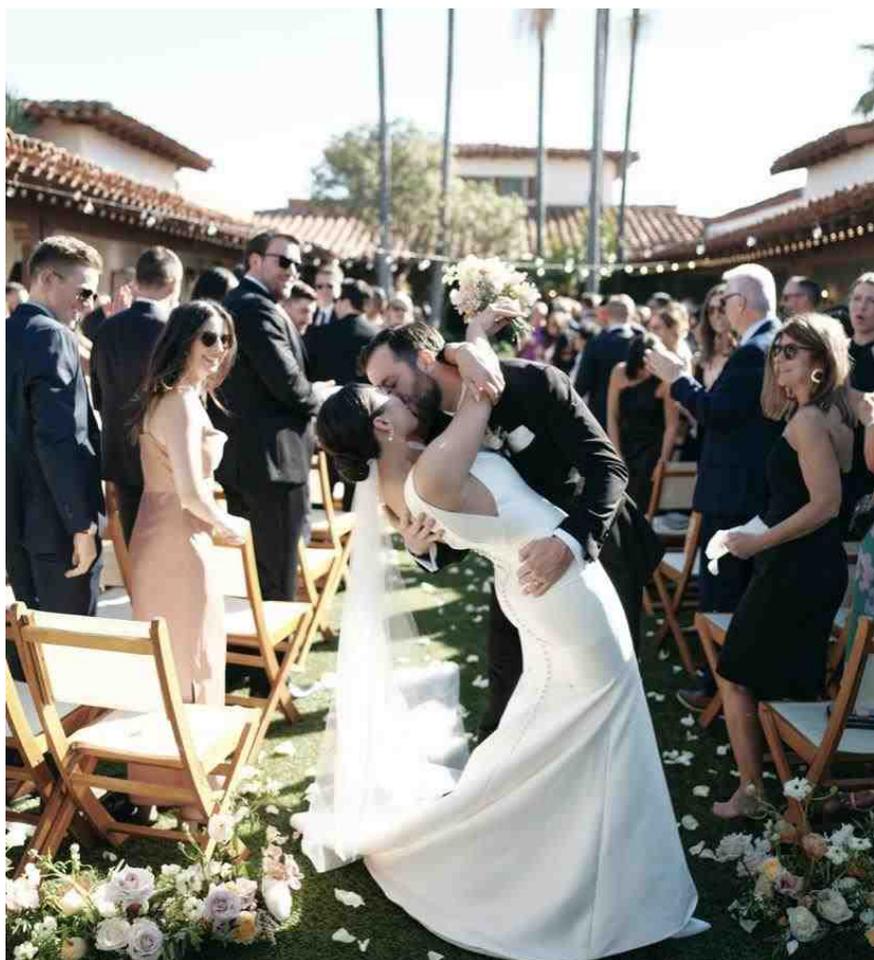


VENUE SPACES



COURTYARD

Surrounded by beautiful Spanish archways and lush greenery, our courtyard is the ideal place to spend your evening under the stars. This space can be used for your ceremony and reception. Worried about weather? The courtyard can also be beautifully tented to ensure your event is perfect – rain or shine.





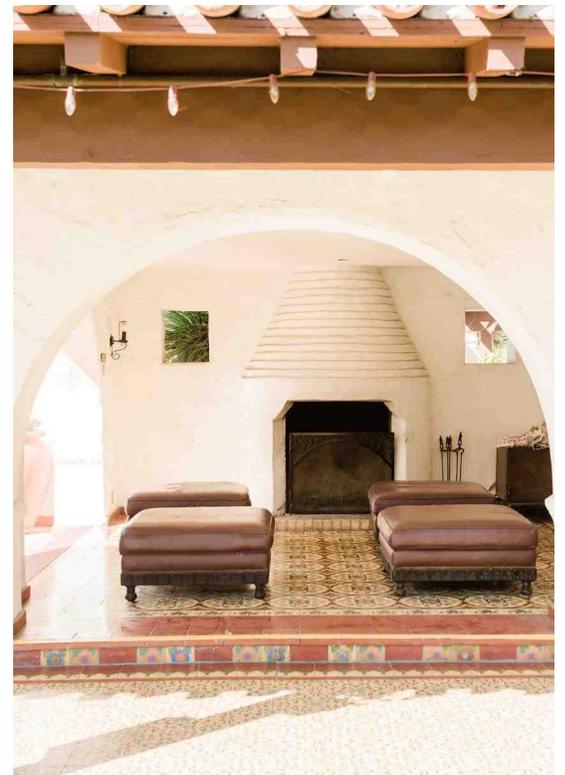
ENTRANCE

Guests will walk through the keyhole door and be transported to perfect serenity of your magical day. You can park a vintage car and hold your romantic couple photos in our parking lot, or take family photos in front of one of the most iconic buildings in San Clemente.

WEST TERRACE

With spectacular view of the ocean and surrounded by bright bougainvillea, giant Monterrey cypress trees, and raised succulent beds, this intimate space is perfect for your cocktail hour or ceremony site.





FIREPLACE

Eat, drink, and be merry while our outdoor fireplace keeps your guests warm and cozy. Place blankets on our ottomans or set up a food station for late night snacks or cocktail hour. This space is adjacent to both the West Terrace and Courtyard.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What does the site fee include?

The site fee will include the private use of the Casa Romantica for the contracted time period, cleaning fees, and a Casa Romantica Site Supervisor to maintain and tend to the facility needs throughout the event. It also includes a President's Circle Membership which is valid for one year.

Can I use my own vendors?

Your Valet, Rentals, Caterer, Event Planner/Coordinator, and Florist must be selected from Casa Romantica's Exclusive Vendor List. All other vendors may be selected by the client, although the Casa does maintain a Preferred Vendors List.

Vendors are required to follow the venue rules that are outlined in the Casa Romantica Private Event Rental Policies. All vendors must sign the Casa Romantica Vendor Rules and submit a certificate of insurance naming Casa Romantica as additionally insured.

Can I provide my own alcohol or bring in an outside vendor for alcohol?

No. One of the Exclusive Catering Companies must provide the alcohol and bar service.

Does Casa Romantica provide any tables and chairs or rental items?

Casa Romantica is a versatile indoor and outdoor venue that allows for many different layouts and styles of weddings and other private events. To enable our clients to plan a custom event based on their individual wishes, all rental items are provided by our exclusive rental company, Create a Party. All items must be provided by our exclusive rental company. No outside rentals of any kind are permitted.

What are the parking accommodations?

For events that exceed fifty (50) guests, valet service is required. Our valet will strategically park vehicles in the Casa parking lot with overflow in a nearby designated City-owned parking lot.

Do I need a wedding coordinator?

Yes. We require a licensed and insured event coordinator from our Exclusive Vendor List with a minimum of "day-of coordination" to handle all of the details on the day of your wedding so that you can relax and enjoy your special day!

Do I need special event insurance?

All rental users of events with fifty (50) or more persons require an insurance rider provided to Casa Romantica with a minimum \$2,000,000.⁰⁰ in liability coverage, naming Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens and the City of San Clemente as co-insured parties. A copy of this insurance rider must be provided to CRCC&G with final payment.

How do I hold a wedding date?

You can hold a wedding date for up to two weeks by completing a Rental Hold Request Form and submitting it to the event department. If another prospective client would like to contract and place a deposit on your date, you will have the right of first refusal and forty-eight (48) hours to make the decision to book or forfeit the date.

I have toured the Casa and have a hold on my wedding date, but I am not sure what to do now or how to get started in my planning process.

Reach out to our wedding planners and our catering companies to obtain bids and to gain a general understanding of the kind of help you need to plan your special day, what you wish to accomplish for your event, and what will work within your budget. We look forward to working with you!



SITE RENTAL RATES

May through October

Saturdays \$6,500

Fridays & Sundays \$5,750

November through April

Saturdays \$5,950

Fridays & Sundays \$5,100

The site fee includes a \$1,000 President's Circle Membership, exclusive and private use of the venue in its entirety, cleaning fees, and a Casa Site Supervisor to oversee the facility during the event.

Our approved vendor list is outlined on the following two pages. Catering, equipment rentals, and valet service are contracted between the client and approved vendor separate from the Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens Facility Use Agreement.

Please inquire for meeting space and corporate event pricing.

Prices and policies are subject to change.

CONTACT

Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens • 415 Avenida Granada, San Clemente, CA 92672

For more information on rentals, visit www.CasaRomanticaWeddings.com

To contact Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens Events Office directly, call (949) 498-2139, or email Events@CasaRomantica.org

For information about hours, locations, programs, services, and exhibitions at Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens, visit www.CasaRomantica.org.

DIRECTIONS

From the North

I-5 (San Diego) South

Exit AVE. PALIZADA to San Clemente

Turn RIGHT onto E. AVE. PALIZADA

Turn LEFT on EL CAMINO REAL

Turn RIGHT on AVE. DEL MAR

Proceed down toward the ocean

Turn RIGHT on AVE. GRANADA

Casa Romantica is on the left at

415 AVE. GRANADA

From the South

I-5 (San Diego) North

Exit AVE. PRESIDIO to downtown San Clemente

Turn LEFT under the fwy. onto AVE. PRESIDIO

Turn RIGHT on EL CAMINO REAL

Turn LEFT on AVE. DEL MAR

Proceed down toward the ocean

Turn RIGHT on AVENIDA GRANADA

Casa Romantica is on the left at

415 AVE. GRANADA

EXCLUSIVE VENDORS

Event Planners, Caterers, Florists, Event Rentals, and Valet must be used on our list of exclusive vendors.

PREFERRED VENDORS

Casa Romantica Cultural Center and Gardens strongly encourages utilization of the Preferred Vendors for your upcoming event. Superior in their field, these industry experts have been hand-selected to complement and enhance your occasion.

FULL LIST AVAILABLE ON
CASAROMANTICA.ORG/APPROVED-VENDORS



VENDOR CREDIT

Planning & Design:

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Floral Design:

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fantasyfloraldesigns@cox.net / @fantasyfloraldesigns
ediththetangledvine@gmail.com / @thetangledvine
hello@thebloomoftime.com / @thebloomoftime
petitebouq@aol.com / @petitebouquet

Rentals:

sales@createaparty.com / @createaparty
aly@sundropvintage.com / @sundrop_vintage

Venue:

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Bar Team:

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Photographer:

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Videographer:

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Bakery:

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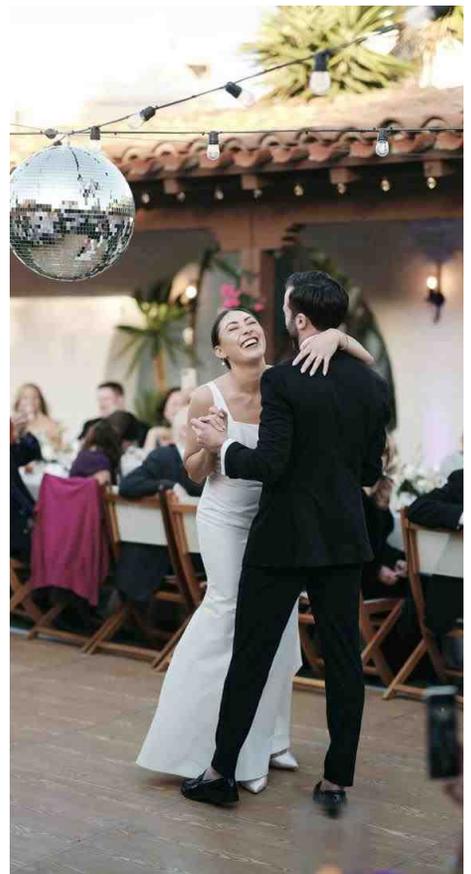
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