

CHAUTAUQUA

# WEDDINGS



*Chautauqua*  
BOULDER CO

# PICTURE YOUR BIG DAY HERE

With the many places to consider for your big day, we are honored that you are considering the Colorado Chautauqua.

Hundreds of couples take their wedding photos in front of Boulder's iconic Flatirons at Chautauqua Park every year.

But those who marry at Chautauqua can enjoy their whole wedding seconds from **THOSE VIEWS** in the 1918 Community House or another of our historic venues. Even better, Chautauqua wedding parties can stay in our charming cottages and lodges, steps away from the ceremony, reception and our celebrated gardens and hiking trails.

This brochure can give you a small taste of the Chautauqua wedding experience, but there is no substitute for a tour by one of our wedding professionals. Chautauqua's experienced team are committed to supporting your unique vision and helping you achieve a beautiful and memorable occasion.

We look forward to meeting you and hearing about your plans.

*Wanona Tara and Rosamaria Lujano-Rojas*

Chautauqua Wedding and Hospitality Team



FIVE REASONS TO CHOOSE

# A CHAUTAUQUA WEDDING

1

## Surrounded by Nature in All its Splendor

Our venues sit in a spectacular location in the shadow of Boulder's famous Flatiron mountains. Being so close to nature adds to the magic of your romantic day. It also provides your guests with ample opportunity for socializing and exploring in our peaceful gardens and on our 40 miles of hiking trails. The Community House overlooks the ancient evergreens of the Centennial Gardens, and the Enchanted Mesa Garden site is surrounded by several stunning trails and forested foothills.

2

## History and modernity together – no need to choose

You may have considered modern venues and felt they lacked character and intimacy, or ruled out historic spaces for being weak on comfort and technology. At Chautauqua, you will enjoy the best of past and present. Spaces are rich in historic integrity with features like wood paneling, authentic tin ceilings and fieldstone fireplaces. All Community House spaces, as well as Missions House and the Mary H. Galey cottage, are ADA accessible.



# 3

## Delicious on-site catering

It wouldn't be a successful wedding without stellar food. The Chautauqua catering menus offer an exciting range of current Colorado Bistro Cuisine flavors and fresh farm-to-table ingredients, lovingly prepared by the team behind the famous Chautauqua Dining Hall. A variety of dining configurations are available with roaming, buffet and plated serving options. Planning meals for your whole event could not be easier with our catering packages and Chautauqua's in-house catering team.

# 4

## Lodging on site in charming cottages and lodges

Steps from our venues, your guests can relax in lodging ranging from studio cottages to eight-bedroom lodges, with many ADA accessible options. Our award-winning accommodations offer private porches, complimentary wi-fi, parking, and full kitchens or kitchenettes. Many cottages and lodge rooms have been restored for guest comfort while retaining their unique character and charming vintage touches.

# 5

## Memories that last and a team that delivers

Your guests will talk about Chautauqua's vistas and the heritage vibe of our venues for years. Our campus and venues have a unique ambiance that makes any sized wedding memorable. Chautauqua's event team also goes above and beyond to delight and serve our clients with the personal touches that mean so much.



# THE GRAND ASSEMBLY HALL

The Grand Assembly Hall has been home to cheerful toasts, joyous dancing, great meals and time spent connecting with friends old and new for over 100 years. Located on the main floor of the Community House, the Grand Assembly features oak floors, a gas fireplace, garden-view windows, a wrap-around indoor balcony and large, covered

verandah. This space is the perfect combination of impressive and intimate, historic and modernly convenient. It is the perfect venue for your heartfelt ceremony or celebratory reception.

## SPACE INCLUDES:

- Audio-visual options for your special day
- Repurposed oak flooring
- Upper gallery
- ADA Accessible (with exterior lift)
- Chandelier
- Contemporary, dimmable track lighting
- Gas fireplace
- Custom Cherrywood tables & accompanying chairs
- Private verandah
- Variety of dining set options



Photo Credit: Sharee Davenport  
Place settings provided by Colorado Party Rentals



## CAPACITIES:

- Roaming reception: 100
- Ceremony: 100
- Banquet-style: 80

# THE LARKSPUR & BELLFLOWER ROOMS

These bright, furnished, recently restored rooms make great space to get ready for the big day or as a staging area.

The Larkspur and Bellflower rooms are included as part of all Community House bookings.

## SPACE INCLUDES:

- Wooden furniture\*
- Wall-mounted TV (Larkspur Room)
- Vanity with mirror (Bellflower Room)
- Stunning views of Chautauqua's campus
- \*Existing set only





## CAPACITY:

- Larkspur: 12
- Bellflower: 5

# THE RMCC & MEADOWS LIBRARY

## **Rocky Mountain Climbers Club**

The historic Rocky Mountain Climbers Club (RMCC) was founded in 1912 and met for over 100 years in this unique space. It is perfect for a cocktail hour or petite wedding. This room has gorgeous interior stone walls and the gas fireplace provides a warm glow. Custom cherrywood tables and chairs - both made by Boulder artisans - imbue your event with Colorado character.

## **Meadows Library**

Located on the lower floor of the 1918 Community House, The Meadows Library is a quiet space, ideal for a cozy kid's room, groom's getting ready room or buffet space. The Rocky Mountain Climbers Club and Meadows Library are included as part of all Community House bookings.

## **SPACE INCLUDES:**

Reclaimed wood flooring  
ADA Accessible  
Gas fireplace  
Stone walls  
Custom cherrywood tables and accompanying chairs

Photo Credit: Courtney Lynn Photography





## CAPACITIES:

### RMCC:

- Standing reception: 60
- Ceremony: 60
- Banquet-style: 40

### MEADOWS LIBRARY:

- Seated: 12
- Standing: 24

# ENCHANTED MESA GARDEN



Experience an unforgettable ceremony at the Enchanted Mesa Garden. This outdoor ceremony site offers a stunning backdrop of tree-lined trails and open Colorado skies. Create cherished memories when you say “I do” in this lush, natural setting.

This venue can also be booked in conjunction with the Mary H. Galey cottage for a seamless, photogenic getting ready or petite reception space, just steps away from your ceremony.



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Chairs provided by Event Rents



## CAPACITIES:

- Ceremony: 80

# COTTAGES & APARTMENTS

## The perfect accommodations for your party and guests

A wonderful feature of a Chautauqua wedding is that you and your guests can stay steps from the ceremony, photos and reception, while enjoying Chautauqua's campus facilities and 40 miles of hiking trails. Chautauqua offers a wide range of accommodation options to meet the needs of everyone who is part of your big day. Free parking and wifi are included as well as guest discounts for the Dining Hall and General Store.

## Cottages

Choose from 59 historic cottages ranging in size from studios to three-bedrooms. All have queen beds, covered porches and kitchens and most have been recently refurbished for guest comfort.

## Columbine Lodge

This 1919 structure was fully refurbished in 2023 for stylish, apartment-style lodging. Columbine apartments feature modern kitchenettes and range in size from studios to two bedrooms.





# LODGES & PETITE WEDDINGS

## Missions House Lodge

Up to 16 members of your wedding party can enjoy both privacy and connection in this 1911 Arts and Crafts style gem. Missions House Lodge features eight en-suite bedrooms, kitchen facilities, an elegant covered porch and soaring dining and reception areas. Booking Missions House Lodge will ensure your wedding is one for the history books. ADA accessible.

## Mary H. Galey Cottage

This storied, 1920s cottage was sustainably restored over three years to an exceptional standard. It provides premium wedding accommodations for up to 12 on two levels and dining for up to 30. With a catering-grade kitchen and decks with Boulder and Flatirons views, this is the perfect location for a rehearsal dinner, wedding party lodging, or a truly romantic first night. ADA accessible with elevator.

Both Missions House Lodge and the Mary H. Galey Cottage can be booked for petite weddings, with the option to enjoy your ceremony, reception and lodging all in one intimate location.



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# CATERING

At Chautauqua, we offer a wide range of menus for unique audiences and preferences. Whether you're looking for a light bite at a cocktail party or a full plated dinner with wine pairings, we can create the menu that suits your special day! Our catering team is dedicated to using, locally produced and organic ingredients. The chefs work directly with a local farmer to plan the wide variety of vegetables, fruits

and herbs we grow and use in our creative seasonal menus. Our team can also accommodate most dietary restrictions, including vegetarian, vegan, gluten free and dairy free. Talk to our team for more details. For your ease and convenience, all catering is arranged directly through the Chautauqua hospitality sales team.



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# DINNER MENU

## FIRST COURSE

### Potato cakes

Fried potato cakes, apple jelly, sour cream

### Arugula salad

Lemon, olive oil, garlic, Parmesan

## SECOND COURSE

### Wagyu burger

Beef patty, triple cream brie, alfalfa sprouts, caramelized onions, aioli

### Truffle mushroom pasta

Hand-made pasta, black truffle, Parmesan

## THIRD COURSE

### Caramel cheesecake

Caramelized banana, cream

### Apple cobbler

Apples, cinnamon crumble, vanilla ice cream

# CAPACITIES

Function Room	Theater	Banquet	Maximum Capacity
Grand Assembly Hall	100	80	124
Rocky Mountain Climbers Club	60	50	64
Meadows Library	N/A	12	24
Verandah	N/A	24	24
Ceremony Site	80	N/A	80
Larkspur	12	8	24
Bellflower	5	N/A	N/A

Room rental includes use of our custom-made 6 ft cherrywood tables and matching padded chairs. Additional furniture, linens and décor can be rented for an additional cost.



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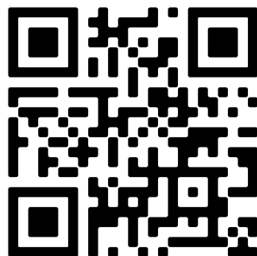


REACH OUT TO US FOR

# MORE INFORMATION

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Our experienced team is ready to assist you with making your wedding one for the history books. Email our friendly team to find out more and arrange a tour at:



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or call: 303.952.1612

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