

Spring wedding fairs in Nottinghamshire

Essential dates for every bride and groom-to-be's diary



Asian wedding extravaganza
Goosedale
Sunday February 27th 11am - 4pm
Entry: £1.50

An Asian wedding exhibition is coming to Goosedale Conference and Banqueting in Papplewick.

Hosted by Weddings by Upnesh, the extravaganza will showcase exhibitors who all specialise in Asian weddings and there'll be plenty going on.

You'll see event decor, photography and wedding attire, plus there'll be some of the most experienced industry experts on hand, including Joshiv Beauty International, who is visiting from London to hold live Mehndi workshops.

Throughout the day, guests will be treated to a variety of fashion shows, featuring a number of the UK's top designers, including Julien Trivedi and Blush Couture.

The Marquee will be set up for live choreography by Jaimal Mistry from S&J Stars to make the catwalk shows an event to remember.

Event organiser, Upnesh Grewal says: "It'll be a day packed with ideas and inspiration."

We're bringing to Nottingham some of the most renowned names in the Asian wedding industry.

"As an independent wedding planner, I specialise in large events throughout the midlands. Goosedale is an outstanding venue for Asian weddings as it has a capacity for up to 650 guests. And, its location, on top of a hill, overlooking the lake and rolling fields of north Nottinghamshire is beautiful." For details call: 07966 417 071



The Spectacular Wedding Fair
Sunday February 20th
The Nottingham Belfry
11am-4pm
Admission: £2.50

Julia Clarke-Stanley is organising another in her ever-popular wedding fairs, she says: The Belfry is the largest hotel in Nottingham for those of you looking for a large gathering of guests.

The hotel is now in its sixth year and has three suites licensed for civil ceremonies all with a striking contemporary feel. In holding my spectacular wedding fair there, my aim is to surpass your expectations with over 50 wedding exhibitors from the surrounding area.

"The highlight of the day is the two superb fashion shows taking place at 12.30pm and 2.30pm. On the runway will be stunning bridal gowns and bridesmaids dresses from a selection of bridal boutiques. Nottingham's leading menswear hire, Slaters, will dress your men impeccably too. For the mother of the bride and for guests, we've got designer labels to choose from.

"Other specialists on the day to give you helpful advice include photographers, videographers, florists, cakes, stationery, chair cover hire, jewellers, vintage cars and don't miss the delectable chocolate fountain! There's helpful advice from a travel counsellor whether you are planning your wedding abroad or just looking for the perfect romantic honeymoon location. Take advantage of the beauty therapists and hairdressers demonstrations. Everything is available under one roof!"

The £2.50 admission includes all bridal shows and a free wedding directory. Free tickets are available by visiting www.nottinghamwedd for more details call Julia on 01332 875880



Wedding Open Day
The University of Nottingham
Saturday 19th March
12noon - 4pm

The University of Nottingham are showcasing their beautiful grounds as a wedding venue, with a Wedding Open Day on Saturday 19th March. Doors will be open from 12 noon until 4pm and there's lots to see and an experienced team behind it all.

The University's Kelly Godfrey says: "Guests will be welcomed with drinks and canapés and dedicated staff will be on hand to give tours of the venue. Or, if you prefer, you can have a wander around by yourselves."

"Facilities that are going to be on show are all located in the beautiful and iconic Trent Building, which overlooks the High Fields Boating Lake, and the rooms that will be dressed and available for couples to see are the Great Hall, Council Room and Senate Chamber.

"A small number of local suppliers will also be there on the day, all of whom are tried and trusted experts who have been used here previously."



The University of Nottingham has over 25 years experience at hosting weddings and on average last year we held around 27.

"For those who attend there will be special offers on the day if they book the university and everyone will also be given a free gift when leaving as a thank you for attending. To attend, pre-registering is required either by emailing kelly.godfrey@nottingham.ac.uk or calling the sales office on 0115 846 8000.

If you would like any more general information about Weddings at the University we do have a dedicated website www.weddingsinnottingham.co.uk, alternatively please do feel free to get in touch with me."



The Nottinghamshire (Golf and Country Club)
Sunday 20th March
11am - 3pm
Admission: free

Coming on March 20th is a wedding fair at The Nottinghamshire (Golf and Country Club). Organiser, Charlotte Moore says: "We've got a top photographer, florist, hair stylist, wedding dresses, entertainer, cakes, cars and much more! Everything a bride and groom might need to make their day extra special."



"Our wedding co-ordinator will also be on hand to answer any questions too. Admission is free and we're giving any grooms-to-be a free bucket of balls for our driving range."

"Also, any couple who book The Nottinghamshire as their wedding venue on the day, will receive a special offer that is not to be missed."

Hart's Wedding Fair
Hart's Hotel
Standard Hill, Park Row, Nottingham
Sunday 20th March
1pm - 3.30pm
Admission: free

One of Nottingham's most romantic city hotels is hosting a wedding fair on Sunday 20th march. Wedding co-ordinator, Kelly Shaw describes what guests will discover on the day: "We've got a wide range of popular wedding specialists exhibiting with us on the day. For example, there's Pam Gibson flowers, Hambleton Hall, Rachael Connerton photography, Airy Fairy bridal accessories and Lakes Beauty Room of Gamston are dispensing beauty tips and treatments."

"Rachel Humphreys from Figtree is bringing wedding stationery and we've got chocolate wedding cakes from Choc Art, John Lewis are here with details of their wedding gift list and what's more is we have exclusive bridal designs to complete your special day."

"Music lovers can visit DJ Ian Chilvers and details of how to book live singer, Campbell Bass are also available. Come along and enjoy our canapés and fizz too!" You can call Kelly with any queries on 0115 947 7584

