



Say 'I do'

Weddings at



Newbattle Abbey

Welcome to Newbattle Abbey — where historic grandeur becomes the stage for your most treasured day.

Situated in the heart of Midlothian, beside the gentle flow of the River Esk, Newbattle Abbey lies within 125 acres of enchanted parkland. Just eight miles from Edinburgh, Scotland's capital city, this remarkable A-listed building feels both wonderfully close and blissfully secluded.

Founded by King David I in 1140 and built by Cistercian monks, Newbattle has welcomed kings, queens, and noblemen for centuries. Within these ancient walls, the Declaration of Arbroath was drafted — a moment that changed Scotland forever. In time, the estate became the home of the Kerr family, who rose to become Earls and later Marquesses of Lothian.

We're delighted you're considering Newbattle Abbey for your special day.

Your Perfect Day Awaits

At Newbattle Abbey, we take pride in offering a wedding experience that feels warm, personal, and beautifully memorable. Whether you're planning a small, intimate gathering or a larger affair, every wedding here is treated with the same care and attention to detail.

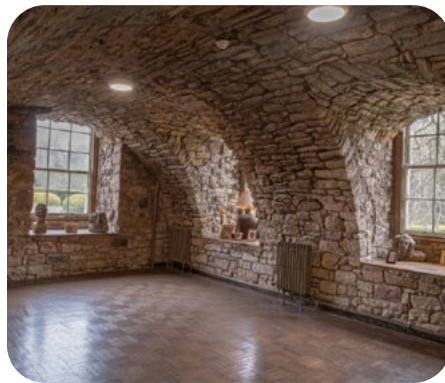
Our team understands that no two celebrations are alike. We'll work with you to create a perfect day that reflects who you are — surrounded by history, beauty, and a sense of genuine hospitality that makes everyone feel at home.

Our Wedding Spaces



The Chapel

Peaceful and full of character, the 19th-century Chapel offers a calm, spiritual setting for religious, civil, or humanist ceremonies.



The Armoury

Rich with history, this charming room provides an intimate atmosphere — perfect for smaller gatherings and meaningful moments.



The Crypt

Evocative and full of depth, the stone arches and soft light of the Crypt create a truly unique setting for your ceremony.



The Drawing Room

Elegant and refined, this beautiful space offers high ceilings, natural light, and a sense of understated grandeur — perfect for receptions and toasts.



Gardens & Grounds

Explore 125 acres of scenic parkland, with endless opportunities for photographs, quiet reflection, or outdoor celebrations among nature.

Every corner of Newbattle Abbey holds a story — and yours is waiting to be told here.

Surrender to the Moment

Every couple who marries at Newbattle Abbey becomes part of its living history. From your first visit to your final farewell, our experienced events team will be here to support and guide you.

We'll help you choose the right spaces, connect with trusted local suppliers, and create a natural flow to your day.

Whether you'd like recommendations for catering, floristry, or décor, our approach is flexible — offering advice when you want it and space when you don't.

We know that it's often the smallest touches that make the biggest difference. Our goal is to ensure everything feels calm, well-organised, and completely personal to you.

What You Can Expect

- Friendly, reliable communication throughout your planning journey
- Flexible room hire and catering arrangements to suit your bespoke plans
- Personalised planning support tailored to your needs
- A calm, experienced team that takes genuine joy in making your day special

At Newbattle Abbey, every wedding is handled with warmth, professionalism, and pride — ensuring you can simply relax and enjoy your celebration.



Let Your Story Begin

Begin your story at Newbattle Abbey — a place where history, beauty, and quiet elegance come together to create a setting like no other.

Whether you envision a simple ceremony or a grand celebration, our team will help you plan a day that feels effortless, distinctive, and unforgettable.



Just a short drive from Edinburgh's heart, Newbattle Abbey rests amidst the rolling landscapes of Midlothian — close enough for convenience, yet far enough for peace and seclusion.

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