



## Spectacular Weddings at our Estate

### Ceremony

Our stunning vineyard is the perfect location to start your life together. Setup your ceremony overlooking acres of vines, framed by Crowders Mountain & The Pinnacle. For indoor weddings, the winery makes extraordinary location to tie the knot. With a wall of artisan wine tanks & beautiful French glass doors with panoramic views of the mountains that can be enjoyed rain or shine!

### Cocktails on the Outdoor Patio

After your ceremony, guests can enjoy cocktails on our 130-foot wrap-around outdoor patio of our main winery. The southern patio overlooking the vineyard is protected by our beautiful louvered pergola which allows for the patio to be used, rain or shine, by up to 150 guests. The entirety of the cocktail hour can take place outside in the fresh air with beautiful views. This space may remain open during the reception to offer a quiet spot for guests to relax.

### Reception

Have your reception overlooking the vineyards from our Vista outdoor space, which can be tented or left open-air for up to 375 guests. Or host your reception in the winery, which is beautifully decorated with unique chandeliers, wood accents, and a full wall of glass doors looking out at sweeping views of our vineyards and mountains. The winery accommodates up to 150 guests for a seated event, or up to 250 for a standing cocktail reception. In addition, the winery can also be arranged to create a pleasant space for more cozy receptions with far fewer guests, or you can use our Private Tasting Room & Wine Cellar for intimate receptions of 18 or less.

### Venue Rental Pricing

The pricing in the table below includes exclusive use of our winery building, vineyard ceremony location & outdoor patio for your event. All packages include 1-hour of rehearsal time during the 7 days leading up to your wedding date, and 6-hours of event time on your wedding date; we also provide an on-site Event Coordinator for your rehearsal and event. Folding White Resin chairs, Champagne Chiavari chairs with white cushions, and 8-person round tables with seating for 200 are included in all packages.

	May, June, September, October, November	April, July, August, December	January, February, March	Holiday Weekends
Saturday	\$8,000	\$7,000	\$6,500	\$9,500
Friday & Sunday	\$7,000	\$6,500	\$5,500	\$7,500

2019-2020 Wedding Dates

### **DO YOU HAVE AN IN-HOUSE CATERER OR A LIST OF PREFERRED CATERERS?**

We do not have an in-house caterer here at Veronét Vineyards & Winery; we do however have a small prep kitchen that may be used. We are happy to make recommendations for caterers we work with, if needed. Caterers must be licensed, insured, and provide references for final approval by Veronét Vineyards & Winery before booking. Your caterer will also be required to complete a 30-minute on-site planning session with our Event Coordinator at least 4-weeks prior to your wedding date.

### **WHAT IS YOUR ALCOHOL POLICY?**

Veronét Vineyards & Winery wines must be purchased for your guests and no other brands of wine are allowed on site. We require a minimum purchase of one 12-bottle case of wine per 25 guests. The wines of your choice will be sold at a discounted price of 15% off of retail. Beer and liquor are also permitted with the use of an ABC Limited Special Occasion Permit that you or your caterer will be responsible for obtaining. All alcohol will be served by your caterer, and their bartenders must meet our requirements for alcohol safety training and service. For more information about the ABC Limited Special Occasion permit, please visit: <https://abc.nc.gov/Permit/SpecialPermits>

### **HOW LONG MAY OUR EVENT LAST? WHEN CAN SET-UP BEGIN?**

You have access to the property for 6 hours on your event date. The bridal party is welcome in the Private Tasting Room beginning at 4pm on the wedding day. The Ceremony Site, Winery building, and Prep Kitchen will be available and set to your personalized floor plan no later than 5pm on the day, allowing plenty of time for decoration prior to the celebration. The Outdoor Patio will be available beginning at 6:00pm. We suggest a Ceremony start time of no earlier than 6:00pm to ensure the transition into Cocktail Hour goes smoothly. All events must end by 10pm. Vendors are welcome to drop off/pick up supplies prior/after the rental period when coordinated with the Events Coordinator. If your rented equipment is not removed by 10am on the day following your event, you will incur an additional charge of \$250 that will be deducted from your Security Deposit.

### **ARE THERE ANY HOTELS NEARBY FOR OUT-OF-TOWN GUESTS?**

Gastonia and Shelby are a short 15-minute drive away and offers several hotel options for your guests including the Courtyard by Marriott, Hilton Garden Inn, Country Inn & Suites, and Holiday Inn. Other local favorites include Morgan and Wells Bed & Breakfast, The York Chester Inn Bed & Breakfast, and The Ballantyne Resort & Golf Course. Veronét Vineyards & Winery is only a 25-minute drive from Charlotte Douglas International Airport, making it an easy trip for your guests traveling from afar.

### **WHAT ARE THE PAYMENT DETAILS REGARDING DEPOSITS?**

One-half of the total rental fee is collected in order to secure your reservation when you sign your rental contract. The remaining balance will be due 90 days prior to your wedding. We require a \$1,500 security deposit that will be returned to you in full within four weeks of your event as long as the facilities are returned in their original condition. The security deposit is due with the second payment 90 days prior to the wedding and is to be paid by check or cash only.

### **ARE THERE ANY SERVICE FEES OR ADDITIONAL COSTS?**

Please note there is a 7% sales tax on all rental fees & wine. Our rental fees include the services of an Event Coordinator overseeing the venue during the event & rehearsal. If you would like to use Veronét Vineyards & Winery for your rehearsal dinner, this may be arranged at an additional fee. We require a certificate of insurance for general liability in the amount of \$1 million naming "VMS Farms, LLC," as an additional insured, be provided to us at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the event. The average cost of a policy is \$175 for the event. There is a great product that is offered by WedSafe.com that can provide coverage to you the couple as well as offering liability coverage for damage to our facility; please visit [www.WedSafe.com](http://www.WedSafe.com) for more information.

### WHAT IS YOUR CANCELLATION POLICY?

We understand adjustments or cancellations may be necessary. If you need to move your date, we will be happy to accommodate you as long as the desired date is free of other events. Should you need to cancel your reservation, we will try our best to rebook the date. Your deposit will be retained until another event of equal or greater value is booked on that date, in which case the deposit will be returned to you, minus credit card processing fees and a \$500 rebooking fee. If we are not able to rebook the reserved date, your deposit will be forfeited. If the wedding is cancelled within 90 days of the event, the remainder of the fee is due and non-refundable.

Ready to book a venue tour or have other questions? Contact us at  
704-981-2490 or at [events@veronetwine.com](mailto:events@veronetwine.com).

We look forward to hosting you on your special day!