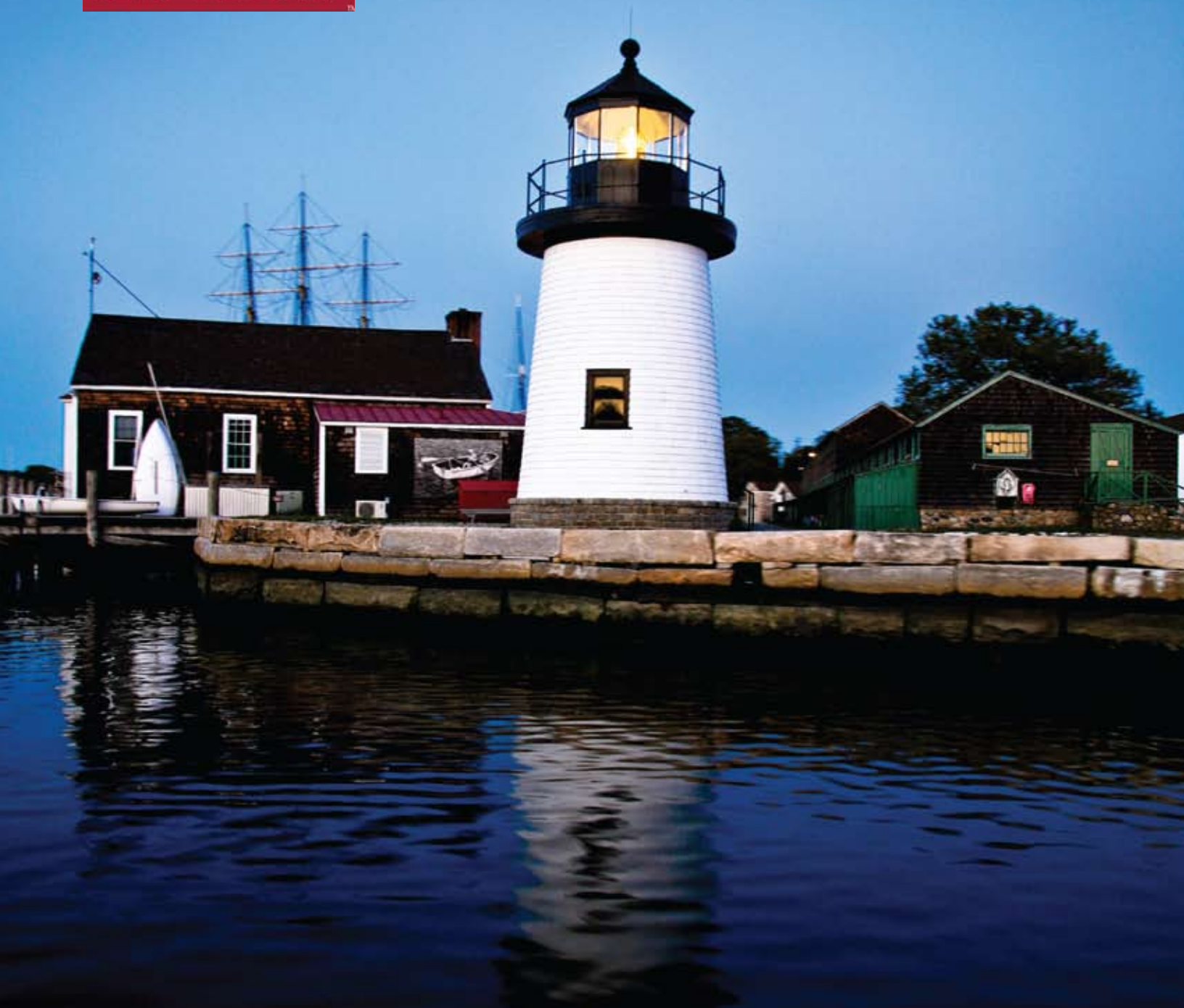


# MYSTIC SEAPORT

THE MUSEUM  
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AND THE SEA



*Mystic Seaport Weddings*



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*Tall Ships, fresh air, and beautiful water views make a wonderful backdrop for any event. With a variety of unique venues, Mystic Seaport is the perfect setting to create unforgettable memories.*



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# *Mystic Seaport*

At Coastal Gourmet, we will not only create a menu distinctive to your style and budget; we are here to assist you with full event planning services. We have designed our wedding packages to make your planning as enjoyable as possible and have included these incentives:

- Your choice of white or ivory floor length table linens and white or ivory napkins
- Hurricane lantern centerpieces
- On-site coordinator from Coastal Gourmet to be present during your wedding
- Exclusive photo locations on the grounds of Mystic Seaport
- Complimentary use of the Morgan Suite East or West for your rehearsal dinner or for a brunch on the weekend of your wedding
- Discounted admission to Mystic Seaport for your guests throughout the weekend
- Complimentary one year membership to Mystic Seaport for the newlyweds



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## *Mystic Seaport Outdoor Venues*

### THE BOAT SHED AT LIGHTHOUSE POINT

The Boat Shed at Lighthouse Point is the perfect place for a relaxed yet stylish reception with spectacular views of Mystic Seaport and the Mystic River. This open-air pavilion is known for serving casually elegant clambake receptions.

### NORTH LAWN

For a bride who is looking to create the wedding of her dreams the North Lawn is ideal. A peaked white tent under the stars or an outdoor ceremony overlooking the Mystic River is just a touch of the endless possibilities. You and your guests will enjoy coastal breezes and an occasional sailboat passing by while enjoying your lavish reception.

For events with up to 500 guests, the lush green lawn is a memorable location for events of all kinds.



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# *Mystic Seaport Indoor Venues*

## **RIVER ROOM**

For a New England style venue with unsurpassed views of the Mystic River, the River Room is a perfect spot. With a beautifully tented stone patio for cocktails, the River Room provides the perfect blend of both an indoor and outdoor venue for up to 250 guests. During the colder months, the fireplace gives you a cozy atmosphere for your winter wedding or company holiday party.

## **GREENMANVILLE CHURCH**

Hold your ceremony at historic Greenmanville Church and you're a pleasant stroll away from your reception - no matter where on the grounds you choose to have it. Built in the 1800's, this church once called the meeting house is perfect for a non-denominational ceremony filled with the charm of New England.



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We pride ourselves with a philosophy based on consistency, creativity, innovation and inspiration. Our team will focus on every detail, making your event unforgettable and uniquely your own. Savour the moments.



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# Wedding Checklist at Mystic Seaport

## 1 Year To 6 Months Before

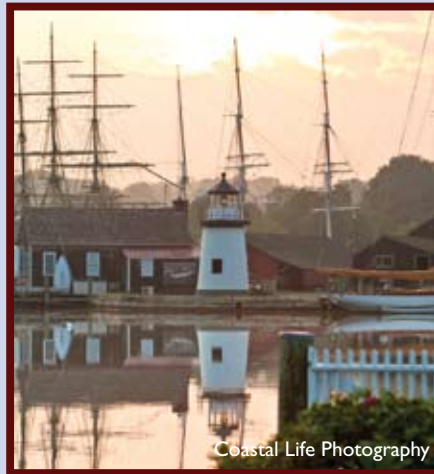
- Decide Style Of Wedding
- Decide Date
- Reserve Ceremony Site
- Reserve Officiant
- Reserve Reception Location
- Choose Attendants
- Gift Registry
- Order Bridal Dress
- Select Travel Agency
- Contract Photographer
- Contract Videographer
- Contract Band Or DJ
- Contract Limousine
- Begin Guest List

## 4 To 6 Months Before

- Contract Florist
- Contract Baker
- Bridesmaids Dresses / Shoes
- Music For Ceremony
- Order Tuxedos / Men's Attire
- Coordinate Mother's Attire
- Make Honeymoon Plans With The Travel Agency
- Order Invitations
- Contact Hairdresser
- Select Favors
- Order Rings
- Gown Fittings
- Decide Head Pieces
- Send Pre-Payment To Facility
- Choose Date / Menu Session

## 2 Months Before

- Complete Final Guest List
- Select Attendants Gifts
- Make Arrangements For Rehearsal
- Confirm All Professionals
- Apply For Marriage License
- Address And Mail Invitations
- Select Music For Ceremony/Reception
- Detail Appointment with Coordinator



## 1 Month Before

- Confer With Photographer
- Confer With Videographer
- Confer With Florist
- Confer With Band / DJ
- Sitting For Formal Photographs
- Review Duties With Wedding Party
- Confirm Rehearsal Plans
- Wedding Announcements To Newspapers
- Write Thank You Notes As Gifts Arrive
- Record Invitation Responses
- Arrange Seating For Reception

## 3 Weeks Before

- Final Apparel Fitting
- Confirm Rental Attire
- Final Confirmation Of All Professionals
- Prepare Placecards
- Confirm The Ceremony
- Plan To Have Something Old, Something New, Something Borrowed, Something Blue
- Wear Wedding Shoes To Break In

## 1 Week Before

- Decide What To Do With Centerpieces After Reception
- Final Count For Reception
- Send Pre-Payment
- Pack For Wedding Trip
- Make Sure Wedding Dress Is Pressed
- Confirm Services Contracted For And Determine Balances Due
- Call Coordinator And Discuss Final Preparations
- Take Placecards, Glasses, Guest Book, Favors, Cake Cutter To The Facility

## After The Wedding

- Send Thank You Note To Both Sets Of Parents/ Wedding Host
- Gift Acknowledgements
- Preserve Gown



## *Recommended Services*

### *Ceremony Officiants*

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## *Directions*

### FROM HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

Route 2 East to Route 11 South • Left onto Route 82 • Right onto Route 85 • Route 85 to Interstate 95 North. Interstate 95 to Exit 90. • Turn right at the exit, Mystic Seaport is one mile south on Route 27. Parking for Mystic Seaport is on the left.

### FROM BOSTON AND POINTS TRAVELING SOUTH ON I-95

Take Exit 90 off I-95. • Turn left at end of ramp onto Route 27 South. • Proceed approximately one mile. Parking for Mystic Seaport is on the left.

### FROM NEW YORK CITY AND POINTS TRAVELING NORTH ON I-95

Take Exit 90 off I-95. • From right lane, turn right onto Route 27 South. • Proceed approximately one mile. Parking for Mystic Seaport is on the left.

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