

LODGE AT PINE COVE



Weddings & Special Occasions

Celebrate Your Love at the French River



The Lodge at Pine Cove specializes in intimate weddings from 2 – 120 guests. The most popular way to enjoy a special occasion here is to book the Lodge exclusively for you, your family and friends. Our gorgeous setting on the French River will be the backdrop to a memorable celebration and true getaway for everyone. Your **Wedding Weekend Package** at Pine Cove can be as rustic or as elegant as you wish - we'll help you choose and achieve the perfect balance.

We also know that some of our clients wish for something even more intimate and simple, and for those of you who would like to exchange vows with just a handful of friends and family, and do not require exclusive use of the property, we offer **Weddings a la Carte**.

Or perhaps your perfect wedding involves just the two of you. We cater to even the most private celebrations. Our smallest weddings are still recognized with extra care and attention. Our **Weddings for 2** package is special in the unique freedom and imagination it allows for your special day.

The following pages describe 3 ways to celebrate your love at the French River! **Please note that these packages are not available during long weekends.**

Wedding Weekend Package

Our **Wedding Weekend Package** has been designed for couples that wish to invite **up to 120 guests** to celebrate with them at the Lodge. We require a minimum 45 guest two-night stay with meals. Please see chart below for more details.

Beginning with our **base rate of \$8,700***, you will have exclusive use of the Main Lodge for 2 full days and nights – so start dreaming! This is the base weekend price for you and 10 others, and you can build on your guest list from there. The Lodge can accommodate **up to 58 guests** in 17 cottages and **up to 120** dining guests in the Lodge for dinner and dancing.

The base rate includes everything listed in the following tables **for 2 to 12 guests**, including your accommodation in our wonderful waterfront cottages. A rehearsal can be staged upon request.

On your wedding day, we deliver romantic breakfast hampers to the cottages. Whenever you wish, we'll be ready for you with a fabulous celebratory cocktail party and wedding dinner at the Lodge. On Sunday, sleep in and then enjoy a special brunch at the Lodge with your guests.

We have included a pricing worksheet in this brochure for our Wedding Packages that will help you quickly calculate the cost of hosting your wedding here.

*May and Oct, save 10% on the base rate.



Small Weddings a la Carte



For those of you who wish to celebrate your nuptials or renewal of your vows on the banks of the French River with just a few friends and family, the Lodge at Pine Cove offers a lovely and cost effective way to do so.

Our **Small Weddings a la Carte Rate** base venue rate is **\$4,400*** for hosting weddings **up to 24 people**.

This base rate includes a casual BBQ dinner on the night of arrival for the wedding couple and up to 10 extra guests** (location of your choice – beach or Main Lodge), wedding ceremony location set up on Lodge grounds, 2 nights' accommodation in a King studio cottage for the wedding couple (upgrades are available at extra cost), a 4-course, custom wedding dinner for wedding couple and up to 10 extra guests***.



As with our larger wedding packages, you can build on your guest list from there, with a **maximum guest list of 24** (includes children, photographer, etc. as final number****) overnight and/or dinner guests. The focus is a special weekend with your family and friends in the tranquil setting of Pine Cove. This rate is intentionally restricted to a smaller footprint of guests so that the wedding is special but does not become the dominating event on the property Lodge.

No other weddings will be booked simultaneously to yours, but this package does not offer exclusive use of the Lodge and grounds.

*May and Oct, save 10% on the base rate.

** Base rate includes up to 12 guests total for BBQ; extra diners are charged according to wedding package tables on following pages.

***Base rate includes wedding dinner for up to 12 guests. Extra dinner guests and all accommodation except wedding couple's cottage are extra; alcohol is not included.

****If you have more than 24 guests please contact us for advice.

Please refer to the Wedding Package Worksheet in this brochure for extra per person pricing on accommodation and food.

Weddings for Two



Planning something very quiet and private? The Lodge at Pine Cove offers an intimate way to exchange your vows in the beauty and peace of nature. Our team will help you choose a special location for your ceremony (floating in our Montreal canoe? On the banks of Five Finger Rapids? In the privacy of your very own waterfront cottage?) We'll also suggest other outings you may wish to enjoy over the weekend.

Your wedding dinner can be as casual as a gourmet picnic taken to a special spot on the river, as romantic as candlelight and linen on the beach, or as romantic as a table for two by the fire at the Lodge.

Your **base rate of \$2,200*** will include our help in making your selections as personalized as you wish, a celebratory welcome basket upon arrival, a private 1-bedroom cottage for 2 nights, a canoe or kayaking outing with a picnic lunch, your wedding dinner in the location of your choice and the peace of mind in knowing that you will be married *your way*.

Please note this package is not available on long weekends.

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<p>Wedding Weekend Package– from \$8,700 Our Base Price for a Fri/Sat night wedding weekend at Pine Cove begins at \$8,700 – Everything is included for 2-12 guests. You build from there! *Plus Taxes & 10% Gratuity. Look what's included in base rate:</p>	<p>Spring Wedding May – June 24</p>	<p>Late Summer Wedding Sept 14 – Sept 30</p>	<p>Autumn Wedding Oct 1-Oct 15</p>
<p>Planning Ahead Up to 12 months prior to your wedding, 1 night's complimentary stay for 2 in a cozy waterfront studio cottage for planning your wedding at Pine Cove <i>*Reimbursed with wedding booking if not used beforehand.</i> <i>**We reserve the right to change the date of the complementary stay.</i></p>	<p>Extra nights and Additional Guests may join you to preview the Lodge at our seasonal rates. Please enquire. The Lodge has a lovely selection of studio, 1, 2 and 3-bedroom cottages. We can help with guest lists and cottage assignments. Visit our Accommodations page on the website for descriptions and photos.</p>		
<p>Wedding Weekend Accommodation Complimentary Private Waterfront Cottage for Wedding Couple, double occupancy accommodation for 10 more of your family / friends for wedding weekend are available <i>*Minimum two nights stay.</i></p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$101 pp/night</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$114 pp/night</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$108 pp/night</p>
<p>Your Own Private Lodge Exclusive use* of the Lodge at Pine Cove for wedding weekend (or any 2 nights booked for the wedding)*up to 17 cottages and main lodge; based on availability. <i>**can be booked during weekdays.</i></p>	<p>No additional charge.</p>		
<p>Discover the French River A unique, simple, tranquil, rustically elegant setting right on the waterfront at Wolseley Bay – not your ordinary wedding venue!</p>	<p>Your guests will love you for choosing the Lodge at Pine Cove and leave refreshed from a weekend at the French River.</p>		
<p>Choose Your Backdrop Wedding ceremony set up on Pine Cove or in Main Lodge. Several lovely spots around the property offer perfect settings for your ceremony. The Main Lodge features a large screened porch overlooking the beach and Wolseley Bay; the Beach is immediately adjacent to the Main Lodge.</p>	<p>Our staff will assist you in setting up for your ceremony.</p>		
<p>Natural Entertainment for Everyone at the Wedding Use of kayaks & canoes for short paddles around the Lodge; equipment & planning for longer trips on the river is available at extra cost.</p>	<p>Our protected Pine Cove is perfect for paddling and swimming; trip planning, instruction, guides and outfitting equipment are available for an additional charge.</p>		
<p>Everything You Need China, glassware and flatware are included for all dining events of up to 50 guests; table linens and napkins are rented on your behalf for a nominal charge. Tea lights, votives and greenery/simple tablescapes for all evening dining events are included.</p>	<p>You are welcome to add your own touches. For weddings over 50 guests, all china, flatware and glassware will be rented on your behalf.</p>		
<p>Settling In for the Weekend Welcome tea & coffee are available at your cottages. Help with your wedding luggage and packages are available.</p>	<p>Guests are welcome to bring other snacks to store in their cottages.</p>		
<p>Relax Early check-in* at 2pm for wedding couple and wedding party on day of arrival. All other guests are welcome to arrive after 4pm.</p>	<p>Although bags will be picked up from cottages at 11am on the day of departure, all wedding guests are welcome to stay and enjoy the lodge, swim, canoe and hike after check out on Sunday.</p>		

<p>Wedding Weekend: The Food! Our Base Price for a Fri/Sat night wedding weekend at Pine Cove begins at \$8,700 – Accommodations, meals and some other things are included for 2-12 guests, etc. (see below) You build from there! *Plus Taxes & 10% Gratuity. Look what else is included in base rate!</p>	<p>Spring Wedding May – June 24 Per Additional Guest</p>	<p>Late Summer Wedding Sept 14 - Sept 30 Per Additional Guest</p>	<p>Autumn Wedding Oct 1 - Oct 14 Per Additional Guest</p>
<p>Casual Rehearsal Dinner Wedding Rehearsal Beach BBQ & Bonfire. We do all the work and bring the marshmallow 'Smoers' supplies for after dinner fun.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$38 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$44 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$38 per person</p>
<p>A Special Start to Your Special Day Wedding Day Breakfast. A romantic breakfast hamper will be delivered to your cottages.</p>	<p>Saturday breakfast is included in all guest accommodation rates.</p>		
<p>Launching the Celebration "Romantic Cruise" on the French River. Our guide will take you out in our "floating lounge" on a leisurely cruise on the French River. Max 12 persons. Wedding party is guaranteed; other cruises are based on availability, please ask for more details.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$22 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$27 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$22 per person</p>
<p>Congratulations! Post Ceremony Wedding Cocktail Party in the Main Lodge. It's time to raise a glass to you with your friends and family. A special hors d'oeuvre menu will be designed to complement your Wedding Dinner.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$11 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$16 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$13 per person</p>
<p>Waterfront Wedding Dinner 4-Course Wedding Dinner in the Main Lodge. We offer plated dinners with choices of soup, salad, fish and meat. Our food is deliciously simple and we will be happy to customize menus for you. *Must be seated by 6:30pm.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$55 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$60 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$55 per person</p>
<p>Have Your Cake Your wedding dinner menu includes a luscious dessert of your choice. Although we are not wedding cake bakers, if you would like your main dessert to be "cake", we have some unique ideas.</p>	<p>If you truly wish to have a traditional wedding cake, we can make recommendations for bakeries and specialty bakers in Sudbury, ON, approximately 1 hour's drive north of the Lodge at Pine Cove.</p>		
<p>Wines, Beer & Spirits We are licensed by the LCBO and offer a nice selection of wines; we can also order in specific wines just for you. Our license does not allow BYO at the main Lodge and on the grounds; private consumption in rented cottages is fine. *We offer bar packages, please ask for more details.</p>	<p>Reasonably priced wines, beer & spirits, along with special, themed cocktails, can be arranged to suit your menu selections. Wines are sold by the bottle; beer and spirits are sold per standard drink. Cash bars can be arranged for any part of your weekend celebration. *Please ask us for more details on the cash bar.</p>		
<p>Midnight Snack for 12 at 12! All that dancing works up a late night appetite. A selection of hot or cold snacks is available to choose from.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$11 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$16 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$13 per person</p>
<p>Sunday Brunch* Choose between our romantic breakfast baskets delivered to your cottages or a hot Sunday brunch in the Main Lodge. *Not included in accommodation rates.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$22 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$27 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$24 per person</p>

<p><i>Small Weddings a la Carte</i> – from \$4,400</p> <p>Our Base Price for a Fri/Sat night weekend small weddings at Pine Cove begins at \$4,400 – Accommodations, meals and some other things are included for the wedding couple for the weekend, plus a rehearsal BBQ and a four-course wedding dinner for an additional 10 guests. You build from there! *Plus Taxes & 10% Gratuity **Maximum 24 guests. ***Free dinner Friday & Saturday for 10 extra guests. Look what's included in base rate:</p>	<p>Spring Wedding May – June 24</p> <p>Extra Guests</p>	<p>Late Summer Wedding Sept 14 - Sept 30</p> <p>Extra Guests</p>	<p>Autumn Wedding Oct 1 - Oct 14</p> <p>Extra Guests</p>
<p>Wedding Weekend Accommodation Complimentary Private King Waterfront Studio Cottage for Wedding Couple both nights. Upgrades are available for an extra cost. Extra guests will stay in a selection of studio, 1, 2 and 3-bedroom cottages at our seasonal rates ; there is a minimum of two nights stays for this package.</p>	<p>See Seasonal Rates</p>	<p>See Seasonal Rates</p>	<p>See Seasonal Rates</p>
<p>Casual Rehearsal Dinner Package includes Wedding Rehearsal Beach BBQ & Bonfire for 12. We do all the work and bring the marshmallow 'Smores' supplies for after dinner fun.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$38 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$44 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$38 per person</p>
<p>A Special Start to Your Special Day Wedding Day Breakfast. Choose our romantic breakfast hampers delivered to your cottages.</p>	<p>Continental breakfast is included in all guest accommodation rates.</p>		
<p>Waterfront Wedding Dinner 4-Course Wedding Dinner in the Main Lodge is included for 12. We served plated, 4-course dinners featuring soup, salad, a choice of meat or fish and wonderful desserts. Our food is deliciously simple and we will be happy to customize menus for you. *Must be seated by 6:30pm.</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$55 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$60 per person</p>	<p>12 people are included in base rate; Extra Guests \$55 per person</p>
<p>Have Your Cake Your wedding dinner menu includes a luscious dessert of your choice. Although we are not wedding cake bakers, if you would like your main dessert to be "cake", we have some unique ideas.</p>	<p>If you truly wish to have a traditional wedding cake, we can make recommendations for bakeries and specialty bakers in Sudbury, ON, approximately 1 hour's drive north of the Lodge at Pine Cove.</p>		
<p>Wines, Beer & Spirits We are licensed by the LCBO and offer a nice selection of wines; we can also order in specific wines just for you. Our license does not allow BYO at the main Lodge and on the grounds; private consumption in rented cottages is fine. *We offer bar packages, please ask for more details.</p>	<p>Reasonably priced wines, beer & spirits, along with special, themed cocktails, can be arranged to suit your menu selections. Wines are sold by the bottle; beer and spirits are sold per standard drink. Cash bars can be arranged for any part of your weekend celebration. *Please ask us for more details on the cash bar.</p>		
<p>Sunday Breakfast Breakfast baskets will be delivered to your cottages while everyone is waking up.</p>	<p>Continental breakfast is included in all guest accommodation rates.</p>		

<p>Weddings for Two– from \$2,200 Our Base Price for an intimate two nights stay wedding for two at Pine Cove begins at \$2,200* – Accommodations, meals and some other things are included for the wedding couple for the weekend. *Save 10% in May & Oct. Not including taxes & 10% Gratuity **Save 10% on a honeymoon stay within the first year from the wedding date. Look what's included in base rate:</p>	<p>Spring Wedding May – June 24 \$1,960</p>	<p>Late Summer Wedding Sept 14 - Sept 30 \$2,200</p>	<p>Autumn Wedding Oct 1 - Oct 14 \$,1,960</p>
<p>Waterfront Cottage for Two Your package includes a lovely, waterfront 1-Bedroom cottage with a king bed, wood stove, kitchen and screened in porch with views to Pine Cove or Wolseley Bay. Privacy, tranquility and romance.</p>	Included	Included	included
<p>Welcome basket and Friday Night BBQ Hamper Your cottage will be stocked with a celebratory basket of treats and we'll deliver a BBQ Hamper on your first night.</p>	included	included	included
<p>A Special Start to Your Special Day A romantic breakfast hamper will delivered to your cottage the morning of your wedding day...</p>	Continental breakfast is included in all guest accommodation rates.		
<p>Waterfront Wedding Dinner We'll arrange a Wedding Dinner for you in the location of your choice: a 4-Course Wedding Dinner in the Main Lodge or our screened porch, at your cottage or even a picnic to take on a sunset pontoon boat cruise.</p>	included	included	included
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<p>Wines, Beer & Spirits We are licensed by the LCBO and offer a nice selection of wines; we can also order in specific wines just for you.</p>	Reasonably priced wines, beer & spirits, along with special, themed cocktails, can be arranged to suit your menu selections. Wines are sold by the bottle; beer and spirits are sold per standard drink.		
<p>Sunday Breakfast Sleep in and enjoy another romantic breakfast baskets delivered to your cottage.</p>	included	included	included

FAQ's

What do the Base Rates Include?

The base rates include our assistance with some details of your wedding at Pine Cove. This includes planning the wedding day menu, guest accommodations coordination, transportation coordination, and logistics of rental equipment, flowers, cake, live music, DJ's, and any activities that are based at the Lodge.

How Do We Reserve our Wedding?

To reserve your wedding, The Lodge at Pine Cove requires a non-refundable deposit of CDN \$4,350 for a weekend package and CDN \$2,200 for an a la carte wedding at the time of booking.

90 days prior to your wedding date, The Lodge requires a second non-refundable deposit representing the balance of your wedding base rate.

30 days prior to your wedding date, The Lodge requires the final balance of your wedding package including all applicable taxes and a credit card to guarantee alcohol, service charges and other incidentals during your stay with us.

30 days prior to your wedding date, The Lodge will also request the final number of dinner guests and equipment rental requirements. Final billing will be based on this number of guests and cannot be less than this number. However additional guests can be added with prior agreement of The Lodge.

What is the Cancellation Policy?

Weddings deposits and payments are non-refundable. Please be certain of your plans prior to committing to our wedding deposit requirement. The Lodge at Pine Cove cannot accept responsibility for cancellations due to illness, inclement weather, change of plans or other factors beyond our control



More FAQ's

What About Outside Guests?

You and your overnight guests are our guests at the Lodge. Outside guests are considered your guests, and we need to ensure that we are sharing responsibility for them. We request that all outside guests have arrangements made for designated drivers, such as mini-vans or buses which will transport guests to and from their homes in the local area, Sudbury or other local accommodations. Please do not allow your guests to drink and drive.



Is a Damage Deposit Required?

The Lodge at Pine Cove requires a \$2,725 damage deposit along with your final deposit. We will pre- authorize your credit card the weekend of your wedding. The damage deposit is 100% refundable provided there is no willful damage to the Lodge and its equipment (including all cottages and grounds). Accidents do happen, and the Lodge will not hold its guests responsible for minor loss or breakage. Damage to floors, walls, furniture and other equipment, including canoes and kayaks, may incur a charge (at cost only) to the client. Thank you for asking your wedding guests to drink responsibly and to be respectful of our facility and our staff. Damage deposits will be refunded within 1 week of your event.

Does the Lodge Recommend Wedding Suppliers?

The Lodge at Pine Cove can provide you with names of local suppliers for photography, a local wedding planner, flowers, cakes, etc. We do not make recommendations, but we do provide a list of reputable businesses.

When can we meet?

We are able to meet on weekdays and some weekends. Please contact us to make arrangements in advance.

For more information and assistance with pricing, please email info@frenchriver.com or call 705.898.2500