

# The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel

*May we take this opportunity to congratulate you both on your forthcoming marriage and extend our very best wishes for your future together.*

*Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel is nestled in the picturesque village of Blarney, just minutes away from the famous Blarney Castle with all its historic charm and romance. At the Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel we believe your wedding day is one of the most important events in your life and naturally you will want everything to be just perfect. Because we care, you will experience the difference .....*

*From the moment you walk through our doors you will experience a warm welcome with a standard of hospitality which you would expect on this day to remember.*

*Our guidance and expertise will ensure that all your requirements will be carried out with our individual attention and personal service throughout the celebrations. Our intention is to help you create perfect memories of a perfect day.*

*At the Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel we strive to offer contemporary food in relaxed intimate surroundings with an emphasis on fresh produce and excellent service.*

*Thank you for your interest in The Martin Suite at Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel and we look forward to the opportunity of hosting your special day.*

*Marian & Laura  
Wedding Coordinator's*

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## *Something Blue Winter Package*

*We are delighted to offer this all inclusive package from October to March excluding  
December 26<sup>th</sup>- January 2<sup>nd</sup>*

*All Inclusive Package of €39.00 per person*

*Champagne Reception for the Bride & Groom*

*Mulled Wine on arrival for your guests*

*Freshly Brewed Tea, Coffee & Biscuits on arrival for your guests*

*Five Course Dinner Menu*

*(Set Dinner Menu- Supplements apply for all additional choices on all courses)*

*Evening Reception Food*

*Selection of Sandwiches & Cocktail Sausages*

*(Supplements apply for all additional choices)*

*Red Carpet on Arrival*

*Personalised Table Plan, Menu & Name Cards*

*Silver Cake Knife & Cake Stand*

*White Linen Table Cloths & Napkins*

*Candelabras as centerpiece on all tables including candles*

*Complimentary elegant chair covers & sash*

*Complimentary overnight Bridal Suite for the Bride & Groom*

*Complimentary Menu Tasting for the Bride & Groom*

*Special overnight accommodation rates for your guests*

*Complimentary car parking for all guests*

*Dedicated Wedding Planner*

*Based on a minimum of 40 guests*

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# *Something Blue Menu*

*Create your own menu by choosing one starter, one soup, two main courses and one dessert from the following options*

*Thai Fish Cakes with Baby Leaf Salad  
& Cucumber Pickle*

*Fricassee of Wild Mushrooms and Chicken  
In a Crisp Puff Pastry Case*



**Soup of Your Choice**



**Roast Turkey and Honey Glazed Ham**  
*Sage, Thyme & Onion Stuffing, Served with Roast Potato & a Cranberry Jus*

**Oven Baked Fillet of Salmon**  
*Lemon & Herb Baby Potatoes, Tarragon Cream Sauce*

**Supreme of Chicken**  
*Served with Smoked Bacon Potato Cake & a Rosemary Jus*

*Selection of Market Fresh Vegetables & Potatoes*



**Homemade Strawberry Pavlova**  
*Served with Fresh Cream & a Mango & Passion Fruit Coulis*

**Apple & Cinnamon Crumble Tart**  
*Served with Vanilla Bourbon Ice Cream*



*Barry's Tea or Freshly Ground Coffee*

# *Something Borrowed Package*

**€54.00 per person**

***Champagne Reception for the Bride & Groom***  
***Mulled Wine or Summer Punch on arrival for your guests***  
***Freshly Brewed Tea, Coffee with Homemade Mini Scones on arrival for your guests***  
***Five Course Dinner Menu***  
*(Set Dinner Menu- Supplements apply for all additional choices on all courses)*  
***Evening Buffet Menu or Fish & Chips, Tea & Coffee for all guests***  
*(Choose 3 options from the Evening Buffet Menu)*

***Red Carpet on Arrival***  
***Personalised Table Plan, Menu & Name Cards***  
***Silver Cake Knife & Cake Stand***  
***White Linen Table Cloths & Napkins***  
***Candelabras as centerpiece on all tables including candles***  
***Complimentary elegant chair covers & sash***  
***Complimentary overnight Bridal Suite for the Bride & Groom***  
***Two rooms complimentary for Bride & Grooms parents***  
***Complimentary Menu Tasting for the Bride & Groom***  
***Special overnight accommodation rates for your guests***  
***Complimentary car parking for all guests***  
***Complimentary first year's Anniversary Dinner, Bed & Breakfast***  
***Dedicated Wedding Planner***

***Based on a minimum of 40 guests***

***10% Discount on Menu Price for Wedding Booked Mid-week***  
***(Monday - Thursday excluding Bank Holidays)***

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# Something Borrowed Menu

Create your own menu by choosing two starters, a sorbet of your choice, two main courses and two desserts from the following options

## Soup

*With Herb Croutons*

## Black Pudding Crostini

*With Baby Leaves & an Apple Puree*

## Crown of Galia Melon

*Served with Aromatic Fresh Fruits*

## Smoked Salmon Roulade with Cream Cheese, Lemon & Prawns

*Served with a Smoked Paprika Dip*

## Sorbet

## Roast Prime Sirloin of Irish Beef

*Champ Potato, Yorkshire Pudding, Red Wine & Thyme Jus*

## Lemon & Herb Crusted Fillet of Cod

*Baby Potatoes, Mussel Cream Sauce*

## Pan-Fried Supreme of Chicken

*Smoked Bacon Potato Cake, Rosemary Jus*

## Baked Fillet of Salmon

*Chablis & Prawn Sauce*

*Selection of Market Fresh Vegetables & Potatoes*

## Warm Chocolate Fondant

*Dark Chocolate Sauce & Caramel Ice Cream*

## Apple & Cinnamon Crumble Tartlet

*With Bourbon Vanilla Ice Cream*

## Homemade Cheesecake of your choice

## Strawberry Pavlova

*With Fresh Cream, Mango & Passion Fruit Coulis*

*Barry's Tea or Freshly Ground Coffee*

# *Something New Package*

**€65.00 per person**

***Champagne Reception for the Bride & Groom***

***Arrival Drinks Reception***

***(Based on 2 glasses of Prosecco per guest)***

***Freshly Brewed Tea, Coffee with Canapés on arrival for guests***

***(Choose 4 options from our Canapé Menu)***

***Six Course Dinner Menu***

***(Set Dinner Menu- Supplements apply for all additional choices on all courses)***

***Evening Buffet Menu or Fish & Chips, Tea & Coffee for guests***

***(Choose 3 options from the Evening Buffet Menu)***

***Half Bottle of House Wine for each guest with meal***

***Red Carpet on Arrival***

***Personalised Table Plan, Menu & Name Cards***

***Silver Cake Knife & Cake Stand***

***White Linen Table Cloths & Napkins***

***Candelabras as centerpiece on all tables including candles***

***Complimentary elegant chair covers & sash***

***Complimentary overnight Bridal Suite for the Bride & Groom***

***Two rooms complimentary for Bride & Grooms parents***

***Complimentary Menu Tasting for the Bride & Groom***

***Special overnight accommodation rates for your guests***

***Complimentary car parking for all guests***

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## *Something New Menu*

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### **Warm Chicken & Smoked Bacon Salad**

*With Herb Croutons, Caesar Dressing & Parmesan Cheese*

### **Organic Smoked Salmon**

*Warm Potato Cake, Dill Crème Fraiche & Lemon*

### **Goats Cheese & Rocket Bruschetta**

*With Baby Leaves*

### **Homemade Duck Liver Pate**

*Cumberland Sauce & Toasted Ciabatta*



### **Soup of Choice**



### **Sorbet of Choice**



### **Pan-Fried Breast of Duck**

*With Steamed Greens & a Plum Sauce*

### **Roast Rack of Kerry Lamb**

*Crusted with Fresh Herbs & Rosemary Jus Served with Roast Baby Potatoes*

### **Fillet of Monkfish Wrapped in Parma Ham**

*With Roasted vine-tomatoes & Basil Beurre Blanc*

### **Pan-Fried Fillet of Beef**

*With Dauphinoise Potato & Red Wine Jus*

*Selection of Market Fresh vegetables & Potatoes*



### **Tasting Plate**

*Choice of 4*

### **Irish Cheeseboard with Homemade Crackers**



*Barry's Tea or Freshly Ground Coffee*

# Canapé Menu

## Cold Selection

*Fresh Strawberries & Cream*  
*Chocolate Dipped Strawberries*  
*Mini Scones with Strawberry Preserve & Clotted Cream*  
*Gourmet Sandwich Selection*  
*Smoked Salmon, Red Onion, Capers & Brown Bread*  
*Crostini of Gubbeen Cheese with Red Onion Marmalade*  
*Chicken Liver Parfait with French Bread*  
*Goats Cheese & Rocket with Olive Tapenade Barquette*

## Hot Selection

*Mini Quiche*  
*Clonakilty Black Pudding Crostini*  
*Smoked Chicken in a Puff Pastry Case*  
*Mini Sausage Rolls*

*We recommend a choice of 2 Hot and 2 Cold Canapés  
and allow 3 pieces per person*

*@*

*€8.50 per person*

*€2.50 per person to add an extra canapé to your wedding package*

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# *Evening Buffet Menu*

*Gourmet Sandwich Selection*

*Cajun Chicken Goujons*

*Cocktail Sausages in Honey & Mustard*

*Spicy Chicken Wings*

*Mini Sausage Rolls*

*Mini Bacon & Cheese Burgers*

*Potato Wedges*

*Bruschetta*

*Clonakilty Black Crostini*

*Satay Chicken Skewers*

*Choose any 4 of the above and we recommend 3 portions per person*

*OR*

*Fish & Chips for everyone*

*Tea or Coffee for all Guests*

*@*

***€8.50 per person***

## *Soups*

*Potato, Leek & Smoked Bacon  
Carrot & Coriander  
Homemade Vegetable Soup  
Celeriac & Smoked Bacon  
Parsnip & Chilli Soup  
Wild Mushroom & Thyme Soup  
Roasted Vine Tomato, Basil Pesto & Herb Croutons*

## *Sorbets*

*Champagne Sorbet  
Lemon Sorbet  
Raspberry Sorbet  
Tropical Sorbet*

## *Desserts*

*(Choose 4 for tasting plate)*

*Chocolate Fondant  
Cheesecake of your choice  
Fresh Fruit Pavlova  
Profiteroles  
Apple Crumble  
Fruit Tart  
Lemon Tart  
Chocolate Mousse  
Banoffi Pie*

# *The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel*

## *Bride & Grooms Guide*

### **12-18 Months Out**

- *Decide on a date for your wedding.*
- *Book the Church, Register Office or Civil Ceremony at The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel.*
- *Book The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel for your Wedding Banquet & pay €1,000.00 to secure the date (Provisional bookings will only be held for 14 days without a deposit).*
- *Choose your best man, ushers, bridesmaids, flower girls and page boys.*
- *Organise your wedding dress.*
- *Book your honeymoon early, should you be planning to travel in peak season.*

### **6-9 Months Out**

- *Book your wedding cars, photographer/videographer and evening entertainment.*
- *Make a list of guests to be invited to the wedding banquet.*
- *Order invitation cards.*
- *Decide on your bridesmaid dresses and menswear for the groomsmen.*
- *Choose and order your wedding cake.*
- *Book accommodation for your family/guests at The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel.*
- *Book your pre-marriage course and apply to register of marriages.*

### **3-4 Months Out**

- *Decide on the ceremony with your cleric or register.*
- *Organise flowers for the Church/Register Office (Flowers can be coordinated with the bridesmaids' dresses and wedding cake).*
- *Choose and order your wedding rings.*
- *Finalise your honeymoon plans, if necessary arrange for any visas or vaccinations.*

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## **2 Months Outs**

- *Compile Wedding Mass Booklet.*
- *Sending out wedding invitations along with details of accommodation where necessary.*
- *Make a note of acceptances & regrets.*
- *Choose presents for the bridesmaids, best man and anyone else you would like to make a special thank you to.*
- *Confirm menu details with the management team at The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel.*

## **1 Month – 6 Weeks Out**

- *Dress hire fittings*
- *Chase up late invitation replies and finalise guest list*
- *Work out table plan*
- *Meet with the management team at The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel and finalise dinner menu, numbers, table plan, drinks reception appetisers, timings, wines, toast, evening refreshments, and confirm accommodation booked.*
- *Finalise your transport arrangements.*
- *Visit your hairdresser, discuss your hair style for the day, and book your appointments for the morning of the wedding.*

## **1-2 Weeks Out**

- *Have your rehearsal for the ceremony.*
- *Arrange for your foreign exchange and collection of your tickets for the honeymoon.*
- *Pack your clothes for your honeymoon & wedding night.*
- *Make arrangements for the collection of menswear.*
- *Collect your pro-forma invoice from the Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel, which needs to be paid one week in advance.*
- *48 hours prior to your wedding confirm numbers of guests to The Blarney Woollen Hotel.*

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### **The Day Before**

- *Bring cake and luggage to The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel*
- *Meet or call the management team should there be any last minute amendments.*

### **The Big Day**

- *Try to have a lie in.*
- *Hair and make up.*
- *Don't forget to eat.*
- *On arriving at The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel, drop any cards or presents to the hotel reception to be put in the safe for safe keeping.*
- *Relax and enjoy your day, The Blarney Woollen Mills Hotel will do the rest.*

### **The Morning After**

- *Ask family or Friends to ensure the following arrangements are made after the wedding:*
  1. *Wedding dress and grooms wear is taken home.*
  2. *All hired items are returned.*
  3. *Wedding cake, presents and flowers are brought home.*

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# Terms & Conditions

## Payment

A provisional booking will be held on one date for a two week period, after this period the date will be released. A deposit of €500.00 (which is non refundable) is paid when confirming the banquet date. A further €1500.00 is required 6 months prior to the wedding date. All accounts must be settled prior to your Wedding Day. Methods of payment accepted include Cash, Bankers Draft & Credit Cards. Any other form of payment must be agreed prior to the function.

The hotel reserves the right to refund deposits in circumstances when a booking is made through a third party or under false pretenses. Prospective clients must always meet with a member of the Management by appointment prior to acceptance of first deposit.

A minimum of 60 guests (max 120) are needed to secure your booking in our Martin Suite. A per person supplement will be charged for less than this. An approximate number of guests should be advised at the time of booking. A revised number of guests are given to the hotel one month in advance of your function and the final number attending the function is advised 48 hours before. The final number given is the minimum number charged for on the day.

## Menus

Menus and final arrangements should be made with the hotel at least 6 weeks before your wedding. Due notice of any price change will be provided not later than 3 months before your reception as seasonal availability of certain produce may apply. Prices quoted are subject to annual increases and seasonal changes. Please note that only food supplied by the Hotel may be consumed on the premises.

## Corkage

For those wishing to bring their own wine for consumption on the premises, a corkage fee will apply at the rate of €10.00 for all still wines & €12.00 for all sparkling wines.

## Entertainment

Amplified music must cease on or before 2.00am. Entertainers must provide their own equipment and accept responsibility for same.

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### **Bar Extensions**

*Normal bar closing times apply unless a Bar Extension has been booked for the night.*

*Closing times are as follows;*

*Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday – 11.30pm*

*Friday & Saturday – 12.30am*

*Sunday – 11.00pm*

*A bar extension will allow the bar to remain open until 1.30am. The cost of application is €475.00. A minimum of 3 months prior notice is required for this facility due to government legislation.*

*Late bar facilities in the hotel are strictly limited to guests who are resident in the hotel. Our late bar closes at 3.30am.*

### **Law**

*All children under the age of 18 years of age must vacate the function by 11.00pm.*

*While we welcome children, they must be supervised at all times.*

### **Accommodation**

*Up to 10 rooms can be reserved for the wedding party at our special wedding rate on the night of the wedding. Extra nights are charged at the normal rack rate. A full rooming list must be sent to the hotel 1 month prior to arrival. Any unnamed rooms will be released within this time. The Bride & Groom will be liable for any bedrooms guaranteed or named by them.*

### **Reduced Accommodation rates.**

*Double/Twin Room: €99.00*

*Family Room: €109.00 (3 pax)*

*Wedding items will be held for three days after the Wedding Reception. It is not the responsibility of the Hotel to hold any items after this time.*

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