



## Frequently Asked Questions

1. Is there onsite parking/valet?  
Large events require guests to use Ray's auxiliary parking lot located up the street (less than 1/2 a mile) from the restaurant. In the event that cars are directed to the auxiliary parking lot by the valet, all guests will be shuttled by our Ray's Valet Team to and from the restaurant by a Ray's Shuttle Van.
2. Does Ray's have a bridal suite?  
There is not a bridal suite onsite but we do offer an option to reserve the room adjacent to the Grand Pavilion for your bridal party and family to gather before your big day! We have great relationships with neighboring hotels which we can provide to you, and many of our brides will use one of their suites to get ready beforehand. Most of these hotels also offer shuttle service to the restaurant.
3. Who will assist me in planning my wedding at Ray's?  
Once a contract has been signed, our Events Managers will assist you with planning your event details regarding food and beverage packages, room layouts, timeline, audio-visual needs and other general details of your event. They can also provide recommendations for services outside of Ray's.
4. Do you have any recommendations for wedding planners and/or does Ray's provide a Day-of-Coordinator?  
We highly recommend choosing a dedicated Wedding Planner/Wedding Coordinator to assist you with your planning. We do require the client to assign a ceremony coordinator for the day who will be responsible for vendor management and coordinating the processional (ceremony and rehearsal).
5. How can I get a list of your Preferred Vendors?  
We offer a carefully selected list of preferred vendors which we can provide to you. Each of these professionals has provided services for multiple weddings at Ray's.
6. Does Ray's provide wedding cakes? Is there a fee to bring in a dessert/cake?  
We do not provide wedding cakes but are happy to cut and serve a cake/dessert from an outside vendor for a minimal fee per person.
7. Can we bring in an outside caterer?  
Other than wedding cakes and wedding favors, all food and beverages (including alcohol) must be provided and served by Ray's on the River. A dedicated Ray's chef is designated for your event the day of your wedding.
8. Does Ray's offer a menu tasting?  
Yes! One complimentary menu tasting is provided as a courtesy to the client.
9. How much time should I book for my wedding rehearsal?  
We are pleased to provide a location for your one-hour rehearsal the day before the wedding. Requests for the wedding rehearsal are made with the Events Team one month prior to the wedding day.
10. How long do we have for set-up on the wedding day?  
The client and hired vendors will have access for setup 1-2 hours prior to the contracted start time, depending on earlier events in the space.