

CENTER FOR THE ARTS

2025-2026 WEDDINGS AT THE CENTER



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WEDDING PACKAGES

Celebrate the best day of your life in the heart of Crested Butte! Accommodating up to 300 guests for ceremonies and receptions, our dedicated team is committed to making your wedding unforgettable.

RATES STARTING AT...

Wedding	High Season	Low Season
Saturday	\$15,000	\$10,000
Friday or Sunday	\$10,000	\$7,500
Monday - Thursday	\$7,500	\$5,000
Elopement Packages + Farewell Brunch Offerings	\$5,000	

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- Use of the Center for the Arts building from 8:00am to 11:30pm on the day of your event
- Tech package and stage for a DJ
- One-hour rehearsal the week of your event (schedule dependent)
- Tables and chairs from the Center's inventory
- Bar glassware from the Center's inventory
- Onsite venue staff including bartenders
- Trash and recycling removal
- Custom message on the Center's marquee

BUILDING SPACES AVAILABLE:

- Steddy Theater
- Backstage spaces: Green Room, Two Dressing Rooms, Catering Prep Area
- Feldberg East Courtyard
- Grace Atrium and Miller Upper Lobby
- Jones Performance Hall
- Kinder Padon Gallery
- Third Floor Rooms
 - King Community Room
 - Hawk Visual Arts Classroom
 - Comiskey Family Terrace

ABOUT THE SPACE



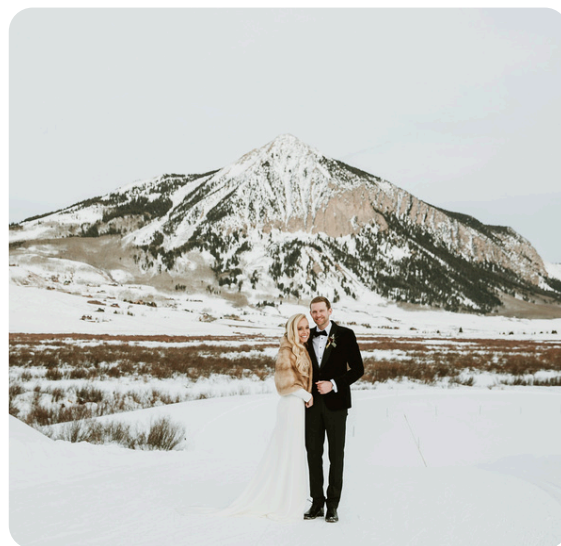
GETTING READY:

You'll prepare for your big day in an atmosphere that feels both serene and vibrant. Picture yourself and your bridal party in elegant, light-filled rooms, laughter echoing through the halls. Every detail of the space enhances the anticipation of the moment, offering a unique blend of sophistication and charm that sets the perfect stage for your wedding day.

TWO DRESSING ROOMS + THE GREEN ROOM

INCLUDES

- Makeup mirrors with LED lights
- Makeup counters
- Washer and dryer
- ADA accessible shower
- Mini fridge and kitchenette
- Adjacent single-stall bathrooms



FIRST LOOK + FAMILY PHOTOS

With an unparalleled panoramic view of Paradise Divide and the Butte, the Comiskey Family Terrace is an incredible spot for your first look, photos, or even your ceremony and cocktail hour for weddings of 50 guests or fewer.

ABOUT THE SPACE



CEREMONY

Reduce your guests' travel and spend more time together by hosting your ceremony in the Center's **Feldberg East Courtyard**, a 3,500-square-foot outdoor space that can comfortably accommodate 250 guests. For your ceremony backdrop, choose either the stunning **Grace Atrium** or a view of Crested Butte Mountain behind you. Get the party started right by welcoming your guests directly into the Grace Atrium for cocktails after you say "I do!"

Please note that the Feldberg East Courtyard is an outdoor, gravel space that is not tented or covered to protect against inclement weather. However, you may hire a rental company to set up a tent. Rental of the Grace Atrium is required for use of the courtyard. Only acoustic or recorded music and speaking at a reasonable level is allowed in the East Courtyard, and all amplified sound must conclude by 8:00 p.m. The Feldberg East Courtyard is adjacent to a public playground and pavilion.



RECEPTION

The **Steddy Theater** is a unique and beautiful indoor space for your dinner and dance party on your special day! From sprung mesquite-wood flooring to wood paneling and state-of-the-art audio-visual equipment for the dance party of your dreams, the Steddy Theater will wow your guests for a night to remember.

Seated Dinner: 300 | Flat Floor Standing: 500

PLANNING YOUR PERFECT DAY

CATERING

We know how important choice is when it comes to food! Couples may hire any caterer they wish. We just ask each caterer to provide a catering business license and proof of insurance.

BAR

The Center holds an on-premise liquor license and therefore you can not bring in your own alcohol. The Center can furnish a full bar for your event including glassware and signature cocktails in premium and top-shelf packages, as well as special-order beer or wine on a case-by-case basis.

A 22% gratuity, will be added to all bar invoices. Plus applicable sales tax.

WEDDING PLANNER

We require that all couples holding a wedding or rehearsal dinner at the Center hire a professional wedding planner. A great planner will not only help you make all the important decisions as you plan but will also ensure that everything runs smoothly so you can relax and enjoy the best day of your life!

TECHNICAL PACKAGES

If you're a music lover, the Center's Steddy Theater is the perfect place for a dance party to celebrate. Our technical staff can work with your DJ or band to dial in our state-of-the-art theatre lighting and sound equipment to make sure it's a night you'll remember forever.

DJ TECH AND STAGE:

- Stage for DJ
- Two (2) microphones for reception
- Ability to show your slideshow on TVs throughout building
- 1 Center technician present during the duration of Event
- Microphone and speakers for ceremony
- Your device plugged in to play music through the Center's state-of-the-art audio equipment OR
- Ability and support for DJ to plug into the Center's audio equipment
- Basic dance floor lighting

Pricing: Included in Rental Price

LIVE BAND TECH AND STAGE PACKAGE:

ALL OF THE DJ TECH PACKAGE PLUS:

- Custom stage set-up depending on needs of your band.
- The Center will assist in backline support. Acquiring backline support is the responsibility of the client.

Pricing:

- \$500 stage construction
- \$2,000 live band technical support

The Center allows bands/DJs to bring all their own equipment (microphones, speakers, amps, monitors, instruments, etc.) into the venue. In this case, the Center will have one technician onsite (included in your wedding package) to troubleshoot audio or lighting issues if they arise, and provide dance floor lighting and anything else included in the basic tech package, as needed.

OUR INVENTORY



FURNISHINGS

Chairs and tables in the Center's inventory are available for use with your rental. You are responsible for specialty hardware, or any tables or chairs needed in addition to these.

- Mahogany resin folding chairs with black seat pads
- Black plastic artist's stools with backs
- Black wooden stools
- Padded theatre chairs with green fabric seats, maple backs, and black metal arms
- 8' rectangular banquet tables
- 60" round tables
- 72" round tables
- 24" cocktail tables (30" height or 42" height)
- 30" cocktail tables (42" height)

GLASSWARE + TABLE SETTINGS

Glassware is included with your rental. The Center does not provide plates, flatware, napkins, linens, florals, décor, etc. – these will need to be rented or otherwise brought in.

- Rocks Glasses
- Pint Glasses
- Wine Glasses
- Highball Glasses

The number of glasses and chairs is limited to the existing stock in the Center's inventory; please inquire for more details.

ELEVATE YOUR SPECIAL DAY



ELEVATE YOUR WEDDING EXPERIENCE WITH THESE DELIGHTFUL ADD-ONS:

Courtyard Vibes | \$300

Transform the venue's courtyard into a cozy, inviting space perfect for mingling and capturing memories.

- Bistro Lights
- 4 Adirondack Chairs
- 1 Firepit

Adirondack Chairs | \$25/each

Add rustic charm and comfort with these stylish, laid-back seating options.

Confetti Cannon (Synthetic Flower Petals) | \$250/cannon

Shower your moment with bursts of eco-friendly floral confetti for a stunning, picture-perfect exit.

Disco Balls | \$50/disco ball

Bring a touch of retro glamour to your reception with sparkling disco balls lighting up the dance floor.

Hazer and Lights Package | \$500

Create a dreamy ambiance with soft haze and vibrant lighting, ideal for enhancing the dance floor or ceremony mood.

Firepits | \$100/each

Gather your guests for warmth and camaraderie with a glowing firepit, perfect for evening chats and s'mores.

Bistro Lights | \$25/300 lights

Drape twinkling bistro lights to add romance and a magical glow to our outdoor space.

Bubble Machine | \$250/machine

Create a whimsical atmosphere as bubbles float around, delighting guests of all ages.



ABOUT THE BAR

DETAILS

Per state and county regulations, service and consumption of alcoholic beverages at the Center is only permitted through the Center's on-premise liquor license.

For hosted or partially hosted bars, a service fee of 22% and the applicable Town of Crested Butte sales tax will be added to your final invoice.

Bar minimums are required for all bar options, with a \$250 sales minimum per hour required for all hours of bar service.

SPECIAL ORDERS

All beverages, alcoholic or otherwise outside of listed inventory are subject to special order policy as follows:

- Special-order beverages are available for purchase by the case only
- Per liquor license, guests may not take surplus special-order beverages off premise
- We are happy to calculate the approximate number of cases of special-order beverages needed based on other drink options and guest count
- Special orders apply to cans and bottles only. We are unable to accommodate special orders for kegs.





BAR OPTIONS

Cash Bar

Attendees or guests purchase drinks individually.

Hosted Bar

The host pays for guest beverages. The Center can bill for beverages on consumption by the bottle or by the glass (dependent on package selection) or on a per-person basis. Per-person pricing applies to all attendees over 21 years of age.

The Center does not offer hosted bar packages up to a certain dollar amount.

Partially Hosted Bar

Some groups may wish to offer a partially hosted bar, limiting the amount that the host pays for guest beverages. The Center offers several versions of a partially hosted bar:

- Limit the open bar to an allotted amount of time. The bar can transition to a cash bar for the remainder of the event, or close.
- Distribute drink tickets to guests, which are redeemable for hosted beverages. Additional beverages are available for guests to purchase.
- Offer guests a limited menu of hosted beverages (e.g. beer and wine hosted, cocktails available for purchase).



PREFERRED VENDORS

PLANNERS

- Stephanie Prater, Princess Productions: princessproductionsweddings-events.com
- Ciera Freson, Lucky Penny Events and Rentals: luckypenny.events
- Jamie Booth, Belleview Weddings and Events: belleviewevents.com
- Stephanie Ames, Alpenglow Events: alpengloweventsco.com
- Jacinda Mahan, Kefi Events: kefievents.com
- Rachael Gardner, Crested Butte Events: crestedbutteevents.com

PHOTOGRAPHERS

- Alison White Photography: alisonwhitephotography.com
- Lydia Stern + T Judson, Mountain Magic Media: mountainmagicmedia.com
- Rebecca Ofstedahl, Third Eye Photography: thirdeyephotographycolorado.com
- Nathan Bilow Photography: nathanbilowphotography.com

CATERERS

- Tim Egelhoff Chef Services: timegelhoff.com
- Dana Zobs, Crested Butte's Personal Chefs: crestedbuttespersonalchefs.com
- Denise and Kevin Reinert, Burnell's Food Truck: burnellsfarmhouse.com
- Matt Santor, Crested Butte Catering Company: crestedbuttecateringcompany.com

BEAUTY

- Leta Maunz, New Moon Salon: newmoonsalon.com
- Natalie Vierling Makeup, natalievierlingmakeup.com
- Aubree Scarff, Gemstone Skincare and Services: gemstone-skincare.com

PHOTO BOOTH

- Brandon Cvilikas, CB Wanderbus: cbwanderbus.com

RENTALS

- Heather Allyn, Sage Rentals: sagecb.com
- Stephanie Blewett, Alpenglow Events: alpengloweventsco.com
- Ciera Freson, Lucky Penny Events + Rentals: luckypenny.events/rentals

FLORISTS

- Sarah Hausdoerffer, Bramble and Bloom: brambleandbloomfloral.com
- Heather Allyn, FIN + ALLY: finallyco.com
- Keli Massey, Misty Mountain Floral: crestedbutteflorist.com

DESSERTS

- Danielle Riesz Gutter, Wildflour Sweets: wildfloursweets.com
- Meg Antonczyk, The Breadery: breaderycb.com
- Alyssa Atzenbeck, Cake Me Away: cakemeawaycolorado.com
- Rachael Coleman, Base Camp Bakery: colemansbakery50@gmail.com

Thank you for considering the Center for the Arts as a potential venue for your big day!