



# Weddings

at The GrandWay

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# THE GRANDWAY

Hi there,

Thank you for taking the time to explore hosting your wedding with us!

At The GrandWay, we have a philosophy that every event we hold is an experience – your experience – and our team works hard to bring your vision to life. We believe that event planning should be as enjoyable as the event itself, which is why we take a down-to-earth approach and welcome you to tap into our network and expertise. We take pride in hosting every event, and always execute with a smile!

Located just steps away from the beautiful village of Elora, The GrandWay stands on our 53-acre property and strives to provide all of the amenities you would expect of an urban event centre but with the added beauty and charm of the country. Our location, accommodating events team, and passion for event planning truly allows you to plan your event, your way.

Cheers,

Jenna Lerch  
Events and Experiences Manager



**Jenna Lerch**  
Events and Experiences  
Manager



**Danielle Patton**  
Events and Experiences  
Coordinator



**Brittany Newman**  
Events and Experiences  
Coordinator

# The Grand Experience Package - \$164/person

## The following is included in the Grand Experience Package:

- Onsite wedding coordinator to assist with the planning process and orchestrate set-up on wedding day
- Dining tables with standard linens, chairs with standard covers, glassware, and tableware
- Same-day access to event space prior to ceremony/reception  
*(Earlier access can be discussed; additional fees may apply)*
- Access to a portable speaker/sound system for the ceremony and background music
- Access to in-house A/V system *(also available to DJ/Band)*
- Cake table and gift table *(locked gift storage available)*
- Complimentary overnight parking for all guests
- Property access for photography
- Complimentary guest coat check
- Access to in-house decor
- Access to a private wedding suite

*(The below meal option can be plated or buffet style.)*

## Cocktail Reception

Station served hot and cold canapés *(choose 6)*

## Dinner Service

*Menu prepared with ingredients inspired by the season:*

- Artisan bread basket
- Set appetizer *(choose 1)*
- Choice of two entrées *(guest selections confirmed in advance)*
- Dessert *(choose 1)*
- Coffee & tea service
- Presentation and plating of your wedding cake

## Bar

Consumption bar *(pay per drink)*

*Offering a standard bar rail, domestic beer, and Ontario VQA house red & white wine*

## UPGRADE! The All-Inclusive Grand Experience Package - \$199/person

*This option provides a maximum 8 hours of bar service, including a standard bar rail, domestic beer, and Ontario VQA red and white wine at the table.*

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## Please Note:

- Younger guests (14 and under) are \$85/person.
- Kids 3 and under are complimentary.
- Premium bar rail and premium wines are available by request at an additional charge.
- Prices are subject to change.

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*Please ensure any dietary constraints are shared with the team and we will do our best to accommodate. Many menu items can be adapted to accommodate vegetarian, vegan, or gluten-free diets.*

# The Grand Experience Menu

## Canapés/Cocktail Party

(Choose 2 from each – 6 pieces per person)

**G** = GrandWay Favourites

### \$35 per dozen

- *Crispy Spring Rolls* filled with chicken and cilantro, served with red chili sauce
- *Crispy Spring Rolls* filled with bean sprout and green onion served with red chili sauce
- *Chicken Pot Sticker Dumplings* with tamari dipping sauce **G**
- *Veggie Pot Sticker Dumplings* with tamari dipping sauce
- *Thai Fresh Cold Roll* with seasonal vegetables
- *Mini Falafel* served with yogurt garlic sauce

### \$45 per dozen

- *GrandWay Deviled Eggs* with a creamy centre topped with smoked trout **G**
- *Tomato and Olive Bruschetta* with fresh basil and balsamic reduction
- *Stuffed Mushroom Caps* with local blue cheese gratin
- *Grilled Zucchini Ribbons* with hot peppers and chèvre
- *Spanakopita* filo pastry stuffed with spinach, feta, garlic, and cream cheese **G**
- *Mini Caprese Salad* with bocconcini, cherry tomato, basil, and reduced balsamic

### \$55 per dozen

- *Sautéed Chili and Garlic Jumbo Shrimp* with parsley and extra virgin olive oil
- *One-Bite Crab Cake* lightly breaded and served with gherkin mayonnaise
- *Vodka Smoked Salmon Bagel Crostini* with dill cream cheese
- *Classic Cocktail Jumbo Shrimp* with Marie-Rose sauce
- *One Bite Wild Mushroom Tart* with gruyère cheese **G**
- *Local Salami Cracker* with ricotta and lemon mousse and arugula salad
- *Crispy Local Prosciutto Wrapped Asparagus* **G**
- *Braised Meatballs* in a local honey and garlic glaze **G**
- *Sausage Rolls*

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# The Grand Experience Menu *(continued)*

## Appetizers

Basket of artisan bread served with fresh Gay Lea butter.

### Soup

*Can be prepared vegetarian or vegan.*

*Butternut Squash Soup* with cinnamon coconut cream

*Cauliflower and Ontario Roasted Garlic Purée*

*Tomato and Red Pepper Bisque* with gouda gratin

### Salads

#### *House Salad*

Heritage mixed greens dressed with cider vinaigrette. Mixed with cherry tomatoes, dried cranberries, english cucumber, crispy apple chips, and watermelon radish.

#### *Caesar Salad*

Kale and mixed greens, parmesan cheese, light croutons, and bacon, tossed with creamy garlic Caesar dressing.

#### *Quinoa Salad*

Quinoa blend, mixed with scallions, diced tomatoes, raisins, cucumber, bell peppers, roasted garlic and lemon vinaigrette, pea shoots, and fresh herbs.

#### *Potato Salad*

Creamy potato salad, mixed with triple crunch mustard and roasted garlic mayonnaise, fresh herbs, and pickles, garnished with fresh pea shoots and sun dried tomatoes.

#### *Pasta Salad*

Penne pasta salad marinated in balsamic roasted garlic and fresh italian herbs. Mixed with zesty tomatoes, red onion, peppers, and cucumbers, topped with parmesan cheese.

#### *Rustic Greek Salad*

Cherry tomatoes, cucumber, feta cheese, kalamata olives, red onions, with a garlic and oregano dressing, topped with fresh herbs.

#### *Tuscan Bean Salad*

A hearty marinated blend of beans, fresh herbs, scallions, and peppers. Tossed with a creamy garlic and sundried tomato vinaigrette.

## Supplemental Mid Course - \$20

- *Penne with beef ragoût* served with romano cheese
- *Smoked Fish* with pesto sauce and grilled baguette
- *Gnocchi Carbonara* served with grana padano and parmesan cheese

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# The Grand Experience Menu *(continued)*

## Entrées

Served with roasted root vegetables and your choice of:

- Garlic and rosemary mashed potato
- Dauphinoise creamy scalloped potato
- Roasted mini new potatoes with butter and herbs

### Options *(Choose 2)*

*Tea Cured Marinated Boneless Salmon Steak* with lemon cream, balsamic local pears

*Braised Boneless Short Rib* with ale and sage jus

*Roasted Loin of Pork* stuffed with dried fruit stuffing white wine thyme infusion

*Ontario Beef Striploin* with herbed yorkshire pudding and red wine shallot jus  
*(Upgrade to boneless prime ribeye beef - ADD \$5)*

*Stuffed Supreme of Chicken* with garlic, spinach, cream cheese, parmesan, and a cherry and caramelized orange jus

*Prosciutto Wrapped Chicken Breast* stuffed with arugula, figs, artichoke, and chèvre with marsala white mushroom cream

## Plant-Based Entrées

*Caramelized Organic Tofu and Lentil Stuffed Pepper* featuring Lau-tea-da Lentils in a red thai and coconut stew, crispy tofu served inside a tender red pepper

*Eggplant Manicotti* stuffed with Daya vegan mozzarella and cream cheese, pomodoro sauce, spinach, and basil

*Butternut Squash Gnocchi* with caramelized onions, wilted greens, grated parmesan, and crispy sage  
*(can be made vegetarian or vegan)*

## Desserts *(Choose 1)*

- Individual Trifle with layers of berry coulis, sponge cake, and fresh cream
- Chocolate mousse with berry coulis
- Chocolate or vanilla cheesecake *(choose 1)*
- Apple blossom with english custard
- Classic vanilla crème brûlée *(alternative flavour offerings available)*
- Chocolate or vanilla cupcakes with swiss meringue buttercream icing *(choose 1)*
- Seasonal pie served with vanilla ice cream

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## Dinner Service

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- Artisan bread basket
- Appetizer *(choose 1)*
- Choice one entrée
- Dessert *(choose 1)*
- Coffee & tea service
- Presentation and plating of your wedding cake

## Bar

Consumption Bar *(pay per drink)*

*Including a standard bar rail, domestic beer, and Ontario VQA House Red & White Wine*

## UPGRADE! All Inclusive Country Classic Package - \$155/person

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# Country Classic Menu Options

## **Appetizers** *(choose 1)*

Basket of artisan bread served with Gay Lea fresh butter *(included for all packages)*

### **Soup**

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*Butternut Squash Soup with cinnamon coconut cream*

*Cauliflower and Ontario Roasted Garlic Purée*

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# Country Classic Menu Options *(continued)*

## Entrées *(Choose 1)*

Served with roasted root vegetables and garlic rosemary mashed potatoes.

- *Marinated and Grilled Chicken Breast* with marsala white mushroom cream
- *BBQ Glazed Pork Rib*
- *Braised Beef Short Ribs (ADD \$5 per person)*
- *Penne Rigate* with pomodoro parmesan sauce
- *Butternut Squash Gnocchi* with caramelized onions, wilted greens, grated parmesan, and crispy sage

## Desserts *(Choose 1)*

- *Individual Trifle* with layers of berry coulis, sponge cake, and fresh cream
  - *Chocolate mousse* with berry coulis
  - *Chocolate or vanilla cheesecake (choose 1)*
  - *Seasonal pie* served with vanilla ice cream
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# UPGRADES For Any Wedding Package

## ADD - Late Night Snacks

*(Prices are per person)*

*French Fry Station* \$4.50

Condiments: Ketchup, mustard, garlic aioli, malt and white vinegar, and gravy

*Poutine Bar*

Toppings: Homemade gravy, cheese curds, bacon, scallions, and fried onions \$7.50

*Pizza Flatbread Bar* with an assortment of your favourite pies \$6

*Mini Slider Bar (beef or pulled pork)* with fries \$8.50

*Vegetarian Nacho Station* \$7.50

Toppings: Fresh pico de gallo, shredded lettuce, sour cream, queso cheese dip, siracha, guacamole, scallions, black olives, pepperoncini and lime cilantro marinated black beans.

*Chicken Taco Station with pulled chicken* \$9

Toppings: Shredded lettuce, scallions, pico de gallo, lime cilantro sour cream, cotija cheese, fresh guacamole, pickled red onions, toasted pepitas, and taco sauces (jalapèno tabasco, salsa verde, and salsa taquera).

*Mac 'n Cheese Bar* with bacon, chives, caramelized onions, and brown butter crumbs \$7

*Tortillas 'n Dip* with hummus, guacamole, fresh vegetables, and crispy tortillas \$4

**ADD**

**Sparkling Wine Toast** \$6.50/person

*(non-alcoholic option available)*

# Wedding Ceremonies at The GrandWay

## Do you want to say “I do” too?

If you are looking for a location to host your full wedding day, we got you! We are equipped to host not only your reception, but your ceremony as well. We have several ceremony locations to choose from, depending on what your vision is.

Consider the following ceremony locations:

### Outdoor Ceremony - \$500

- **Patio** - adjacent to the GrandWay Hall and GrandWay Lounge, the large patio overlooks the racetrack and grounds. *(Standard folding chairs and setup are included.)*
- **Infield** - 6 acres of beautiful green space in the middle of the track, full of opportunities for your special day *(Standard folding chairs and setup are included.)*

### Indoor Ceremony

- **River Room** - *Max 96 capacity - \$500*
  - **The GrandWay Hall** - *Half set up, Max 150 capacity - \$1,000 (requires minimum 1 hour transition time)*
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The GrandWay kitchen team which includes Emma Brook, Food and Beverage Supervisor has over 30 years of experience, our team is here to ensure your event is a great success. We are committed to providing menu options with the highest quality of food, made in-house, using flavours of the season with fresh, local produce.

It's our mission to make your event "Grand", by bringing your wedding day vision to life!



## Our Commitment to Local Food

As part of the Grand Family (which includes the Grand River Agricultural Society and Grand River Raceway) we put local food and farming at the heart of our organization. We truly believe in the quality of Canadian products and the families behind them.

We are proud to support our local growers and processors. Let's introduce you to some that you will find included in our menu:

