

# CELEBRATIONS OF LIFE & WAKES

### AT CROWN LODGE



#### W E L C O M E T O

# Crown Lodge



Crown Lodge is located at the top of the Wye Downs in Kent. A historic area of outstanding natural beauty, enjoying panoramic views across the Kent countryside.

At Crown Lodge we understand that in this period, organising a funeral, celebration of life or wake can be very upsetting and stressful. Our team are here to sit down with you and create a special send off that your loved one deserves.

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An intimate woodland surrounding, perfect for the celebration of a loved one. Designed to reflect it's surroundings - the inside has a cosy cabin feel with rustic wood panelling, plenty of cosy fairy lights and glass bi-folds to bring the outdoors in.

We also have an outdoor gazebo with seating located behind the main lodge at the end of our stunning tree avenue that can be used to hold a service.

We are able to provide an Afternoon Tea Buffet for the post funeral reception, saving family and friends the trouble of travelling to another venue.

Within the lodge we have a music system to connect a device for some soft background music. A projector screen is also available should you wish to connect a device to share images of your dearest. Outside seating overlooking the Kent countryside and plenty of parking.

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## A Personal Touch

There are two options for holding a Celebration of Life here at Crown Lodge. Whether you hold the service at a local Crematorium and then join us for the Wake straight after OR host both the Service and Wake giving you the option to say your final goodbyes in the peaceful surroundings instead of the Crematorium.

With Exclusive Use of the venue you can personalise by adding special touches throughout. Whether this be adding photo memory walls down to their favourite tipple.

Caskets are able to be brought into the Lodge and placed wherever you see fit. Within the Lodge there is a separate room with a wooden folding door. This room can be used to hold the service in and then closed off after so friends and family can take a moment to themselves with their dearest.



#### Option 1

10am - Crown Lodge team arrival
11am - Offsite Service at Local
Crematorium
12/12:30pm - Family & friends arrive to
Crown Lodge
12:30pm - Catering refreshments along
with tea and coffee served
15:00pm - Guests to depart Crown Lodge
15:30pm - Crown Lodge closes

#### Option 2

10am - Crown Lodge team arrival
11am - Family and friends arrival
11:15am - Family arrival with Casket
11:30am - Service to start in outside Gazebo
or inside Lodge
12pm - Prosecco Toast
12/12:30pm - Family & friends time to
reflect on life within the lodge with Casket
12:30pm - Casket to depart
12:45pm - Light refreshments available
14:30pm - Guests to depart Crown Lodge
15:00pm - Crown Lodge closes

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## Catering

Afternoon Tea Buffet - From £22.95 per person
Selection of Sandwiches, Savouries including our popular Sausage Rolls along with
Sweet treats served Buffet Style
(Includes Tea & Coffee for all)

As a venue we do allow external catering so if you were thinking of something different please do let us know so we can discuss further details.

Along with catering we do have a full bar stocked with a variety of beverages available for the day.



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# Details

Our Venue Hire cost for exclusive use of Crown Lodge and Woodland area starts from £450.00.

The above cost includes venue hire and service. This is based approximately on a 4 hour duration. If you'd like to extend your time with us we can discuss further.



#### IMPORTANT BOOKING

## Information & Guidelines

We are delighted to be considered to host this special celebration with us. In order to make sure your event runs smoothly, we do have some important information and guidelines below that must be read prior to booking.

#### Deposit & Payments

We require a deposit of £450.00 to reserve the date. Your booking is not confirmed until we have received this. This deposit is non-refundable.

We require full payment two weeks in advance of your event.

#### **Dietary Requirements**

We require all details, including final guest numbers and all dietary requirements to be given to us at least 2 weeks in advance.

Please do get in touch to discuss the service you have in mind and allow us to take away the pressure by dealing with all of the details so that you can celebrate the life of your loved one in a beautiful and private location.

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