



ASTRA MARQUEES



Weddings

Congratulations, you're engaged

You want your wedding day to be unique and so do we. Over the years we have helped hundreds of couples to arrange their marquee wedding day. Astra Marquees has helped arrange small intimate weddings at client's premises, through to large wedding receptions on country estates.

With years' of experience under our belts, let us take the stress out of your day and leave you to enjoy the experience with your partner, family and friends.



Our marquees

We specialise in the provision of clear-span marquees, which have no internal supporting poles or external guy ropes. They allow you to fully maximize the use of the interior space for your wedding. Adding a wooden floor, carpet, and if the weather dictates, temperature controlled heating allows you and all of your guests to enjoy a warm, comfortable, spacious and cosy environment. With lots of options around lighting, your day can be extended long in to the night to make your special day a memorable one.



Our clear span marquees can accommodate any size of wedding from a small intimate gathering of close family and friends through to 100's of guests in our larger marquees. We can add additional marquees to the main structure to create spaces for caterers, a bar area and chill-out zones with soft seating.

"We had the most fabulous experience with Astra Marquees for our Wedding last year. Ray was helpful with everything and answered all of my many questions quickly and thoroughly. They were on site and setting up without any hassle a few days before and made everything completely stress-free which is exactly what you want a wedding to be! Can't recommend highly enough, thanks again! "

Marquee dressing

You're engaged, you've set your date, you've chosen your venue, you've decided on a marquee - now it's time to theme and dress it. You have so many options that it's impossible to list them all here. (For inspiration, visit wedding fayres, check out the web, especially Pinterest which has so many ideas you may be overwhelmed.) Settle on a theme, be it festival, shabby-chic or luxuriously formal and then collect your ideas to transform your marquee into the venue you want. We can provide the basics; carpets, drapes, different coloured swags and something sparkly over the stage/dance area. Change your normal drapes to our black star-cloth for a stunning twinkly light effect.



Once you decide on your theme and the items you need, we'll help wherever we can. If there's something that we can't help with, we can put you in touch with a number of venue dressing companies that specialise in different styles of dressing. Whether you want rustic/shabby chic or luxurious we will have a contact for you. Again, you decide - we help.

Why use Astra Marquees

Astra Marquees started in 2006 with the intention of setting up a family business that would grow into something we and our customers could all be proud of. We started small, with a few clients, some regular ones but mostly new, one-off clients. Now, however, we have repeat business with clients stretching back many years and others being added all the time. We love working with clients to set up their special occasion, be it a wedding, a family party, beer festival or other event. Each client is unique, and we get to meet lots of people and go to some amazing places. Customer service has always been our focus, and if our testimonials are anything to go by, we've achieved what we set out to do.

How we work

Normally, you will have made an initial enquiry or been referred to us for a quote. Using the information provided, we will try and get an initial quotation to you within 2 days. Hopefully our quote will be competitive enough and contain what you want, but if not, tell us what you want to change and we'll re-submit an amended quote.

Once you decide to go ahead, we will communicate with you to ensure you are getting what you need and expect. If a site visit is required, we will come and visit you and establish that the site is suitable and check that what is proposed works. Ask us as many questions as you like, we are here to help and have extensive knowledge of our trade.

Once you have decided to go ahead, we will invoice you for a 10% deposit with the balance being due 7 days prior to setup.

Our most frequent compliment is how accommodating and easy to deal with we are. If you want to change your requirements, let us know and we'll do our best to arrange what you want.

We normally set up the marquee at least one day in advance of the event so that you have a full day to decorate your wedding marquee. If you need more time, let us know in advance and we'll arrange it.

Before we leave the venue, we will go through any equipment that needs demonstrating with either you, or the venue representative, to ensure a smooth operation on the day.

Finally, it's your big day. We don't want you to fret about anything, so we're available on the end of a phone and on site if required to ensure your day goes to plan.

Testimonials

"We hired Astra marquees for our outdoor wedding last Friday and Ray was amazing to deal with.

We met up with him to discuss our needs and answer any questions we had.

The marquee got put up a few days prior which was amazing for us setting up our tables and decorations.

It was all to a high standard and looked beautiful with the drapes inside!

100% recommend to anyone and we will definitely use again if we need marquee hire.

Thanks so much to Ray and your team! "

"We used Astra Marquees for our wedding and we couldn't have been happier with the result.

We had no idea what we needed but discussed numbers and activities with Ray and he provided the perfect size marquee. Ray and his team were wonderfully professional throughout the whole process, set-up and took down the marquee at the times they said they would and the marquee itself was in excellent condition. We had a ceilidh and the standard floor they put down was perfect even though we were in a slightly uneven field. Excellent service throughout we would certainly recommend Astra Marquees for any outdoor events."

"We couldn't have been happier with the Marquee, or the process from start to finish. Ray came out to see the area we wanted covered and was full of suggestions and ideas. On the day they came to erect the Marquee they worked so hard moving the equipment from front to back of the house.

Once up we couldn't believe how wonderful it all looked, and on the day of the wedding everyone made comment on how great the space had been used.

Not planning on getting married again, however if a big party idea comes along we will definitely be using them again. "

"A fantastic service from Ray and the team! Marquee was perfect for our wedding last week. Ray was full of helpful suggestions throughout the planning process and responded promptly to all our various questions and queries! Thank you! "



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