



CHATEAU DE JALESNES



Dream
WEDDING
at Chateau de Jalesnes





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Welcome to CHATEAU DE JALESNES

Nestled in the enchanting Loire Valley, our exquisite Renaissance chateau offers the perfect backdrop for a dream wedding. This beautifully renovated historic building harmoniously blends timeless elegance with modern comforts, ensuring an unforgettable experience for you and your guests. Explore the breathtaking 22-acre estate, featuring lush forests and meticulously manicured formal gardens, ideal for picturesque ceremonies and intimate gatherings.

Inside, our elegant library and charming chapel provide serene spaces for reflection, while the grand banquet hall sets the stage for luxurious celebrations. Enjoy the added delight of a heated pool and a pétanque court, perfect for relaxation and leisure during your event. Our dedicated team is committed to providing high-quality service and meticulous planning, allowing you to focus on creating cherished memories. Let our chateau be the canvas for your love story, where luxury events come to life in this captivating setting.

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“We miss the chateau every day honestly and no one can stop talking about the wedding - it was truly incredible!

We're so thankful we found the chateau and you both - you made our wedding absolutely magical!”

Julia & Eric





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Elegant accommodations

The château can accommodate up to 65 guests across our one- to three-bedroom suites, each uniquely decorated with ensuite bathrooms and inviting living spaces. Accessible rooms are also available.

For larger parties, we can arrange additional accommodation in charming hotels, gîtes, or alternative château stays in the local village of Vernantes -just minutes away - or in the nearby town of Saumur.

Many of our couples choose the elegant Les Mariés suite or one of our refined roof-terrace suites, which offer breathtaking views over the formal gardens and the French countryside. Whatever the choice, our aim is to provide every guest with complete comfort and luxury.



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Enchanting settings

During your wedding celebrations, Chateau de Jalesnes provides a selection of stunning locations for every aspect of your stay.

FRONT TERRACE: A favourite for welcome dinner or ceremonies, the front terrace is a stunning backdrop for making your most special memories.

CHESTNUT GROVE: Share your vows with your loved ones nestled between our chestnut trees.

MOAT: For something a little unique, gather your guests for your ceremony or vin d'honneur in our dry moat.

HUNTING LODGE: A hidden tower within our forest, perfect for a wedding taken straight out of a fairytale.

CHAPEL: Make your promises beneath the stunning stained glass.



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“Words cannot describe how happy we were with the whole experience.

From the location, to the food, to rooms, and the château grounds, everything about this place is perfect.”

Aaron & Blake



Delight your tastebuds

You can't think of France without imagining its culinary delights and sprawling vineyards. Our team have sourced exquisite caterers and discovered wonderful local vineyards to allow your guests to sample some of the best France has to offer.

Upon arrival, indulge in a choice of local gastronomy, a casual barbecue, or a splendid buffet, all complemented by a glass of the finest Crémant de Loire or a selection from our bar.

Start your day energized with options ranging from freshly baked pastries to a mimosa brunch, followed by fresh baguettes or charcuterie as you prepare for the festivities.

Your guests will be greeted at the ceremony with a glass of sparkling wine, and can celebrate afterwards with signature cocktails and an array of wines, beers, and soft drinks at the bar. Enjoy a selection of canapés and live cooking stations during the vin d'honneur.

Our sumptuous wedding banquet options cater to all tastes, with each dish exquisitely presented and a delight for the palate.

Conclude the evening with a traditional Croquembouche or a beautiful wedding cake, and keep the energy flowing with midnight snacks, ensuring the dance floor stays lively!



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Captivating entertainment

Welcome your guests with enchanting live French musicians, featuring accordion, piano, and saxophone, creating a charming atmosphere from the moment they arrive.

For the ceremony and cocktail hour, elevate the ambiance with classical musicians such as a harpist or violinist, adding a touch of elegance to your vows and celebrations.

As night falls, energize the dance floor with a DJ or live band, playing a mix of classic hits and modern favorites to keep the party alive.

For an extra wow factor, consider unique entertainment options like acrobats, dazzling fireworks, or live painters who can capture the magic of your day.

If you have your own ideas, our team is ready to help source talented performers to bring your vision to life, ensuring a personalized and unforgettable experience for you and your guests.



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“We had the absolute wedding of our dreams at Chateau de Jalesnes!

Katy and David made the planning process so easy, especially since we planned all the way from the United States.”

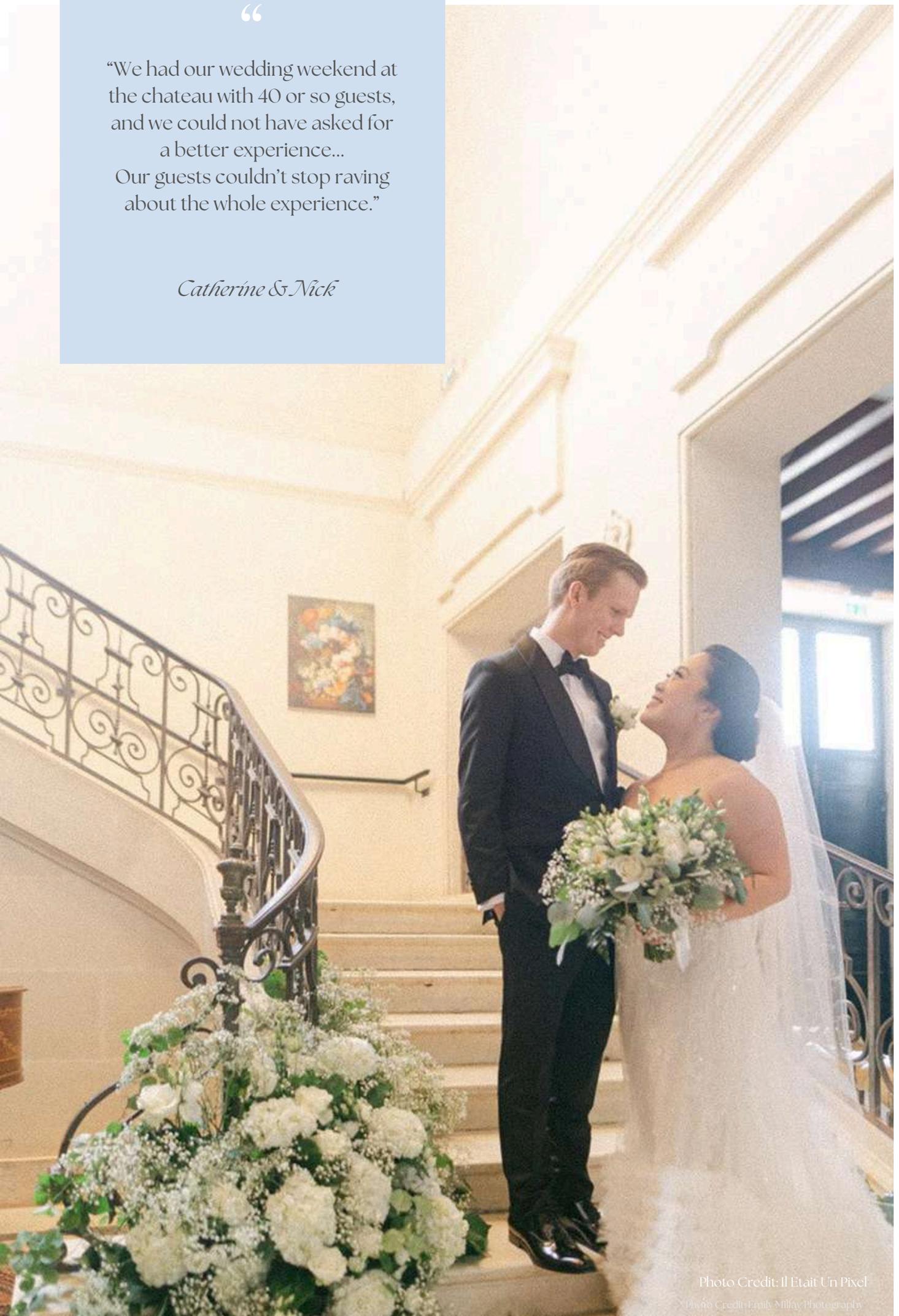
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“We had our wedding weekend at the chateau with 40 or so guests, and we could not have asked for a better experience... Our guests couldn't stop raving about the whole experience.”

Catherine & Nick





Personalised service

Our wedding coordination service is here to make your planning process seamless, starting from your first inquiry. We tailor our offerings to meet your unique needs, whether you require full planning, partial coordination, or day-of management.

With the expertise and industry connections of our bi-lingual team, we assist with venue selection, vendor recommendations, and budget management, so you can relax knowing everything is handled with care.

As your wedding day approaches, we finalize details and troubleshoot any issues, ensuring everything runs smoothly. On your special day, we manage all logistics so you can fully enjoy the celebration, creating unforgettable memories together.



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“We had our wonderful winter wedding at the Château, and it was truly the most magical experience from start to finish.

Everything was absolutely perfect, and we couldn't have wished for a better venue or a more incredible team to help bring our dream day to life.”

Flôrence & Tom

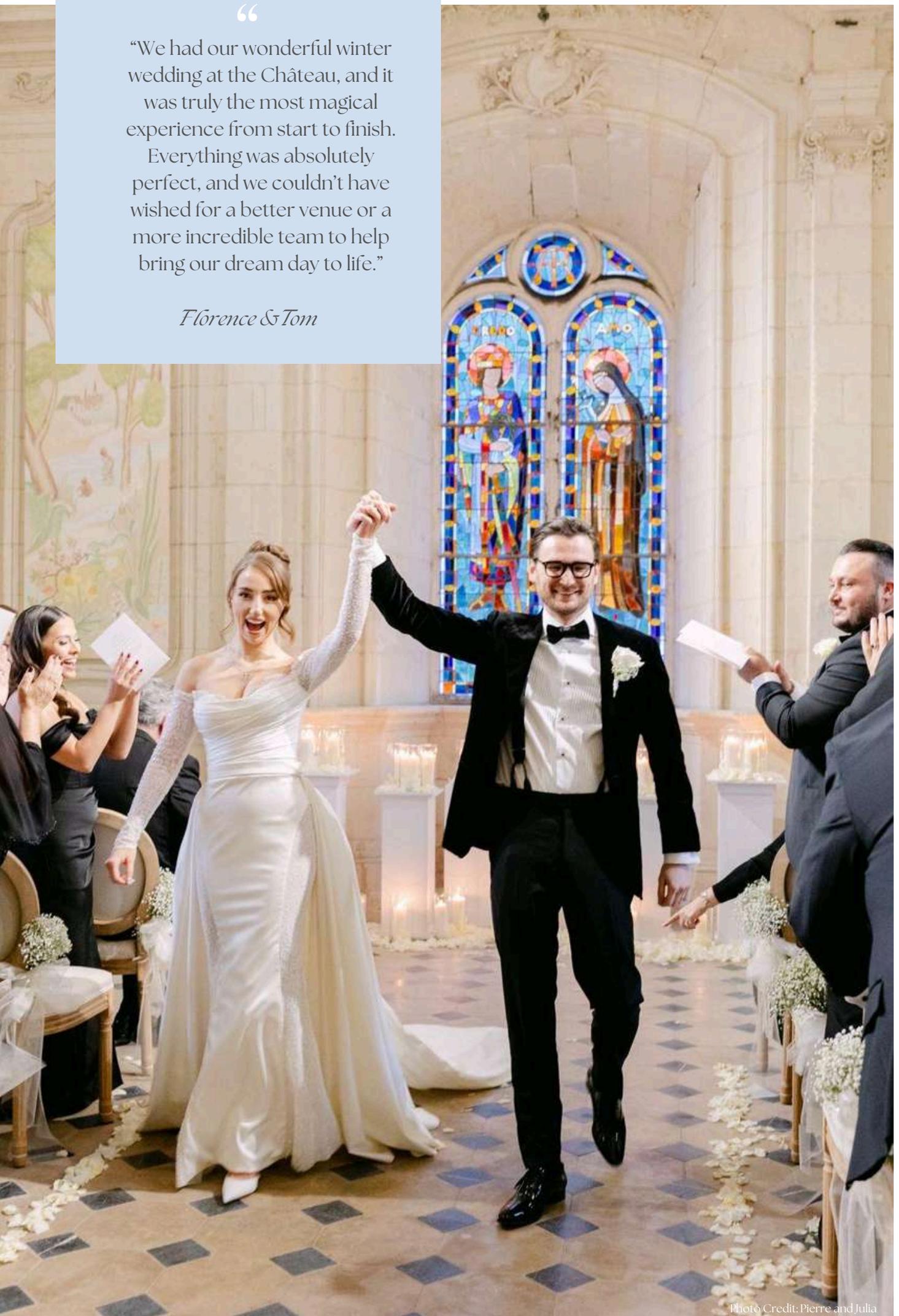




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Destination chateau

Château de Jalesnes has welcomed couples from across the world. With regular video calls, digital planning tools, and a bilingual English–French team, planning your destination wedding with us is simple and stress-free.

Whether you choose to visit the château in advance or prefer to arrange everything from afar, our dedicated coordinator and experienced team ensure each step feels seamless. We are here to guide you through the process, offering clear communication and professional support from first inquiry to the final toast.

Our local knowledge makes every detail effortless - from arranging guest transport and nearby accommodation, to recommending trusted vendors and memorable activities for your stay.

As French law requires a minimum residency to marry legally in France, many couples choose to complete a civil ceremony at home before celebrating with a symbolic ceremony at the château. If you would like a religious ceremony, or if you are able to meet the legal requirements, we are delighted to support you in making that happen.



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the *Jalesnes* difference

Unlike many venues, Château de Jalesnes combines tailored and bespoke packages with distinctive features that make your celebration truly your own. Beyond the essentials, we offer a few thoughtful extras - what we call "The Jalesnes Difference."

EXCLUSIVITY: Enjoy private use of our 22-acre estate, including the historic chapel, formal gardens, and heated pool. The château is yours alone, creating a rare atmosphere of beauty and relaxation.

CHOICE: Celebrate in a variety of unforgettable settings - from our chestnut grove to the romantic moat - with both indoor and outdoor options for up to 180 guests.

LUXURY: Stay in comfort across 17 spacious suites, each blending modern 5-star refinements with timeless Renaissance architecture. With room for up to 65 guests on site and more in nearby châteaux, hotels, and gîtes, your loved ones will feel completely at home.

FLEXIBILITY: With over a decade of experience, our team ensures every wedding reflects the couple's unique vision. Whether you dream of a relaxed barbecue or a fine dining banquet, a horse-drawn carriage arrival or a hot air balloon adventure, we make it possible.

TIME: Your celebration unfolds at your pace. From late-night parties to flexible mealtimes and extended stays, we adapt your timeline so you can savour every moment.



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“The venue exceeded our expectations - it was love at first sight! The food was delicious, the venue was stunning, and the staff were friendly and accommodating.”

Ruth & Misael





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Entertain your guests

Our curated experiences are designed to immerse you and your guests in the beauty and culture of the Loire Valley. From your very first day at the chateau, we help you create an itinerary that blends adventure, relaxation, and authentic French charm.

Whether you're seeking the thrill of a hot air balloon ride, the elegance of chateau visits, the delight of wine tastings, or the serenity of boating along the Loire, each activity is carefully arranged to suit your preferences.

These unique experiences add depth to your stay, ensuring your time here is as memorable as the celebration itself.



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Packages & Pricing

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Our "Dream Wedding" package encompasses everything you need to celebrate your love story in style.

SPACES

- Luxury accommodation for your guests, up to 65 in the chateau, and additional accommodations in partner chateaux, hotels and gites.
- Salon-library, dining hall, chapel, gardens and pool, all available throughout your stay.
- A selection of stunning celebration locations.
- Indoor and outdoor dining options for up to 180 guests.

SERVICES

- Bi-lingual wedding coordination team.
- Team to set up and tear down all spaces.
- Bar staff and experienced service staff for all events.
- On-site 24h management team.
- Wedding rehearsal upon your arrival.
- Welcome basket in all chateau rooms, including a bottle of Cremant de Loire.
- Guest convenience items such as umbrellas, and toiletries stocked in bathrooms.

CULINARY

- **Welcome Dinner:** Hot or cold buffet, barbecue, paella, fouées, crepes, hog or lamb roast, pizza or food trucks.
- **Breakfast:** Continental breakfast, with option to upgrade to a hot breakfast or brunch.
- **Lunch:** Sandwiches and snacks for a grab-and-go during wedding preparations.
- **Canapés:** Variety of gourmet canapés, with the option of engaging live cooking stations. Two signature cocktails and a wine, beer and soft drinks bar.
- **Banquet:** Served four-course gourmet banquet, paired with wine.
- **After Party :** Midnight appetizers and full bar service for 4 hours.

FURNISHINGS & DECOR

- **Dining :** Round or rectangular tables, silver flatware, white tablecloths, and white serviettes for formal dining.
- **Ceremony:** Indoor and outdoor chair options, square or rounded arch, gold or white plinths, altar table and white tablecloth, white card box, tables in entryway for guestbook and personal touches, baskets for confetti, favours and other accessories.
- **Extras :** Hot drinks machine available 24h, iced water stations, wooden lawn games, outdoor table tennis, petanque, fire pit (seasonal), bike hire available.



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