Weddings at deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum
Lincoln, MA
About deCordova

- DeCordova offers a unique backdrop of contemporary art for an unforgettable events in its indoor and outdoor spaces.
- Established in 1950, deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum is the largest park of its kind in New England. Providing a constantly changing landscape of large-scale, outdoor, modern and contemporary sculpture and installations, the Sculpture Park hosts more than 60 works. Inside, the Museum features a robust slate of rotating exhibitions and programming.
- Your contribution supports The Trustees efforts to protect and preserve the irreplaceable landscapes and landmarks that make Massachusetts the place you want to call home.
The Minimalist
Perfect for your intimate ceremony or elopement

May 1st – October 31st
Friday/Saturday/Sunday  $2,000

- 2 Hours with access to your space 30 minutes prior
  - Start Times: 10:00am & 12:30pm
  - Additional time for photos in the park
- Includes admission for up to 30 guests
- Semi-private location of your choice
  - Dine Hearts
  - Main Lawn
  - Sculpture Terrace
- Additional guests up to (50) +$250
- Bring-Your-Own Food & Non-Alcoholic Beverages
- Trustees employee to assist with guest arrival and event coordination
The Contemporary Affair

Love the intimate feel of a smaller wedding, but still want all the bells and whistles?

May 1st – October 31st
Friday/Saturday/Sunday $4,000

- 3 Hours with access to your space 1-hour prior and 1-hour post
  - Choice of start time: 3:00pm, 4:00pm, 5:00pm
- Includes admission for up to 50 guests
- Semi-private location of your choice
  - Dine Hearts
  - Main Lawn
  - Sculpture Terrace
- Includes ceremony fee
- Private Bridal Suite
- Must use a preferred caterer for food & beverages, set up, and rental coordination
- Includes guest tables, cocktail tables, black ceremony and reception chairs (subject to selected location and guest count)
- Trustees employee to supervise event set-up, vendors, and the overall flow of the event.
### The Modernist

**Art. Love. Nature**

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- 5.5 Hour rental time frame, including wedding ceremony
- Plus 2 Hours for set up and 1 hour for breakdown
- Event can begin after 5:30pm
- Indoor Capacity – 140 Guests
- Outdoor Capacity - 250 guests*
- Full exclusive access to the museum galleries and grounds for guests
- Includes guest tables, cocktail tables, black ceremony and reception chairs (subject to selected location and guest count)
- Private Bridal Suite
- Use of Trustees electric golf cart for photos and to assist guests throughout the park
- Use of Rappaport Roof Deck for photos
- Must use a preferred caterer for food & beverages, set up, and rental coordination
- Trustees employee to supervise event set-up, vendors and the overall flow of the event. Museum staff in the gallery spaces and front desk event staff also provided.

*Additional Fee for Tenting (does not include tent): $1,500

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*A tent is required for outdoor weddings. Additional Fee for Tenting (does not include tent): $1,500*
Wedding Ceremonies
Main Lawn
Dine Hearts
Sculpture Terrace
Cocktail Hour
Sculpture Terrace

Photo: Zev Fisher Photography

Photo: Lara Kimmerer Photography
Dinner & Dancing
Dewey Family Gallery
Up to 140 guests
Dinner and Dancing

Tented Upper Parking Lot (up to 250 guests)

Or

Sculpture Terrace (up to 120 guests)

Tent Fee (does not include tent): $1,500 when renting in addition to the Museum Building
Additional Spaces
DeNormandie Library | Bridal Suite
Rappaport Roof Deck | Unique Photos
FAQ's

Bars
- Any alcoholic beverages must be managed by one of our Preferred Caterers
- All bars close one-half hour before the event is scheduled to end (with a 5-hour maximum). The music will conclude one-half hour before the event is scheduled to end.

Availability and Timing
- Additional time may be added at $500 per hour
- Events may not go past 12:00 midnight
- Outdoor tented events must observe a noise ordinance of 11:00pm on Friday & Saturday, 9pm on Sunday (except Labor Day)
- Micro-Wedding Packages are only available on select dates.
- Holiday Sundays are charged at Saturday rates.

Deposits and Security Deposits
- A non-refundable deposit of 50% of the estimated total fee is required in order to guarantee any arrangements. In the event of cancellation, the deposit will be retained by deCordova Sculpture Park and Museum. A security deposit of $1,000 is required and will be returned after the event, provided:
  - All regulations for use of the Museum, its grounds, adjacent Conservation Land, and Flint's Pond have been observed.
  - There has been no damage to the Artwork as well as the Artwork has not been compromised in any way.
Membership
A minimum Supporting Level Membership ($165) is required of all wedding events held at deCordova.

Fully tax deductible
- Reciprocal benefits at hundreds of museums throughout North America through the North American Reciprocal Membership (NARM) network
- Free or reduced admission for four adults and children 17 and under
- Free or discounted parking
- Opportunity to select one complimentary Crane Beach Parking Permit (*reduces tax-deductibility by $85; one additional permit may be purchased for $85)
- Discounted rate on thousands of programs and events
- Members' advance ticketing for select events
- Subscription to our quarterly Members magazine, Special Places
- 10% discount at gift shops, cafés, and on equipment rentals plus seasonal Double Discounts
- Discount on consecutive night stays at our Inns and Campgrounds
- Opportunity to purchase up to two Crane Beach Parking Permits, one Notchview Ski Passes, and CSA shares
Vendors

Preferred Caterers* (must choose 1)
- Boston Catering & Events
- Capers Catering
- East Meets West Catering
- Fireside Catering

Wedding Planners (recommended)
- Elegant Aura
- Jodi Raphael
- Amy Kimball Events
- Nicole Simeral & Co.

Tent Vendors (suggested)
- The Event Company
- PEAK Events
- Seacoast Tent

Photographers (recommended)
- Nicole Chan Photography
- Tatiana Blanco
- Servidone Studios
- Krista Photography

*A fee of $1,000 will be added to the venue fee if an alternative caterer is requested. Client must provide proof of the caterer’s license to operate and the caterer’s insurance documentation. Caterer will be expected to comply with Catering Guidelines as outlined by the museum.