

AURUM SKY
VENUE

Bienvenue

A LITTLE VERSAILLES, SET AMONG THE CLOUDS.

WEDDINGS · CELEBRATIONS · EXPERIENCES

BROCHURE & PACKAGES

BOTHA'S HILL · KWAZULU-NATAL

WELCOME

> *Come, while the morning still is young,*
> *while mist lies soft on every hill;*
> *the day is yours, its song unsung,*
> *and all the sky is waiting still.*

Come. Stay a little longer.

High above the Valley of a Thousand Hills, lawns roll toward the horizon and formal gardens keep their quiet symmetry, as the grand estates of old Europe once did.

Here every celebration, the tender and the magnificent alike, finds a setting worthy of it. Arrive with every detail dreamed, or only with a feeling you cannot yet name. Our team will give it form.

850M ABOVE SEA LEVEL

On the rooftop of Durban.

Here the clouds stop to greet you, and the air is as pure as the first morning of the world. Touched by the mist belt and shaped by three weather systems, the estate keeps its own calendar of moods: veils of mist at dawn, and at dusk a sky poured out in gold.

CLASSIC ELEGANCE LIFESTYLE INDOOR / OUTDOOR

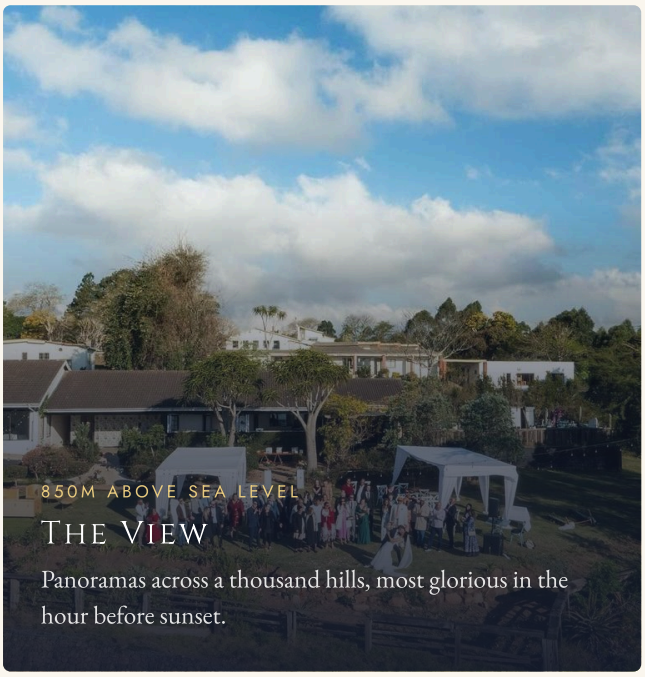


THE ESTATE · INDOOR / OUTDOOR

Four hectares of possibility.

Where hills unfold like petals to the sky,
and clouds, in passing, pause as they go by,
there waits a garden kept for you alone,
a house of candlelight, of gold and stone.

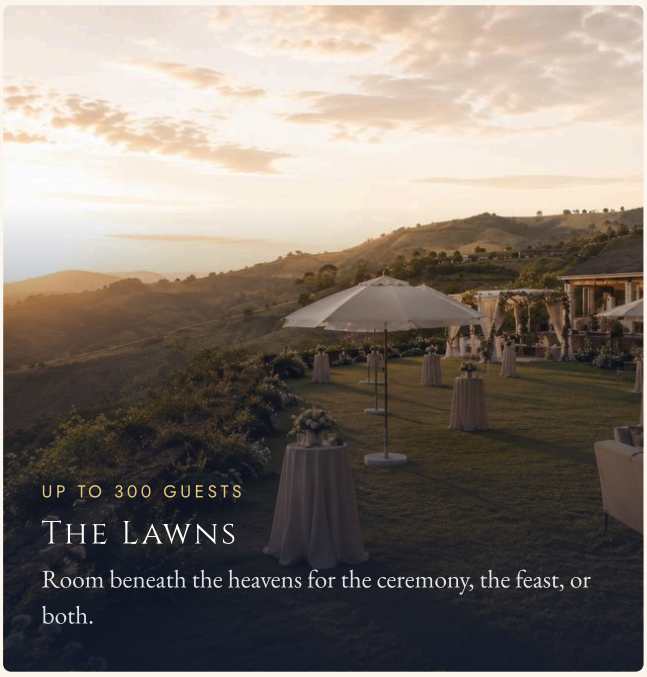
Lawn, garden and valley, each flowing into the next across one golden afternoon. Within, the rooms are warm and honest: plaster, timber and candlelight.



850M ABOVE SEA LEVEL

The View

Panoramas across a thousand hills, most glorious in the hour before sunset.



UP TO 300 GUESTS

The Lawns

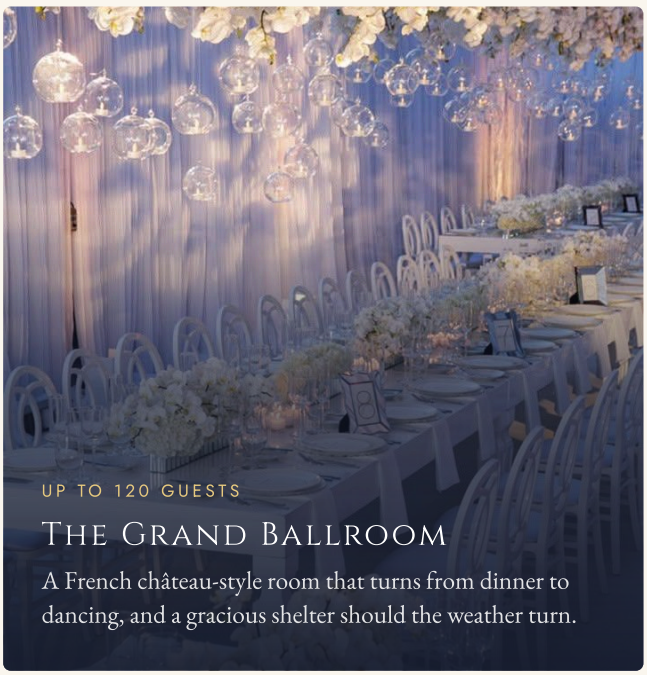
Room beneath the heavens for the ceremony, the feast, or both.



UP TO 100 GUESTS

The Gardens

Ceremonies, cocktails and photographs among the blooms.



UP TO 120 GUESTS

The Grand Ballroom

A French château-style room that turns from dinner to dancing, and a gracious shelter should the weather turn.



Mignonne, allons voir si la rose
Qui ce matin avait déclose
Sa robe de pourpre au soleil...

"Come, my love, let us see if the rose, which this morning unfolded her crimson gown to the sun..."

PIERRE DE RONSARD · ODE À CASSANDRE, 1545

WEDDINGS AT AURUM SKY

Your day. Your people. Your way.

Vows spoken beneath the open sky. Long tables, music and dancing, and photographs taken as the sun lowers itself over the hills.

Twenty guests or three hundred, the estate bends itself to the day you have imagined. Our family-run team walks beside you through every step, so that when your guests arrive, every detail is already at rest.

The Ceremony

On the lawn or in the gardens, with the valley as your witness and the afternoon light as your painter.

The Reception

The Ballroom glides from dinner to dancing: warm, intimate, and made for up to 120 guests.

The Feast

Long-table feasts, sharing plates or a plated dinner, with a licensed bar and a team who keep an evening in motion.

Décor & Coordination

Bring your own artisans or work with ours. One of our team stays at your side from the first chair set out to the last.

> *Raise high the glass, let music play,*
> *for joy grows sweeter shared, they say;*
> *and hours spent gathered, heart to heart,*
> *are hours that time will never part.*

Celebrate what the heart remembers.

A birthday, an anniversary, a promise newly made, a child soon to arrive. Every reason to gather is reason enough here.

Milestone Birthdays

Long tables, good music and the faces that matter most.

Anniversaries

A quiet dinner for two, or a full evening beneath the stars.

Engagements

A beautiful place to tell the whole world at once.

Bridal & Baby Showers

Sunlit gatherings in the gardens.

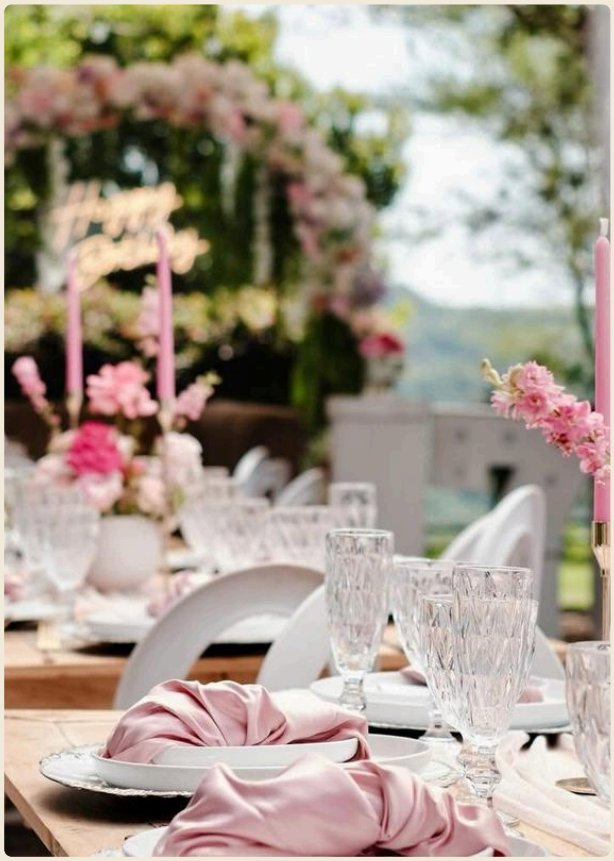
Family Celebrations & Private Dinners

Room for every generation, or an intimate table for a chosen few.

Corporate Gatherings & Retreats

Far from the office, yet only 40 minutes from central Durban.







EXPERIENCES · LIFE ON THE ESTATE

Where the clouds stop to greet you.

When day is done and stars appear,
the heavens lean a little near;
so linger on, and stay the night,
and wake to mist and morning light.

Under the Open Sky

Movies Under the Open Sky

Blankets on the lawn, a film glowing in the dark, and the hills slipping into night.

Stargazing

Far above the city's glow, the heavens open. Find a quiet corner and look up.

A Drive on the Hill

Wind through the Valley of a Thousand Hills, and stop wherever the view commands.

Bird Watching

The gardens and the valley below are alive with song.

Around the Table · Slow Living

Candlelight Dinner & Private Dining

A table for two, or for twenty, lit by candles as the sun sinks behind the hills.

Cozy Mornings

Mist in the valley, coffee in hand, and nowhere at all you need to be.

Conscious Living

Pure mountain air, unhurried days and hours spent outdoors.

Stay Nearby

Stay the night with our partner accommodation close by, and let the celebration linger until morning.

WHAT WE TAKE CARE OF

Every detail, attended to.

Leave to us the hundred things
that every celebration brings,
and keep for you the only part
that matters: gladness of the heart.

No two celebrations are alike. Tell us of your guests, your style and the feeling you wish to leave behind, and we will shape the day around it.

01
Food & Drinks
Menus composed around your celebration.

02
Décor & Styling
Styling as personal as your story.

03
Event Coordination
A steady hand, before and throughout.

04
Service Team
Gracious waitrons and bar staff.

05
Sound & Entertainment
Music, light and merriment.

06
Set-up & Breakdown
We arrive first and leave last.

07
Security & Parking
Managed access and parking for every guest.

08
Custom Additions
Thoughtful touches, shaped around your day.







PRICING & PACKAGES

Choose how your day shall bloom.

> *A single rose, or gardens all in flower:*
> *each has its grace, and each its perfect hour.*

Bring your own suppliers, add our catering, or let us gather every thread with an inclusive package.

Venue Hire Only

PER EVENT

R25,000

TABLES & CHAIRS INCLUDED

Shape the rest of your celebration around your own suppliers and preferences.

OUTSIDE CATERING FEE · R5,000

Menu Options

PER PERSON

R250 – R650

WAITRONS INCLUDED

Breakfast, cocktails, buffets, fine dining and culturally specific celebrations.

MENUS COMPOSED AROUND YOUR CELEBRATION

All prices exclude VAT. Rates valid for events booked until 31 December 2026.

How booking works

1 · Visit. Viewings are by appointment. Tell us your date and we'll set aside a time.

2 · Quote. We tailor a quotation, with full booking terms, payment and cancellation schedules.

3 · Confirm. Your date is secured once a signed agreement and deposit are in place.





INCLUSIVE EVENT PACKAGES

Let us gather every thread.

Three packages, named for the sky above the estate, each bringing the venue and the essentials together so you can simply arrive.

01

Nimbus Spark

A spark among the clouds, for the intimate gathering.

10 – 79 GUESTS

PACKAGE

R50,000

VENUE · CHAIRS · TABLES · DÉCOR

02

Aether Gleam

The bright upper sky, for a gathering that glows.

80 – 100 GUESTS

PACKAGE

R60,000

VENUE · CHAIRS · TABLES · DÉCOR

03

Horizon Aurum

Where the horizon turns to gold.

101 – 150 GUESTS

PACKAGE

R75,000

VENUE · CHAIRS · TABLES · DÉCOR

Planning a larger celebration?

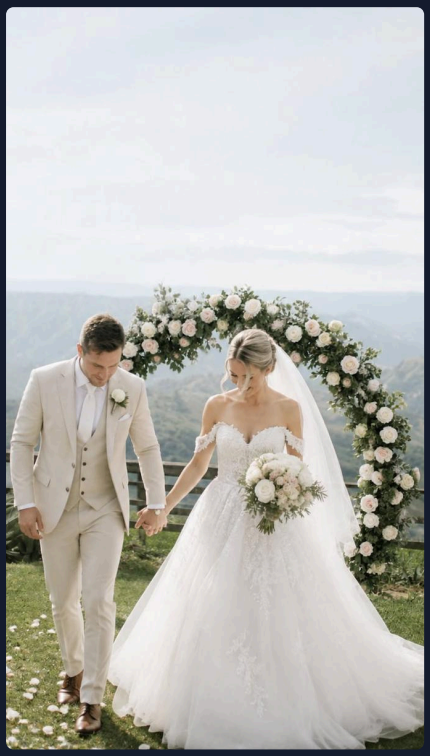
The Lawns welcome up to 300 guests. For larger events or a different format, speak to our team for a tailored quotation.

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GALLERY

Moments, kept forever.

Pictures tell only half the tale. The rest must be seen, felt and breathed.





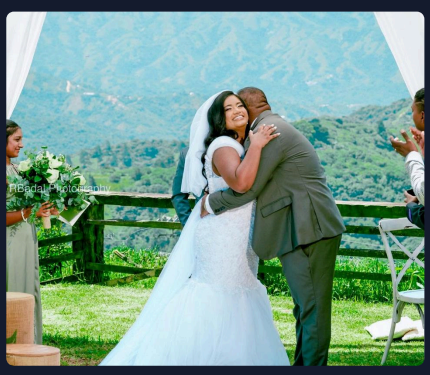












QUESTIONS, ANSWERED

Good to know.

How many guests?

The Lawns hold up to 300 guests, the Gardens up to 100, and the Ballroom up to 120 indoors.

Ceremony and reception?

Yes. Most couples marry on the lawn or in the gardens and move indoors or under the stars for dinner and dancing.

What if it rains?

The indoor venue serves as a covered alternative, and we plan a weather option with you well before the day.

Is there parking?

Yes, there is secure on-site parking for guests.

Can we bring our own suppliers?

You're welcome to bring your own florists, photographers and stylists. We can also recommend people we trust locally.

Is there a bar?

Yes. We offer a licensed bar with staff, and drinks packages can be tailored to your celebration.

Do you offer catering?

We do. Menus are designed around your celebration, from long-table dinners to relaxed sharing plates.

Can we visit first?

Viewings are by appointment. Send us an enquiry and we'll arrange a time that suits you.

Can guests stay over?

Yes. We work with partner accommodation close by. Ask us when you enquire.



FINDING US

Close to Durban. A world away.

3 Wootton Avenue, Botha's Hill, KwaZulu-Natal

Around 40 minutes from central Durban and 15 minutes from Hillcrest.

AURUM SKY
VENUE

Cueillez dès aujourd'hui les roses de la vie.

"Gather the roses of life, today."

PIERRE DE RONSARD · SONNETS POUR HÉLÈNE, 1578

YOUR CELEBRATION AT AURUM SKY

THIS COULD BE YOUR VIEW.

Tell us your date, your dreams and the celebration you hold in mind. We are listening.

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