

ELOPEMENTS AT THE GARDEN



Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden offers you three beautiful outdoor settings for your intimate ceremony. Elopements are available for small, semi-private outdoor ceremonies up to 14 guests.

\$350.00 FACILITY RENTAL FEE

ELOPEMENTS INCLUDE:

- One and a half-hour rental time frame for ceremony and photography session in available outdoor semi-private Garden area
- Up to 14 guests, including bridal party, allowed at our Lace Gazebo
- Thirty-minute setup and thirty-minute breakdown
- Changing area for the couple (upon request and availability)
- Celebrations Package available (for additional fees) for luncheons, showers, and day-after farewell wedding brunches
- A signed contract and \$100.00 Security Deposit are required to secure a reservation
- Full Facility Rental Fee is due at time of signing if under sixty days to event.

RESTRICTIONS AND COURTESIES:

- We encourage you to take photos with our beautiful Garden as your backdrop in all available outdoor Garden space. We do not allow elopements and photography sessions to occur in any interior buildings, including the Conservatory. We ask that photographers, vendors, and guests be courteous to Garden guests and their enjoyment of the Garden at all times. The Garden is open to the public, Monday through Friday, 9:00am to 5:00pm. While we provide you with a semi-private space for your elopement, we cannot guarantee there will be no interruptions by other Garden guests.
- We do not allow the obstruction of Garden pathways, guest common areas, building entrances and exits, and areas being used for private or Garden-wide events. The intrusion on exhibits is also prohibited. In order to protect our plant displays, we do not allow photographers, clients, or equipment in any of our plant beds while conducting ceremonies or taking photographs.
- A Facility Events Staff Member will be available at the beginning of your session to show you to your semi-private space in the Garden. Garden staff members are not available to accompany groups during the entire session but we do encourage you to pick up Garden maps at the Admissions Desk, located in the Robins Visitors Center, to familiarize yourself with our Garden spaces. This session is strictly for elopements. Wedding inquiries, including ceremonies and receptions, may be directed to facilityevents@lewisginter.org.
- We cannot exceed a maximum of 18 people at our Elopement ceremony site, and vendors are not required to pay admission. Any additional guests over the 14 guest limit, that are not working vendors, are required to pay admission to attend the ceremony.

ELOPEMENTS AT THE GARDEN BOXED MEALS



A happy hors d'oeuvres set for the happy couple! Order ahead and we'll bring the champagne right to you in the Garden so you can celebrate amongst the beautiful botanicals. You can't say "Cheers" without a proper toast!

DETAILS

- Choose from three menu options on our Hors D'oeuvres list
 - Prices range from \$11-\$16
- Add your choice of beer, wine, champagne, and non-alcoholic beverages
 - Prices range from \$2-\$7
- You may pick up your order ahead of time in our Garden Cafe before your Elopement Session begins
- You can also have your order delivered to you in the Garden at your ceremony site for a delivery fee (\$15.00)
- Allergen free menu options are available upon request

To learn more about availability and prices of the Facility Rental, please contact us at 804.262.9887 ext 345 or 224, or facilityevents@lewisginter.org

For questions regarding the menu, you may visit lewisgintercatering.com or contact Meriwether Godsey
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*Thank you for your interest in Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden.
We hope to hear from you soon!*