

These Rhode Island Wedding Venues Are Nothing Short of Stunning

Say "I do" in the Ocean State.

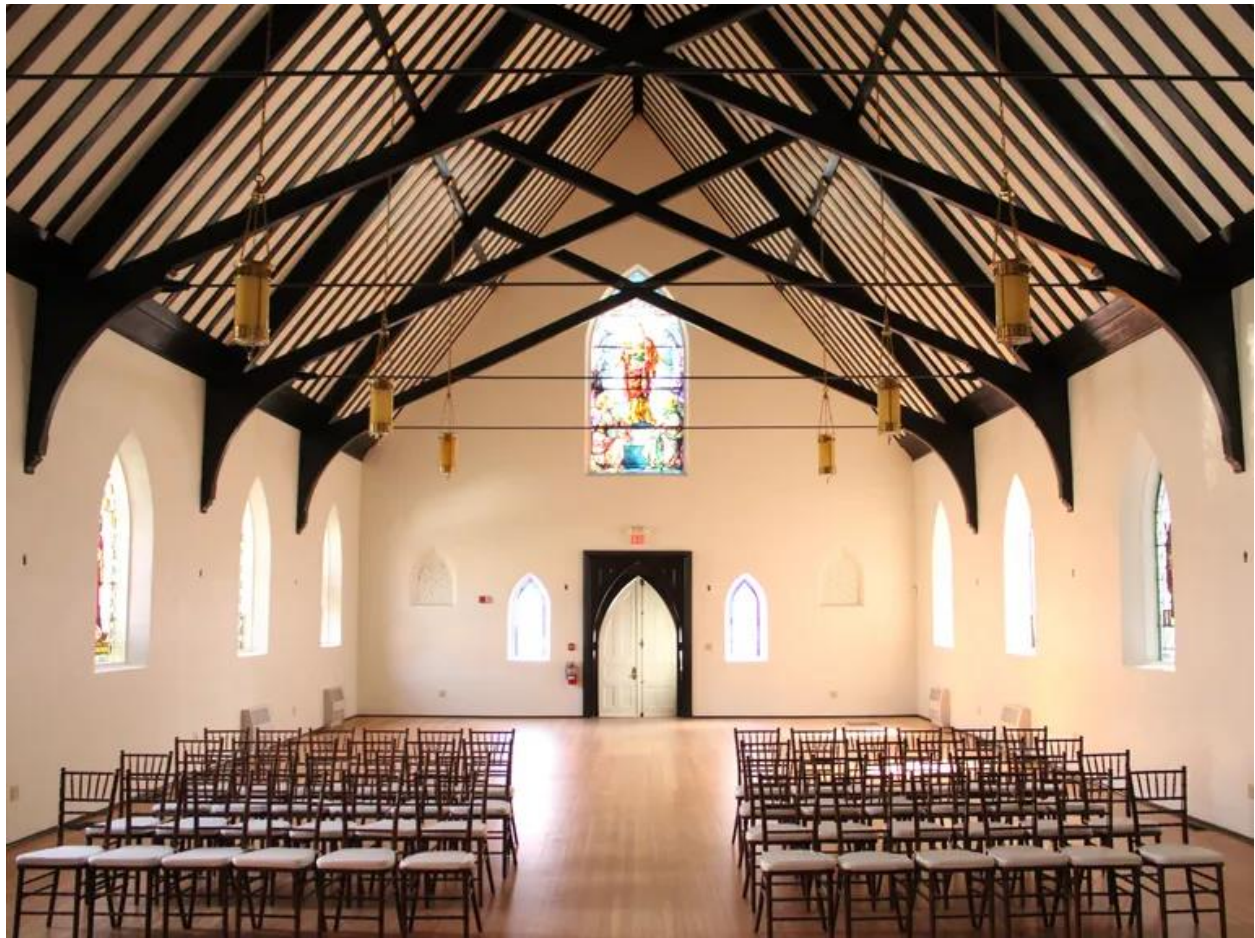


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Rhode Island is known for its Gilded Age mansions, beautiful beaches and charming coastal towns—it is nicknamed the Ocean State, after all. With that in mind, it makes sense that some of the best Rhode Island wedding venues are located near—or in some cases, directly on—the water. However, it's important to consider the time of year your wedding will take place. While summers are hot and sunny, winters are cold and snowy; that said, if you're not saying "I do" in the warmer months, [look for wedding venues](#) with both

indoor and outdoor event spaces to choose from. Similarly, [Rhode Island-based couples](#) may also consider venues with tented outdoor spaces to shield against rain, wind or snow. Keep scrolling to discover some of our favorite Rhode Island venues—and keep in mind that even more inspiration awaits on [The Knot Vendor Marketplace](#), which allows users to search RI wedding venues based on location, budget, capacity and more.

Hotel Viking in Newport, Rhode Island



The historic [Hotel Viking](#) stands out as one of the most beautiful Newport, Rhode Island wedding venues. And, with a whopping 14,000 square feet of event space, this lavish hotel is suitable for weddings of all sizes. The elegant Viking Ballroom holds up to 250 guests, while the smaller Bellevue Ballroom, which offers high ceilings and an adjacent patio, accommodates up to 150. Couples can opt to host their ceremony inside the 19th-century-era Kay

Chapel, which boasts dark wood arched ceiling beams and stunning stained glass windows.

Newport Vineyards in Middletown, Rhode Island



As you can guess by its name, [Newport Vineyards](#) is a dreamy winery wedding venue situated in the quaint town of Middletown, just 10 minutes from Newport. Ideal for weddings of up to 150 guests, the venue offers sweeping views of the surrounding meadows and vineyards, setting the scene for a picture-perfect ceremony. Host happy hour on the outdoor terrace before moving into the Meadow Room for your reception. This striking space has an industrial-chic feel with reclaimed wood walls, sliding barn doors and sleek concrete floors.

The Ballroom at Providence G in Providence, Rhode Island



Searching for stunning wedding venues in Providence, Rhode Island? Look no further than the aptly named [The Ballroom at Providence G](#). The sophisticated space, housed inside a 1920s-era building, can hold up to 250 seated guests. In addition to a lavish ballroom complete with dazzling chandeliers and expansive windows, the venue boasts a rooftop terrace ideal for al fresco cocktail hours. Couples can choose from two wedding packages, depending on their budget and individual needs.

Blithewold Mansion Gardens & Arboretum in Bristol, Rhode Island



[Blithewold Mansion Gardens & Arboretum](#) is, hands down, one of our favorite Bristol, Rhode Island wedding venues. Spanning 33 scenic acres overlooking Narragansett Bay, this oh-so-romantic venue boasts landscaped gardens complete with rare plants and colorful blooms, serving as the perfect backdrop for wedding photos. Couples can choose to host their reception under the spacious tent or inside the mansion itself.

Aldrich Mansion in Warwick, Rhode Island



With its stone facade, sweeping water views, cliffside locale and manicured gardens, [Aldrich Mansion](#) looks and feels like it's been plucked straight from a storybook, making it one of the most beautiful wedding venues in Rhode Island. Say "I do" in the on-site chapel, which seats up to 250, before heading inside the mansion for your reception. The interiors complete with wood-paneled walls, tiled floors and opulent archways, are just as spectacular as the exterior. Bonus: [Ask the venue](#) about including fireworks so you can celebrate your nuptials with a bang.

Rhodes on the Pawtuxet in Cranston, Rhode Island



As one of the best wedding venues in Rhode Island, [Rhodes on the Pawtuxet](#) is characterized by its neoclassical revival-style architecture. While the space has been meticulously restored since its 1915 grand opening, original features remain, including 10,000 square feet of hardwood floors, 21-foot-high ceilings and a gazebo. The foyer serves as the perfect cocktail hour spot and offers a breathtaking watercolor mural of Narragansett Bay along with cozy seating, crystal chandeliers and wall sconces. Last but not least is the ballroom, which is done up in elegant drapery and offers a three-tiered stage for your [wedding band or DJ](#).

Quidnessett Country Club in North Kingstown, Rhode Island



Accommodating up to 400 guests, this [Rhode Island wedding venue](#) offers a handful of indoor and outdoor event spaces, making it ideal for winter and summer soirees alike. There are two contemporary ballrooms, each with ornate chandeliers and plenty of natural light. The outdoor deck offers postcard-worthy views of Narragansett Bay, while ceremonies can be held in the private gardens.

Galilee Beach Club in Narragansett, Rhode Island



[Galilee Beach Club](#) is an idyllic [beach wedding venue](#) situated on the shores of Narragansett. Offering 250 feet of sandy beachfront, it's ideal for couples craving a true toes-in-the-sand ceremony. After saying "I do," head to the deck for cocktail hour; then, it's off to the dining room, which offers large windows overlooking the ocean. Finally, cap off the festivities with your loved ones by a fire pit under the stars.

Spring House Hotel in Block Island, Rhode Island



A short ferry ride away from the mainland, Block Island is known for its pristine stretches of sand and towering bluffs, making it one of the best wedding locations in Rhode Island. It's also here where you'll find the historic [Spring House Hotel](#), with panoramic ocean views, lush lawns and a wraparound veranda. Couples can—and should—exchange vows on the lawn before heading to the Seaside Veranda for cocktail hour. Additionally, the hotel offers three distinct reception spaces: The tented East Overlook Patio, the timeless Grand Dining Room and, last but not least, Victoria's Parlor, which boasts a beautiful oak bar and stage.

Sweet Berry Farm in Middletown, Rhode Island



The Ocean State may be famous for its beaches, but those craving a [barn wedding](#) need not look further than [Sweet Berry Farm](#), which is among our favorite [farm wedding venues](#) in RI. Spanning 100 scenic acres of farmland, orchards and fields, the venue offers two ceremony and reception locations: The fireplace-equipped post-and-beam barn (which can hold 70 people with a dance floor and 90 without one) and the aptly named Orchard Field (max: 400 guests).

Alpine Country Club in Cranston, Rhode Island



[Alpine Country Club](#) in Cranston is sure to impress with its indoor and outdoor event spaces, including the 250-person Grand Ballroom, which offers dazzling chandeliers and pristine hardwood floors. The stunning grounds serve as the perfect backdrop for photos, and al fresco ceremonies can also be arranged. As a bonus, the on-site wedding team works directly with each couple to ensure everything runs smoothly to help take the stress out of [planning your Rhode Island wedding](#).

Castle Hill Inn in Newport, Rhode Island



Host your dream wedding at [this luxurious Newport, RI hotel](#)—and thank us later. The 40-acre property offers dreamy ocean and bay views and several indoor and outdoor venues to accommodate weddings of up to 250 people. The Chalet Terrace is a swanky tent space that's designed to mirror the sailing masts of the boats in the water. For a truly memorable ceremony space, look no further than the on-site lighthouse. Lastly, the lawn and terrace spaces are equally magical.