

Picture Your Wedding at Phipps



OUTDOOR GARDEN – Our Outdoor Garden encompasses nearly an acre of lush gardens and plant collections. The serene space offers a beautiful setting with Pittsburgh’s Oakland neighborhood and the Cathedral of Learning in the backdrop. Enjoy an evening or afternoon under the shade of our elegant white garden tent.



TROPICAL FOREST – The multi-level Tropical Forest is our largest display in the Conservatory. Brimming with lush tropical forest flora, cascading waterfalls, a fish pond and a stunning outdoor terrace, this unique exhibit features an abundance of plant life along its winding pathways.



SPECIAL EVENTS HALL – Complete with bamboo floors and two floor-to-ceiling glass walls, our Special Events Hall offers breathtaking, panoramic views of both our lush tropical forest and surrounding Oakland landmarks.



BRODERIE ROOM – The Parterre de Broderie, or “embroidery of earth” is modeled after the chateaux castles and palaces of French nobility in the time of Louis XIV. This intimate garden space is home to formal hedged gardens, an Italian wishing well and bronze Edmond Amateis maiden statues.



EAST WING – Four of our most popular rooms in the Conservatory: the Broderie Room, East Room, Victoria Room and Sunken Garden make up our East Wing. Features include soothing streams and waterfalls with ever-changing scenery to match each season.



ENTIRE FACILITY – The entire Phipps facility is available for your special occasion. Whether you are holding a corporate retreat, a reception or a gala, a full conservatory rental will make for an unforgettable evening. Invite guests to take their champagne and conversation through all 14 rooms of our exquisite glasshouse.



IMPORTANT EVENT INFORMATION

- All prices are subject to change without notice until a rental agreement is in place.
- All rentals include a day-of coordinator, and events with alcohol include one security attendant.
- Spaces may not be available for rent during seasonal flower show installations.
- The event sales department cannot guarantee what flowers will be used or what will be displayed in any area of the Conservatory during a seasonal flower show.
- AV equipment is included with each space.

CEREMONIES

Outdoor Garden Ceremony: \$1,400

- Two-hour use of the Outdoor Garden for ceremony and photos
- Capacity: 300
- Includes white garden chairs
- Available: May – October, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. or 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Special Events Hall Ceremony: \$1,200

- Two-hour use of the Special Events Hall for ceremony and photos
- Capacity: 200 seated
- Includes Chiavari chairs
- Available: any day, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. or 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Broderie Ceremony: \$750

- 1 ½-hour use of the Broderie Room for ceremony and photos
- Capacity: 50 seated
- Bridal party of up to 16 allowed in garden area
- Includes garden chairs
- Available: January – November, dates and times may vary

Not available April – October in 2022 and 2023 while undergoing renovations

CEREMONY/RECEPTION COMBINATIONS

DAYTIME

Outdoor Garden Ceremony and Special Events Hall Reception: \$3,000

- Two-hour private use of Outdoor Garden for ceremony and photos
- Three-hour use of Special Events Hall for brunch or lunch reception
- Available: May through October, Mondays through Fridays, 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

EVENING

Outdoor Garden Ceremony and Special Events Hall Evening Reception: \$3,300

- Two-hour private use of Outdoor Garden for ceremony, photos and cocktail hour
- Three-hour use of Special Events Hall for dinner reception
- Available: May through October, Fridays only

PHOTO SESSIONS

Full Conservatory Photo Session: \$500

- One-hour private use of the full Conservatory for photos
- Available: Monday – Thursday after 6 p.m.

Broderie Room Photo Session: \$300

- 45-minute private use of Broderie Room for photos
- Based on room availability

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RECEPTIONS

**Ceremonies can be included with evening receptions free of charge*

Entire Facility Evening Reception: \$15,000

- Four-hour rental
- Capacity: 1,000 cocktail style
- Available: Sunday – Thursday after 6 p.m.
- Select Saturdays are available, inquire for more information

Tropical Forest and Special Events Hall Evening Reception: \$4,850

- Five-hour use of the Tropical Forest and Special Events Hall for a reception
- Seating for 200 on the patio for ceremony
- Special Events Hall capacity: 200 seated with dance floor (limitations may apply)
- Includes round tables and chairs
- Additional hour: \$850
- Available: Every day except Fridays, 6 – 11 p.m.
- Special pricing available for Fridays; Tropical Forest not included on Fridays

Special Events Hall Daytime Reception: \$1,600

- Three-hour use of the Special Events Hall for daytime reception
- Capacity: 200 seated with dance floor (limitations may apply)
- Includes round tables and chairs
- Additional hour: \$500
- Available: Saturdays and Sundays, 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Outdoor Garden Evening Reception: \$3,600

- Five-hour use of the Outdoor Garden for a reception
- Seating for 300 during ceremony
- Capacity: 228 seated with dance floor OR 300 cocktail style
- Over 200 guests, tent extension recommended
- Includes reception tent, square tables and chairs
- Available: May – October, 6 p.m. – 11 p.m.

Outdoor Garden Daytime Reception: \$1,800

- Three-hour use of the Outdoor Garden for a daytime reception
- Capacity: 228 seated with dance floor
- Includes reception tent, square tables and chairs
- Additional hour: \$500
- Available: May – October, 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The East Wing Evening Reception: \$2,000

- Three-hour use of the East Wing for a reception
- Capacity: 60 for cocktail-style reception OR 36 seated for buffet
- Additional hour: \$500
- Available: January – November, every day except Fridays

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Please note: Prices are subject to a 7% rental fee increase on prime holiday dates.

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