



# *Wedding Brochure*

2025-2026



Our luxury boutique hotel overlooks Cayuga Lake and is located 9 miles from Ithaca, New York. Situated in the heart of the Finger Lakes Wine Trail, our estate expands across 12 acres featuring four buildings and one of the Northeast's premier outdoor event venues overlooking the lake. Surrounded by the 750-acre Taughannock Falls State Park, every wedding is framed by gorgeous views of Cayuga Lake and backdrops of arresting on-site landscaping. The ideal location to host your ceremony or stage your wedding photos is with the falls located in the state park in the background. These falls are easily accessible via the private path that leads to the park.

We offer a variety of opulent venue spaces that can accommodate a range of guest counts. Each of our venues has its own unique attributes that seamlessly blend the traditional with the modern. Our team will ensure an unforgettable, distinctive event with memories to last a lifetime.

PRIVATE EVENT SPACES

ENCHANTMENT

100'X60' SAILCLOTH TENT AND ADJACENT STONE PATIO WITH BUILT IN FIREPLACE

Accommodates up to 300 people  
Rentals included for up to 150 people  
5.5 hours of event time

VICTORIAN INN

INDOOR RECEPTION SPACE WITH USE OF PUBLIC OUTDOOR DECK AND PATIO

Accommodates up to 80 people  
Rentals included for up to 80 people  
5 hours of event time

JONES ROOM

INDOOR RECEPTION WITH OUTDOOR COCKTAIL HOUR AND CEREMONY OPTIONS

Accommodates up to 30 people  
Rentals included for up to 30 people  
4 hours of event time





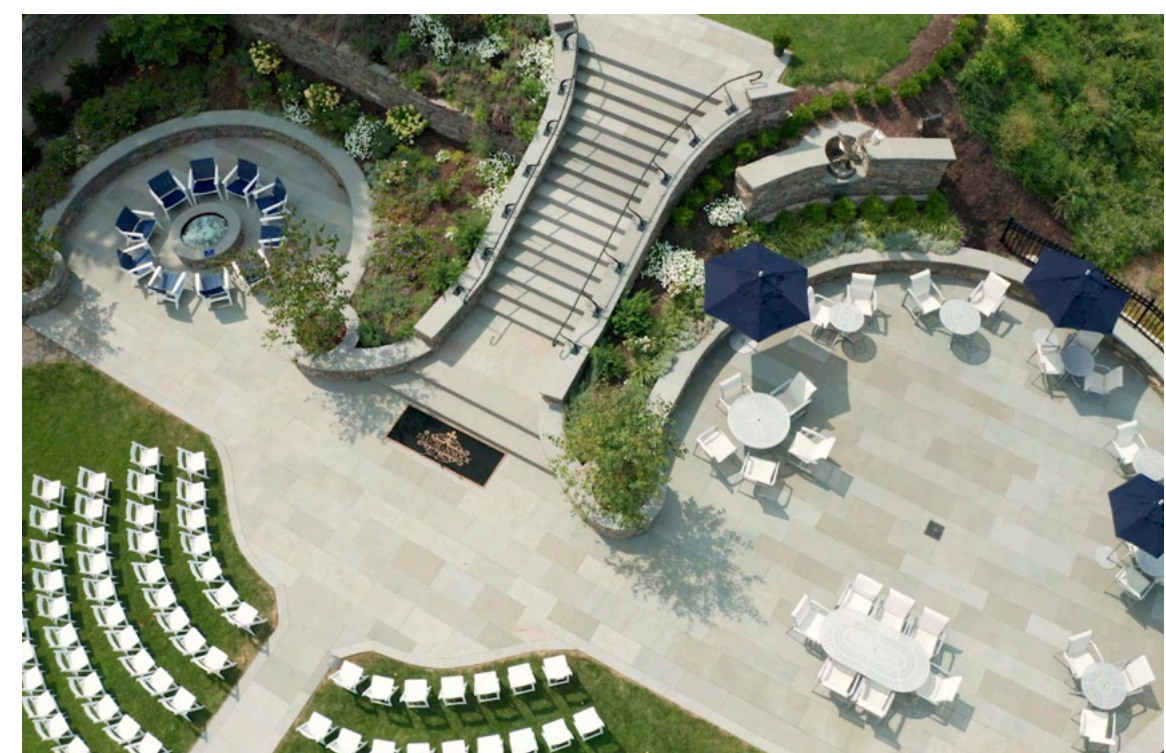


## ENCHANTMENT

Our premier dedicated event space, called Enchantment, is the grandest outdoor luxury event venue in the Northeast. With 12,550 square feet of custom blue stone patio, a massive fireplace, two fire pits, a customizable lighting system and the Cayuga Lake backdrop, this spectacular venue has instantly become one of the much lauded outdoor event venues on the East Coast.

Enchantment is a full-service space designed to host large, luxury, outdoor events. Accommodating up to 300 guests, this venue boasts stunning views of Cayuga Lake and the flexibility for couples to add their own personal touches. Ceremonies and receptions can be held on-site, or we can arrange for your ceremony to take place just steps away in front of one of Taughannock Falls State Park's charming waterfalls.

The spectacular 100x60' sailcloth tent is equipped with a 42-foot alabaster bar, state-of-the-art outdoor kitchen, custom stone fireplace and luxury on-site restrooms; we have truly ensured this space meets every comfort you desire. Enchantment comes alive at night as you can customize our cutting-edge lighting system to reflect up to 3.2 million different color combinations across the entire acre of space, including the delicate lanterns that fill the tent and the luminous landscape lighting throughout the garden. Likewise, our embedded sound system allows you to manipulate the ambiance of each zone of the garden with your very own music selections. Let our team help bring your dream wedding to life in the majesty of the Enchantment Garden.





# ENCHANTMENT FEATURES

- 100’ x 60’ sailcloth tent, complete with clear sidewalls to help protect against weather elements
- Multiple fire features including our two-story dry stack stone fireplace, our cantilevered lake-view firepit, and two other intimate firepits
- Luxury ADA compliant bathroom unit
- Sonos Wi-Fi music system
- Garden wide customizable lighting system
- Event planning team
- Standard chairs, tables, linens, and serveware for up to 150 guests
- Recommended vendors list
- Use of existing patio furniture
- Venue rental of 5.5 hours (time can be extended for an additional fee)
- Rental Package included for up to 150 Guests:
  - White Padded Resin Chairs
  - Round or Rectangular Banquet Tables
  - Ivory or White Table Linens
  - Colored Linen Napkins
  - Serveware
  - Cocktail Hi-Top Tables

## ENCHANTMENT 2025-2026 PRICING

\$17,000 - 25,000 Venue Fee

\$25,000 Food and Beverage Minimum

Pricing may be flexible based on calendar date, availability, and food and beverage spend. Contact our sales team for additional information and queries about customizations.

This venue operates mid-May to mid-October. Note that Holiday weekends may have alternate pricing and date availability is on a first come, first serve basis. A 20% service fee is applicable on all food and beverage, rental, and enhancement items. New York State Sales Tax will also be applied.





# JONES ROOM

The Jones Room is the most sought-after private dining room in the Finger Lakes. This glamorous, old-world room is unique from ceiling to floor and exudes elegance. The dining room originated as the Jones Family’s own formal dining room when the family built the mansion in 1873. The space flawlessly mimics the evenings of high entertainment in years gone by, with romantic and soft lighting, gleaming tableware, and beautiful crystal and ceramic decor.

## JONES ROOM FEATURES

- Non-exclusive use of adjacent bar, patio, and deck-top fire pit
- Sonos Wi-Fi music system
- Event planning team
- Standard chairs, tables, white or ivory table linens, and serveware for up to 30 guests
- Recommended vendors list
- Venue Rental of 4 hours, not including additional time that is allotted for ceremony and cocktail hour

### JONES ROOM 2025-2026 PRICING

\$1,500 Venue Fee

\$255 Per Person Food & Beverage Minimum

\$15 Per Person Ceremony Fee

This venue operates from March to December, annually. A 20% service fee is applicable on all food and beverage, rental, and enhancement items. New York State Sales Tax will also be applied.





# VICTORIAN INN

The Victorian Inn Mansion was built in 1873 and has been restored to glory through the repair and addition of a number of historically accurate architectural details. The mansion slows time and allows those inside of it to relax into an atmosphere of refined elegance and lush surroundings. The Gatsby-esque nature of the building lends itself well to self-indulgence and revelry. Whether it includes torch singers and jazz trios, piano or cigar bars, or even vintage furniture vignettes - the Victorian Inn is a natural backdrop to the most romantic of celebrations.

The Victorian Inn Restaurant comprises three elegant and character driven rooms: the Jones Room, the Bomber Room, and the Main Dining Room. The Main Dining Room of the restaurant is flooded with natural light and boasts 180 degree panoramic window views of Cayuga Lake. Each of these rooms can be customized in terms of layout and decor to provide a variety of niche spaces to entertain your guests in intimate or large groups. Attached to the indoor space is the bar and patio, which features a deck-top fire pit. The adjacent grassy patio space also offers spectacular views of the Cayuga Valley as well as our own estate.

## VICTORIAN INN FEATURES

- Non-exclusive use of the deck, patio, and table-top firepit
- Event planning team
- Guest Count: 31-80 Guests
- Basic Chairs, Tables, Linens, and Serviceware
- Recommended vendors list
- Venue Rental of 5 hours

### VICTORIAN INN 2025-2025 PRICING

\$4,500 Venue Fee

\$16,500 Food and Beverage Minimum

**Venue does not operate June-September.** Pricing for Fridays, Sundays, Weekdays and less competitive dates that vary throughout the year may be flexible. Contact our sales team for additional information and queries about customizations. A 20% service fee is applicable on all food and beverage, rental, and enhancement items. New York State Sales Tax will also be applied.







## FOOD & BEVERAGE

Our first-class culinary staff will exceed all of your expectations with a custom menu that will cater to your specific palette. Our decadent cuisine is one of the main draws to a wedding at the Inn at Taughannock Falls. We offer everything from flavorful hors d'oeuvres, gratifying late night bites and local Finger Lakes wines to complete your event.





# ENCHANTMENT CEREMONY LOCATIONS

The Enchantment Garden offers backdrops of true aesthetic success with the elegant Grand Staircase and the wonderfully natural Eastern Horizon. The Grand Staircase provides a subtle and lush garden background for a ceremony, with examples of expert craftsmanship in the bluestone of the iconic staircase and the iron work of the handrails, which were handmade locally. The Eastern Horizon is a favorite of fall couples, though the deep color of Cayuga Lake and the sprawling valley surrounding it are excellent backdrops in any season. These locations are generally exclusive to weddings being hosted in the Enchantment Garden, though they may be reserved for Victorian Inn or Jones Room weddings on a case by case basis. Up to 300 guests can be accommodated at either location for a Ceremony.

## ADDITIONAL ENCHANTMENT PATIOS

The Eagle Patio and the Fireplace Patio of the Enchantment Garden can also be reserved separately by a Victorian Inn or Jones Room wedding for ceremony or cocktail hour use on a case by case basis. For Enchantment Events these patios are already available. The Eagle Patio provides scenic water views, and the Fireplace Patio the perfect spot for rustic elegance with a fire feature background. Up to 100 guests can be accommodated at either location for a Ceremony.



# ADDITIONAL CEREMONY LOCATIONS

## HILLSIDE RESIDENCE POND

The Hillside Residence, the gorgeous lake house style accommodation that houses the frequently requested Le Grande Suite, is also home to the Hillside Pond. The Hillside Pond is an eye-catching and approachable location that brings a casual twist and immediate smile to any ceremony. Even with being located centrally, the brief walk, uphill, to the Hillside Pond, makes guests feel as though they are sneaking back to an intimate and private oasis. The Hillside Pond features a pergola and lighted pond fountain, and has a lake facing backdrop to the east and a forested backdrop to the west. The (5) hotel rooms in the Hillside Residence must be reserved if utilizing this ceremony space, and it is cautioned that mobility challenged guests may have difficulty in poor weather conditions. Up to 200 guests can be accommodated for a Ceremony.

## THE SMALL FALLS

Dubbed “The Little Falls” by Taughannock Falls State Park, and colloquially known as “The Small Falls” by locals, this location is one of the most popular ceremony spaces that our team facilitates. The Small Falls is a stark contrast to the 215 foot waterfall that sits at the Westernmost point of the Taughannock Gorge (3/4mi), however the soothing flow and quietly bubbling nature of this location makes a strong and fairytale like experience for any guest. Our on-site Event Planning Team will assist with all needed permits, as well as set-up and breakdown, of this location. Additional requirements for this site are listed in your wedding contract. Up to 300 guests can be accommodated for a Ceremony.

## THE GRASSY PATIO

The Grassy Patio is immediately adjacent to the Victorian Inn and its deck. As one of the higher scenic overlooks on the property this space makes an appealing case for hosting intimate ceremonies. The hill creates a magnificent crest that allows a couple to never be without a lakeview backdrop. This location has timing restrictions and is shared space with the Victorian Inn Restaurant. Up to 50 guests can be accommodated for a Ceremony.

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Décor for all locations is facilitated through our Event Planning Team and Chuppahs and Arbors are allowed. For ceremony back-up plans, such as in the case of poor weather, our Event Planning Team will facilitate the planning, implementation, and coordination of all plans, though please note that third party tents or additional outside support items are at the cost and discretion of the client and vendor.



## ENHANCEMENTS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

Our Event Planning Team is happy to provide you pricing and availability for a number of on-site and locally provided enhancements such as the popular ones listed below:

- Firework Displays
- Scenic Boat Tours
- Live Wedding Painters
- Sommelier Led Cocktail Receptions
- Cigar Rolling Stations
- Late Night Food Trucks
- A/V Rentals and Displays
- Décor and Furniture Rentals

Please be aware that rental, maintenance, storage, and liability of various enhancement items and packages will be coordinated exclusively by our team and subject to any associated service fees and taxes.





## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### WHY SHOULD I GET MARRIED AT TAUGHANNOCK?

The Inn at Taughannock Falls has a rich and romantic history as a wedding location. Since its opening in 1935, Taughannock has hosted many weddings on its gorgeous estate. Many Cornell and Ithaca alumni return to take their vows at our property. Our 12-acre estate has four buildings with 26 guestrooms to accommodate your family and wedding guests. Surrounded by the Taughannock Falls State Park, every wedding overlooks the beautiful Cayuga Lake. You can also host ceremonies just a short stroll away from the lake, or the lovely lower waterfall. Taughannock Falls offers perfect photo backdrops for your special day.

### MAY I HAVE INPUT ON THE WEDDING MENU?

Of course, this is your day, and we want you to be exceptionally happy with all the details. We would be delighted to customize our menus to incorporate your distinctive tastes or dietary restrictions.

### MAY I TASTE THE FOOD BEFORE COMMITTING TO THE VENUE?

Our Event Planning Team hosts two open house tasting events per year, generally in the late winter or early spring. These events are lively and jovial, and allow all of our contracted couples to come in and try a large and varied selection of our catering options. Additionally, we offer wine tastings during these events and reserve time for you to meet with our chef team. For couples who are still deciding, they can visit our restaurant April-November and treat themselves to a lovely lakeview dinner.

### IS A DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO BOOK AN EVENT?

Yes, we do require a non-refundable deposit in the amount of the venue fee to hold your date. Additional deposits are due as the wedding day approaches, a complete outline of deposit amounts and dates will be provided to you prior to executing the agreement.

### WHAT ARE THE BAR OPTIONS?

We have a variety of bar packages by the hour. We also offer options for a cash bar, consumption bar, or just wine and champagne service.

### IS OUTSIDE CATERING ALLOWED?

All food and beverage are prepared by our talented in-house culinary team. The only outside food and beverage acceptable is a wedding cake, with applicable cake cutting fee.

### CAN I RENT THE ENTIRE ESTATE FOR MY WEDDING?

Yes, you can rent the entire estate for your special day. The Inn at Taughannock Falls has four buildings: The Victorian Inn, Lakeview, Hillside, and Parkview. Renting our entire estate for your wedding will give you access to every guestroom and suite on our property. Additionally, you can choose to buy out the restaurant for a fee, closing it to the public if you choose or hosting ancillary event services in the space.

### HOW LATE CAN OUR EVENT LAST?

New York State law requires us to stop alcohol sales by 1AM. If you have rented one of our private homes, you are welcome to keep the party going behind closed doors. In all exterior venues, the band has to lower its volume no later than 11PM, but can continue playing at the lower level, managed by our staff.. If utilizing our inside venue, you are required to book the bedrooms on the second floor of the Victorian Inn as part of your package if you want to host a live music party or DJ. These luxury accommodations can be used as your overnight lodging at the Inn.

### DO I NEED TO HIRE A WEDDING PLANNER?

Our Event Planning Team works with some of the best and most prolific third party wedding planners in the industry, and is happy to work with anyone that you bring on board to help you with your special day. Additionally, our Event Planning Team is full service and offers a concierge level of support where they are also happy to provide all event planning services at no additional charge. Our team will take you, and your representatives, through vendor selection, third party hotel blocks, decor and design, food and beverage, timeline, floorplan, and provide coordination on your Wedding Day. At the Inn at Taughannock Falls you are supported by staff from all of our departments to ensure the highest level of success throughout your entire wedding and your stay on our estate.





# WEDDING WEEKEND ITINERARY

At The Inn at Taughannock Falls, we will help you craft not only a stunning wedding day but an entire weekend itinerary of unique and exciting activities for your guests to enjoy. The Finger Lakes region offers distinctive experiences in a picturesque setting. Our event planners can tailor a weekend full of lasting memories at the Inn and local destinations.

## FRIDAY

**3PM** — Inn at Taughannock Falls staff welcomes your guests at our front desk, checking them into their on-site accommodations and presenting them with their weekend schedule and the unique gift bag that you have left for them.

**4PM** — The wedding party begins gathering for the practice ceremony, led by our event planning team and the officiant they have helped source for you.

**5PM** — Your rehearsal dinner begins in the Jones Room. You’ve customized a champagne tower and a special dessert, but the surprise is that you’ve arranged a private two-hour boat tour for your wedding party, and it docks right across the street at Taughannock Falls State Park.

**1PM** – Hair stylists and makeup artists arrive to the on-site wedding lounge. You kick off getting ready with Mimosas and a custom break package ordered from our in-house catering team.

**3PM** — The wedding party comes together on the patio for your first look. Photos are snapped, and cigars and cocktails are readily available.

**5PM** — Your guests are seated, and your ceremony begins. There’s only one person you have eyes for at this moment.

**6PM** — Wedding photos take place across the estate, including by Cayuga Lake and at the Taughannock Falls Overlook with the entirety of Taughannock Gorge in the backdrop. Your guests enjoy an elegant cocktail hour with decadent hors d’oeuvres and Finger Lakes Wines at the bar.

**7PM** — Your wedding dinner opens. Course after course of your menu comes out, perfectly prepared and previously customized with our executive catering team. Every detail is just the way you had planned.

**8PM** — Your wedding cake is cut, and your DJ or band opens the floor for dancing. Everyone is jubilant and you’re more excited than ever to celebrate this special day with your loved ones.

**9PM** — Your fireworks show showers the night sky with a brilliant display of light. You’ve set the scene to music, and your guests’ smiles can be seen every time another spark lights the sky.

**11PM** — The party continues into the night, late night bites are served to keep the energy going!

**1AM** — Your event wraps up but the on-site restaurant opens to serve a breakfast buffet for you and your guests. Your event planning team is seamlessly taking care of break down and décor storage, and you don’t have to worry about a thing.

## SUNDAY

**8AM** — A brisk walk through the park as a newly married couple, starts off the day right, reminiscing about our wonderful night of celebration.

**10AM** — A farewell brunch is your send off to your guests, a chef catered omelet station and prime rib carving send guests home well and truly satisfied.

**11AM** — The event planning team delivers your décor and personal items from overnight storage, and you depart the Inn at Taughannock Falls. Your first memory as a married couple is complete, and this little piece of your history starts the foundation of your happily ever after.





# THE TOP 10 WITHIN 10

Top attractions within 10 miles of the Inn at Taughannock Falls.

## TAUGHANNOCK FALLS STATE PARK

Taughannock Falls State Park is our neighbor, part of our original land parcel, and is home to the tallest waterfall east of the Rocky Mountains. The State Park isn't only the waterfall; however, the park also includes campsites, cabins, a marina, and a boat launch. There is lake access and a beach. There are summer concerts on-site at the park and pavilions available to rent.

## CORNELL UNIVERSITY BOTANIC GARDENS

The Cornell Botanic Gardens has 150 acres of specially conserved plants and arranged gardens. An additional 3400 acres of natural land area exists as well. The gorgeous space is not only open for viewing and appreciation but is also the sight of educational programs about the plants and the various systems they sustain and impact. The Botanic Gardens are open all year, and there is a welcome center and gift shop on sight.

## CAYUGA LAKE WINE TRAIL

The Cayuga Lake Wine Trail is the first organized wine trail in America, and the longest-running one as well.

The Cayuga Lake Wine Trail boasts an impressive history as local wines have earned over 6,000 national and international medals. The Trail circles Cayuga Lake and travels past Taughannock Falls State Park, through Ithaca, and encompasses a number of breweries, distilleries, and cideries.



## MUSEUM OF THE EARTH

The Museum of the Earth was established in 2003 and has provided countless visitors with a unique opportunity to explore the natural world through displays, interactive features, and art exhibitions. There is 4.5 billion years' worth of history to travel through on-site. The Museum encourages critical thinking about life on earth, both past and present.

## SCIENCENTER

The Sciencenter is a dazzling building full of interactive exhibits and programs focusing on the sciences. The goal of the Sciencecenter is to engage, educate, and empower visitors. It's a hands-on museum that is family friendly and has plenty of activities for children. There's an outdoor science park as well as a seasonal miniature golf course.

## JOHNSON MUSEUM OF ART

Part of Cornell University, this impressive museum hosts nearly 40,000 works of art. This museum is open year-round and has both permanent and temporary exhibitions. Works of art vary, and the museum consistently alters its activities and themes. There are spectacular views of Cayuga Lake and the Cornell campus from the museum.

## DOWNTOWN ITHACA COMMONS

The Ithaca Commons is the culmination of a number of Ithaca streets boasting eclectic shops and restaurants. No matter the shopping or meal desire, it's likely to be met in this trendy downtown hotspot. Surrounded by parking garages, guests are welcome to park and explore. Frequently, especially in the summer, you can enjoy live music and performances on the commons.

## STATE THEATRE OF ITHACA

The State Theatre hosts a number of entertainers and live performances. There are over 70 events a year on-site, attracting thousands of patrons. Located in the heart of downtown Ithaca this theatre can be easily accessed with parking in city garages. Located just across from Ithaca Commons, it is surrounded by local shops and restaurants.

## ITHACA FARMER'S MARKET

The Ithaca Farmer's Market is a staple of the Ithaca area's weekend. With dozens and dozens of vendors, thousands of people ramble through the market each year. Local produce, food, wood sculpture, jewelry, and more is showcased at the market each weekend. Live music is a common feature, and there is a dock with lake access on-site.

## HANGAR THEATRE

The Hangar Theatre is Ithaca's premier professional regional theatre. With multiple award-winning shows being featured in the space it is a dynamic location for both plays and musicals as well as experimental theatre and children's theatre. The theatre is located in a renovated airplane hangar on the site of Ithaca's first airport. Book in advance to guarantee access to some of the hottest local shows of the year.





# ACCOMODATIONS: VICTORIAN INN

Staying at the beautiful Victorian Inn transports you to another era. Overlooking Cayuga Lake and the Taughannock Falls State Park forest, these beautiful rooms are meticulously appointed with antique beds, fine linens, and antiques. Many rooms have been restored or upgraded with marble bathrooms.

To perpetuate a quiet environment, and remain true to the era of the home, there are no televisions in any of the rooms except for the Falls Suite. Additionally, a comfort station is available in the hall for refreshment as refrigerators and microwaves are not used in these traditional style rooms. The rooms are stair access only and mobility challenged guests may want to consider staying in another building on the estate.

Downstairs, the charming mahogany bar, adjoining our deck and seated fire pit, is available for guest use. In season the Inn Restaurant is also open select hours Thursday through Sunday and is available to both guests and members of the public. The main reception desk for all Inn at Taughannock rooms and guests is located on the first floor of the Victorian Inn.



Guests are welcome to utilize the second-floor lounge. You can relax and enjoy the spectacular views of Cayuga Lake or use the space to read or enjoy a game of chess or backgammon. It's a great space to enjoy one of our Finger Lakes wines and socialize with other guests.





## ACCOMODATIONS: HILLSIDE RESIDENCE

Our Hillside private lake house is centrally located within the estate and is available to rent in its entirety or on a room-by-room basis. Recently renovated, this 4,000+ sq. ft. spacious Cape Cod home is just a short walk away from the majestic Victorian Inn.

The entire house includes a spacious great room with all new furniture, a wet bar, 65" flat-screen TV, expansive windows offering partial views of Cayuga Lake, a regulation size Brunswick pool table, a screened porch, a breakfast room for six, and a fully equipped modern kitchen.

The entire home has six bedrooms and can accommodate up to twelve people. Two of the bedrooms are within one suite, therefore there are five total rooms and suites within the house. There are three rooms with king beds, two bedrooms with queen beds, and a bonus room with twin beds. Most bathrooms in the home have been remodeled with marble. The Hillside's driveway is conveniently located just steps away from the front door and includes a Tesla charging station, close to all guest quarters.

Staying at the Hillside lake house also gives you an opportunity to spend quality time with your family and friends in the home's large yard, with a real fire-pit, sharing a bottle of wine at the pergola overlooking the calming pond.





# ACCOMODATIONS: LAKEVIEW

The classic modern style of the Lakeview rooms offer views unlike any other. A short walk from the Inn, our spacious rooms each feature a furnished lake view balcony. With luxurious two queen beds or an upgrade to a king bedroom with a built-in deep soaking jetted tub, you may not feel like leaving your room.

Lakeview offers comfortable modern amenities like 55-inch televisions, air conditioning, a mini-fridge, microwave, Keurig, and complimentary use of our laundry facility located within the building.





# ACCOMODATIONS: PARKVIEW

Wake up to the sound of birds and wildlife at your door. Step outside and take a breath of fresh air while listening to the sound of rushing water.

Get a feel of camping in the wilderness of Gorge Trail, but with air conditioning, a deep soaking jetted tub, and other modern amenities. This one-story Parkview house is nestled in the woods beside the Victorian Inn and directly against the Taughannock Falls State Park.

If your pet is going to be a part of your wedding ceremony or reception, the Parkview room is pet friendly to accommodate them.



## ROOM BLOCK INFORMATION

Our couples are welcome to block any or all of the 24 guest rooms on-site. With sixteen different room types across the four buildings, you will find accommodation suiting each of your guest's needs. Should you require additional rooms not on-site our event planning team is happy to help build a room block for you at other area accommodations.

If booking a room block on-site there is a deposit process for holding the rooms, and the events team will request room assignments in advance to ensure an easy and efficient booking process for your guests.







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