

Anna Maria Island & Sarasota Preferred Vendors

The following are people, places, and things that we recommend to help plan your Florida Wedding!

Where a point of contact is provided, please go through this person if you need more information, and please let them know you heard about them through Simple Weddings!

Wedding Invitations and Stationery

The Simple Weddings Stylart Store – We have partnered with Stylart, a nationwide leader in affordable and elegant wedding invitations, thank you cards, and other stationery. Upload your own pictures, add your own text, and design your own invitations at <http://simpleweddings.stylartstore.com>. Simple Weddings clients receive 10% off all wedding invitations!

Condo Rentals

Anna Maria Island Condo Rentals – We can think of nothing more relaxing than having your wedding on the beach right outside your very own beachfront condominium with all the comforts of home! <http://www.annamariaislandcondorentals.com/>
[Point of Contact: Terry or Sandy, tswhyte@rogers.com , 905-579-4996]

Argus Vacation Rentals of Siesta Key – With several options available on Siesta Key, Argus has the perfect Siesta Key Condo for your wedding party! <http://www.argusvacationrentals.com>
[Point of Contact: Hilarie Christensen, hilarie@argusmgmt.com , 941-552-9810]

Beach Club Siesta Key – Just steps from the perfect white sands of Siesta Key, the Beach Club is the perfect venue for your intimate beach wedding! <http://www.beachclubsiesta.com/>
[Point of Contact: Hilarie Christensen, hilarie@argusmgmt.com , 941-552-9810]

Resorts & Hotels

The Tropic Isle Inn – The Tropic Isle Inn is nestled in a quaint residential area near the middle of Anna Maria Island, within steps of their own private white-sand beach on the Gulf of Mexico. Laze your day away by their lush tropical gardens and their inviting pool which is heated during the cooler winter months. Their poolside gazebo is the perfect backup plan in case of a rainy day. They are a family and pet oriented resort that allows you to shed the worries of the world and enjoy your own little piece of paradise, and we think they are perfect for your beach wedding! Minimum stay and site fee may be required for wedding parties.
www.tropicisleinn.com
[Point of Contact: Stacie, info@tropicisleinn.com, (800) 883-4092]

The Holiday Inn Lido Beach – Located literally steps away from Sarasota's upscale dining and shopping district, St Armand's Circle, and even fewer steps away from the stunning white sand beaches of Lido Key, the Holiday Inn Lido Beach has everything you need to complete your Florida beach wedding plans, to include onsite restaurants, catering, and reception areas.
<http://www.lidobeachholidayinn.com>
[Point of Contact: Sonja Newton, sonja.newton@lidobeachholidayinn.com , (941) 552-1171]

Restaurant/Reception Facility

The Waterfront Restaurant – Located on the north end of Anna Maria Island near [Bayfront Park](#), The Waterfront Restaurant is one of our favorite locations for both weddings and receptions. They have a beautiful outdoor courtyard with a retractable awning (great in case it rains!), and are located across the street from a scenic white sand beach on Tampa Bay. The adjacent Anna Maria City Pier is a beautiful spot to take pictures, as are the large rocks along the beach. The beach here faces northeast, so the sun sets on the other side of the island, but the Gulf Beaches (and sunsets) are only about a quarter mile away, so it's possible for the Bride & Groom to jump in the car, drive two minutes, and get a few sunset pictures before dinner!
www.thewaterfrontrestaurant.net
[Point of Contact: Bill or Ryan, info@thewaterfrontrestaurant.net, (941) 778-1515]



Travel Books

Florida's Beaches – This unique guidebook is all about Florida's Beaches from Tampa Bay to Naples, and nothing else. By David McRee, Florida's infamous 'Beach Hunter', it's the perfect companion to your other travel books. Available for download or in hard copy from <http://www.beachhunter.net/book.htm>