



# *Weekend Wedding Packages 2021*



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# Lapeng Guest Lodge



## Dear Future Bride & Groom,

Welcome to the start of the best time of your life. Planning a wedding is an exciting journey, and it starts of with finding the perfect setting and venue.

We would like to introduce you to the idea of a Destination, Weekend Wedding

Lapeng Lodge is neatly tucked away between the mountains in the beautiful Lowveld Bushveld. You will have the lodge booked exclusively for you and your guests from the Friday till the Sunday.

### This includes:

- 🌙 30, 4 Star Rooms, sleeping a total of 60 guests
- 🌙 All meals for 60 guests for the weekend
- 🌙 Venue hire, including basic décor, setup and clean up.
- 🌙 A breath-taking Chapel
- 🌙 Wedding planning & assistance





# Friday

A Lapeng Weekend Wedding will guarantee a relaxing weekend for you and all your guests that will leave you with memories to last a life time. See exactly what it entails on the next few pages.





## *Welcome Drinks*

Your guests will arrive any time from 2pm on Friday afternoon and will check into their rooms. The bar and patio area will be open for a welcoming drink.





## *Braai*

In the evening, the fires will be lit and the guests will be welcomed in the boma for the Braai

The menu will be:

Rump Steak

Boerewors

Chicken Potjie (Chicken Stew)

Pap & Sauce

Salads







# Saturday

## Breakfast

Saturday will start off with a full English & Continental Buffet Breakfast on the Patio overlooking the swimming pool. A private breakfast for the Bridal Party can be arranged.

Saturdays are the best. This is when your guests will be swimming, laughing, playing volleyball and spending quality time with each other. This is when you will realise the true value of a weekend wedding.

## Lunch

A Build Your Own Burger Bar will be served for lunch on the patio by the swimming pool.





## *Bridal preparations*

The Bridal Suite will be prepared for the Bridal Party to do their hair and make-up.



# The Ceremony

The Wedding Ceremony will be in the Chapel @ 15h30 – 16h00







## Photos

During the Harvest Table, the Wedding Couple can be taken to the farm for breathtakingly beautiful photo settings. The Game Viewer can be booked for R700 extra.







## The Reception

The Wedding Hall will be decorated with standard décor, included in the package:

- ↳ Tables (Round or Long Wooden Tables) Chairs (Phoenix or Wooden)
- ↳ Underplates (Wooden, Clear, Silver, or Gold)
- ↳ Tablecloths (White, Black or Beige)
- ↳ Cutlery & Crockery
- ↳ Napkins (White, Black or Cream)

You will be responsible to do the flowers, stationery (menus etc), and any other extra décor.

The Wedding Hall has a fully equipped dancefloor with smoke machines, lights & lasers that will make the party go all night.





# Menu

## Starter

### Snacks & Canapés (Harvest Table)

The starter is a wide selection of snacks including biltong, droewors, different bread, cheeses, dried & fresh fruit and more. The starter is served after the ceremony while the photos are being taken.

The following is included on the table:  
(Subject to season and availability)

- 🕒 Fresh Breads (French loafs, whole wheat loafs, cocktail rolls, cranberry loafs etc)
- 🕒 Whole Figs & a Selection of Jams
- 🕒 Dried Mangos
- 🕒 Freshly Baked Cocktail Pies & Cheese Puffs
- 🕒 Pizza Slices
- 🕒 Puff Pastry Delights
- 🕒 Grapes and Strawberries
- 🕒 Crumbed Chicken Strips
- 🕒 Biltong & Droewors

Please note that the above mentioned selection is subject to change without prior notice.





# Menu

## Main Course

The main course is a Buffet selection of two different meats served with rice, potatoes, gravy and condiments. You can choose two different cooked veggies and a selection of salads.

### Red Meat – Choose one:

- Slow Cooked Beef Roast
- Beef Stroganoff
- Beef Goulash
- Braised Beef Stew
- Leg of Lamb
- Traditional Bobotie

### White Meat – Choose one:

- Portuguese-style Grilled Chicken
- "Spit" Roasted Chicken
- Homemade Chicken Pie
- Oriental Chicken Curry

### Starch – Choose two:

- Rice
- Roast Potatoes
- Garlic and Herb Baby Potatoes
- Pap & Sheba Sauce

### Vegetables – Choose two:

- Sweet Potatoes
- Green Beans
- Glazed Carrots
- Creamed Spinach
- Pumpkin Fritters served with a Caramel Sauce

### Salads: Choose either a salad valley or two others:

- Salad Valley – A variety of vegetable platters for you to design your own salad
- Potato Salad
- Carrot & Pineapple Salad
- Curry Pasta Salad
- Coleslaw
- Greek salad



# Menu

## Dessert

Choose one of the following:

- 🕒 Rich Chocolate Mousse
- 🕒 Freshly Baked Malva Pudding with Custard
- 🕒 Fruit Salad with Ice Cream
- 🕒 Pavlova
- 🕒 Sweet Delights Table  
(Milk tart, Lamingtons, Koek Susters, etc.)

🕒 Late night coffee station as an additional extra (R20pp extra)

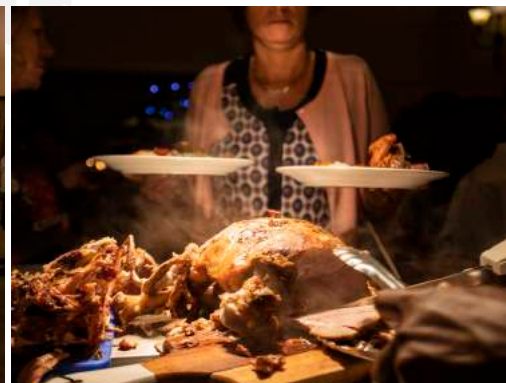
### Special requests:

If you have any special requests for your menu, feel free to contact us and we can discuss your ideas.

An extra dish can be added at an extra cost.

This cost is as follows:

- Red Meat - R55 per person
- White Meat - R45 per person
- Vegetables - R23 per person
- Starch - R18 per person
- Salad - R30 per person





# Sunday

## Breakfast

The weekend wedding will end off on Sunday morning with another Full English & Continental Buffet breakfast on the patio. The wedding hall will be cleared and cleaned by our staff and all of your items will be neatly gathered for you to collect.

## Checkout

Checkout time for the guests is 10 a.m, but, as our VIP guests, you and the bridal party are welcome to stay a little longer.

You will depart with the feeling of just having had the best weekend of your life, entering the first chapter of the best time of your life, with no one other than your soulmate.

Lapeng is a family owned and managed Guest Lodge with over 10 years of experience in the catering and wedding industry. Our staff love weddings and they will treat you like family. Lapeng means Home in Northern Sotho, and that is exactly what we strive to do, make every wedding couple and their wedding guests feel at Home!





# Pricing breakdown

## Price Breakdown Per Person:

Braai	R190
Lunch on Saturday	R110
Décor, Setup, Venue hire etc	R110
Wedding Dinner	R430
2 Nights Accommodation inc Breakfast	R1 700
<b>TOTAL COST PER PERSON</b>	<b>R2 540</b>
Total cost for 60 people	<b>R152 400</b>
Your Price if you take The Weekender Package	<b>R132 000</b> <b>Save R20 400</b>

If your wedding will have more than 60 guests, the cost for the extra guests will be R430 per guest.

Remember you will be selling your rooms to your guests at whichever at a price that you can determine. If you sell 25 rooms at our normal rate of R1700 per night for two people, you will recover a total R85 000.





## *Additional Extras*

Extra Guests for the Braai – R190

Extra Guests for Breakfast – R150

Wine Corkage Fee – R70 per bottle

Welcoming Drinks:

Beers – R25, Ciders – R30, Champagne – R130, Sherry – R12

Game Viewer for Photos – R700

Inhouse Photography Package for Entire Weekend – R9 500

Blurred Lines Photography - ([www.blurredlines.co.za](http://www.blurredlines.co.za))

Inhouse DJ – R6 500

**Includes:**

Four zone, state of the art sound system providing audio to the Bar, Patio, Main Hall, Food Bar, and Dance Floor

Music and microphones at the wedding ceremony

Resident DJ from 15h00 – 24h00

**Overtime**

The main venue is booked until 24h00, to keep the DJ going after 24h00, there is an overtime fee of R1,200 per hour.

**Refundable Breakage Deposit – R5,000**

This amount is fully refundable if there are no damages, and if all the bar tabs are settled.

**Service Providers' Dinner – R215pp**

Draping: Chapel - R700 | Reception Hall - R1200

Hanging Lights in Reception Hall - R3000

(Please note that you are not allowed to do any drapings or hanging of lights or flowers from the roofs yourselves)

## *Child Policy*

Although children often form part of weddings, Lapeng Lodge is not a child friendly zone due to the following risks:

- ☹ Koi ponds that are not fenced off
- ☹ A big swimming pool that is not fenced off
- ☹ Wild animals that roam freely on the property

If children will be present at your wedding, the responsibility of their safety is in the hands of the parents, and Lapeng Guest Lodge can not be held liable.

**The following costs are applicable:**

**Accommodation – R290 per child per night**, if the child shares a room with his/her parents. A blow up mattress will be provided but the bedding must be provided by the parents. Breakfast is included.

**Dinner on Friday – R95**

**Dinner on Saturday – R215**



# Frequently Asked Questions

- ☞ What time is check in time on Friday and check out time on Sunday?  
Check in time on Friday is 14h00 and check out time on Sunday is 10h00.
- ☞ Can the Bridal Party check in earlier than 14h00 and leave later than 10h00?  
Yes, the Bridal Party can come earlier to start with the decorations and leave later to pack up.
- ☞ Can we come on the Thursday before the wedding and what are the costs?  
Yes, you are welcome to book a room from earlier in the week. The price for this is - R850 per person sharing, or R1,300 for a single room per night.
- ☞ Do you offer Game Drives?  
No, unfortunately we do not do Game Drives during weddings.
- ☞ Can we bring our own Champagne for the tables?  
Yes, you can bring up to two bottles per table without a corkage fee. We can supply the champagne (JC le Roux) at R130 per bottle.
- ☞ Are there extra costs if we still use the patio after 24h00  
No, there are no extra costs if you still use the patio after 24h00.
- ☞ Are there card facilities and can the guests open bar tabs?  
Yes there are card facilities and the guests can open tabs on the room number or by handing in their car keys.
- ☞ Can I open a tab at the bar?  
Yes, you can open a tab that you can set a limit to. You can also pre-order a number of drinks that can be put in ice buckets (refer to welcoming drinks on pg15)
- ☞ Can I bring bottles of brandy, whiskey or spirits and pay a corkage fee?  
No, the corkage fee only applies to bottles of wine.
- ☞ How many people can sit around the tables?  
A total of 10 people can sit around each table, but we recommend 8 people.
- ☞ What will happen if my guests bring their own alcohol to the wedding?  
The barman will notify you of the situation and you will have to ask them to put the liquor away. If the guests do not listen, you can lose your breakage deposit.



# Terms and conditions

You are not allowed to bring or consume any of your own alcohol on the premises. If you or any of your guests fail to comply with this your deposit will be forfeited.

1. If any of your guests leave without settling their accounts then your deposit will be used to settle their accounts.
2. No fireworks of any kind (including starlights) are allowed.
3. No outside caterers are allowed.
4. Only rose petals, popcorn and other biodegradable materials are allowed to be used as confetti.
5. You are responsible for any damages caused by any of your guests or their children.
6. The wedding will not begin until the invoice (100% of the full amount) has been settled.
7. Breakages will be assessed during the two weeks after your wedding. Quotations will be requested for any major damages and the quotation value will be deducted.
8. There is an extra staff cost if your wedding is on a weekend that has a public holiday. This cost is dependent on what day the holiday is and how many hours the staff will work on this day. The amount will be calculated on request.
9. The venue will be taking photos on the day of the wedding and withhold the right to use these photos on the internet and for other marketing opportunities.
10. Once the final quantities have been given two weeks before the wedding, no further cancellations are allowed.
11. The children at the wedding are your responsibility and will be on the premises at their own risk. You are expected to discipline them at all times. Our swimming pool is not enclosed and we request that you never leave your children unattended.
12. Our waiters set the tables with the basic décor but they are not responsible for the detailed décor such as the centerpieces, gifts, special serviette holders etc.
13. The DJ's list has to be submitted at least 2 weeks before the wedding date.
14. Guests should please bring their own swimming towels.
15. Offensive comments and swearing towards any of our staff or management will not be tolerated. Guests who do not adhere to this will be warned once and will be refused service or removed from the premises if this continues.
16. You are responsible to remove any flowers, leaves, or other decor that is not supplied by Lapeng from the venue. If you fail to do so, an extra labour fee will be charged for the removal.