

Mornington Peninsula Wedding Guide

☉ *YOUR ULTIMATE
INFORMATION Guide*



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○ CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations!! How exciting you're looking at having your special day on the Mornington Peninsula.

An abundance of starry-eyed happiness and clinking of glasses await! You are spoilt for choice here on the Peninsula, so many fabulous vendors are waiting to make your dream wedding a reality.



Hi! I'm Clodagh!

I Adore CAPTURING THE Raw
Unabashed CONNECTION
BETWEEN Two Souls

|
*embracing the essence of
your romance*



Why get married on the

MORNINGTON PENINSULA

Only an hour from Melbourne, the Mornington Peninsula has so much to offer. You may know it as a popular beach getaway destination, but there's so much more to the Peninsula than the iconic beach boxes you'll see in the tourist magazines.

You are spoilt for choice when it comes to choosing somewhere to have your special day. Rustic barns, seaside views, rolling vineyards, boutique and luxurious accomodation... this has to be one of the most romantic places in Victoria. There's a diverse range of venues, vendors and special places to have your photos taken.

Who am I? I'm Clodagh, a Mornington Peninsula wedding photographer, it's so wonderful to be able to play a small part in making your dream wedding come true. I see my role as so much more than a photographer, I'll be there every step of the way to help you have the most magical day and get some pretty darn stunning photos.

This guide will hopefully make the planning process a little bit easier for you. I'm always here to help, so please send me an email or get in touch through my social media accounts with any questions you have.

Your day is going to be AAAMMMMMMAAAAZZZZZZIIINNNNG.

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YOUR JOURNEY *Starts* HERE

LET THE FUN BEGIN



*HERE ARE SOME
TIPS FOR*

WEDDING PLANNING

KEEPING IT EASY-PEASY AND STRESS-FREE, JUST FOR YOU



○ **01** CHOOSE A DATE AND A THEME

Choose a time of year and an ideal date the two of you would like to get married on. Narrow down a vibe (relaxed, rclassy, romantic) and a theme (rustic, boho, modern, elegant, vintage, classy).

○ **02** ESTIMATE YOUR GUEST LIST

Get an idea of how many guests you're going to be inviting to your wedding so you can begin your venue search!

○ **03** CHOOSE A VENUE

Woo hoo! It's time to choose your ceremony and reception location so you can lock in a date.

○ **04** SAVE THE DATES

Let your guests know it's time to save the date, because you are in full wedding planning mode now! Woooooooo.

○ **05** ASSEMBLE YOUR DREAM TEAM

Now you have a venue sorted and a date set in stone, it's time to assemble the rest of your vendors!

○ **06** CREATE A MOOD BOARD

Let the fun begin! Get that Pinterest board happening, choose a colour palette and set the tone for your special day. If you've hired a planner/stylist, they'll help you with all this.

○ **07** TIMELINE

You're onto the last steps! Create a timeline/run sheet for your day so everything goes smoothly.

DREAM TEAM

WHAT SUPPLIERS MIGHT YOU NEED ON THE DAY?

CEREMONY AND RECEPTION LOCATION

Once you've secured your ceremony and reception location, you will have a date, time and place to send through to the rest of your suppliers.

CELEBRANT

Without your celebrant, it's basically just a big party! Choose a celebrant who will match the 'vibe' you're after and make it OFFICIAL. They will take care of all the marriage legalities for you.

WEDDING PLANNER/STYLIST

Decide whether or not you're going to hire a wedding planner or stylist to assist you before and on the day.

PHOTOGRAPHER

Why hello!! Let's chat, because I can guarantee you I will be just as excited about your wedding as you are.

FLORIST

HAIR AND MAKE UP

CAKE MAKER

VIDEOGRAPHER

RENTALS COMPANY

You will also need to organise invitations, wedding attire, rings, catering and entertainment.



Venues



There are so many beautiful venues on the Mornington Peninsula to choose from!

BEACH SIDE

[All Smiles Sorrento](#)

[The Baths Sorrento](#)

[South Beach Project](#)

[Portsea Hotel](#)

[RACV Cape Schanck Resort](#)

WINERY DREAMS

[Jackalope](#)

[Tanglewood Estate](#)

[Trofeo Estate](#)

[Lancmore Lindenberry Red Hill](#)

[Stumpy Gully](#)

[Stillwater at Crittenden](#)

[Pier 10 Winery](#)

[Polperro Winery](#)

[Dromana Estate](#)

[Barn and Co](#)

MORNINGTON PENINSULA AT ITS FINEST

[Butterfly Red Hill](#)

[Eagle Ridge Weddings](#)

[Baxter Barn](#)

[Port Phillip Estate](#)

[The Peacock Estate](#)

[Max's Restaurant](#)

[The Epicurean](#)

[Summerfields Estate](#)

[Merricks General Wine Store](#)

[Mornington Golf Club](#)

Celebrants

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FABULOUS MORNINGTON PENINSULA CELEBRANTS

[Katie Breheny](#)

[Abbie Frew](#)

[Emily Hall](#)

[Shannon Jeans](#)

[Ebony Carver](#)

[Sheridan Newnham](#)

[Kat Sillars](#)

[Grace De Battista](#)

[Jessica Edwards](#)

[Ally Parker](#)





Planners and Stylists

Get some help in bringing your vision to life. These planners/stylists will be able to take all the stress away from wedding planning.

[CeleBRAIT Wedding Co](#)

[Weddings by E](#)

[Dream Catcher Weddings](#)

[Wild Heart Events](#)

[Her Moon and Stars Styling_](#)

Florists

Whether it's bouquets, centrepieces or a full floral set up, all these amazing florists will be able to help you.

[Peninsula Wild Flower](#)

[Herbaceous Flowers](#)

[Poppy Culture](#)

[Lupin Botanical](#)

[Studio Zgela](#)

[Just Loved](#)

[Studio Hollingworth](#)

[Hello Blossoms](#)

[Tom and Daisy_](#)

[Tyabb Roses](#)

Cakes/Desserts

Whether you're opting for a cake or something a little different, check out the work of these talented suppliers.

[The Butchers Daughters](#)

[Cakes To Die For](#)

[Sweets For Tilly](#)

[Sweet Sugar Bakes](#)

[Peninsula Cake Art](#)

Hair and Make Up

If you're looking for a salon or someone to come to you, you can't go wrong with any of these fabulous hair and a make up artists .

[Soul Hair and Beauty](#)

[Michelle O'Connell](#)

[Mary Jane Ashlyn Bridal](#)

[Mayko Hair](#)

[Elegant You Hair and Beauty](#)

[Casey Brooke Make Up Artist](#)





Videography

A wedding video is something you will never regret.

[Storyteller Videography](#)

[Heartly Films](#)

DJ's and Live Music

Woo hoo, it's entertainment time!

[Music With Memories](#)

[DJ Peter D](#)

[Jimmy and Niki](#)

[Cal Young](#)

MORE!

And here are some more wonderful suppliers to help you on your journey!

MORE!

[Everything Lace Hire](#)

[Peninsula Nomads](#)

[The Little Bar Cart](#)

[A Day To Remember Event Hire](#)

[Lavender Creative Co](#)

[Sally Rose White Label](#)

[Peninsula Party Hire](#)

[Gather Round Events](#)



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT PHOTOGRAPHY

Authentically capturing just the two of you / BEING YOURSELVES



You already know that it's important to have your wedding day documented, it's something you're going to want to relive forever and your photos are that special something you'll be able to look back on. From stolen glances to cheeky kisses or busting a move on the dance floor... I'll be there to document your love story and everything in between.

I'm Clodagh (pronunciation: rhymes with Yoda), a Mornington Peninsula based photographer driven by a desire to capture love and connection in a fun and relaxed way. You don't have to worry about feeling awkward, I've absolutely got you covered (cue really poor jokes and maybe even some weird dance moves if you're lucky!).

We'll be able to chat through how we can get all the photos you're after while spending as much time possible being present, hanging out with your guests and enjoying your day with a champagne (glass or bottle hehe) in your hand. Whether you want me creeping away in the shadows and getting candid shots or rounding up your families for some group shots, I'm there for you.

Here are some planning tips that will help you save time AND get epic photos;

- The best time for your wedding portraits (photos of the two of you) is in the half hour before the sun sets.
- In seasons where the days are shorter and you have a later ceremony, you might consider doing a first look and getting family photos before.
- Ask yourself 'would I hang this on my wall?' when you are creating a list of family photos. This will help you create a more condensed list and save you time on the day!

When you book in I will find out alllll about your wedding and work with you to create a perfect photography timeline! That way nothing is missed.

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Your JOURNEY'S just starting

Ready to discover the magic that awaits?



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