SAY 'I DO'

IN PARADISE



the edgewater
RESORT & SPA
RAROTONGA

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Lets Get Married!



At The Edgewater Resort & Spa, we create special memories and celebrations of love that are effortless, personal and filled with island magic.

From intimate and colourful island-inspired ceremonies by the sea to joyful celebrations surrounded by family and friends.
With a range of packages available, individual inclusions vary, allowing you to choose the experience that best reflects your vision for your special day.

Let our experienced weddings team take care of every detail as we guide you each step of the way and bring to life your dream wedding in paradise!

Read more and let's start planning something truly special.

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OUR COUPLES

Testimonials



“James and I just wanted to say another HUGE meitaki to you and your team for looking after us SO WELL on our wedding day (and all the days leading up to it!). It was honestly the happiest day of our lives, and made all the more amazing knowing that we were in the very capable hands of the Edgewater team.

We loved everything about it, you were all so lovely and helpful and kind to us. We are so grateful!”

Jo & James

TIPANI $1,999

Tipani is designed for couples who want something beautifully simple, while keeping the freedom to shape the rest of the day their own way.

Whether it's just the two of you exchanging vows by the lagoon, followed by a relaxed dinner at one of our restaurants, a private dining experience, or a celebration elsewhere with family and friends - this package gives you the space to create a day that feels entirely yours.

TIPANI PACKAGE

- Dedicated wedding coordinator
- Beachfront ceremony location overlooking the lagoon
- Celebrant or Minister services
- Marriage licence and certificate*
- Transfers for registry application*
- Tropical bridal bouquet and groom garland
- Styled ceremony setup with floral arch and draping
- Uto aisle with petals and floral confetti celebration moment
- Ceremony sound system for your chosen music
- Bottle of bubbles to celebrate your day
- Welcome gift on arrival

*if required





GARDENIA

$3,899

A beautifully curated experience with those extra touches that make your day feel even more special.

From getting ready together to capturing every moment, this package adds a layer of indulgence and ease to your celebration.

Gardenia Wedding Package includes everything in The Tipani plus:

- Professional wedding photography (1.5hrs)
- Bridal hair, makeup and pamper package
- Couples massage experience
- Wedding cake with floral styling

ALL INCLUSIVE

For those who want to celebrate not just the ceremony, but everything that comes with it.

$9,999



A complete wedding and reception experience designed to bring your people together, with time to relax, celebrate and soak in every moment.

THE WEDDING

Inclusive Features

- A tropical flower bouquet and a tropical neck garland
- Services of a Celebrant or Minister
- Transfers to and from the Registry Office to submit your Marriage application
- Marriage Licence and Certificate
- Stereo to play music of choice for the Ceremony
- Floral arch decor with white material draping
- Uto aisle with petals
- Flower petal confetti (wedding couples exit)
- 10 white wooden benches
- Complimentary bottle of bubbly on the wedding day

ALL INCLUSIVE

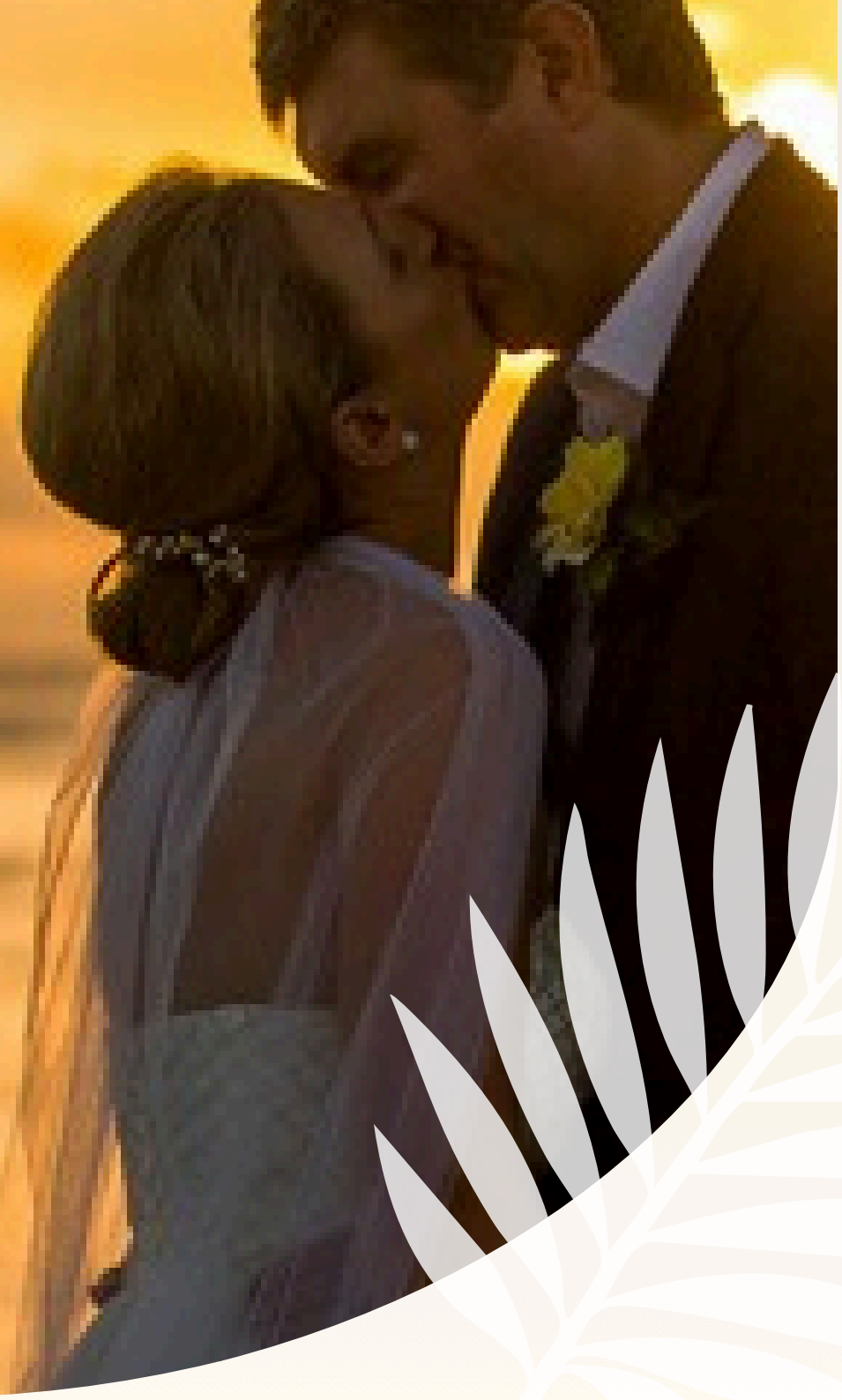
THE RECEPTION

- Island BBQ Buffet Menu for 30 guests
- Three-hour Standard Beverage package for 30 guests
  - (Standard Wines, Beers, Fizzy, Water, Fruit Juices)
- Single one-tier 10 inch Wedding cake with a fresh floral cake topper
- Standard decorated wedding reception venue
  - Icicle fairy lights surrounding the Umu Hut
  - Trestle tables and chairs with white linen covers for furnishing
  - Selection of coloured table runners and chair sashes to choose from
  - Cutlery, glassware & napkins
  - Guest table arrangements: Fresh leaf foliage and single flower table runners
  - Backdrop curtain fairy lights for head table

Wedding couple's accommodation + return airport transfers

- Five nights in a Beachfront room with unlimited WIFI
- Daily tropical breakfast
- Resort Welcome gift on arrival with fruit platter & bubbles
- Return airport-resort transfers for two
- 30 min Couple's Aromatherapy massage





RENEW

$1,099

Whether it's been years or decades, renewing your vows is a meaningful way to pause, reflect and celebrate everything you've built together.

Set against the beauty of the lagoon, this intimate ceremony is a chance to reconnect - to honour your journey, your growth and the love that continues to evolve.

Simple, personal and deeply special, it's a moment just for the two of you - or one shared with those closest to you.

- Beachside ceremony by the lagoon
- Celebrant to guide your renewal
- Tropical floral adornments
- Styled ceremony setting with floral touches
- Personalised commemorative certificate
- A bottle of bubbles to celebrate

SHARE THE LOVE

Turn your wedding into something even more memorable by sharing it with the people who matter most.

With accommodation options for couples, families and groups, your guests can stay, relax and celebrate alongside you, all in one beautiful location.

To make it even more rewarding, we offer you a special 'wedding code' so your guests can book to stay at a special rate and share this momentus occasion with you!

Plus as a further reward, we offer complimentary nights for the wedding couple when your guests stay with us & meet a room-night milestone - just a little thank you for bringing your people together in one place, simple to track through your own unique code.

- Book 35 paid room nights → receive 2 complimentary beachfront nights for the wedding couple
- Book 75 paid room nights → receive 4 complimentary beachfront nights for the wedding couple



OUR COUPLES

Testimonials



Everything was amazing & your service has been absolutely incredible, you made our stay & wedding blissful!

You have given our family a memory for a lifetime, everyone has been giving amazing feedback....Thank you for everything, I would do it all again!

Abi

Thank you so much for making our 10th wedding anniversary such a special & memorable experience. We had the most amazing time, as did our friends & family...we will absolutley be back!

Holly





A huge thank you to you & your team for making our day so special & memorable.

AJ



It was such a beautiful day & we couldnt have done it without you all, EVERYTHING was absolutley perfect - the food was delicious!

Alishia

WEDDING GALLERY












MAKE IT YOURS

Every wedding is unique — and we offer a range of optional extras to help you personalise your day even further

Options include:

- Live music, DJ or island dancers
- Additional photography and videography
- Floral upgrades and styling enhancements
- Spa and beauty experiences
- Reception styling and décor upgrades

Our team will help tailor these options to suit your vision and you can request our rate card should you wish to include any of these optional extras in your special day.

A LITTLE 'EXTRA'

Spa & Beauty Services

A full range of spa & beauty services are available right here at The Edgewater Resort & Spa
From hair & makeup to pamper packages to get you feeling your best for your big day.

Bridal Hair & Make Up
Bridesmaids Hair Up & Make Up

Ceremony

Traditional Bridal Turou 'Welcome' for ceremony with conch shell
Island string band & drummers (1.5hr)

White wooden tiffany chairs with cushion covers
White wooden bench chairs (seats 5)

Photography & Video - POA

We have an extensive range of professional photographers & Videographers in Rarotonga to capture your special day.
Our wedding planners will work with you to select either or both services.
Shoot times start from 1.5hrs with 40 edited images

Floral Accessories

Head Garland (Ei)
Neck Garland (Ei)
Loose Flowers for hair (per bloom)
Buttonholes
Wrist Corsage
Bridesmaids Bouquets
Flower Girl Basket with petals
Upgrade to a Deluxe Round Bouquet
Upgrade to a Medium Trailing Bouquet
Upgrade to a Large Trailing Bouquet

Floral Table Dècor

For a reception, all tables are supplied with covers & runners, add further enhancements with our islands floral arrangements;

Singular Large Flower Bunch (per table)
Leaf & Flower Runner (per table)

A LITTLE 'EXTRA'

Wedding Cakes

Traditional Moist Fruit Cake - per inch
Rich Chocolate Cake - per inch
Madeira Cake - per inch

Sizes

Our gorgeous standard wedding cakes are lovingly made by our in-house chefs & are available in 8inch, 10inch, 12inch and 15inch standard sizes

Shapes & Tiers

Round | Square | Heart
Single Tier | Two Tier | Three Tier

Floral Cake Décor

Standard Cake Topper

Reception /Entertainment

Bride & Groom bamboo (per chair)
PA system/mic hire
Island string band (1.5hr)
Mini Polynesian Drum & Dance Show (35min)
Full Polynesian Drum & Dance Show (60min)
DJ with a selection of music (up to 4 hrs)

**Please note, our teams are happy to accomodate your vision, however special requirements & imported florals will incur additional charges - talk to our wedding planners for special requests.*

LEGALLY WED

Legal Requirements

You are permitted to marry in the Cook Islands if you are 21 years and over. Anyone under the required legal age must have the written consent of their parents or legal guardians.

- All weddings in the Cook Islands are legal and recognised internationally. Citizens from northern hemisphere countries however, are required to register their marriage in their own country with their own authorities

- Wedding couples are required to be in the Cook Islands and apply for their marriage licence in person a minimum of **four working days** before their intended wedding date. If wedding couples wish to register and marry in less than the required four days, a waiver application must be made by the wedding coordinator prior to the couple's arrival. There is an additional charge of NZ $85 for the waiver to be processed

- Wedding couples must bring their birth certificates and if either are divorced or widowed, then they must bring their divorce decree and/or death certificate

**Please Note: Pursuant to the Marriages Act 1973 of the Cook Islands, same sex marriages are not permitted and not legal as per Section 3, Marriage Amendment Act 2000/13

T&Cs

All packages and pricing are valid from 1st April 2026 to 31st December 2027

- All pricing is quoted in New Zealand dollars
- All prices are inclusive of government taxes (15% VAT)
- All prices are current at the time of print and are subject to change without notice
- The inclusions in all packages and optional extras are on an availability basis
- When booking a wedding package, all wedding couples must stay a minimum of 5 nights
- If for any reason a service is not available at the time of your request, then we will endeavour to find the best alternative
- If the forecast for the day of your wedding is 40% chance of rain or more, a decision must be made up to 2 hours prior to the start time of the ceremony to move any outdoor functions to the backup location. Once the decision is made, setup cannot be changed to the alternate location

Deposits and Payment Terms

- A 30% deposit of the total wedding package is required at the time of booking
- A 50% further payment is due 120 days prior to wedding date
- Final payment of the wedding package and added optional extras is due 60 days prior to guest check-in to the resort
- Changes made to your quotes sheet within 30 days prior to the wedding date are non-refundable
- Additional charges made on the day of the wedding must be settled within 24 hours of the completion of the wedding function and services

Cancellation Policy

- A 30% cancellation fee is charged if cancellation is received 60 days from booked wedding date
- A 50% cancellation fee is charged if cancellation is received 30 days from booked wedding date
- FULL cancellation fee is charged if cancellation is received in less than 14 days or No Show
- ALL cancellations must be received in writing via email

LET'S TALK

Our weddings team is here to make your experience seamless, personal and unforgettable.

Get in touch to start planning your wedding in paradise.

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