



MEOLS HALL  
CHURCHTOWN

THE  
TITHE  
BARN  
WEDDINGS  
& EVENTS





# WELCOME TO MEOLS HALL

THERE CAN BE VERY FEW SETTINGS EQUAL TO THE TITHE BARN SITUATED IN THE GROUNDS OF MEOLS HALL, IN CHURCHTOWN, SOUTHPORT'S HISTORICAL MANOR HOUSE DATING BACK TO THE 12<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY.

MEOLS HALL HAS STOOD ON THIS SITE CERTAINLY SINCE THE REIGN OF KING JOHN AND HAS DESCENDED ALBEIT SOMETIMES THROUGH THE FEMALE LINE, THROUGH TWENTY EIGHT GENERATIONS TO THE PRESENT OWNERS - THE HESKETH FAMILY. THE EXTENSIVE ALTERATIONS CARRIED OUT BY THE PRESENT OWNERS GREAT GRANDFATHER, BETWEEN 1960 & 1964 WERE DESIGNED PRIMARILY TO HOUSE WHAT REMAINS OF THE ORIGINAL ROSSALL COLLECTION.

## WEDDINGS AT MEOLS HALL - TITHE BARN A UNIQUE SETTING FOR YOUR SPECIAL DAY

Relaxed and original or traditional and formal – Meols Hall can be whatever you want for your wedding. It's your day!

We will help you to create the wedding of your dreams. Set in a hundred acres of private parkland, with wild meadows, enchanting woods and a bridge overlooking the estate. There are endless idyllic settings for beautiful photographs of your special day.

Meols Hall embraces the seasons, whether it is a beautiful spring wedding with the daffodils, spectacular summer or cosy candlelit winter wedding, there are plenty of options to create your bespoke dream day. Our experienced complimentary wedding planners will help you create your perfect day.

## THE TITHE BARN - THE PERFECT PLACE TO SAY 'I DO'

The 400 year old Tithe Barn is one of the finest examples of it's kind in this country and has been sympathetically restored by local craftsmen, using traditional methods. With features such as the original brick walls and open beamed ceiling, making it a truly special and unique setting for your ceremony, reception, party or event.

The barn is full of rustic charm, and can be decorated by yourself to make the setting truly unique to you, a variety of florists, photographers, cake makers, music bands, ring bearing owls and other services can be recommended.



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### THE TITHE BARN - CIVIL CEREMONIES & PARTNERSHIPS

The Tithe Barn is licensed for civil ceremonies and partnerships with a capacity for a minimum of 50 up to a maximum of 120 guests. The layout works well for either more intimate groups or larger parties. For more information on civil ceremonies and civil partnerships please call Sefton Registrars on 0151 934 2012.

- Licensed for civil ceremonies and partnerships
- 50 up to 120 guests
- Exclusive use
- Sympathetically restored barn full of rustic charm
- Can be decorated by yourself to your individual requirements
- Centrally heated for year round use
- Wedding co-ordinator
- Celebrate your way to individual requirements



### THE TITHE BARN - WEDDING BREAKFASTS & RECEPTIONS

Once the formalities are concluded or if you are having a reception only, the Tithe Barn will be set for the wedding breakfast, so called as it is the first meal that you will share as man and wife.

Our award winning contract caterers Carringtons will work with you to create your perfect menu. This is your day, so tell them the type of food you enjoy and Master Chef of Great Britain Darren Wynn will create a bespoke wedding breakfast or you may prefer to select from the suggested menus, the choice is yours. If you do not want a traditional wedding breakfast, that's absolutely fine, they can help with alternative menus to keep your day informal.

Carringtons can arrange tastings to help you make the perfect choice and look forward to planning your perfect day together.

Wedding breakfast menus start at £49.00 plus VAT per person.

- 50 up to 120 guests for the wedding breakfast
- Exclusive use
- Menus created to your requirements with tastings available
- Option to bring your own wine and champagne for the pre-reception drinks, wedding breakfast and toasts without paying a corkage charge\*
- Shepherds Hut Bar in the courtyard for pre-reception drinks
- Gold chairs with either red or gold seats, tables and cake table (alternative chairs can be hired)
- Table plan stand and table letters
- Master of Ceremonies duties, if required
- Secure area for presents and locked red letter box for cards.
- Billiard room with log fire available for winter weddings and indoor photographs
- Sympathetically restored barn full of rustic charm
- Can be decorated by yourself to your individual requirements
- Centrally heated for year round use
- Wedding co-ordinator

\*Glass hire and service charge payable to Carringtons Caterers



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## THE COURTYARD & COACH HOUSE

The tastefully restored original Coach House with its large french doors opening out to the picturesque traditional cobbled floodlit courtyard with its parasol, patio tables, chairs and outdoor lanterns, make this an ideal year round outdoor/indoor venue for your guests.

The perfect place to relax and enjoy pre-reception drinks, and maybe a selection of delicious canapes whilst having your photographs taken.

You will then be able to enjoy the Courtyard and Coach House again after the wedding breakfast and throughout the evening reception.

- Coach House with large french doors (centrally heated for year round use) available for you throughout the day and evening
- Original floodlit cobbled courtyard with parasol, patio furniture and lanterns available for you throughout the day and evening
- Shepherds Hut Bar in the courtyard for pre-reception drinks
- Full of rustic charm
- Perfect setting for your guests to relax and enjoy
- The courtyard could accommodate for example, an ice cream trike, Birds of Prey display or croquet to personalise your day
- The Coach House could accommodate for example a string quartet, photo booth, magician, or caricaturist to personalise your day

*“The perfect place to relax and enjoy welcome drinks, maybe a selection of delicious canapes”*

## EVENING RECEPTION - CELEBRATE YOUR WAY

After the wedding breakfast you will be invited back into the Coach House, for coffee whilst the Tithe Barn is turned around for the evening celebrations. You can dance the night away and arrange a DJ or live band.

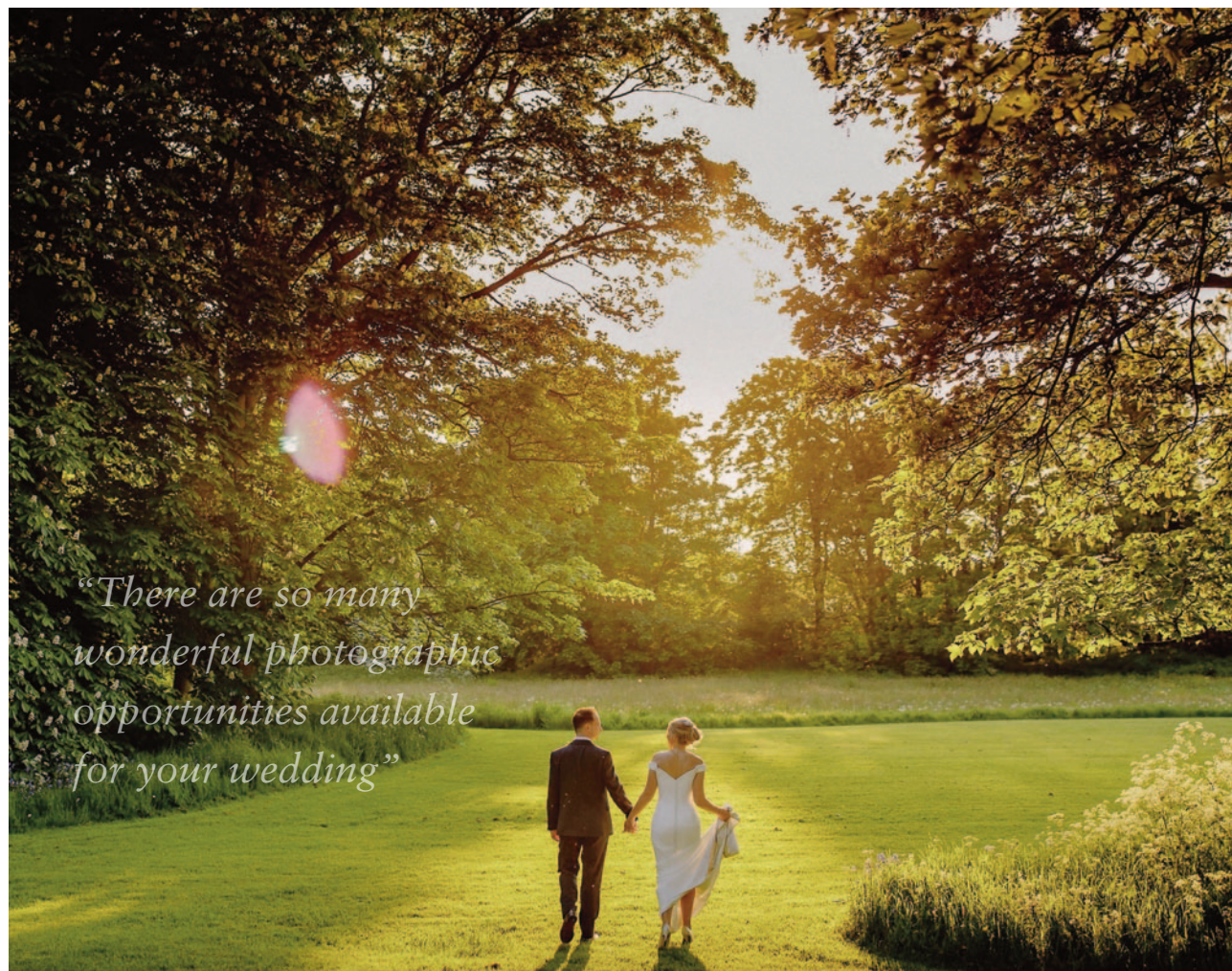
During the evening reception you again have full use of the Coach House and Courtyard, and you may choose to offer your guests a choice of tasty homemade evening food from Carringtons Caterers. Or you may choose to offer a delicious perfectly roasted hog with apple sauce and sage & onion stuffing or a BBQ from our high class caterers Graham Eyes or an authentic woodfired pizza from 600 Degrees Woodfired Pizza.

The fully stocked Tithe Barn bar with local ales will be open and serve drinks until 11.30pm.

- Upto 150 guests for the evening
- Full use of the Tithe Barn, Coach House and Courtyard
- You can arrange your own DJ or live band
- A selection of evening food is available from either Carringtons, Graham Eyes Hog Roast/BBQ or 600 Degrees Woodfired Pizza
- Fully stocked Tithe Barn bar with local ales for the evening reception
- Music finishes at midnight







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#### GENERAL INFORMATION

- Free parking (includes overnight)
- Helicopter landing available.

#### THE GROUNDS & PHOTOGRAPHIC OPPORTUNITIES

Make the most of our beautiful grounds in the hundred acre estate, choose a theme, play games, have a treasure hunt or take a walk.

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#### CHURCHTOWN VILLAGE, ST. CUTHBERTS CHURCH & LOCAL ACCOMMODATION

Churchtown is a tranquil, historic village on the northern fringe of Southport and dates back to the Domesday Book. It's a designated conservation area with pretty thatched roof cottages that you'll notice as soon as you arrive. Once here, you can browse through the village's specialist shops and stop for a bite to eat in its charming cafes and pubs or maybe take a walk through the beautiful Botanic Gardens.

If you would like a church wedding close to Meols Hall, St Cuthberts Church is a stone's throw away. A short stroll takes you from the Church, past The Hesketh Arms, through the main gates, up the sweeping drive, past the main house and through the courtyard to the Tithe Barn. Contact details for the Church can be provided.

There is a large selection of hotels and B&B's to suit all budgets in Southport, which is only a ten minute drive from Meols Hall. We are happy to pass on details for local accommodation.





PLEASE SEE QUOTATION  
FOR THE VENUE HIRE PRICING

#### CEREMONY ADMINISTRATION FEE

£400.00 inc VAT.

Please note this fee is in addition to the Tithe Barn venue hire charge and is only payable if you are married in the Tithe Barn. The fee is for the room changeover from the ceremony to the wedding breakfast.

You would deal and pay directly with the Sefton Registrars Office.

VAT is included at 20%

#### Included in the Hire-

- Our magnificent 400 year old Tithe Barn is exclusively yours for your Special Day.
- The Coach House is available throughout the day and evening.
- Original floodlit cobbled courtyard with patio furniture covered by a large heated parasol and outdoor lanterns.
- The Tithe Barn and Coach House are both centrally heated.
- The above costs give you access from 12 noon until midnight (suppliers set up from 10.00am)
- Weddings are organised to individual requirements by our experienced co-ordinators.
- Beautiful grounds for photographic opportunities.
- Billiard Room with log fire is available for winter weddings indoor photographs.
- Gold chairs with gold seats, round dining tables and cake table.
- Wrought iron table plan stand, table letters and candelabras for the ceremony are available.
- Log centre pieces are available for each table, log cake stand and silver cake knife if required.
- Microphone & P.A. System for speeches and background music available in the Tithe Barn.
- Option to bring your own wine and champagne for the wedding breakfast without paying a corkage charge.\*
- Full bar facilities.
- Free overnight parking.
- Master of Ceremonies duties provided, if required
- Secure area for presents and a locked red letter box for wedding cards.

\*Glass hire and service charge payable to Carringtons Caterers

#### CATERING

Minimum number for the wedding breakfast is 50 guests and the maximum is 120 guests. Maximum number of guests in total for the evening is 150.

All catering costs are in addition to Meols Hall venue hire. We do not allow outside caterers.

Wedding Breakfast Menus are created by our own Master Chef of Great Britain, Darren Wynn. Please contact Carringtons our caterers who offer an extensive range of menus and they will be pleased to discuss individual requirements. Carringtons are our contract caterer for the daytime.

#### CARRINGTONS

carringtons-catering.co.uk T: 01695 632 252

E: info@carringtons-catering.co.uk

Evening food is available from either - Carringtons Caterers, Graham Eyes Hog Roast/BBQ or 600-Degrees Pizza. You would book and deal directly with the caterer.

#### GRAHAM EYES

grahameyesbutchers.co.uk T: 07887 831 652

E: grahameyes@hotmail.com

#### 600 DEGREES WOODFIRED PIZZA

600-degrees.co.uk T: 07784 314 635

E: info@600-degrees.co.uk

You may provide your own drinks for the pre-reception, wines for the wedding breakfast and fizz for the toast without a corkage fee. There is a glass hire and service charge payable to Carringtons. Bottled beers are to be pre-ordered from Meols Hall. The Shepherds Hut Bar (bottled beers, selection of spirits and soft drinks) are available during the pre-reception with card payments only. The main Tithe Barn Bar opens for the evening reception until 11.30pm. It is not our policy to serve drinks before the wedding ceremony. Please ask a member of the team for full details.

#### HOW TO FIND US

Meols Hall, Churchtown, Southport PR9 7LZ

##### Main Entrance

Please use sat nav PR9 7NA this takes you to the Hesketh Arms and the main gates are opposite.

##### Side Entrance

Please use sat nav PR9 7NG this takes you to the side gate next to Scissors Hairdressers on Botanic Road.

##### Moss Lane Entrance (to be used for coaches)

Please use sat nav PR9 7QS.

Preston is 30 minutes by car. There is a train station in Southport that connects with mainline stations eg Liverpool, Manchester & Wigan. Direct trains from Euston to Preston take 2hrs 10mins. Direct trains from Glasgow to Preston take 2hrs 16mins. Liverpool and Manchester airports are approximately 1 hour away.







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