



VENUE GUIDE

2025 - 2026 SEASON





INTRO

"Underneath the trees,
where the flowers bloom, and
so does your love."





ABOUT THE BRICK HOUSE

Family Owned and Operated

We are a family owned and operated Retail Nursery, Gift Shop, Event Venue, and Vacation Destination.

Mitch, Julie, and their daughter Emma began working to create The Brick House Gardens & Nursery in the summer of 2021.

The grounds have been in the family for years; Emma and Alec (and long before them Mitch) grew up playing and riding horses in the surrounding landscape. The opportunity for a new venture together arose and The Brick House Gardens & Nursery was born.

GROUNDS



We are located at the mouth of the beautiful Manastash Canyon. Pastures, creeks, old-growth trees, wildlife, and stunning views surround us and create a haven of peace and serenity within our grounds.

"Life,
inspired by nature."



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A peaceful haven
to reconnect with
nature,
adventure,
creativity, and
self.



Aerial View

Our property includes a working Nursery and Gift Store, Show Gardens, Cabin rentals, and Outdoor event spaces.

EVENT SPACES

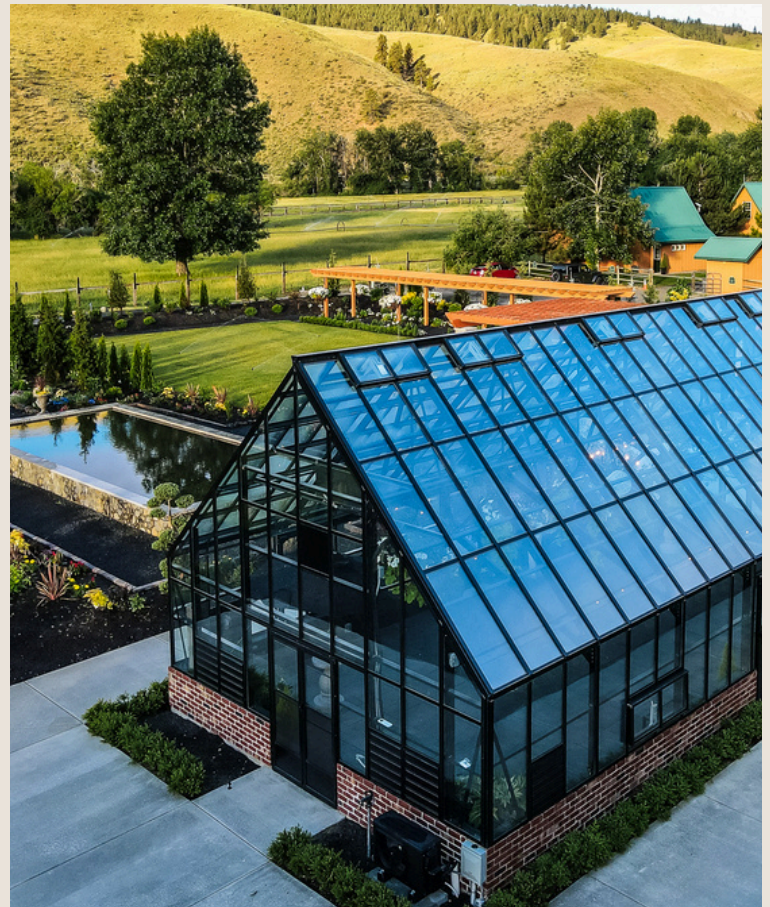
GLASS CONSERVATORY



Our grounds feature a large glass conservatory from BC Greenhouses filled with lush semi-tropical plants, large potted gardens, fountains, and a unique atmosphere for a breath of summer even in the chilly seasons.

The Conservatory can comfortably accommodate 50 people seated.

Dimensions: 20'x40'



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EVENT LAWN

Our 60 by 75 ft manicured event lawn located centrally among the gardens, is multipurpose lawn offering a green vista to view the southern manashtash ridge.





WEDDING PERGOLA

Our wedding pergola is a 30' x 40' multipurpose outdoor space. It features six stone columns crafted by mason Juan Gonzalez, beams and rafters from rough-sawn northwest timber, and a stone floor. The Pergola can comfortably seat 60 for dinner and is a popular dance floor location.





SPECIALTY GARDENS



THE JAPANESE GARDEN

Our Japanese inspired Garden utilizes the elements of stone, water and plants. It draws on the principles of enclosure and balance to create a serene and calm space. The Japanese concept of the “Maura Circle,” alluding to strength, the circle of life, connection, letting go of expectations and the beauty in imperfection is represented in the pathway that encases the lawn, the circular deck married to the water, and the island in the koi pond.



THE POTAGER



Our French inspired Potager intermingles vegetables, fruits, flowers and herbs. It emphasizes symmetry, order, geometric shapes and organized color palettes. It features four unique obelisk structures around a centrally located French Country Fountain. This area of the garden is often featured during a cocktail hour with live music. During the early summer months the greenery and geometry shines while in later months the flowers become a tall and wild mix softening the edges.



GARDEN FEATURES



GARDEN GRACES

The Graces are a pair of enchanting sculptures created by artist Austin J. Smith. The Graces embrace traditional form and sculpture. The duo is framed by our allée de jardin, a French-inspired garden alley.

STONE REFLECTION POOL

Our gardens feature a hand laid stone reflection pool made with rock from our property and crafted by mason Juan Gonzalez. The shallow pool perfectly reflects the crest of the Manastash Ridge and captures pieces of the sky line in the gardens.

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EVENT TENT

Our 30x60 event tent will be available beginning in 2024. This tent will feature hardscape flooring and will be located by our Japanese gardens. This tent can accommodate a seated dinner of up to 150 people.

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WEDDING PACKAGES





IRIS WEDDING

\$16,500

● Saturday Wedding

The wedding can be held from 3 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Saturday.

● Engagement Shoot

Access to gardens for Engagement Shoot on scheduled evening.

● All 6 Cottages for 2 nights

3 pm Check-in Friday / 10 am Check-out Sunday

● Tables & Chairs

Set up of tables and chairs is included for 130 guests.

20 - 60" Rounds

130 - White Chairs

10 - 18" Bar Height Rounds

2 - 6' Folding Tables

● The Flower Shoppe

Receive \$500 credit to our on-site florist and access to our statement urns & floral containers.

Designer/Owner - Aubrey Smith

● Private Garden Access

Gardens will be closed to the public after 12:00 p.m. on Saturday for a completely private experience.

● Rehearsal Space

Access to the Gardens from 4:00-8:00 Friday Evening for a Rehearsal Space.

WILLOW WEDDING

\$9,500

● Sunday Wedding

The wedding can be held from 3 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

● Engagement Shoot

Access to gardens for Engagement Shoot on scheduled evening.

● All 6 Cottages for 1 night

2 pm check-in day of the wedding/ 11 am check-out

● Tables & Chairs

Set up of tables and chairs is included for 100 guests.

10 - 60" Rounds

100 - White Chairs

10 - 18" Bar Height Rounds

2 - 6' Folding Tables

● The Flower Shoppe

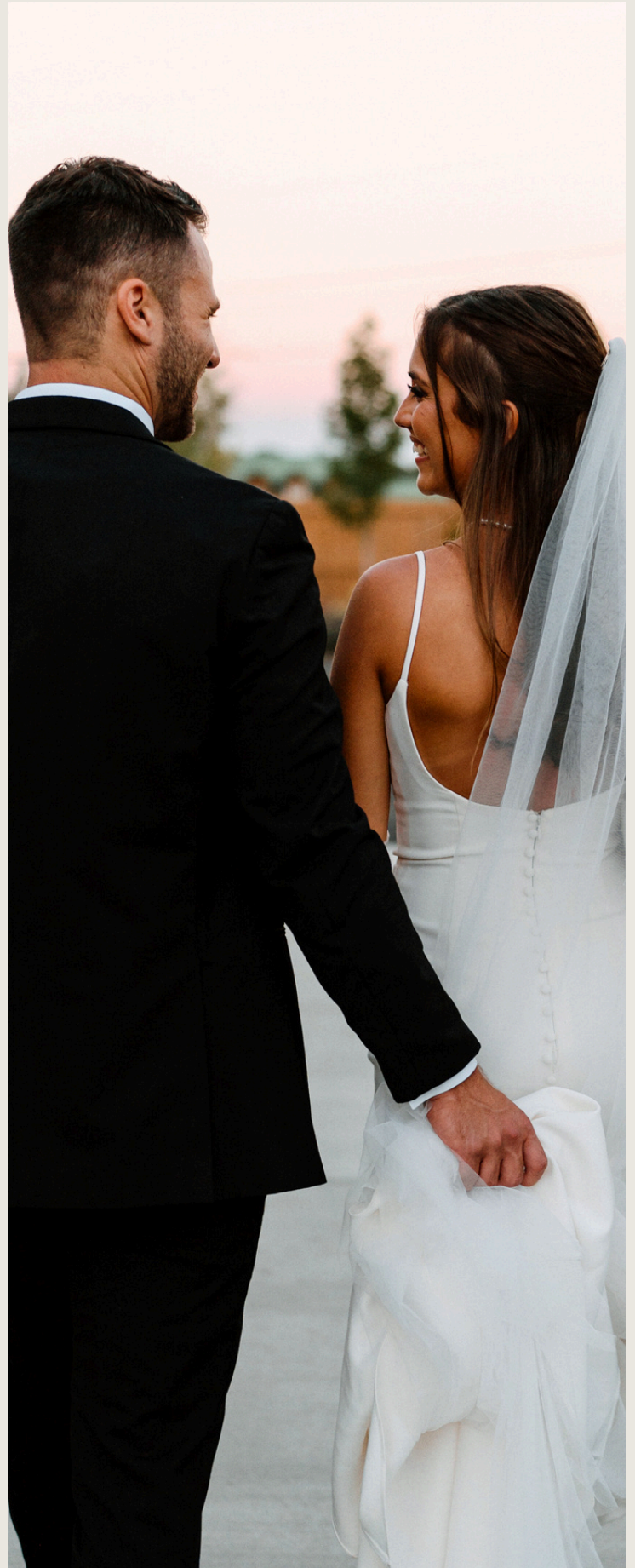
Receive a \$250 credit to our on-site florist and access to our statement urns & floral containers.

*Subject to availability

Designer/Owner - Aubrey Smith

● Private Garden Access

Gardens will be closed to the public after 2:00 p.m. on Wedding Day for a completely private experience.





ELOPEMENT

\$5,000

- ### Monday-Thursday Wedding

The wedding can be held from 3 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

- ### Engagement Shoot

Access to gardens for Engagement Shoot on scheduled evening.

- ### Tables & Chairs

Tables and chairs provided for 50 guests.

6 - 60" Rounds

50 - White Chairs

10 - 18" Bar Height Rounds

2 - 6' Folding Tables

FLORALS



THE FLOWER SHOPPE

Your wedding package will include credit to our in-house floral shop. You will have a floral consultation with experienced designers from The Flower Shoppe to discuss every detail of your dream wedding and all of your inspirations. The designers will talk with you colors, styles, and themes to design captivating florals customized just for you! The Flower Shoppe specializes in one-of-a-kind bouquets to enhance every moment of your special day!



CABINS



GUEST CABINS

Our 6 cabins have been newly renovated with top of the line amenities including full kitchens, king size beds, comfortable furnishings, indoor and outdoor fireplaces, espresso machines, patios with bistro sets, outdoor lounging space, beautiful stone showers, climate control and remote check in.

Each cabin has a show stopping view of the Manastash Ridge and Canyon offering complete privacy both in doors and out for a restorative stay. The outdoor spaces back up to more than 30 acres of lush pasture lands with grazing horses and cattle.





THE BOOKING PROCESS:

STEP 1:

Contact Emma at emma@thebrickhousenursery.com or submit a form on the website. Give details about your desired date and wedding size. Ask any questions that are a deal breaker for your event.

STEP 2:

Schedule a virtual or in-person tour to walk the grounds, view the amenities, and ask further questions about the venue.

STEP 3:

After the tour if you are interested in moving forward please request a Sample Copy of our Contract and Quote for 50% Deposit + Tax. Please read thoroughly and ask any questions you may have.

STEP 4:

Request finalized contract and invoices for Deposit and Venue Fee. Please note the date will not be held until the contract has been signed and the deposit has been paid. We do not notify in any way if there are other interested parties after 7 days of inactivity.

POST BOOKING:

MEETING 1:

After date is officially confirmed we will schedule the first pre-wedding meeting that will consist of a sit down discussion about the day of (virtual or in person), a Pinterest board/ photos for reference, a floral design intake, and a further opportunity to ask questions.

MEETING 2:

Final meeting prior to the wedding will take place one month out from the day of. This meeting will be a detailed discussion of the schedule for the entire weekend (ideally will include planner or day of contact). An emailed schedule with contact information for the day of coordinator or acting coordinator must be provided. This schedule must include a vendor list and arrival schedule, a bride/groom schedule, a photography schedule, a rehearsal schedule, a ceremony schedule, a floral delivery location and schedule, and a reception schedule. A detailed description of the ceremony and reception table and chair set up must be provided as well as an agreed upon location that tables and chairs will be located at the end of the event.

Note from Emma: We are dedicated to creating a venue that allows you to be fully immersed in the enjoyment and beauty of your Wedding Day. We are so excited for the opportunity to be apart of such a special moment and to foster a sense of joy and ease as you wedding approaches. Our thorough approach leading up to your Wedding Day allows us to be as prepared as possible to work in harmony with your team to bring your vision to life.

Q: What are we responsible for in terms of set up and take down?

A: The Brick House will set up tables, chairs, bar tables, flowers (as agreed), and the event tent, stock the restroom building, provide trash cans, liners, and a trash/recycle trailer. We will rerack tables and chairs the following morning.

Q: Can the cabins be rented for an extra night?

A: With the Iris Package the cabins can be rented for additional nights before the event. Sunday night is reserved for Willow Weddings who can rent the cabins for additional nights after the event.

Q: How does the credit to The Flower Shoppe work?

A: After our intake meeting Aubrey will generate a quote based off of your floral design requests. An automatic credit will be applied to that amount (package dependent) and the remaining amount will be invoiced directly.

Q: Do we need event insurance?

A: Yes, insurance is required. The exact coverage is listed in the contract. Typically event insurance can be added through your home or auto policy. If your insurance doesn't offer this, Progressive offers stand-alone event insurance through their website. For our requirements, it typically costs \$80-\$150 for the coverage.

Q: What if it rains?

A: In addition to our Glass Greenhouse (seated capacity of 50), we now have our new event tent which can accommodate a wedding reception including a seated dinner of up to 150 people. The tent is located over at our Japanese gardens.

Q: Can guests Uber/Ride Share?

A: There are not typically many ride shares available in Ellensburg. There are multiple taxi companies as well as shuttle companies that can assist with guest transportation.

Q: Do you require specific vendors?

A: No, we allow you to bring in any vendor that you choose with the exception of our Flower Shoppe. We also don't have any preferred vendors at this time. I'm always happy to share my experience if I have worked with a specific vendor in the past by request.

Q: How can we hold a date?

A: A 50% deposit and signed contract is required to hold a date.

Q: How many guests do the cabins hold?

A: Four of our cabins hold 4 guests and two of our cabins hold 2 guests for a max of 20 people.

Q: Do you allow alcohol?

A: Yes, it must be served by a bartender with a MAST permit.