

Booking Your Event With Us **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

About the Property

Where is The Foggy Pearl located?

Nestled along the coast of **Hancock**, **Maine**. The property offers sweeping water views and is just a short drive from **Bar Harbor and Acadia National Park** (approximately 40 minutes) and a 20-minute drive to Ellsworth, where guests, not staying on the property, can find comfortable accommodations!

Do you host weddings and events year-round?

We host weddings and events seasonally, typically from **May through October**, when the property and surrounding landscape are at their most beautiful. If you're interested in hosting your event during the off-season, please contact us!

What makes The Foggy Pearl unique?

The Foggy Pearl offers **exclusive access** to a private coastal property with a deep sense of place, connection, and history. Designed to feel like home, it's a venue where guests can gather, celebrate, and experience Maine's coast in its truest form.

Venue Details

Is The Foggy Pearl a full-service venue?

The Foggy Pearl is a **venue-only property**, giving couples the freedom to design their celebration exactly as they imagine it. While we don't provide rentals, catering, or bartending directly, we work closely with a <u>curated list of trusted Maine</u> <u>vendors</u>—including <u>Wallace Rentals in Ellsworth</u>—who know the property well and share our commitment to exceptional hospitality.

What is included in the venue rental?

Your rental includes **exclusive access to the entire property**, including:

- The Bar and Pavilion
- The Blue House, The Island House, and The Apartment (Bridal Suite)
- Designated parking for up to 70 vehicles
- Utilities and vendor coordination support

How many guests can The Foggy Pearl accommodate?

The property comfortably hosts weddings and events for up to 200 guests.

What time do events need to end?

All amplified music must end by 10:00 PM in accordance with local noise ordinances. Guests not staying overnight must depart by midnight. Access to the bar and pavilion (including the firepit) extends to midnight.

Accommodations

What overnight accommodations are available on-site?

The Foggy Pearl can accommodate up to **18 overnight guests** across three distinct spaces:

- The Blue House 3 bedrooms (3 queen beds, futon, & large couch), sleeps up to 7 guests.
 - Beautifully remodeled, featuring a large bay window and front deck. Perfect for guests to gather before and after the celebration.
- The Island House 2 bedrooms (1 king, one queen bed, 1 futon, & couch) sleeps up to 5 guests

 Set on the edge of the island, with original wood and stone details, a front deck, and serene coastal views.
- The Apartment / Bridal Suite 1 bedroom, (one futon, 2 fold-out serta couches) sleeps up to 6 guests

 Features a full kitchen, dining area, bar, and living room ideal for getting ready or relaxing throughout the weekend.

Are there hotels nearby for additional guests?

Yes! There are several charming inns, hotels, and vacation rentals nearby in **Hancock & Ellsworth (15-20 min drive) and Bar Harbor (40 min drive).** We're happy to share local recommendations upon request.

Vendors & Logistics

Can we bring our own vendors?

Absolutely. You're welcome to bring your own vendors as long as they meet standard

licensing and insurance requirements. We also offer a **recommended vendor list** featuring talented professionals who know the property well.

Do you provide rentals or catering?

We don't provide rentals or catering directly, but we partner with <u>Wallace Rentals</u> in <u>Ellsworth</u> and other trusted local vendors who can provide everything you need — from tents and tables to florals and food.

Is there parking on-site?

Yes, the property includes **designated parking for up to 70 vehicles**.

Do you allow pets?

Dogs are allowed **only with prior written approval** from the venue. Please inquire in advance if you plan to include your pet in your celebration.

Booking & Tours

How do we schedule a tour?

We'd love to show you around! Please reach out through our <u>Contact Form</u> to schedule a **phone consultation or in-person tour** of the property.

How do we reserve our date?

A **signed rental agreement** and **non-refundable 50% deposit** are required to secure your date. The remaining balance is due **60 days prior to the event.**

Enjoying the Property

Can guests swim or explore the grounds?

Yes! Guests are welcome to enjoy the natural beauty of the property responsibly.

Swimming is allowed at your own risk, and we ask that everyone respect the working waterfront and surrounding ecosystem.

Can we visit again before our event?

Of course. Once booked, couples are welcome to return to the property to see updates, walk through layouts, or just soak in the space before the big day.

Ready to Plan Your Celebration?

Schedule a tour or consultation to explore the property, discuss availability, and start planning your Maine coastal wedding.

→ Book a tour or contact us today!

Or feel free to email us directly at contact@thefoggypearl.com