# CORPORATE EVENTS

at

## COMPTON VERNEY

INSPIRED SPACES, EXCEPTIONAL EVENTS



# WELCOME TO COMPTON VERNEY

A place like no other, Compton Verney connects people to art, nature and creativity. Be inspired by our ground-breaking exhibitions, world-class collections and stunning parkland.

With a Grade I-listed mansion and Capability Brown sculpture park, Compton Verney is rich with history and architectural interest. Let us inspire you with our unique rooms and spaces, perfect for your next meeting, conference or party.

You'll find us nestled in the heart of the Warwickshire countryside, just a short hop from Warwick and Stratford-upon-Avon.

Throughout the seasons and whatever the weather, we look forward to welcoming you to Compton Verney.





# PLANNING YOUR EVENT

From the initial planning to on the day, we are on hand to help you ensure your day runs as smoothly as possible.

Contact our events team:
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and please press option 2, then 3.

# SUPPORTING OUR CHARITABLE WORK

Compton Verney is a charity and we rely on income from visitors and venue hire to support our charitable aims. By placing your event with us, you are helping us to maintain our world-class art collections, protect our landscape, provide learning opportunities for young people and commission new exhibitions from living artists.

Thank you for your support.

## The Adam Hall

Named after the Neoclassical architect Robert Adam, whose designs drew inspiration from the classical art of Ancient Greece and Rome, The Adam Hall is a focal point within our Grade I-listed mansion.

With large picture windows, intricate decorations across the ceiling and walls and views across the grounds, The Adam Hall is the perfect location to inspire delegates.

The Adam Hall can be hired as a stand-alone space, or can be used as a central conference room alongside other break-out spaces.

#### Capacity



Standing

reception

150





Seated theatre 120



Seated banqueting **120** 



Seated cabaret **80** 

#### Floorplan



- Projector and screen
- Lectern
- PA System
- Wi-Fi
- Electricity
- Flipchart







## The Old Servants Hall

The Old Servants Hall is a modern and versatile room with an original fireplace and high ceiling. Conveniently situated next to the gallery's main entrance, this room is fitted with a wall-mounted TV for presentations and virtual meetings.

The Old Servants Hall is a private meeting space, perfect for meetings and team away days. The room can be hired on a standalone basis or can act as a catering space, breakout space, or evening bar area when hiring the Adam Hall.

#### Capacity









Seated

cabaret

32



Standing reception **60** 

Seated theatre **50** 

Seated banqueting **40** 

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Seated boardroom **20** 

#### Floorplan



- TV screen
- Lectern
- Flipchart
- Electricity
- Wi-Fi













## The Wellingtonia Gallery

The Wellingtonia Gallery is a multi-purpose space, located at the entrance of the mansion house.

The space is light, airy, and has excellent views over the lawns and fields of Compton Verney's 120-acre site.

This space is perfect for small meetings and team away days, or can be added onto the hire of the Old Servant's Hall as a breakout or catering space.

#### Capacity









Seated

cabaret

16



Standing reception **25** 

Seated theatre **25** 

Seated banqueting **20** 

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Seated boardroom **12** 

#### Floorplan



6.5m x 5.4m

- Projector and screen
- Flipchart
- Electricity
- Wi-Fi











## The Women's Library

The Women's Library is one of the few parts of Compton Verney to have survived virtually intact from the nineteenth century, retaining its original features, including three corner bookcases.

The Women's Library stands today as a space for reflection and discovery, and is the perfect location for intimate meetings, such as board or strategy meetings.

#### Capacity









Standing reception **20** 

Seated theatre **16** 

Seated banqueting **15** 

Seated boardroom **10** 

#### Floorplan



#### Includes use of:

- Projector and screen
- Electricity
- Wi-Fi

"The team at Compton Verney couldn't have been more helpful - A great day in a beautiful and inspirational setting."

Steve Haworth, Head of Ticketing and Retail, Royal Shakespeare Company





### The Galleries

Compton Verney is home to six permanent collection spaces and two temporary exhibition spaces. Groups visiting Compton Verney for a meeting or event during our opening hours will be able to explore all of these at their leisure.

The Naples Gallery, located on the ground floor, boasts one of the richest collections of 17th and 18th century Neapolitan art in the world, and immerses visitors with the smells, sounds, sights, tastes and sensations of visiting the vibrant Italian city.

You can choose to host a drinks reception in the Naples Gallery, before moving into the Adam Hall for an evening meal, or you can even host exclusive dining experiences to wow your guests and clients.

#### Capacity







Seated banqueting 40



#### Floorplan



- PA system
- Electricity
- Wi-Fi































## Corporate Partnerships, Opportunities and Benefits

Compton Verney understand the power of collaboration and we can work with you to offer bespoke partnership packages, tailored to the needs of your organisation.

Our unique site and creative programme offer amazing opportunities for corporate partners including event invitations, networking opportunities, corporate volunteering, discounted venue hire and growing brand recognition and visibility across our audiences that include:

125,000 annual visitors

26,000 mailing list subscribers

10,000 loyal members

Over 40,000 social media followers



Partnership support can also be publicly acknowledged across both our site and our print marketing, distributed throughout the region.

Compton Verney is a charity committed to connecting people with art, nature and creativity and to removing the barriers that prevent this. Partnering with us not only aligns your brand with one of the UK's most respected art venues but also demonstrates your support for art, culture and learning and for the communities that we share.

For more information about our corporate partnership packages, please contact the Development Team:

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## FOOD & DRINK

We have a range of refreshments and catering packages for your event.

Our in-house catering team can provide a menu with fresh, seasonal and locally-sourced food perfect for your event. We champion Warwickshire suppliers, including Monsoon Estates, Wests Bakery, and Pinwheel Patisserie.

"Fabulous venue, lovely food, and great support throughout. We were so impressed."

Ethical Food Company

## WE ALSO WORK WITH FANTASTIC CATERING PARTNERS

Anthony's Catering, Cotswold Fine Dining, Shakespeare Kitchen and Chana Catering, as well as expert mixologists and bar suppliers Sip 'n' Swig.







### **FAQs**

## What is included in the venue hire fee?

The venue hire fee includes exclusive use of the agreed event space(s), parking for event attendees and access to Compton Verney's galleries, exhibitions and grounds. The fee also includes AV and furniture set up as standard. Depending on the scale of the hire, the fee also includes a dedicated Event Manager or Team to support on the day, security and cleaning.

#### Can we use our own suppliers?

As a Grade I-listed building with priceless artworks on display, we require our clients to use our dedicated in-house catering team, or we ask them to choose from our list of exclusive catering partners. We can also make recommendations for venue stylists, florists and entertainment. Any external suppliers must supply up-to-date and adequate Public Liability Insurance, PAT Testing Certificates, and Risk Assessments.

## Are there conservation regulations for spaces?

Our Galleries are full of original artworks, and so there are conservation rules in place, depending on the style of event. Seated dinners in the galleries can be serviced with a full range of drinks, while drinks reception in the galleries must be pale drinks and canapes only. Real flowers are not permitted in the galleries; dried or artificial alternatives are welcome. No candles can be lit in the mansion house. The fabrication of the venue and its fixtures cannot be damaged, moved or relocated in any way.

## What are your standard hire times?

The standard hire period for day-time meetings is from 9am to 5pm. The evening hire period is 6pm to 11:30pm. Alternative event timings and access times for suppliers can be advised on a case-by-case basis. The site is open to the public Tuesday - Sunday 10am-5pm.

## What support can we expect on the day?

Our Venue Hire Team can assist with planning the elements of your event. Depending on the scale of your event, you will be supported on the day of your event by a dedicated Event Manager, and our on-site Facilities Team are also available during opening hours

## What is access like across your site and hireable spaces?

We have 12 Blue Badge parking bays in the car park, and the footpaths throughout the park are wheelchair friendly with a few slight inclines. There is also an accessible shuttle bus which runs during opening hours. The entrance to the Gallery is ramped and there are level floors throughout the ground floor to each hireable space. Accessible toilets can also be located in the Welcome Centre and the ground floor.

### **How to Find Us**

#### Compton Verney, Warwickshire, CV35 9HZ

We are located on the B4086 between Wellesbourne and Kineton.

#### By Car

From the M40 take Junction 12 or Junction 15 and follow the brown signs.

Our location on What3Words is **precluded.shunted.likewise** 

#### **Parking & Coach Arrivals**

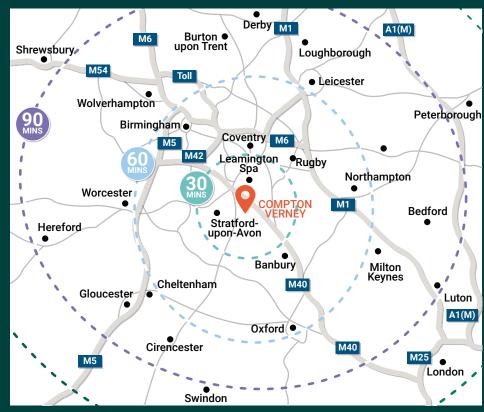
If your party is arriving in individual cars, there is a car park with ample disabled parking for Blue Badge holders, and two electric charging points. We have a coach drop off space available, as well as parking on site\*. 'subject to availability

#### By Train

The nearest train stations are Leamington Spa, Stratford-Upon-Avon, Warwick Parkway and Banbury.

#### **Accessibility**

Our galleries are 580m from our car park, there is a fully accessible shuttle bus that can take you. Large print guides, portable seating and hearing loops are available, and assistance dogs are welcome. Please let us know in advance if anyone in your group has mobility or access requirements. All hireable spaces are on the ground floor.



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