

# Wedding Timeline for 5pm Ceremony

**Date:** July 22, 2026

## Timeline

### **12:00 – 14:00 Hair and Makeup Prep**

The bridal party gathers for hair styling, makeup application, and relaxed pre-wedding celebrations. Refreshments and light bites will be served throughout the session.

*Location: Bridal Suite at Oakridge Manor*

### **14:00 – 14:30 Getting Dressed and Final Touches**

The bride and groom put on their attire in their respective suites. Photographers capture detail shots of accessories, suit jackets, and gown fittings.

*Location: Bridal and Groom Suites*

### **14:45 – 15:30 First Look and Couple Portraits**

The couple meets privately for their first look moment, followed by romantic portrait photography across the scenic estate grounds.

*Location: Oakridge Manor Gardens*

### **15:30 – 16:15 Bridal Party and Family Photos**

Formal group photos with the entire wedding party and immediate family members prior to the ceremony.

*Location: Courtyard Rose Garden*

### **16:30 – 17:00 Guest Arrival and Seating**

Guests arrive, sign the guestbook, and are escorted to their seats as live prelude music plays on the lawn.

*Location: Outdoor Chapel Lawn*

### **17:00 – 17:30 Wedding Ceremony**

The couple exchanges vows and rings in an outdoor ceremony surrounded by family and friends.

*Location: Outdoor Chapel Lawn*

### **17:30 – 18:30 Sunset Cocktail Hour**

Guests enjoy signature cocktails, passed hors d'oeuvres, and golden hour views while the newlyweds take final golden-hour photos.

*Location: Sunset Terrace*

### **18:30 – 20:00 Grand Entrance and Reception Dinner**

Guests transition into the main ballroom for the grand entrance of the newlyweds, followed by a plated dinner service.

*Location: Grand Ballroom*

**20:00 – 20:30    Wedding Speeches and Toasts**

Heartfelt toasts given by the Maid of Honor, Best Man, and parents of the couple as champagne is poured.

*Location: Grand Ballroom*

**20:30 – 21:30    First Dance and Open Dancing**

The newlyweds take the floor for their first dance, opening up the dance floor for all guests to celebrate.

*Location: Ballroom Dance Floor*

**21:30 – 21:50    Cake Cutting and Dessert**

The couple officially cuts the wedding cake, followed by dessert service and a nightcap bar for guests.

*Location: Grand Ballroom*

**22:00 – 22:15    Grand Sparkler Send-Off**

Guests line up outside with sparklers to cheer on the newlyweds as they make their official exit from the venue.

*Location: Main Entrance Promenade*