# **BLOEDEL CONSERVATORY**

## 2025 Weddings & Rentals

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### THANK YOU

Thank you for considering Bloedel Conservatory for your upcoming special event!

The Bloedel Conservatory is a lush domed paradise, located in Queen Elizabeth Park atop the City of Vancouver's highest point. This picturesque venue offers a stunning backdrop for any occasion with over 500 tropical plants, exotic birds, and koi fish that thrive in our climate-controlled environment that feels like summer all year round.

# BOOKING TIMES + FACILITY OVERVIEW





### **AVAILABLE TIMES**

January, February November & December	7:45am-9:45am or 4:15pm-6:15pm
March & April	7:45am-9:45am or 6:15pm-8:15pm
May to Labour Day (September 1)	7:45am-9:45am or 7:15pm-9:15pm
September 2 to October 31	7:45am-9:45am or 5:15pm-7:15pm
<ul> <li>Morning bookings are a maximum of 2 hours</li> <li>Evening bookings may be extended for an additional fee, with the latest exit time of 10pm</li> </ul>	

#### **RENTAL BOOKING TIMES**

Ceremonies, photo shoots, marriage proposals and other events, can only be held before or after public Conservatory hours. Booking times vary throughout the year depending on Conservatory hours at the time of your booking.

Photography

### **FACILITY OVERVIEW**

Bloedel Conservatory is a domed shaped building that homes unique, exotic birds in a lush tropical surrounding. It is a climate-controlled environment that feels like summer all year round.

This picturesque setting is wheelchair accessible. Pay parking is available throughout Queen Elizabeth Park and is operated by Easy Park. Seasons in the Park Restaurant is also a short walk away adjacent to the lookout point near our main entrance.

# RENTAL INFO + EVENT CAPACITY



### WEDDING CEREMONY, FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHY AND EVENT FEES

Rental Fee	Includes
\$1,025 + GST	<ul> <li>2 hours of exclusive use of the Conservatory (outside of regular operating hours)</li> <li>Liaison staff for 2 hours</li> <li>Admission for up to 50 people is included in the rental. Please note that this number includes any vendors (officiant, photographer, etc.) staying on-site for the event</li> <li>Signing table &amp; a chair are available upon request</li> <li>Power outlets are available</li> </ul>

#### Additional Fees / Details

- A \$160+GST last-minute booking fee applies for events that provide less than 2-weeks notice
- Entandem fee required if live or pre-recorded music is played. This is a music royalty tariff for all rentals with music; pricing to be determined dependent on rental group size, type of music, activity; with/without dancing
- Evening bookings may be extended for an additional rental fee of \$290/hour+GST, with latest exit time of 10pm
- A 1-hour wedding rehearsal can be booked in advance, before or after Conservatory hours, depending on availability, with an additional booking fee of \$290+GST

### **EVENT CAPACITY + ADMISSION**

The designated ceremony space within the Conservatory can accommodate a maximum of 50 people.

Separate rates apply for commercial special events (such as concerts, live streaming, public events), commercial photography and filming. Please inquire for additional details. The Conservatory can accommodate special events up to a maximum of 150 people.

Morning bookings are a maximum of 2 hours. No food and/or beverage permitted.

2026 Bookings - The 2025 rates can be retained if full payment is received by December 5, 2025.

### **ADDITIONAL RENTAL DETAILS**

**Booking Confirmation** - A minimum of two weeks advance booking is required. A reservation fee of \$350 is required to confirm a booking. Pleasenote that this amount is non-refundable in the event of a cancellation. Full payment is due 2 months in advance of the scheduled booking and no refunds are provided for events cancelled within 60 days of the scheduled booking.

**Guest Admissions** - Admission for up to 50 people is included in your rental. A guest list and vendor contact information is required at least 15 business days prior to the event.

**Site Amenities** - This picturesque setting is wheelchair accessible. Pay parking is available throughout Queen Elizabeth Park and is operated by EasyPark. Seasons in the Park Restaurant is also a short walk away, adjacent to the lookout point near the main entrance.

**Staffing** - Depending on the logistics and size of the event, additional liaison staffing fees of \$50/hour+GST (minimum 4-hour call out) or Security fees of \$40/hour+GST (minimum 4-hour call out) may be required.

**Drone / Smoking / Animal Policy** - Please note that drone photography/videography is not permitted on site. Please ensure that your photographer is aware prior to your event. No smoking or vaping permitted on or near the premises. Pets are not permitted. Working guide and service dogs are welcome

**Liability Insurance** - All events require liability insurance with the "City of Vancouver and its Board of Parks & Recreation" named as additional insured. \$2 million in liability coverage is required. The certificate is due a minimum of 15 businessdays prior to the event.

**Food/Beverage** - Food/beverage/catering is not permitted. Should you be interested in hosting a reception event, please contact us for more details regarding our other facility in the Park, the Celebration Pavilion.

**Decor / Set Up & Take Down / Garbage** - Please note that renters are responsible for set up and take down within their booking time frame, and all items must be delivered/picked up within the rental time; nothing can be dropped off early or left overnight. The use of candles, fireworks, mist, fog or foam machines, sparklers, SPFX, confetti, glitter, real or artificial floral petals, rice, balloons, or bubbles are not permitted inside or outside the Conservatory.

The facility is a standing room only. If needed, you are permitted to bring in a maximum of 10 chairs, however, 1.52 meters (5ft) is required to allow for a safe walkway in case of emergencies.

Garbage is to be taken to the garbage bins located outside of the building.

**Music /Entandem Fee** - An Entandem fee is required if live or pre-recorded music is played. This is a music royalty tariff for all rentals with music; pricing to be determined dependent on rental group size, type of music, activity; with/without dancing. For the safety of the birds, amplified music cannot exceed 45 decibels within the Conservatory. A sound system is available for use upon request.

**Photography** - Photography can only take place along the paved pathways. It is strictly prohibited to enter plant beds or enter the areas of the perched birds or to handle the birds in any way. Due to low lighting in the evening, we highly recommend photography with lighting. However, photography with strobe or strong flashing lights are not permitted as it is harmful to the birds.

**Wi-Fi** - The facility has free Wi-Fi accessibility, however as it is a public network, there is no guarantee that the signal will be strong enough for video conferencing style events. It can be accessed on the VanWiFi network and no password is required.







### **ONLINE GALLERY + CONTACT INFO**

Thank you for taking the time to review our brochure. Should you have additional questions, wish to check availablity, or like to confirm a date, please send us an email.

We look forward to working with you!

Click the green button or visit the website below to view our online gallery.

Bloedel Online Gallery

bit.ly/BloedelRentalPhotos

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