



Wedding Ceremony and or Reception Rental Information

The Birmingham Museum of Art is one of the largest municipal museums in the Southeast. The outstanding permanent collection contains over 25,000 works of art dating from ancient to modern times. In addition to a variety of indoor areas, the Charles W. Ireland Sculpture Garden and Red Mountain Garden Club Memorial Garden provide a beautiful outdoor atmosphere that is considered a work of art themselves.

Hours of Availability

- Weddings are limited to the Oscar's Café, 8th Avenue Lobby, The Charles Ireland Sculpture Garden, and The Red Mountain Garden Club Memorial Garden after closing to the public at 5:00pm.
- Weddings may begin after 5:00pm Saturdays or Sundays only.
- Setup for weddings may begin at 10:00am on the day of the event; earlier setup must be approved by the Special Events department.

Contribution, Maximum Capacities and Overhead Fees

- The contribution for a wedding ceremony and reception is **\$6,000.00**. The contribution for a wedding reception only is **\$5,000.00**. A portion of the contribution is tax deductible. The tax-deductible amount is determined by subtracting the regular rates of event spaces from the contribution fee. Rates apply as follows:

Oscar's Café	\$700.00 <i>250 Seated Ceremony</i> <i>200-225 Seated Dinner</i> <i>500 Reception</i>
8th Avenue Lobby	\$500.00 <i>64-81 Seated Dinner</i> <i>100-150 Reception</i>
Red Mountain Garden	\$700.00 <i>25 or less Seated Ceremony</i> <i>200 Reception</i>
Charles Ireland Sculpture (Includes Upper Plaza & Red Mountain Garden)	\$1,000.00 <i>1000 Reception- Upper Plaza</i> <i>300 Seated Dinner-Upper Plaza</i>

- * Regular space rental rates above apply to rehearsal dinners, bridal showers and teas.
- Overhead fee for after-hours security and maintenance is **\$400.00 per hour**, charged prior to 9:00am for building access and beginning at 5:00pm the day of the event. These charges accrue up to the time that guests and outside vendors have departed and Museum staff has secured the building. ****Rate for entire Museum to be open with 500 guests or more is \$500.00 per hour.** Go to www.artsbma.org or call 205-254-2681 for more information.