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THE ABBINGTON

At The Abbington, we believe in making your dreams come true. That's why we go out of our way to make sure your special day is magnificent.

Take one look at our impressive architecture and stunning surroundings and you will see why we've been named "The Jewel of the Western Suburbs." Add that to our finely appointed ballrooms, full service staff and world class cuisine and you'll find yourself in a celebration that is sure to be the portrait of perfection!

Our staff dressed in black tie attire, greets you at our entrance in our spacious and elegant foyer, then escorts you to your ballroom. Right before your very eyes, we open the doors, and you experience our ambiance: beautiful table settings, white glove service, dazzling chandeliers, marble bars, gleaming maple wood dance-floors, flowing full-length linens, and culinary masterpieces soon to be enjoyed by your guests.

Your Event. Our Unparalleled Service.

Abbington Banquets has been celebrating great weddings from 100 to 1300 guests in their new and contemporary facility since 1997. Brides choose Abbington for their world-class level gourmet cuisine with a full-service staff at their side. Abbington events feature dining in a dazzling atmosphere under chandeliers with polished marble bars and served by black-tie butlers. The cuisine is a culinary showcase featuring the most spectacular desserts and

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BLACKBERRY FARM

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a rustic touch



THE BARN AT BLACKBERRY FARM

The Blackberry Farm wedding team is excited to create an experience which delivers a lifetime of memories for you and your guests. Our one-of-a-kind setting features country elegance and personalized service that caters to your needs – all at a value that can't be matched.

Planning the big day is a piece of cake. We'll remove any stress, answer all your questions, and anticipate and communicate every detail in advance of your event.

Our space is flexible and beautifully appointed, featuring rustic touches and country charm amidst Blackberry Farm's historic backdrop. With a convenient location and ample parking, The Barn at Blackberry Farm is the perfect showcase for your big day.

As you browse information regarding your wedding, please note that ALL packages include table and chairs at no extra cost. We hope to extend every hospitality to you along your decision-making process and are here to answer any questions or schedule a tour at your request.

SPECIAL FEATURES

Picturesque locations throughout Blackberry Farm, Outdoor ceremony options, Whiskey Barrel cocktail tables, Rustic bar, Outdoor patio and lawn space.



Oak Brook

Bath & Tennis Club



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YOUR DAY OF RUSTIC ROMANCE AWAITS YOU.

Join us at the award-winning Oak Brook Bath & Tennis Club, a newly renovated venue with three elegant spaces and large patio. Its floor-to-ceiling windows reveal acres of breathtaking pastures and woodlands. A private, intimate experience in a convenient location in the Chicago suburbs.

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Oak Brook Bath & Tennis Club
800 Oak Brook Rd, Oak Brook, IL

wooded elegance



OAK BROOK BATH & TENNIS CLUB

Featuring 20 gorgeous acres of natural woodlands and outdoor elegance, the venue encompasses our extraordinary clubhouse with 35-foot vaulted ceilings and floor-to-ceiling windows that amplify the aura of sophistication and nature.

For over 40 years, the Oak Brook Bath & Tennis Club has been hosting weddings, bridal showers, meetings, holiday parties and other special events.

The venue is unique meeting today's trends and popular requests by couples. Featuring floor-to-ceiling windows, nature-inspired décor including accent pieces and floral arrangements, and other decorative elements including rain barrels and repurposed or reclaimed wood are desirable features.

The beautiful and scenic grounds on the venue provide for great photo opportunities and couples love having a signature drink along with a late night snack! Fun and festive dessert stations including donut walls, cake pops, and candy stations are also trending, along with having photo booth to capture fun memories all night long.

Every year, for the past 4 consecutive years, the Oak Brook Bath & Tennis Club has received, The Knot's "Best of Weddings" award and Wedding Wires "Couples Choice" award. with many awards received already this year. Schedule a tour today!

Oak Brook
Bath & Tennis Club



Distinct venues for your perfect celebration

Bridal Showers • Rehearsal Dinners • Ceremonies • Receptions



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Baker Community Center
101 S. Second Street
St. Charles, IL 60174
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beautiful views



HICKORY KNOLLS DISCOVERY CENTER

For 10+ years, Hickory Knolls Discovery Center has enjoyed a growing reputation as a unique venue for all types of large gatherings. Nestled at the edge of 130 acres of oak woodlands, wetlands and prairies, Hickory Knolls offers a unique blend of rustic nature and contemporary comforts. The LEED-certified building features beautiful views and an open floor plan with an abundance of rental space.

Its convenient location, just minutes from historic downtown St. Charles and the busy Randall Road/ Geneva Commons shopping corridors, belies the utter tranquility of its natural woodland setting within the James O. Breen Community Park at the corner of Peck and Campton Hills Roads. Floor-to-ceiling windows provide a cathedral-like backdrop with amazing views during every season.

As such, the center is an ideal location for special events. Area couples have taken their vows and celebrated their marriage within the center's warm and inviting Twinleaf Rooms and Gloria Klimek Exhibition Hall. And just as newlyweds start off their life together with a wedding reception at the Center, long-married couples also choose to celebrate their milestone anniversaries with a family-and-friends party. Corporate meeting planners appreciate having an off-site facility to conduct in-depth training sessions or other business-oriented programming.

HICKORY KNOLLS
Discovery
CENTER



from scratch



SWEET TEMPTATIONS DESSERT CO.

At Sweet Temptations Dessert Co. we are truly a team of professionals making your creative cravings come to life! Dedicated to the art of "made from scratch" baking and making the best-tasting desserts made with only the finest and freshest ingredients - like Belgian chocolate, strawberries and passion fruit. As far as we are concerned, there just is no other way to craft the "most excellent" sweets.

Our local bakery brings an experience like no other to couples on their wedding day, relieving stress along the way by offering free cake tastings and consultations, delivery and set-up service and a preferred vendor list, if needed.

Following today's trends, many couples are selecting sweet tables, along with embellishments that are more personalized to the couple. Custom requests have also been on the rise- from cookies and cakes, to pies, cheesecakes, and even donut walls.

One of our most memorable experiences is a cake that our talented bakery team made for a customer in celebration of what might be her mom's last birthday. Truly, so very touching.

At Sweet Temptations Dessert Co., it's all about creating a pleasurable and memorable experience for our clients.



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a from-scratch bakery