

## **All the Glamour, Quarter the Price** ***Mid-Week Weddings at The Great Barn idea for stylish brides on a budget***

**5th October 2011** In direct response to requests from brides seeking spectacular venues but who might not have a spectacular budget, [The Great Barn](#), Devon's best kept wedding venue secret, has created a mid-week pricing structure for wedding parties looking to host a stand out wedding but at a fraction of the cost.

Brides can now have a dream wedding with world class catering, service, lighting and flowers without a nightmare price tag as mid-week weddings start from just £850.

“Mid week weddings are becoming increasingly popular as couples realise they can save money opting out of the more expensive weekend weddings and instead spend their savings on their honeymoon or towards their new home together “ comments Emma Birkin.

“Our mid week weddings allows couples to have their ceremony in a breathtaking building, followed by photographs and a drinks reception in the walled garden if they would like one. They are then free to choose where they want their celebrations to continue. The joy of The Great Barn is that our brides and grooms can create their own unique day in this very special space, and now they can do so at a great value price.”

The ancient Great Barn, which was restored six years ago by John and Emma Birkin, is the perfect location for couples looking for an unusual wedding venue set in idyllic surroundings. The secluded reception venue is ideal for small and large groups, and the styling throughout is sleek, contemporary and the epitome of good taste.

It is set within the grounds of the Birkin's family estate where guests can also make use of additional reception rooms, a beautifully decorated cottage which sleeps four, mature walled gardens and a spectacular courtyard. Nearby there are a host of

wonderful hotels, self catering properties and Inns, perfect for groups wanting to make the big day last a little longer.

**Mid-week Wedding Package: Costs start at £850 ex VAT (barn hire only)**

*Price includes:*

- Exclusive access to the Great Barn on Tue or Wed (including 2-6pm on day before wedding) for wedding and drinks reception only
- Use of the Barn, private walled gardens for photographs and reception drinks
- Professional catering kitchen from 9am-5pm on the wedding day (for canapé drinks reception)
- No corkage
- Access to the “Birkin Brides Bible” – Emma Birkin’s personal recommendations on the best wedding suppliers in the SW
- Guidance and advice, by Sir John and Lady Birkin, throughout the planning of your wedding, personal attention throughout the prep day including lighting design and discreet management of your day
- For £1.50 per head, the Great Barn will provide glasses, tables and table cloths for a drinks reception

For other prices, see [here](#)

**ENDS**

**For more information, please contact:**

**Sophy Norris, Flagship Consulting SW, 01392 426 287**

**We can provide high-rez versions of the embedded, and more, images. To see more check out [www.thegreatbarndevon.co.uk](http://www.thegreatbarndevon.co.uk)**