

Bradenton Area Bride

Bradenton, Anna Maria Island, Longboat Key, Lakewood Ranch

Your guide to:

- The Wedding Location That's You
- Original and Romantic Receptions
- Your Destination Wedding Made Easy
- Local Venues, Vendors and More

Congratulations!

Now that you've made life's big decision, you suddenly find yourself faced with thousands more: What you'll wear. Who you'll invite. When it will be.

Here's the solution to one of your biggest decisions – where.

Whether you're looking for a location for the perfect ceremony, the ideal reception or a storybook honeymoon, the Bradenton/Anna Maria Island/Longboat Key area is the destination of your dreams. From intimate chapels to island beach ceremonies; from historic estates to vows among the vineyards; this may be Florida's broadest and most inspiring offering of wedding venues. And when you're deciding where to make your grand entrance, have your first dance and enjoy the toasts; you'll find the selection of reception settings absolutely ideal.

And then it gets even better.

Long one of Florida's best vacation destinations, the area makes the perfect honeymoon location. So perfect, that while you're here you'll be planning to return on your first anniversary. So, relax. Exhale. From the perfect day to the ultimate romantic escape, you've just solved "where."

Wedding & Reception Venues

From ceremony to celebration, from simple to simply spectacular.

Toes in the sand and clutching your bouquet, you're about to take the biggest step of your life. A warm, soft breeze blows from the Gulf as the tropical sun gently caresses your face. Moments after a simple, "I do," you begin dancing the night away against a brilliant sunset. The moment couldn't be more perfect. Nor the location.

Whether you walk down the aisle on an island beach, hold a stunning reception at a historic mansion overlooking Sarasota Bay, exchange vows in a nature preserve, or hold a posh reception in the elegance of one of Florida's most prestigious country clubs, you'll be thrilled by the area's exciting array of choices for your wedding and reception. You'll find that area venues and facilities easily accommodate both your ceremony and reception, making it easy for you to plan as well as offering convenience on your big day. And there's one more big bonus for you – most venues provide experienced coordination and planning.

The area is a favorite destination for the ultimate beach wedding. And once you discover it for yourself, you'll find it's no surprise. Near-perfect year-round weather, some of the most beautiful beaches in the country, and an array of local venues and event planners make it easy for your dream of an island beach wedding to come true. And right after the vows, you can hold your reception just steps away.

Looking for local help? Someone who can provide advice or point you in the right direction? From expert event planners experienced in lavish celebrations to a simple last-minute alteration, the area is filled with experienced, trusted professionals able to help and ready to make it all easy.

Need help in planning or advice about the area?

*Call the Bradenton Area Convention & Visitors Bureau at:
(941) 729-9177*

Which Venue is You?

Ambiance of a Bygone Era

There's something romantic about the past, and several of the area's historic venues make the perfect location. From the Powel Crosley Estate, to Roser Memorial Church on Anna Maria Island, to Heritage Chapel at Palmetto Historical Park, the area is filled with options.

Toes in the Sand

If walking down the aisle on a breathtaking beach is your dream, here's where you can easily make it happen. Anna Maria Island and its sister isle, Longboat Key, offer miles of uninterrupted shoreline, providing a shimmering backdrop of powder-white sand and turquoise water.

Offbeat & Romantic

Hoping for a location as unique as your own personality? Something your guests will push viral in seconds? From rustic beach-side cottages, to a historic southern plantation, to an elegant waterfront estate, the area offers several innovative locations guaranteed to make lasting memories.

Elegant & Organized

When every detail has to be perfect and you're looking to impress beyond compare, several area locations rise to the occasion. The area offers a superb collection of hotels and resorts, posh country clubs and dedicated event facilities offering elegance, style and true sophistication.

From the Extraordinary to Out-of-the-Ordinary

The area offers a variety of houses of worship, hotels, resorts and event facilities that ensure your event goes off without a hitch. But it also offers a broad array of unusual and dramatic locations for your vows and celebration. Here's just a small sample:

Powel Crosley Estate

Rising majestically on 17 acres on sparkling Sarasota Bay, this two-story 1929 Mediterranean-revival mansion on the national register of historic places offers an unprecedented setting for 50 to 250.

Love Blossoms among the Orange Groves

Area citrus producer, Mixon Fruit Farms, offers four separate, unique facilities on their lush, tropical grounds for the perfect Florida setting. From intimate gazebos, garden pond locations, to a full reception hall and more for parties up to 200.

A True Southern Charmer

The only surviving antebellum mansion in South Florida, the historic Gamble Plantation offers a backdrop right out of *Gone With The Wind*. Ceremonies take place on the porch or under the gazebo just outside the mansion. The plantation's picnic pavilion also turns into a dance floor for that sunset wedding waltz.

The Ambiance of Spanish Colonial Florida

The Bishop Museum of Science and Nature's replica 16th century chapel and dramatic architecture of its adjacent, open-air Spanish Plaza offer a setting of picturesque columns and arches, ornate wrought-iron gates, chandeliers and lamp posts, and a beautiful fountain with an equestrian statue of Hernando de Soto.

Take your Vows among the Vines

What could be more intoxicating than your wedding and reception at one of the area's vineyards and wineries? An eco-friendly, environmentally sensitive venue can be found at the area's Bunker Hill winery, while Fiorelli Winery lends an Italian touch with a pavilion that hosts up to 150.

Roser Memorial Community Church

Built in 1913, Anna Maria Island's first house of worship, Roser provides a formal church wedding location and a rich history among the island's casual, beachside charm. The church was built by one of the area's original settlers and the inventor of the Fig Newton, Charles Roser, in memory of his mother.

Intimate and Historic Heritage Chapel

Step back in time to the quaint charms of Palmetto's historic Heritage Chapel, a composite of the town's original three churches, which were all located within one block of the site. Located within Palmetto Historic Park, the setting offers seating for up to 150.

Walk the Aisle on an Isle

Anna Maria Island's Sandbar Restaurant is one of many island venues offering all you need for the perfect toes-in-sand, heads-in-the-clouds experience. White-sand beach and gorgeous sunsets provide the backdrop for your covered or open-air ceremony. From weddings to receptions, the Sandbar makes it easy.

Bakers Ranch

Nestled amid the majestic oaks of Parrish, Florida, rests a beautiful retreat brimming with rustic elegance and inspired by 16th century Tudor-style architecture. Its elegant simplicity and country charm allows for a wide variety of stylized wedding ceremonies and wedding reception backdrops.

All The Area Help You Need.

The Bradenton/Anna Maria Island/Longboat Key area makes the perfect location for your wedding, reception or honeymoon. And if you need area advice, local knowledge and guidance, there's no better place to start than the Bradenton Area Convention & Visitors Bureau.

The Bureau can answer questions and point the way to all the area's expert planners, coordinators, venues, vendors and more.

Contact the Bureau at:

(941) 729-9177

Weddings@BACVB.com

BradentonGulfIslands.com/Weddings

From Romantic Nights to Fun-Filled Days

No wonder this is one of Florida's top honeymoon destinations.

The two of you relax in the warmth of the hot tub and let the moment overtake you. Staring up into the night sky through the palm trees, you're amazed by a dazzling starlit display, and just how stress free you've become. Just the two of you. Alone. At last. And your honeymoon couldn't be more perfect.

Welcome to the perfect spot to snuggle in your honeymoon hideaway, absorb the quiet bliss of a magnificent island sunset, or enjoy a candlelit table-for-two.

Florida is always listed as one of the top honeymoon destinations in the United States, as well as the world. And you'll quickly find that the Bradenton/Anna Maria Island/Longboat Key area offers romance, privacy, great food, miles of gorgeous island beaches, and all the day and nighttime fun you'd hope for.

When it comes to accommodations, the choices are almost endless. Choose from quaint, little havens to luxury suites, all catering to true post-nuptial bliss. Dine in romantic, intimate restaurants and cafés, many with the highest ratings in the country. Your days and nights will be filled with the type of fun only one of Florida's favorite vacation destinations can offer.

Now that the spark has grown to full flame, this is the spot to enjoy the sizzle.

Honeymoon Accommodations

From cute, beach-side cottages to intimate B&Bs, from historic inns to spacious luxury resorts and much more, the Bradenton/Anna Maria Island/Longboat Key area may offer one of the broadest and most exciting selections of honeymoon accommodations in all of Florida. So, whether you want the complete honeymoon package, or to just be left alone, it's easy to find the perfect place to rest and nest.

What Makes the Perfect Honeymoon Hideaway?

Beach-side Bliss

From quaint to quality, hundreds of private cottages, homes and condos are available for home-away-from-home repose.

Romantic B&B's and Inns

Intimate Inns and Bed & Breakfasts such as the area's Palmetto Riverside and the Harrington House cater to your every whim, combining romance and historic charm.

Your Favorite National Chains

Sometimes it's comfortable staying with those you know. The area offers plenty of your favorite national chains, in a range of budgets such as Hilton, Marriott, Holiday Inn, Hampton and more.

Love in Lavish Luxury

If only true, bliss-filled luxury will do, here's coastal chic at its best. High ceilings. Ocean views. Marble countertops. Restored 98-year-old pine floors. All the appointments to make your honeymoon memorable.

Ready to pick?

Browse the area's complete list online and book direct at BradentonGulfIslands.com/terms/where-to-stay. Need a block of rooms? We can help. Call (941) 729-9177 or email Weddings@BACVB.com

Honeymoon Romance

Whether a honeymoon or simple romantic getaway, the Bradenton/Anna Maria Island/Longboat Key area entices you with moments that will linger forever – long walks on the beach at sunset, candlelight and white linen dinner, a quiet stroll alone through a nature preserve or just the two of you out on the town. Sometimes you make the moment; sometimes the moment just finds you. Either way, you'll find it here.

Bliss-Filled Moments Await.

Riding Horseback at the Waters' Edge

It's everyone's fantasy, but rarely available anywhere. This is one of the few places in the country where that magic moment occurs. Ride into the sunset along the shores of Palma Sola Bay, even going deep and experiencing the area's unique "horse surfing."

Melt Into the Moment Together

Whether directly on the beach or in one of the area's zen-perfect spas, a couple's massage lets you both let go to make the perfect moment together. Area spas with expert therapists such as SeaRenity Beach Spa, Spa Northwest and Aluna Wellness know how to make the moment special.

Sunset Cruise

Gentle wind. The rhythm of the waves. Soft island music. Any of the area's sunset cruises offer the perfect opportunity for total relaxation and romantic memories. Area vessels such as the Kathleen D, Yolo Adventures, Windancer and K23 Yacht Charters offer sunset dinners, sleep aboards and more.

Table for Two

The perfect ambiance, lighting, food, wine and suddenly the two of you are in a world all your own. The area is home to several top-rated, nationally recognized restaurants offering fine dining and relaxing sunset views. The area boasts some of America's top chefs with many having served their talents at New York's Beard House, hosted culinary tours, cruises and more.

Honeymoon Fun

Now that you're together, you've got to play together! As one of Florida's favorite vacation destinations, the Bradenton/Anna Maria Island/Longboat Key area comes packed with so much to see, do, experience and explore, you may have trouble getting it all in. That's probably why so many who visit for the first time come back – and soon. So whether you love zipping along an island path on a Segway®, paddleboarding the Gulf of Mexico, swinging through the treetops on a zipline, or just bagging the bargains at the region's top outlet mall, this is your destination for fun! For more fun in the sun, visit BradentonGulfIslands.com/terms/things-to-do

What's Your Idea of Fun?

Zip through the Treetops

Feel the exhilaration as you zipline, swing and glide up to 60 feet in the air. TreeUmph!, one of the country's newest zipline parks, offers 14 acres of epic fun.

Go Full Throttle

Strap in and put the pedal to the metal. Andersen RacePark gets you into real racing on a course used by Indy Car drivers to test their skill. Or feel the thunder at Bradenton Motorsports, offering drag racing, motorcycle racing and more.

See the Sea on a Segway®

Segways® are a blast. But can you imagine flying along on a trail beside a gorgeous beach and brilliant vistas off the Gulf of Mexico? Area outfitters such as Zegway by the Bay and Segs by the Sea make it happen.

Hit the Water

Surrounded by water, our area offers paddleboarding, kayaking, fishing, boating and more. Local outfitters such as AMI Outfitters, AMI Paddleboards, H2O Watersportz, and Tailing Tales Charters make it easy for you to get on the water and soak it all in.

Find Your Five O' Clock

The perfect sunset, local libations, and suddenly you're discovering your inner Jimmy Buffet. From beachside tiki bars to craft microbreweries, the area offers plenty of opportunities to enter a tropical state of mind. Terrific Tikis can be found at the Kokonut Hut in Bradenton Beach. For local microbrew action, check out Motorworks Brewery, Darwin's Brewery, 3 Keys Brewing & Eatery and Naughty Monk Brewery.

Live it Like a Local

Feel the simple freedom of renting a beach bike and rolling through an island community together. Stop at a local shop. Break for ice cream. Or check the fishing at the local pier. Or simply hop aboard one of the island area's free trolleys and see the sights.

Give back.

Enjoy the satisfaction of diving into the local community and making a difference. Join any one of the many local charities and sign up for a day to “Give Back.” Help build a home, pack a lunch for the kids, stock the Food Pantry. Manatee County Habitat for Humanity, The Food Bank of Manatee, or Manatee County’s Community Coalition for the Homeless, Turning Points, would be happy for your help.

The Perfect Spot for Your Destination Wedding

You were thinking of eloping. But then it hit you: wouldn't it be a blast to have your friends along too? So, you found it; one of Florida's top vacation destinations, and everyone agreed. Just minutes after you arrive, you're exchanging vows, playing in the sun and making the memories of a lifetime.

Imagine just the two of you exchanging your vows at a barefoot wedding on a tranquil island beach or peaceful Florida vineyard. Maybe you invite a small circle of friends to share the moment with you along with a memorable vacation getaway. Or you could gather enough of your favorite people to turn your wedding into an honest-to-goodness week-long reunion.

Think about it. Chances are that you have out-of-town guests that would have to travel to celebrate with you anyway. Why not help them make the most of the trip by traveling to a vacation destination that they – and you – will remember forever?

The area is serviced by three convenient airports and streamlined interstate highways, so it's easy to get here and easy to get around. Plus, we're very accommodating, with everything from beachfront cottages and charming inns to historic hotels and brand-name resorts. We can even help you reserve blocks of rooms if you want to keep your group together to maximize the fun.

The selection of locales for your wedding ceremony is equally diverse. The area boasts scenic beaches, historic mansions, an antebellum plantation, picturesque chapels and more. In addition, there are comprehensive services – from catering and photographers to florists and coordinators – available to help you every step of the way.

Destination Wedding Tips

Webcam it - Let everyone back home see and hear your moment in paradise together. Area experts can set it up and cover every angle.

Don't forget the gifts - Be sure to show your appreciation to everyone willing to travel to be with you during your special time. A gift, no matter how small, says it all. Maybe pick up a local treasure.

Get a wingwoman - Sure you can try to put together a group travel event yourself. But nothing beats an experienced local who'll be your BFF and help make it easy.

Take a planning trip - What better way to be sure every moment is perfect. A quick trip to the area lets you check out vendors and put your eyes on everything in advance – and it can be a fun mini-vacay!

Keep it legal - Whether you get your marriage license at home or here, remember to get it done. If you're handling it here, you can get ahead of the process online at: ManateeClerk.com/Services

Relax – Choose a destination wedding because of the terrific location and the fun you'll have getting away together. So drop the expectations and plan to go with the flow.

All the Local Help you Need.

Accommodations

You'll find that there's a huge variety of places to stay – whether just the two of you, or a whole group. To see them all in detail, please check our online directory at BradentonGulfIslands.com/terms/where-to-stay.

Note: The Bradenton Area Convention & Visitors Bureau offers extensive tools for online planning, visit the website at: BradentonGulfIslands.com.

Need a block of rooms for the whole group? We can make it easy.

Contact the Bureau at:

BradentonGulfIslands.com/Weddings

Wedding Locations

Hotels/Resorts – Ceremonies on the Beach

Alecassandra Vacation Villas

(941) 725-4302

alecassandra.com

Anna Maria Beach Cottages

(941) 778-1503

annamariabeachcottages.com

Anna Maria Beach Place

(941) 778-1000

cabintocottage.com/about-anna-maria-beach-place

Anna Maria Island Inn*

(941) 778-3053

annamariaislandinn.com

Blue Water Beach Club Resort*

(941) 778-4178

annamaria.com/blue-water-resort

Bridgewalk Resort

(941) 779-2545

silverresorts.com/bridgewalk.aspx

Bungalow Beach Resort*

(941) 778-3600

bungalowbeach.com

Cedar Cove Resort*

(941) 778-1010

cedarcoveresort.com

Courtyard Marriott Bradenton/Sarasota Riverfront*

(888) 731-9096

marriott.com/SRQBD

Harrington House Bed & Breakfast*

(941) 778-5444

harringtonhouse.com

* Waterfront Location

Queen's Gate Resort

(800) 310-7153

queensgateresort.com

Rolling Waves Cottages*

(941) 383-1323

rollingwaves.com

Sato Vacation Rentals

(941) 778-7200

satorealestate.com

Seaside Beach Resort*

(941) 778-5254

annamariaislandresorts.net/seaside-beach-resort

Silver Surf

(941) 778-6626

silverresorts.com/silver-surf.aspx

Tortuga Inn Beach Resort*

(941) 778-6611

annamariaislandresorts.net/tortuga-beach-resort

Tradewinds Resort

(941) 779-0010

annamariaislandresorts.net/tradewinds-beach-resort

Tropic Isle Beach Resort

(941) 778-1237

annamariaislandresorts.net/tropic-isle-beach-resort

Waterline Marina Resort & Beach Club*

(844) 863-9443

waterlinerresort.com

White Sands Beach Resort*

(941) 778-2577

whitesandsbeachresort.com

Zota Beach Resort*

(855) 335-1102

zotabeachresort.com

* Waterfront Location

Restaurants – Ceremonies on the Beach, Bay or River

Beach House Restaurant*

Bradenton Beach

(941) 779-2222

annamariaislandvenues.com

Bradenton Yacht Club*

Palmetto

(941) 722-5936

bradentonyachtclub.com

Pier 22*

Bradenton

(941) 748-8087

pier22dining.com

Riverhouse Waterfront Restaurant*

Palmetto

(941) 729-0616

riverhousefl.com

Sandbar Restaurant*

Anna Maria Island

(941) 778-0444

annamariaislandvenues.com

Seafood Shack Marina, Bar & Grill*

Cortez

(941) 794-1235

seafoodshack.com

* Waterfront Location

Chapel Locations

Heritage Chapel

Heritage Park, Palmetto

(941) 723-4991

palmettohistoricalpark.com/rentals/

Longboat Key Island Chapel

Longboat Key

(941) 383-6491

longboatislandchapel.org

Spanish Chapel at Bishop Museum of Science and Nature, Bradenton

(941) 746-4131

bishopscience.org

Unity Church in the Woods

Bradenton

(941) 758-6489

unitychurchinthewoods.org

Churches

Christ Church of Longboat Key

Longboat Key

(941) 383-8833

christchurchlbk.org

Christian Retreat

Bradenton

(941) 746-2882

christianretreat.org

CrossPointe Fellowship

Anna Maria Island

(941) 778-0719

crosspointefellowship.church

Episcopal Church of Annunciation

Holmes Beach

(941) 778-1638

episcopalchurchoftheannunciation.com

First Baptist Church

Bradenton

(941) 746-2149

firstbradenton.com

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

Holmes Beach

(941) 778-1813

gloriadeilutheran.com

Harvey Memorial Church

Bradenton Beach

(941) 779-1912

Longboat Island Chapel

Longboat Key

(941) 383-6491

longboatislandchapel.org

Palma Sola Presbyterian

Bradenton

(941) 792-3141

pspchurch.org

Roser Memorial Community Church*

Anna Maria Island

(941) 778-0414

roserchurch.com

St. Bernard Catholic Church

Holmes Beach

(941) 778-4769

stbernardcc.com

St. Mary Star of the Sea

Longboat Key

(941) 383-1255

stmarylbk.org

Saints Peter & Paul, the Apostles

Bradenton

(941) 795-1228

sspeterandpaul.org

* Waterfront Location

Synagogue

Temple Beth El

Bradenton

(941) 755-4900

templebethelbradenton.com

State/County/National Parks

De Soto National Memorial Park*

Bradenton

(941) 792-0458

nps.gov/deso

Emerson Point Preserve*

Palmetto

(941) 721-6885 or (941) 742-5923

mymanatee.org

Gamble Plantation

Ellenton

(941) 723-4536

floridastateparks.org/park/gamble-plantation

Jiggs Landing Fish Camp*

Bradenton

(941) 727-4181

mymanatee.org/departments/parks_natural_resources/parks_preserves_beaches/jiggs_landing_preserve

Joan M. Durante Park*

Longboat Key

(941) 316-1988

longboatkey.org

Manatee Village Historical Park

Bradenton

(941) 749-7165

manateevillage.org

* Waterfront Location

Palma Sola Botanical Park

Bradenton
(941) 761-2866
palmasolabp.org

Palmetto Historical Park

Palmetto
(941) 723-4991
palmettohistoricalpark.com

Tom Bennett Park

Bradenton
(941) 742-5923
mymanatee.org/departments/parks_natural_resources/parks_preserves_beaches/bennett_park

More Area Parks

Manatee County offers over 50 beautiful parks, many with pavilions and rentable facilities that make the perfect venue. For a complete list of area parks, visit mymanatee.org, or call: (941)742-5923

Other Unique Venues**Bakers Ranch**

Parrish
(941) 776-1460
bakersranch.com

Bishop Museum of Science and Nature

Bradenton
(941) 746-4131
bishopscience.org

Bunker Hill Vineyard & Winery

(941) 776-0418
bunkerhillvineyard.com

Bradenton Area Convention Center

Palmetto
(941) 729-9177
bradentongulfislands.com/bradenton-area-convention-center/

Fiorelli Winery

Bradenton
(941) 322-0976
fiorelliwinery.com

Herrmann's Royal Lipizzan Ranch

Myakka City
(941) 322-1501
hlipizzans.com

The Pavilion at Mixon Farms

Bradenton
(844) 367-1643
thepavilionatmixonfarms.com

Powel Crosley Estate*

Bradenton
(941) 722-3244
bradentongulfislands.com/crosley-estate

Rafter J Ranch Barn

Parrish
(941) 737-9987
rafterjranchbarn.com

The Studio at Gulf & Pine

Anna Maria
(941) 778-1906
studioatgulfandpine.com

Reception Sites**Beach Bistro***

Anna Maria Island
(941) 778-6444
beachbistro.com

Beach House*

Bradenton Beach
(941) 757-3737
annamariaislandvenues.com

The Bishop Museum of Science and Nature

Bradenton
(941) 746-4131
bishopscience.org

* Waterfront Location

Bradenton Area Convention Center

Palmetto

(941) 729-9177

bradentongulfislands.com/bradenton-area-convention-center/

Bradenton Yacht Club*

Palmetto

(941) 722-5936

bradentonyachtclub.com

Bridge Street Bistro*

Bradenton Beach

(941) 782-1122

bridgestreetbistroonline.com

The Concession Golf & Country Club

Bradenton

(941) 332-1922

theconcession.com

Courtyard Marriott*

Bradenton

(941) 747-3727

marriott.com

Gulf Drive Café*

Bradenton Beach

(941) 778-1919

gulfdrivetiki.com

Hampton Inn & Suites

Bradenton Downtown Historic District

(941) 746-9400

hamptoninn3.hilton.com

Hampton Inn & Suites

Lakewood Ranch

(941) 355-8619

hamptoninn3.hilton.com

Heritage Harbour Golf Club

Bradenton

(941) 746-2696

heritageharbournhgolfclub.com

IMG Academy Golf Club

Bradenton

(941) 758-1466

Lakewood Ranch Golf & Country Club

Lakewood Ranch

(941) 907-4700

lakewoodranchgolf.com

Palma Sola Botanical Park

Bradenton

(941) 761-2866

palmasolabp.org

Palm-aire Country Club

Sarasota

(941) 355-9733

palmaire.net

Palmetto Riverside Bed & Breakfast*

Palmetto

(941) 981-5331

palmettoriverside.com/bnb

The Pavilion at Mixon Farms

Bradenton

(941) 748-5829

thepavilionatmixonfarms.com

Peridia Golf & Country Club

Bradenton

(941) 758-2582

peridiagcc.net

Pier 22*

Bradenton

(941) 748-8087

pier22dining.com

Powel Crosley Estate*

Bradenton

(941) 722-3244

bradentongulfislands.com/crosley-estate

Riverhouse Waterfront Restaurant*

Palmetto

(941) 729-0616

riverhousefl.com

River Wilderness Golf & Country Club

Parrish

(941) 776-2691

riverwildernesscc.com

Rosedale Golf & Country Club

Bradenton

(941) 753-6200

rosedalecountryclub.com

Sandbar Restaurant*

Anna Maria Island

(941) 778-0444

annamariaislandvenues.com

University Park Country Club

Bradenton

(941) 355-3888

universitypark-fl.com

Waterlefe® Golf & River Club*

Bradenton

(941) 744-9881

waterlefegolfandriverclub.com

Announcements & Invitations**Apple House Press**

Palmetto

(941) 722-1416

applehousepress.com

FedEx Office Print & Ship Center

Bradenton

(941) 752-0875

Johnson Printing

Bradenton

(941) 746-4171

johnsonprint.com

Manatee Printers

Bradenton

(941) 746-9100

manateeprinters.com

Minuteman Press

Bradenton

(941) 739-6602

bradenton.minutemanpress.com

Office Depot

Bradenton

(941) 201-3783

officedepot.com

Party City of Bradenton

Bradenton
(941) 752-4400
partycity.com

Postnet

Bradenton
(941) 753-2262
postnet.com/bradenton-fl117

Postnet

Lakewood Ranch
(941) 755-7447
postnet.com/lakewood-ranch-fl171

Staples

Bradenton
(941) 761-3467
staples.com

Alterations**Alterations by Nora**

(941) 744-9336
alterationsbynora.com

Kreations by Kathleen

(941) 753-9178
kreationsbykathleen.net

Bridal Gowns**Beach Shop**

Cortez
(941) 792-3366

EJ Wedding and Beyond

Bradenton
(941) 242-1581

Something Blue Bridal Boutique

Bradenton

(941) 747-1512

somethingbluebridalboutique.com

Tie the Knot Boutique

Bradenton

(941) 705-1002

tietheknotboutique.com

Cakes

Cakes Sarasota

Bradenton

(941) 545-7471

cakessarasota.com

Cupcake Delights

Anna Maria Island

(941) 779-2253

cupcakedelightsami.com

Edible Elegance by Eli

Bradenton

(941) 778-3909

edibleelegancebyeli.com

Hometown Desserts

Bradenton

(941) 896-3167

facebook.com/hometowndesserts

Publix

Bradenton, Holmes Beach,

Lakewood Ranch, Palmetto, Parrish

publix.com

Sugarpaste

Palmetto

(941) 216-5512

sugarpaste.co

Carriages

St. Petersburg Carriages

St. Petersburg

(727) 365-2194

stpetersburgcarriages.com

Sunshine Carriages of Sarasota

Sarasota

(941) 780-6981

Caterers

Catering by The Family

Tampa

(813) 875-2000

cateringbythefamily.com

Fun with Food Catering

Sarasota

(941) 524-2541

funwithfoodcatering.com

Harry's Continental Kitchen

Longboat Key

(941) 383-0777

harryskitchen.com

The Loft 5

Anna Maria

(941) 779-9801

theloft5.com

Milan Catering

Sarasota

(941) 312-0000

milancatering.com

Mr. Bones BBQ

Holmes Beach

(941) 778-6614

mrbonesbbq.com

Nellie's Catering

Sarasota

(941) 924-2705 ext. 13

nelliescatering.com

Coordinators/Wedding Planners**Affairs In The Air Inc.**

Bradenton

(941) 745-1797

affairsintheair.com

Gulf Coast Destinations

Sarasota

(941) 927-3737

gcdmc.com

The Loft 5

Anna Maria

(941) 779-9801

theloft5.com

Miss Megan's Wedding and Event Planning Bradenton

(941) 763-3041

missmegansweddingandeventplanning.weebly.com

Weddings by Christina

(336) 705-3239

christinaweddings.com

Day Spas/Makeup**Acqua Aveda**

Holmes Beach

(941) 778-5400

acquaaveda.com

Aluna Wellness

Bradenton Beach

(941) 778-8400

alunawellness.com

Ana Molinari

Lakewood Ranch
(941) 373-3900
anamolinari.com

Blue Door Spa

Bradenton
(941) 747-0111
thebluedoorspa.com

Body & Sol Spa

Anna Maria Island
(941) 650-5441
annamariadayspa.com

Boutique Out East

Lakewood Ranch
(941) 746-1500
boutiqueouteast.com

Claire Marie Spa

Holmes Beach
(941) 730-3649
clairemariespa.com

Evan Alexander Salon & Spa

Bradenton
(941) 907-2247
evanalexandersalon.com

Salon Linnea

Palmetto
(941) 722-1919
salonlinnea.com

Salon Salon

Anna Maria
(941) 778-0500
annamariasalon.com

Salon Salon

Holmes Beach
(941) 778-0400
annamariasalon.com

Seychelles Spa

Palmetto
(941) 722-4322
seychellesspa.com

Sea-renity Spa

Bradenton Beach
(941) 779-6836
searenityspa.com

Spa Northwest

Bradenton
(941) 713-1637
spa-northwest.com

Butterfly Release/Dove Release**Flutterby Gardens**

Bradenton
(941) 807-2416
flutterbygardens.com

Sarasota Dove Release

Sarasota
(941) 914-4306
sarasotadoverelease.com

Florists**Ellenton Florist**

Ellenton
(941) 962-9098
ellentonflorist.com

Flowers by Edie

Bradenton
(941) 755-1549
flowersbyedie.com

Josey's Poseys

Bradenton

(941) 799-6811

joseysposeys.com

King's Wholesale Florist

Bradenton

(941) 748-3553

kingsdirect.com

Ms. Scarlett's Flowers

Bradenton

(941) 538-7990

scarlettflowers.com

The Flower Place

Bradenton

(941) 755-1777

theflowerplacebradenton.com

Tropical Interiors Florist

Bradenton

(941) 758-6966

tropicalinteriorsflorist.com

Limousines**DreamMaker Limousines**

Bradenton

(800) 528-6176

dreammakerlimousines.com

Gold Star Limousines

Bradenton

(941) 748-4466

goldstarmanatee.com

Gulf Coast Florida Limo

Bradenton

(941) 727-8402

Longboat Limousine

Longboat Key/Sarasota

(941) 383-1235

longboatlimousine.com

Party Bus Rent

Bradenton
(888) 691-7411
partybusrent.net

Primetime Limousines

Bradenton
(941) 792-3400
primetime4u.com

Regal Limousine

Sarasota
(941) 351-2547
regal-limousine.com

Riverside Limousine

Palmetto
(941) 794-1549

Music – Background & Ceremony**Marc Mannino - Guitarist**

Sarasota
(941) 773-4221

The Martin Duo

Bradenton
(941) 932-2972
themartinduo.com

Dean Miller

Guitar
(941) 350-9685
deanmiller.com

Robin String Ensemble

Baroque, Classical
Bradenton
(941) 748-6455

Music – Reception

Black Tie DJs

Bradenton
(941) 925-5944
blacktiedjs.net

Jonathan Cortez

(813) 476-3134
jonathancortezmusic.blogspot.com

Jay Goodley Entertainment

Venice
(941) 366-1000
goodleyentertainment.com

Jam All Day Sound & Entertainment

Sarasota
(941) 321-4663
jamallday.com

Mike Sales Presents

Anna Maria Island
(941) 448-5798
mikesalessings.com

Standout Entertainment

Bradenton
(941) 320-9270
standoutentertainment.com

The Venturas

Swing, Jazz, Blues & Pop
Sarasota
(941) 377-5686
theventuras.wixsite.com/the-venturas

West Florida DJ

(941) 479-0059
westfloridadj.com

Officiates

Paralegal to the Rescue

Bradenton

(941) 321-9089

paralegaltotherescue.com

Rev. Charlie Shook

Anna Maria Island

(941) 778-3399

Tropical Ceremonies

(941) 228-8686

tropicalceremonies.com

Weddings by Bonnie

Bradenton

(941) 600-8009

weddingsbybonnie.com

Weddings by Lortz

Bradenton

(941) 359-9600

weddingsbylortz.com

Party Stores (Favors, Invitations)

Hobby Lobby

Bradenton

(941) 795-1462

hobbylobby.com

Michaels

Bradenton

(941) 752-7772

michaels.com

Party City

Bradenton

(941) 752-4400

partycity.com

Photo Booth Rental

Diverse Entertainment

(617) 710-4342

diverseentfl.com

Hotspot Photo Booth

(727) 344-0304

hotspotphotobooth.com

Snapshot Photo Booth

(727) 697-7627

snapshotphotobooth.com

Venice Sarasota Photo Booth

(941) 961-5385

venicephotobooth.com

Photographers

Angel Navarro Photography

Bradenton

(941) 538-6804

angelnavarrophotography.com

Chi Photography

(727) 481-5737

chiphotography.com

Jack Elka

Holmes Beach

(941) 778-2711

jackelka.com

Kristen Sloan Photography

St. Petersburg

(303) 229-4850

kristensloanphoto.com

Q Studio Photography

Bradenton

(941) 932-1114

qstudiophotography.com

Real Deal Wedding Photography

(941) 312-1281

realdealweddings.com

Gary Sweetman

Bradenton

(941) 748-4004

garysweetman.com

Villette Photography

Bradenton

(941) 465-6009

villettphotography.com

Plant Rental

A1 Foliage

St. Petersburg

(727) 867-6861

a1foliage.com

Plant Parents

Sarasota

(941) 377-3070

plantparents.com

Rentals (Gazebos, Tents, Chairs)

Apex Holiday Tent & Bleacher Rental

Bradenton

(941) 723-1822

apexholidaytents.com

Linens By the Sea

(941) 757-3523

linensbythesea.com

Party Plus by Taylor Rental

Bradenton

(941) 758-3818

taylorrental.org

SRQ Party Rentals

Bradenton

(941) 920-5338

srqpartyrentals.com

US Tent Rental

Sarasota
(941) 727-3311
ustentrental.com

Travel Planning**AAA Bradenton**

Bradenton
(941) 798-2221
autoclubsouth.aaa.com

Classic World Travels

Bradenton
(941) 907-6980
classicworldtravels.com

Edda's Travel Corner

Bradenton
(941) 745-1880
eddastravel.com

Fantasy Travel

Bradenton
(941) 795-3900
fantasytravel.net

Themed Events, Productions & Event Design**Affairs In The Air**

Bradenton
(941) 745-1797
affairsintheair.com

FH Weddings & Events

Tampa
(813) 390-9371
fhweddings.com

Weddings by Bonnie

Bradenton
(941) 600-8009
weddingsbybonnie.com

Milan Catering & Event Design
Sarasota
(941) 321-0000
milancatering.com

Videography/Production

Chi Photography
Bradenton
(727) 481-5737
chiphotography.com

Digital Video Productions
Sarasota
(941) 894-0980
dvpfl.com

Love View Weddings
Bradenton
(941) 448-1772
loveviewweddings.com

Premier Video Productions
Bradenton
(941) 753-1910
pvvideo.wordpress.com

Tuxedos/Formalwear

Jos. A. Bank
Sarasota
(941) 358-9540
josbank.com

Men's Wearhouse
Sarasota
(941) 351-1631
menswearhouse.com

Monica's Bridal & Quince
Palmetto
(941) 479-7818
monicasbq.com

Sacino's
St. Petersburg
(727) 328-1555
sacino.com

Something Blue
Bradenton
(941) 747-1512
somethingbluebridalboutique.com

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