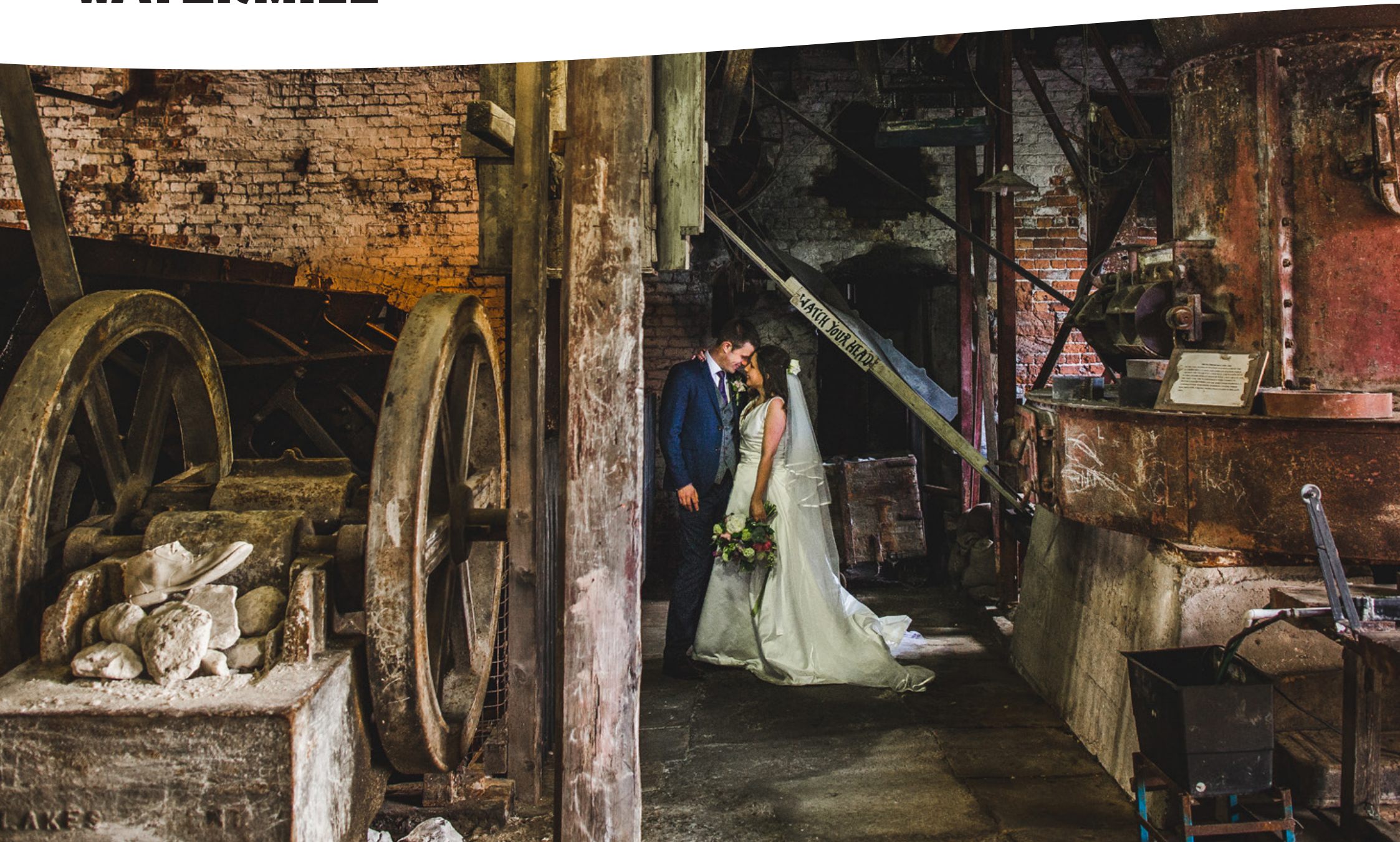


# THWAITE WATERMILL

## Wedding Guide



# Welcome to Thwaite Watermill

A grade II listed building set on the outskirts of Leeds City Centre, Thwaite Watermill is one of the last remaining examples of a fully working watermill. Now a museum site and nature trail, it is nestled on an island situated in beautiful riverside surroundings rich with woodlands, gardens and wildlife.

Thwaite Watermill provides a truly unique and relaxed setting for you and your guests to celebrate your special day.







# Make your day suit your personality

Thwaite Watermill can be both a ceremony and reception venue, with the flexibility to do it your way. We provide the space and you get the freedom to tailor your day.

From tipis to stretch marquees and street food vendors to swing bands, if you can imagine it, you can create it!







### Shedding Some Light

The Drying Tubs have not been used since the 1940s and have suffered damage and neglect since. What you can see now are the archaeological remains of the heating flues and the foundation of the laundry was poured.

Not being used for long, the laundry was left to decay. The stone walls were crumbling and the floor was uneven. The tubs were not used for drying clothes and the laundry was not used for drying clothes.

Repaired the walls and floors and made the floor level. The tubs were not used for drying clothes and the laundry was not used for drying clothes.

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# Ceremonies

We are fully licensed to hold civil ceremonies and civil partnerships with four remarkable areas available across the island.

## **The Old Chalk Warehouse**

Our historical warehouse offers a unique and memorable setting with views looking out over the canal.

**Capacity: 70 guests**

## **The Fruit Orchard**

A perfect setting for those summer weddings, your guests will be seated in an outdoor gazebo set within our fruit orchard, looking out onto the historical crane and canal.

**Capacity: 30 guests**

## **The Wheel Room**

Guests can be nestled between our two magnificent waterwheels, while you take centre stage and make your vows in a truly unforgettable setting.

**Capacity: 25 guests**

## **The Mill Space**

Your guests will be seated in our 18<sup>th</sup> century mill surrounded by original beams and industrial features.

**Capacity: 70 guests**





# Site Hire Option One

## The Mill House Garden & Old Chalk Warehouse

The Mill House Garden is a beautiful setting for your special day. Nestled between the canal side and the old Mill Owner's House, this beautiful garden creates an idyllic setting for your marquee and the 18<sup>th</sup> century Old Chalk Warehouse is the perfect space for receptions.

### **Capacity: 120 guests**

- You will have exclusive use of our stunning Mill House Garden and the Old Chalk Warehouse
- Five days' access to the site
- Access to onsite toilets
- Free use of the Museum's power supply
- Mains water supply
- Guest parking facilities for up to 100 cars
- A member of Museum staff to welcome your guests
- With prior arrangement guests can have access to our working watermill Museum

# Site Hire Option Two

## The Island Paddocks

The Island Paddocks are situated behind the watermill in our natural woodlands. They can house tipis, large marquees and big top tents.

### **Capacity: 250 guests**

- You will have exclusive use of the Island Paddocks
- Five days access to the site
- Mains water supply
- Guest parking facilities for up to 100 cars
- A member of museum staff to welcome your guests
- With prior arrangement guests can have access to our working watermill museum





# Price List

## **Wedding ceremony**

£300.00

## **Site Hire Option 1**

**The Mill House Garden & Old Chalk Warehouse**

£1,150.00

## **Site Hire Option 2**

**The Island Paddocks**

£1,150.00

The prices listed are for 2021, although we can take provisional bookings for weddings beyond this year. Weddings from 2022 may be subject to increased rates. Please contact us for further information.







# Contact

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