

The Following applies to all Wedding photo sessions:

- Reservations are required for all wedding photo sessions. Wickham Park is a non-profit organization, and these fees assist in ensuring the maintenance of the gardens. Thank you for choosing Wickham Park!
- The fee to host your wedding photos is \$200.00, for a one-hour reservation of the garden of your choice based on availability.
- Vehicle entry fees for you, your wedding party, and photographers are included in the garden reservation fee.
- Reservations for photos only may be made 3 months or less prior to an event date. Wedding photography is not permitted in Sensory Garden.
- Reservations are rain or shine.
- Please read through the park rules and regulations before making your reservation to ensure that you're are planning adheres to Wickham Park's rules. http://wickhampark.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/2021-Rules-and-Regulations.pdf
- To make your reservation please email info@wickhampark.org or call 860.528-0856 during regular business hours.

Reservable Gardens:

The Scottish Garden

The Scottish Garden is located at the north end of the English Garden. Containing statuary and plants with a Scottish influence this garden provides an intimate location for wedding photos. View Photos: http://wickhampark.org/gardens/the-scottish-garden/

The English Garden

The English Garden offers the perfect location for wedding ceremonies and wedding photos. The English Garden covers just under two acres and is based on formal English design principles. This garden contains three "garden rooms": The Maze, the Knot Garden, and the Great Lawn. It has been designed so that areas of the garden are in bloom all season long. Our most formal garden, the English Garden contains 1000 feet of hedges, dozens of rose varieties and shrubs and hundreds of perennials.

View Photos: http://wickhampark.org/gardens/the-english-garden/

The Oriental Garden, established in 1920 by Clarence and Edith Wickham, is the largest and oldest garden in the park. Within its eight acres are several oriental structures and statues. The most identifiable are the Torri archway, the Fu-dogs, the Arched moon bridge over the pond, Moon gate, and the Teahouse. This garden offers an abundance of photo opportunities.

View Photos: http://wickhampark.org/gardens/the-oriental-garden/

The Italian Shrine

This garden was originally created by Clarence and Edith Wickham as a place for their workers to worship. The Shrine is an open structure with stucco pillars and a flagstone base, which is set on a grassy knoll enclosed by beautiful plantings. There are several statues including those of St. Theresa and St. Francis that highlight this garden. This garden offers a formal setting perfect for your special day.

View Photos: http://wickhampark.org/gardens/the-oriental-garden/

The Lotus Garden

Located in the center of Wickham Park and contains a pond with a fountain and a pagoda. The pagoda is an oriental structure which provides a lovely setting overlooking the pond. Several stone Japanese lanterns also adorn this area. This garden makes a natural picturesque setting for wedding photos.

View Photos: http://wickhampark.org/gardens/the-lotus-garden/

The Cabin Garden

Located at the highest point of the park, with a panoramic view of Hartford, the Cabin Garden and amphitheater provide a scenic and formal setting for any occasion. This garden can be reserved as part of a wedding package or in limited circumstances, a ceremony or photo session alone. Please inquire about our Cabin Package for more details about having your wedding ceremony and receptions at the Cabin. There is no Cabin access for Cabin Garden photo reservations.

View Photos: http://wickhampark.org/gardens/the-cabin-garden-amphitheater/
Reception Info: http://wickhampark.org/weddings/the-cabin-garden-amphitheater/

The Irish Garden

Opened in the summer of 2016, the Park's tenth garden is a walled area containing a large variety of shrubs and perennials. The garden consists of 120 feet of stone walls and hundreds of feet of decorative metal fencing. Several statues with an Irish historical connection and brick shamrocks highlight this unique display garden. Weekdays the Irish Garden is available to reserve based on availability. The weekend, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, the Irish Garden is mostly reserved for our wedding receptions at The Emerald Room and would not be reserved for a photo reservation, until 30 days prior. Please inquire about our Emerald Package for more details about having your wedding ceremony and reception at the Emerald Room. There is no Emerald Room access for Irish Garden ceremony reservations.

View Photos: http://wickhampark.org/gardens/the-irish-garden/

Reception Info: http://wickhampark.org/weddings/emerald-room-of-the-irish-garden/