

Wedding Checklist

Blazing Circle Photography

On your wedding day Blazing Circle Photography will do their best to capture what is important to you. Please check what are the most important aspects of your day and, if known, make a note as to what order they will occur and return the list prior to the wedding date.

Before the Ceremony

- Wedding dress lying over a chair
- Zipping up or buttoning the wedding dress
- Mother of the bride fastening the bride's necklace
- The bride's garter
- The bride's veil
- A close up of the bride's shoes peeking out from under the dress
- Bride looking into a mirror
- Bride and bridesmaids putting on makeup
- Bride pinning corsage/boutonniere on mother/father
- Bride hugging parents
- Groom tying tie
- Groom looking into mirror
- Groom pinning corsage/boutonniere on mother/father
- Groom hugging parents
- Close up of the Guest Book plus attendant

At the Ceremony

- Outside view of the ceremony site (weather permitting)
- Guests walking into ceremony site (weather permitting)
- Parents being seated
- Grandparents being seated
- Maid of honor walking down the aisle
- Bridesmaids walking down the aisle
- Best man walking down the aisle
- Groomsmen walking down the aisle
- Flower girl and ring bearer walking down aisle
- Groom waiting for bride
- Ceremony musicians/singer performing
- Officiant*
- Altar or canopy during ceremony
- Close up of bride, just before she makes her entrance
- Bride and father walking down aisle
- Groom seeing bride for the first time
- Bride's father and Bride hugging at end of aisle
- Officiant talking

- Lighting of Candles
- The unity ceremony. What form will it take: _____
- Close up of bride and groom saying the vows
- Wide shot of bride and groom saying the vows
- Prayer/Mass/Blessing by the officiant
- Exchanging of the rings
- Close up of hand holding
- The kiss
- Bride & Groom walking up the aisle
- Receiving line
- Guests throwing "rice" What will be thrown? _____
- Signing the marriage license
- Bride & Groom getting in car

During the Reception*

- Outside of the reception site (weather permitting)
- Bride & Groom arriving
- Bride & Groom greeting guests
- Table centerpieces
- Bride & Groom's table (head table)
- Musicians or DJ or Karaoke
- Guest book (if not at the ceremony site)
- Wedding cake
- Groom's cake
- Gift table
- Decorations. Specify which: _____
- Informal shots of bride & groom with guests
- Bride & Groom's first dance (lighting permitting)
- Bride & Groom cutting the cake
- Bride & Groom feeding each other cake
- Toasts. Specify who is giving them: _____
- Bride & Groom drinking champagne
- Bride throwing bouquet
- Groom retrieving garter
- Groom tossing garter
- Garter/Bouquet dance
- The getaway car
- Bride & Groom leaving party
- Bride & Groom driving away

*for all packages including photos of the reception.

Posed Wedding Photography

- Bride alone (full length)
- Bride with Maid of Honor
- Bride with bridesmaids

- ___ Groom with parents
- ___ Groom with best man
- ___ Groom with groomsmen
- ___ Bride & Groom together
- ___ Bride with parents
- ___ Groom with parents
- ___ Bride & Groom with all parents
- ___ Bride & Groom with entire wedding party
- ___ Bride & Groom with flower girl and ring bearer

To do the entire posed list can take over an hour, so plan accordingly. For larger wedding parties (i.e. with multiple step-parents, large number of bridesmaids or groomsmen or multiple small children) this can be even longer.

To provide suitable time for the entire day we suggest completing as many posed photographs as possible prior to the ceremony.