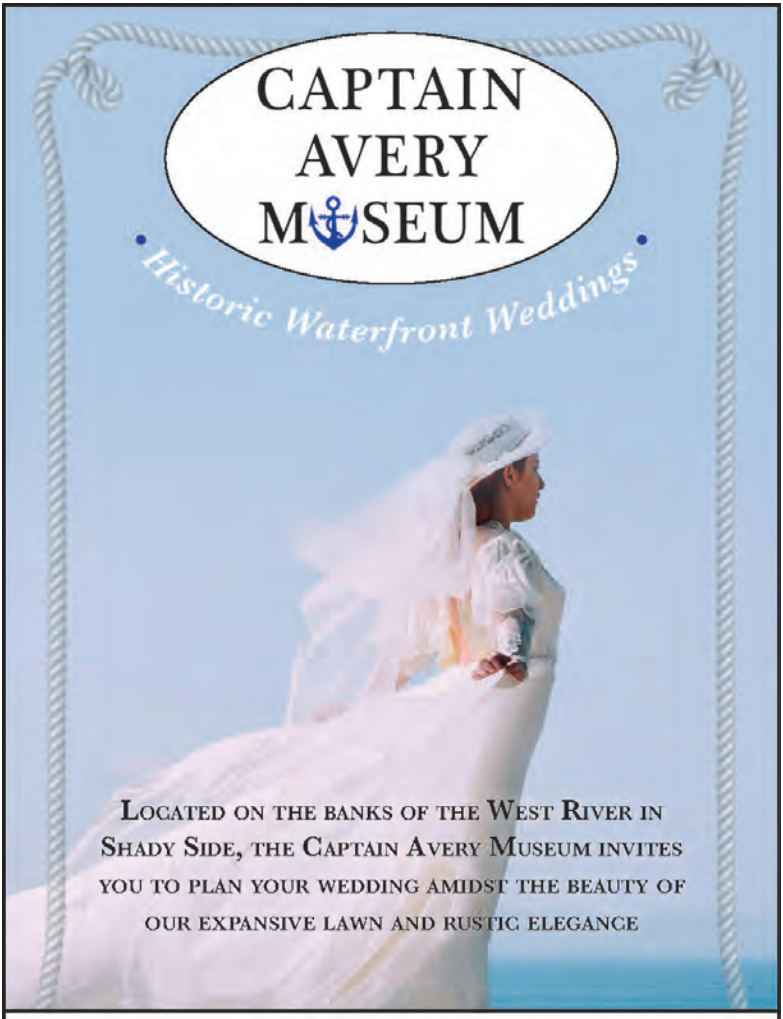
Make Your Waterfront Wedding Historic!



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Located on the banks of the West River in Shady Side, the Captain Avery Museum – a site on the National Register of Historic Places - invites you to plan your wedding amidst the beauty of its expansive waterfront lawn, raingarden, bridge, pier, and sweeping views of the Chesapeake Bay.

Raingarden:
Serene, with colorful native landscaping; Promenade with pedestrian footbridge; Ideal for high tops and bar/refreshments.

Private Bridal Retreat: Upstairs from Great Room; Recently renovated and furnished with antiques; Perfect for last-minute primping by bridal party or honored guests; Adjacent to staircase for bridal party to descend into reception; Additional exterior access to Bridal Retreat enables bridal party to gain private entry.

Great Room:
42' x 25', Temperature-Controlled; Natural Wood Floor and10' ceiling; Seats 125 Theater-style or seats 68 Reception-Style; Eight 9' Tables and 125 Chairs on-site; Sweeping view of West River and Chesapeake Bay.

Our Catering/Warming Kitchen:
Generous kitchen with ample space for staging and warming food (No Cooking); Refrigerators, sinks, stove, oven and dishwasher.

Our historic property, home to waterman Salem Avery and his family, dates from 1859. Our exclusive venue includes indoor and outdoor ceremony and reception areas, newly renovated bridal retreat upstairs with private bath, and acres of rustic elegance.

Screened Waterfront Porch:
Is 35' x 10' with wicker chairs and benches;
Ideal for bar/refreshment or break-out area;
Fantastic view of lawn and waterfront.

Waterfront Lawn:
Tenting space available;
Maximum of 200 persons; Spectacular view
of West River and Chesapeake Bay.

Outdoor staging/cooking
is possible at client's expense;
Ramp access and two
ADA-compliant washrooms.

PARKING
Private parking accommodates 40 vehicles;
Two ADA-compliant handicap spaces;
Additional parking is available at nearby locations,
using client-provided valet parking or shuttle service.

MEDIA OPTIONS UPON REQUEST
WiFi Access for Guests;
42" Hi-Def Monitor (Great Room);
Projection Screen (Great Room);

PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES
Overlooking Chesapeake Bay;
Overlooking West River;
Raingardens and Raingarden Footbridge;
19th Century Home.

CAPTAIN AVERY MUSEUM PROVIDES A LIST OF
RECOMMENDED LOCAL SUPPLIERS --
FROM LIMOUSINES TO CATERING TO BRIDAL MAKE-UP

Costs:
Price for your Exclusive Wedding,
including time for set-up, clean-up and
rehearsals, is $2,000. Contact us for further details.

Captain Avery Museum will provide you with a
personal representative to handle your wedding.
Let us help you plan your Historic Waterfront Wedding!

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