



WEDDING INFORMATION PACK 2025

Bespoke by Becky

INCLUSIVE CELEBRANT

Let's create your dream ceremony!



Becky Corbett

(she/her)

Commonwealth Registered Marriage Celebrant





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CONGRATULATIONS!

Dear lovebirds, 



Firstly.. CONGRATULATIONS!!

My name is Becky Corbett (she/her), and I'm thrilled that you're considering me to be your celebrant for your special day!

I pride myself on being an Inclusive Celebrant. This means that I welcome and celebrate ALL beautiful humans and their love regardless of their age, gender identity, race, ability, sexual orientation, cultural background etc.

I also happen to be a Registered Nurse with over 15 years of experience and qualifications in psychology. This means that I come to you with the very special ability to remain calm under pressure, empathise and relate to others well making them feel safe, comfortable and understood.

I am 100% committed to the gorgeous couples that I work with to help them craft a bespoke and memorable experience infused with the essence of their very own love story.

I hope that this information pack provides you with the key details you need to make a decision!

With warmth & gratitude,



Commonwealth Registered Marriage Celebrant.

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WHY CHOOSE BESPOKE BY BECKY?



Personalised experience:

Every ceremony is crafted uniquely to reflect your preferences, love story, values, and vision.



Professional expertise:

With over 15 years of experience as a Registered Nurse, I come to you with warmth, empathy and the confidence to create your ceremony with you.



Inclusive and supportive:

I celebrate the wonderful rainbow love of all couples and create an inclusive, welcoming experience tailored to your needs.



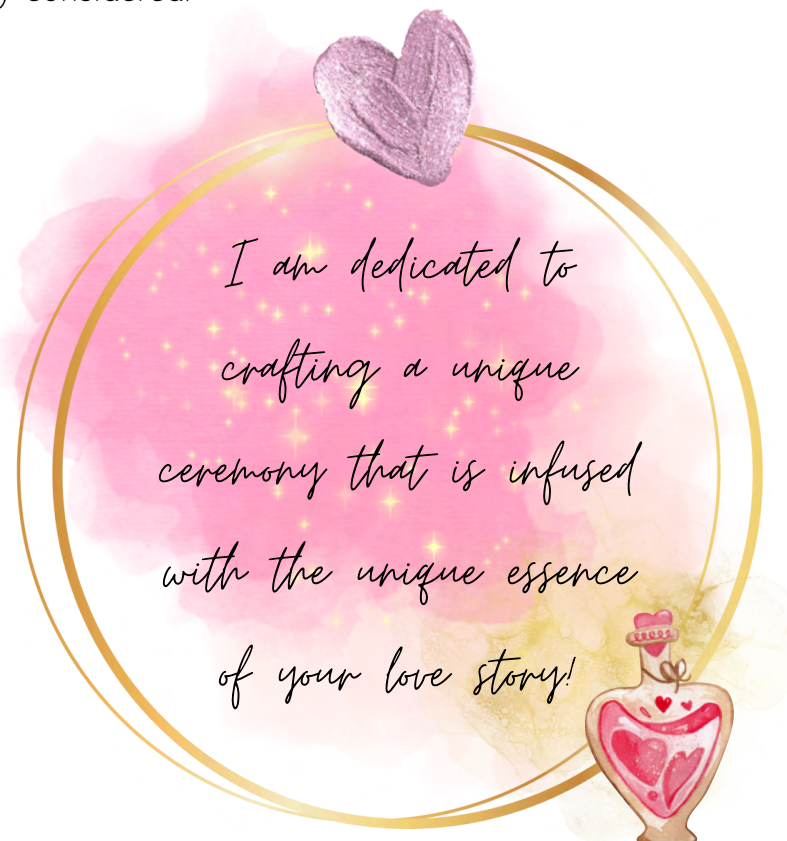
Stress-free planning:

I guide you through planning the ceremony details, and I take care of the legal documentation required, so you can focus on enjoying the journey!



An exceptional eye for detail:

From vow assistance to ceremony structure, every detail of your ceremony is thoughtfully considered.



WEDDING PACKAGES & PRICING

Enchanted Ever After

FROM \$1200

This is the complete “bells and whistles” package for couples wishing to celebrate BIG! A fully bespoke, deeply personal ceremony crafted to reflect the magic of your unique love story!

INCLUSIONS:

- ✓ An obligation-free initial consultation
- ✓ Complete vow-writing support
- ✓ All your legal paperwork handled and submitted
- ✓ A completely bespoke and personalised ceremony
- ✓ Custom rituals or elements
- ✓ Framed and printed keepsake of your vows
- ✓ Unlimited email support and ceremony edits
- ✓ Rehearsal (if desired)
- ✓ Unlimited guests
- ✓ Travel within 50km radius of Brisbane

Magic in the Middle

FROM \$850

A deeply personal and heartfelt ceremony with just the right amount of magic and meaning sprinkled in for couples who would like something simple yet beautiful!

INCLUSIONS:

- ☒ An obligation-free initial consultation
- ☒ Complete vow-writing support
- ☒ A completely bespoke and personalised ceremony
- ☒ Travel within 50km radius of Brisbane
- ☒ Unlimited email support and ceremony edits
- ☒ All your legal paperwork handled and submitted
- ☒ Maximum of 50 guests

OPTIONAL EXTRAS:

- ☐ Custom rituals or elements..... *Ask for quote*
- ☐ Rehearsal..... \$100.00
- ☐ A3 framed & printed keepsake of your wedding vows..... \$75.00

Love, Sweet Love

FROM \$550

Monday-Thursday ceremonies only
Friday-Sunday ceremonies additional \$100

Sweet, simple, yet still full with heart! This is the perfect package for couples that are eloping, having a legals-only ceremony or simply wanting the intimacy of a quiet and private "I do!"

INCLUSIONS:

- ✓ An obligation-free initial consultation
- ✓ A short but meaningful ceremony
- ✓ Complete vow-writing support
- ✓ Maximum of 10 guests
- ✓ Travel within a 30km radius of Brisbane
- ✓ All your legal paperwork handled and submitted

OPTIONAL EXTRAS:

- A3 framed & printed keepsake of your wedding vows..... \$75.00
- Travel beyond a 30km radius of Brisbane..... \$1.50/km return
- Saturday or Sunday ceremony..... \$100.00 fee



YOUR BESPOKE JOURNEY

The booking and planning process

Initial consultation:

Obligation-free chat to discuss your vision and make sure I'm the right celebrant for you!

Booking confirmation:

Secure your planned date by paying a deposit and returning your signed contract within 72 hours of meeting.

Ceremony creation:

The fun begins! We work together to craft your bespoke ceremony. Your ceremony will be finalised 7 days prior to your special day.

Final meeting & rehearsal:

This is optional to have a practice to make sure your ceremony runs smoothly. Usually 24-48 hours prior to your ceremony.





THE LEGALS...

As a Commonwealth Registered Marriage Celebrant, it is my job to ensure that all legal aspects of your marriage are correctly handled so that your marriage is legally recognised in Australia. It is your job to make sure that you provide me with requested documents within the required time frame.

1

Notice of Intended Marriage (NOIM)

This form must be completed and lodged with me at least one month before your wedding date. It remains valid for 18 months. Original ID documents (passport or birth certificate) must be provided.

2

Declaration of No Legal Impediment

This form must be signed as close as possible to your wedding date (usually at your rehearsal or just prior to your ceremony) to legally confirm and declare that you are free to marry.

3

Signing the Wedding Register

Once you and your love have said "I do!" you will both sign my wedding register, along with your two chosen witnesses who must both be present at the ceremony, and over the age of 18 years.

4

Legal lodgement of documents

I will submit your marriage documents to the Registry of Births, Deaths & Marriages (BDM). This must be done within 14 days of your wedding, and will formally legalise your marriage! Yipeeee!

5

Your Official Marriage Certificate

You can then apply for an official marriage certificate from the BDM, which serves as the legal proof of marriage for name changes, visas, and other official matters.

Please note: The certificate I give you on your wedding day is a keepsake and **not an official document for legal purposes.**

FAQs

♥ WHY ARE YOUR PRICES LOWER THAN SOME OTHER CELEBRANTS?

As a newly registered celebrant, I am currently building my portfolio, which means I can offer my services at a more accessible price while maintaining the highest quality. You're not skimping on professionalism, warmth, or attention to detail—I bring over 15 years of experience in communication, public speaking, and working with people in significant life moments. This is your opportunity to have a bespoke, heartfelt ceremony at exceptional value.

♥ WHY WOULD I BOOK YOU IF YOU'RE A NEWLY REGISTERED CELEBRANT? IS THAT RISKY?

Not at all! While I am newly registered, my professional background means I am highly skilled in communication, public speaking, and staying calm under pressure. With my Honours qualifications in Psychology and years as a Registered Nurse—including management roles and public presentations—I know how to create meaningful, engaging, and seamless experiences. Plus, I have completed extensive celebrancy training and am passionate about crafting ceremonies that truly reflect my couples.

♥ WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS?

I am a Commonwealth Registered Marriage Celebrant and have completed the necessary training to legally and professionally officiate weddings. Additionally, I hold Honours qualifications in Psychology and have over 15 years of experience as a Registered Nurse, including leadership and public speaking roles. My background means I am an excellent communicator, highly organised, and dedicated to creating a calm and memorable experience for you.

♥ HOW WILL YOU MAKE MY WEDDING BESPOKE?

Your wedding should be a reflection of your unique love story, and that's exactly what I create. My wedding packages are more like "storybooks" awaiting your personal touch—I work closely with you to ensure every detail aligns with your vision, values, and personality. From crafting personalised vows to incorporating meaningful rituals or traditions, I make sure your ceremony is authentically you.

CAN WE WRITE OUR OWN VOWS?

Absolutely! Your vows are one of the most special parts of your ceremony, and I encourage you to make them your own. If you need guidance, I can help you refine them so they express your love and commitment in a way that feels natural and heartfelt.

WHAT'S INVOLVED IN BOOKING YOU?

Booking me is simple! First, we'll have an initial chat to see if we're the right fit. If you decide to go ahead, I'll guide you through the legal requirements, collect some details about your story and vision, and start crafting your ceremony. A deposit secures your date, and we'll have planning meetings to refine everything before the big day.

WHAT DO WE NEED TO ARRANGE WITH PAPERWORK ETC.?

Legally, you'll need to complete a Notice of Intended Marriage (NOIM) at least one month before your wedding. I will help you with this paperwork and ensure everything is lodged correctly. After the ceremony, I'll also submit the necessary documents to officially register your marriage. I make the legal side of things as smooth and stress-free as possible.

WILL YOU TRAVEL FOR MY WEDDING?

Yes! I am happy to travel to your wedding location. Travel within a certain distance may be included in my packages, but if your wedding is further afield, there may be an additional travel fee. Just reach out, and we can discuss the details.

WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU'RE SICK ON THE DAY OF MY WEDDING?

In the very rare and unlikely event that I am too unwell to officiate, I have a network of celebrants I can call on to step in and ensure your wedding goes ahead smoothly. I will do everything possible to ensure a seamless transition so you can still have a beautiful and meaningful ceremony.

CAN I HAVE MY RELIGION/SPIRITUALITY AS PART OF MY WEDDING

Yes! I am an inclusive celebrant, and I welcome all beliefs and traditions. Whether you'd like to incorporate religious or spiritual elements, cultural rituals, or unique personal touches, I will work with you to create a ceremony that reflects what is meaningful to you.

WHY DO YOU CALL YOURSELF AN "INCLUSIVE CELEBRANT"?

When planning a wedding, one of the most important things is finding vendors who truly see you—who respect, celebrate, and embrace who you are and the love you share.

As a proud member of the LGBTQ+ community, I know firsthand how important it is to feel safe, valued, and understood. Weddings should be a place of joy, love, and belonging for everyone, but unfortunately, that's not always the case. That's why I make it clear from the start: Bespoke by Becky values and upholds diversity. Love is love, and your story deserves to be told with warmth, authenticity, and respect—no exceptions!

HOW MANY WEDDINGS DO YOU BOOK PER DAY?

I only book one wedding per day to ensure I can give my full attention, energy, and care to your ceremony. Your wedding is my priority, and I'll be there to support you every step of the way without any time constraints!



HAPPILY EVER... BEFORE AND AFTER

As a Commonwealth Registered Marriage Celebrant, I am legally required to provide couples with the "Happily Ever... Before and After" information, provided by the Australian Government, as a helpful resource that outlines key aspects of marriage, including:

- The legal rights and responsibilities of marriage
- The importance of open communication and conflict resolution
- How to nurture a healthy and fulfilling relationship
- Where to seek support if needed

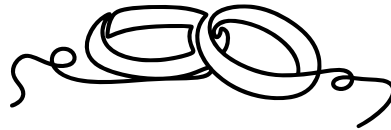
This information is provided pursuant to
subsection 42(5A) of the *Marriage Act 1961*

Happily Ever... Before and After

Information for couples planning to marry



for more information about the services and
advice available for couples and families, visit the
family relationships online website at
www.familyrelationships.gov.au or phone the
family relationship advice line on 1800 050 321.



Strengthening your marriage

Before marriage: marriage education

Solid relationships set you up to meet the changes and challenges of life. It is important to develop good communication and sound relationship skills early, so that you can fall back on these skills during difficult times.

Pre-marriage education prepares couples for marriage by providing skills and information to build lifelong marriages. Courses are also available to explore the added dimension and complexity brought to a marriage by children from a previous relationship.

During marriage: family counselling

Keeping relationships on track is not always easy. Relationship problems can arise at various stages of our lives. While having a shaky moment does not mean your relationship is in trouble, it may be a sign that you could do with some help.

Family counselling can help couples come to terms with the many changes that happen during a marriage, such as the personal and interpersonal issues to do with children and family. Family counsellors can help you work through emotional problems with your spouse or partner, or to reach agreement about your parental responsibilities.

marriage breakdown: family Dispute resolution

Family Dispute Resolution (FDR) can help separating couples to reach agreement about property, money, and—most importantly—any children. The law requires separating families who have a parenting dispute to make a genuine effort to try to sort it out through FDR.

An accredited FDR Practitioner can help you discuss issues, look at options, and reach agreement. Importantly, FDR can help you to develop a parenting plan to set out arrangements for any children.

Marriage is Important

Your celebrant is handing you this document because the decision to marry is one of the biggest decisions a couple can make. Marriage is a significant step which will bring a number of changes for you, your spouse and your family. This document tells you:

- the process of getting married in Australia,
- some important legal consequences of getting married, and
- where relationship support services, such as marriage education, family counselling or dispute resolution services may be obtained.

Getting Married in Australia

In Australia, marriage is regulated by the *Marriage Act 1961*, which sets out the process for getting married and the legal requirements of a valid marriage.



A completed **notice of Intended marriage** form must be given to your celebrant at least one month (and up to 18 months) before the wedding.

You and your partner must provide your celebrant **with evidence of your date and place of birth, identity and the end of any previous marriages.**

You must both sign the 'Declaration of no legal impediment to marriage'. By signing the Declaration, you declare that you believe that you are of marriageable age, and that there is no legal impediment to your marriage.

On your **wedding day**, your celebrant will solemnise your marriage. Your celebrant will then ask you, your partner and your witnesses to **sign up to three marriage certificates.**

After your wedding, **your marriage celebrant will register the marriage** with the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages in the State or Territory where your marriage took place.

Marriage in Australia: some important things you need to know

health and welfare benefits

If you receive health or welfare benefits, you will need to contact the relevant agencies to advise them that you have married. These agencies will advise you if your benefits will change. You may lose benefits and even be penalised if you fail to tell them you have married within a reasonable time after the wedding.

changing your name

Any person who marries may choose to take their spouse's surname. You are not legally required to take your spouse's surname once you are married.

If you wish to take your spouse's surname, you must obtain a certificate of marriage issued by your state or territory Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages. This is usually sufficient evidence to have your personal documentation (eg. driver's licence) changed to your married surname.

The certificate you received on your wedding day is ceremonial and will not meet the identity requirements of many government agencies, such as the passport office.

citizenship

If you marry an Australian citizen, you do not have an automatic right to Australian citizenship. You will still need to apply for citizenship and satisfy the eligibility criteria. You can obtain further information from the Department of Home Affairs website at www.homeaffairs.gov.au.

making a will

Marriage will invalidate any previous wills unless your will clearly shows you were planning this marriage when you made it.

It is important that you make a new will when your personal circumstances change. This ensures that you have a valid will that gives effect to your intentions about how you want your assets to be distributed in the event of your death. A solicitor can help you make or change a will.

taxation after marriage

When you marry, the amount of taxation you pay may change. It is advisable to contact the Australian Taxation Office, a tax agent or an accountant before marriage to discuss any tax implications.