



Wedding Guide

You're engaged! Congratulations! Of course you are now undergoing the exciting but daunting task of planning a wedding. Choosing the right photographer is a big decision, and one not to be taken lightly.

So to help you in this endeavour I have put together this handy guide to give you all of the information you might want to know about me; Rachael, and what having me as your wedding photographer would look like.

Our Beautiful Adventure
PHOTOGRAPHY 

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About Me

I'm Rachael, I live by the sea in Swansea, South Wales and I love adventure. You'll often find me exploring the coast with my 3 children and Husband in tow.

I've been photographing weddings since 2015, and I feel so lucky that I get to do something I am so passionate about for a living.

I love candid photography, and I love capturing natural moments that others don't always see. At Weddings I love to capture couples in a relaxed way that highlights who they are, and captures their love and joy. I take a documentary approach to wedding photography, specialising in capturing real moments as they unfold, and giving you a lasting memory of all the details of your day.



Why Me?

When you choose me as your Photographer not only will the details of your day be captured, but I will respect your wishes and vision for the day, and document in an unobtrusive fashion.

I will capture your day without intruding on it.

I encourage all of my clients to allow a little bit of time on their wedding day for some more intimate couple's portraits, it's one of my favourite parts of the day and will leave you with priceless photos to hang up on your walls for all to see.



Investments

Gold - £1800 (Full Day Coverage and my most popular package)

- Pre-Wedding Consultation.
- Getting ready photographs of one partner.
- Coverage for the whole day, through to the evening reception.
- Group Photographs after the Ceremony.
- A selection of couple's portraits.
- Coverage of your reception, including speeches, cutting the cake and the first dance.
- Approximately 600 Photographs, edited in both Colour and Black & White, sent to you on a USB, presented in a beautiful wooden box, with a selection of prints.
- All images will be High Resolution and you will have full printing rights for all the photographs.
- The images will also be uploaded to an online gallery which can easily be shared across social media. You can order professional quality prints directly from the gallery, and so can any friends and family you share the gallery with.

Platinum - £2800

Everything that is included in the Gold package with the following extras:

- A second Photographer

This enables coverage of both partners getting ready, as well as providing additional candid coverage of your wedding day. You will receive a minimum of 850 images.

- A 10x10 Fine Art Wedding Album with a fabric cover and 10 spreads

Just ask for a brochure when you get in touch to find out more about these timeless keepsakes.

- An Engagement Photo Shoot

You will get an hour long outdoor photo shoot, and a minimum of 30 images edited in both colour and black & white. You can find out more information about these on my [website](#).

Please note, all of the extras available with the Platinum package can be selected individually, and added to the Gold package. Ask for more information when you get in touch.

Silver - £1500

Perfect if you only want partial day coverage.

This package includes everything that the Gold package does, just without the getting ready photographs.

You will receive a minimum of 450 photos.

The packages I have outlined should give you a better idea of what to expect with me as your photographer. I appreciate that all weddings are unique, so if you want to tweak your package to better suit your plans, just let me know, and I will put a bespoke quote together for you.

What to Expect

In the month or two before the wedding I have a pre-wedding consultation with all my clients, in order to give us a chance to meet, get to know each other a little, and so you can fill me in on all the exciting details of your big day, and we can come up with a plan to ensure your photos are the best they can be.

If you want to meet before booking me as your wedding photographer then just ask. It's a big decision and I want to make sure you are happy with your choice. Similarly, if you would like to see full galleries from past weddings then just let me know and I can send you a link.

Once you are ready to hire me, just let me know, and as long as your date is free, I will send you the booking forms. There is a small deposit to pay and a contract to sign. The remaining balance is then due 6 weeks prior to your wedding.

The deposit required for Silver is £500. For Gold it is £600. Platinum is £700.

Group Photographs

A lot of couples debate whether or not to have group photographs, and whilst they might not be the ones you'll hang on the wall, it is always lovely to have a visual reminder of all who shared your day, and in my experience parents and grandparents always appreciate these photos. That being said I will follow your direction, whether you want more formal group portraits or you want to use the opportunity to create something a bit different, the choice is yours.

I am also aware of how much time can be taken out of the day doing, what can feel like, endless group photos, so I do everything I can to ensure they run smoothly and that we get through all of the photos you want in a timely manner, so that you can get back to enjoying your day to the full.



Location

As you may have gathered from my website I am based in Swansea, but I cover all of South, West and Mid Wales as well as the Bristol area.

Generally speaking if your wedding is within 2 hours of SA4 it will be covered at no extra cost.

If you are getting married further afield, I love to travel, so do get in touch and I can tailor a quote just for you.

I am also available for Destination Weddings.



Engagement Sessions

A wonderful way to celebrate this special time is with an engagement session.

Not only is it a chance for us to meet beforehand, we can also get some beautiful images of you both, and without the time constraints of the Wedding day.

Engagement Sessions cost £350. You will get an hour long outdoor photo shoot, and a minimum of 30 images edited in both colour and black & white.

Please note, an engagement session is included with the Platinum package.



Wedding Albums

In my opinion these albums are a perfect way to ensure you always have a visual reminder of your special day to share with loved ones in the years to come.

If you are interested in purchasing an album then let me know when you get in touch and I will send you a brochure with a lot more information and a full price sheet.

It is also possible to order mini 6x6 duplicate copies of your album, ideal for gifting to parents.

To give you an idea of prices, 10x10 albums start from **£275**, and 12x12 albums start from **£320**.

Please note, a 10x10 wedding album is included as part of the Platinum package.

What Next?

Well I think that covers everything you might want to know. But if not, don't hesitate to ask!
You can also visit the [FAQ page on my website.](#)

Now you just need to get in touch letting me know the date of your wedding and we can see if I am available.

I look forward to hearing from you.

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