## To Hire Beachpeople Weddings & Photography

# \*\*\* PAPERLESS INSTRUCTIONS \*\*\*

- 1. Fill this Contract on-screen then,
- 2. SAVE A COPY NOW on your device,
- 3. THEN email us THAT <u>NEWLY SAVED file</u> you just made

-OR- Print it, write on it, THEN scan/email it to us: kiss@beachpeopleweddings.com

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- 1) First, you send us an email or call, to confirm our availability for your date/time/location, and we answer your questions
- 2) TEMPORARY HOLD we REPLY TO CONFIRM we put a Temporarily Hold your date/time for 7 DAYS while waiting for your retainer and contract to arrive. On the 8th day we must re-open your date for other interested couples, unless you contact us for an extension AND no one else is waiting. Sending us the Retainer fee locks in your date/time with us permanently.
- 3) NEXT, FILL & FOLLOW STEPS on next Pages & send us this Contract: kiss@beachpeopleweddings.com (or PO Box 6385, Ocean Isle Beach NC 28469.
- 4) RETAINER: half (50%) of the Grand Total Due and deducted from the Total. WE SEND YOU A LINK! Other half due on Day-of or sooner. We offer 6 ways:
  - 1. PAYPAL: but please IGNORE their checkbox "Paying for goods or a service." You already have a better, full guarantee of our services with this signed Contract. NOTE: if you check that box then we are NOT paid in full.

OR on Paypal, send to: kiss@beachpeopleweddings.com as 'Sending to a Friend'.

- 2. CREDIT or DEBIT CARD (accepts all plastic: Visa, M/C, Discover, Diners Club, JCB), For payment link; kiss@beachpeopleweddings.com
- 3. MONEY ORDER or CASHIER'S CHECK Payable to David Sears or Margo Sears, PO Box 6385, Ocean Isle Beach NC 28469. NO personal checks.
- 4. CASH: U.S. currency only, in person.

#### **4A) TRAVEL FEE:**

NO travel fee for Ocean Isle Beach NC, Sunset Beach NC, Cherry Grove SC, North Myrtle Beach SC! \$25 beach permit for ceremony: North Myrtle Beach. We serve over 75 beaches/cities year-round. Fee is for EACH roundtrip for us (ceremony & if it applies, the rehearsal):

- \$30 for Holden Beach NC, Oak Island NC, Southport NC, Caswell Beach NC
- \$60 for Wilmington NC, Wrightsville NC, Myrtle Beach SC, Surfside SC, Garden City SC = \$50 (2-3 hours roundtrip)
- \$100 Carolina Beach NC, Kure Beach NC, Surf City NC, Topsail NC, Murrells Inlet SC, Huntington State Park (3-4 hrs roundtrip)
- \$200 Emerald Isle NC, Litchfield SC, Pawley's Island SC, Georgetown SC (4-6 hours roundtrip **AND YOU GET FREE PERKS!** with this price--up to \$150-worth of Add-Ons from our Special Perks Choices List (see Advice Page on our website).
- 5) AVOID a Late Start- PLEASE BE ON TIME! This is VERY important! GUESTS NEED TO BE ON THE CEREMONY SITE 15 MINS PRIOR. A late start delays our other clients that same day after you. Please start your ceremony ON TIME. Tell all guests "BE AT CEREMONY SITE 15 MINUTES AHEAD."
- 6) Please make every effort to know your wedding location in advance, so that you and your guests Arrive on Time!
- 7) RAIN: we do NOT provide rain back-up locations or any ceremony site. That is your responsibility (but we happily offer good ideas, when possible).
- 8) **SUPPLIES:** if wanted, you are responsible for the following ceremonial items: Gift Roses or Shells, Wedding Broom, Unity Candles and Handfasting cords. We supply sand ceremony & glass bottle for our staff only. When ordered, we supply: 2 Ropes, 4 seashell Leis, lightbulb & wrapping, or family Gift Shells.
- 9) CANCELLATION or RESCHEDULE POLICIES: First reschedule is free, subsequent reschedules are \$100/each & reschedule due to weather are free. Retainer amount is non-refundable. If you cancel or re-schedule, the Retainer becomes a Credit with us toward future services (like photos or ceremony). This is a legal and binding Contract. If you cancel, then depending on the circumstances, Beachpeople Weddings retains the option to release you from your obligation to pay. If you cancel, monies paid over the retainer amount are refunded ASAP. In all cases, retainer becomes a non-transferable Credit to the payee within 36 months (3 years) from cancellation date (not wedding/service date).
- 10) WHAT HAPPENS NEXT? Once we get your Retainer and Contract in hand (1-5 above), we sign it, mark Retainer PAID, email a copy back to you with next steps instructions for planning with us. THEN about 40 days prior to wedding date, by email we book a required phone appointment with you for "1-month-prior planning" (customize your vows, legal info, license, answer questions, ring safety, photos, location, dress, etc) THEN, on The Day we arrive at least 30 mins early to set up, then perform services on the agreed time.

#### THE FINE PRINT:

**THIS IS A LEGAL CONTRACT!** All parties must fulfill financial obligations on schedule. Clients (you) and Guests must adhere to the stated time, though the Officiant may adjust it if available. If the ceremony begins late due to unforeseen circumstances, the Officiant may modify the script for time, except for legally required wording. Advising is optional but available upon request.

EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES: Vendors will allow time for unforeseen issues and try to accommodate. If vendors cannot perform due to circumstances like illness, accidents, weather, or other causes, they will provide a substitute and notify you. Vendors are not liable for any damages from delays or non-performance. If the ceremony is delayed by 15 minutes or more, the Officiant may shorten the ceremony or reschedule. Vendors are not responsible for extra equipment costs. Retainer fees are non-refundable but can be credited for up to 36 months. Extra payments will be refunded as soon as possible.

RESCHEDULING: The first reschedule is free; subsequent ones are \$100 each unless caused by acts of God.If a valid marriage license is not provided before the ceremony, it will be symbolic only and not legally binding.

For photography services, contact Margo Ross Sears directly at kiss@beachpeopleweddings.com for any additional photos or edits. Lifetime printing rights are limited to those named in the Permission Letter on the flash drive. Vendors are not responsible for damage after shipping. Replacement flash drives or extra copies can be purchased. We offer free cloud storage for backups for 10 years, but we recommend making your own backups immediately.

### Step 1: Check ✓ALL YOUR CHOICES, BELOW:

\$300 | OFFICIANT / MINISTER includes custom Vows, Sand Ceremony & Bottle, sand & seashell Art Heart, Shell Horn Herald, all contacts/calls/texts/emails, referrals, advice, etc.

- \$60 | Medium Honeymoon Basket, Certificate, choice of Drink, glass Flutes, fine Chocolate, Candle, handmade Soap, whelk shell, more!
- \$120 | Large Honeymoon Basket, Certificate, choice of Drink, variety gourmet Chocolates, fine-milled Candle, handmade honey Soap, gourmet Cheese & Crackers, snack Nuts, gourmet saltwater Taffy, glass Flutes, whelk shell, fancy reusable Basket & more!
- \$6 | Keepsake Certificate, frameable, calligraphy, embossed, gold seal, filigree-cut corners, signatures
- \$10 | Tying the Knot, we provide 2 white silky ropes
- \$36 | 4 Gifts from the Sea, we provide 4 seashell handcrafted Leis that you keep
- \$10 | Native American Rite of 7 Steps
- \$6 | Stone Toss Ceremony, we provide stones
- \$6 | Kids, Guests or Family Vows
- \$6 | First Gifts between the Couple, you provide 2 Gifts
- \$30 | Gratitude Gifting Shells, we provide 1 4 Fancy Seashells
- \$6 | Rings Blessing & Warming
- \$6 | Family Broom Jump, you provide Broom
- \$6 | Handfasting, you provide cords
- \$6 | Jewish Glass Smash, we provide 1 lightbulb, hard board, wrapping
- \$6 | Memorial Ceremony
- \$30 | Live Wooden Flute Music by David Sears
- \$80 | PA System, **Your Songs**, 100 watts power, battery, 2 mics, labor to haul out & away, cords for ANY cellphone or iPod.
- \$10 | Bouquet Rental, artificial, florist-made--please mark which color:

pink coral blue purple white/yellow

Step 2: ADD UP MARKED OFFICIANT & CEREMONY ITEMS:

* FOR	Ch Rd Ro Wh Non	Allergy?	Both age 21+?	RISE	COUNT
OFFICE	Sw Md Dr XD	Pref?	Y N	SET	
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(Date)

WEDMATE 2/ CLIENT SIGNATURE (type name or sign)