Michigan’s Most Beautiful Ballroom.

Built in the 1930s by Henry Ford for his own entertaining and dances led by instructor Benjamin Lovett. Begin your celebration in the lobby, adjoining library and two garden courtyards, for your cocktail reception or ceremony. The grand staircase leads into the ballroom and foyer with lovely windows, 40-foot ceilings, enormous paired decorative fireplaces, Burmese teak floors and stunning crystal chandeliers.

Pro tip: Follow @THFEvents on Instagram for more images and ideas.

On-Site Ceremony

Lovett Lobby or Ginger Meyer Garden* can be reserved for your on-site ceremony when paired with our Lovett Dinner Reception. Fee of $1,100 includes 1-hour ceremony and photos, plus 45-minute preparation. The Henry Ford will prepare the space, seating and provide a Guest Services ceremony host. If desired, an additional 1-hour rehearsal can be confirmed for the week of your wedding, within 60 days of your event, based on availability.

*If Ginger Meyer Garden is selected (available May-September), the Lovett Lobby will be reserved as the alternative indoor location in case of inclement weather (to include rain, heat, wind, etc.), and your cocktail reception will move to the Lovett Ballroom Foyer. The Henry Ford will “call” the weather by noon one (1) business day prior to the event.

Pro tip: Ask about alternate dates for special savings.

Food & Beverage

The Henry Ford is Michigan’s most award-winning event destination and boasts a full-service menu of offerings.

No outside food or beverages are permitted, with the exception of wedding cakes.

There will be a minimum food and beverage expenditure based on your specific day/date.

Capacity

Recommended for 160 to 300 guests.

For sample diagrams and 360 venue views, visit Lovett Hall Virtual Diagram.

Timing

Events begin as early as 6:30 p.m.

Events conclude as late as 1:00 a.m.

Optional ceremony as early as 6:00 p.m.

Sunday hours flexible for Lovett Hall events only.

Facility Fee

$3,500 includes venue, set-up, parking, security and cleaning.

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Set-Up and Services

The Henry Ford provides the following foundation items for your event:

- Guest tables are 60-inch round with white floor-length linen set for 8 guests. Limited 72-inch round tables set for up to 10 guests are available upon request at no additional charge.
- Classic white china, bar/stemware and flatware; optional hurricane lamp and table numbers.
- Mahogany Chiavari chairs with matching brown pad (500-pound capacity).
- High and low cocktail tables with white floor-length linen and three votives are included, as fitting, with receptions. Additional tables are available at $35 each.
- Cake and/or ceremonial bread table, 36-inch round with white floor-length linen, is complimentary with all wedding packages.
- Auxiliary tables (6 or 8 feet long) with white floor-length linen are available for items such as gifts, escort cards, DJ and head table.
- Ceremony includes mahogany resin chairs (1,000-pound capacity) and auxiliary tables with white floor-length linen, as fitting.
- Custom diagram of event set-up and design, including online collaboration tool for seating, is available at [Lovett Hall Virtual Diagram](#).

Enhance your event with your signature style using the following guidelines.

- The Henry Ford professionals manage optional upgraded services and decor at additional cost:

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- Your selected vendor is welcome at The Henry Ford for the following items and services only:

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- Bring us your small personalized items, including guest favors, escort cards, family photos, programs, menu cards, guest book, ceremonial candle, cake knife and/or ceremonial toasting flutes. The Henry Ford will ensure they are set and ready for your event. Please deliver these items to the sales department 2-3 days prior to your event (with appropriate labels and instructions). We will also assist you in removing your personal items at the end of the evening.

Pro tips: Need vendor recommendations? The Henry Ford has an excellent list of experienced professionals for our clients. For best success, review the Vendor Guidelines and Hold Harmless Agreement with each vendor during your selection process.

Additional services and decor subject to 6% tax and 6% service fee. Minimum orders, delivery and/or set-up fee may apply. As of 2/1/2024.