



# WEDDINGS AT SQUAM LAKES NATURAL SCIENCE CENTER

Bring your wedding Nearer to Nature. Squam Lakes Natural Science Center is the perfect location for your wedding ceremony and/or reception. Ideally located on the channel of Squam Lake, the Science Center offers two locations, Fox Meadow and Kirkwood Gardens, and charter cruises to Chocorua "Church" Island.

For questions or more information please contact Joy Huke, Membership and Events Coordinator, at [joy.huke@nhnature.org](mailto:joy.huke@nhnature.org) or 603-968-7194 x 146.

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## FOX MEADOW

For ceremonies and receptions  
May through October  
Capacity: 350  
\$5,000

Fox Meadow is a flat, grassy, half-acre field located directly across from the Science Center's Lake Cruise Headquarters on beautiful Squam Lake; and a short walk from Kirkwood Gardens. It is open to the south and east.

Work with our premier partner, Lakes Region Tent and Event, to create a wedding reception like no other!



### ***Fox Meadow Includes:***

- Use of the field
- Indoor Restrooms
- Private Parking Lot
- Electricity and Water
- Science Center staff on-site





# KIRKWOOD GARDENS

For wedding ceremonies only  
Mid-June through mid-October  
Capacity: 200  
\$2,500 (4 hours)

Kirkwood Gardens includes both shade and sun beds planted with a wide variety of blooming flowers, trees, shrubs, and ferns adapted to the northern New England climate. Plants that are attractive to birds, bees, and butterflies are central to the garden's design.

A series of granite steps lead from the shaded upper garden to the sunny, informal lower garden. A beautiful wooden pergola covered with a variety of vines is located at the west end of the lower garden. A perfect setting to exchange nuptials.



## **Kirkwood Gardens Includes:**

- Ceremony under the pergola, lower lawn
- Cocktail Reception Venue, upper lawn
- Bar Venue on the Bluestone Patio
- Ceremony Rehearsal, day before
- Indoor Restrooms
- Private Parking Lot
- Electricity and Water
- Science Center staff on-site



# BOAT CHARTERS TO CHURCH ISLAND

Mid-May through mid-October  
Capacity: 20-25 per boat  
\$375 per hour per boat

Couples looking to exchange their nuptials on Church Island must secure their date prior to reserving their Lake Cruise Wedding Shuttle (*churchisland.org*).

Our experienced captains will bring your guests to Chocorua "Church" Island on our comfortable covered pontoon boats. Or host a cocktail party or other unique Squam Lake gathering. We can customize charters to fit your specific needs.

Four boats are available.

Please contact *Erick Amero, Operations Manager*, at *erick.amero@nhnature.org* or *603-968-7194 x 110* for all charter related inquiries.



Squam Lakes Natural Science Center members receive at 15% facility rental discount. Ask us about discounted trail passes for your wedding party and guests.

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