

Services

Pop-up Elopement

Office Wedding

Civic Centre Wedding

Officiating Services for all other Civil Marriages

Curated Gift Basket of Local Goods

Council Chamber Rental for Weddings Performed by Outside Officiants







Who Can Marry

Love knows no bounds, and neither do we. In Ontario, anyone 18 or older is welcome to marry, regardless of gender, sexual orientation, identity, or country of origin. Whether you're a local or visiting from abroad, you're welcome here.

You must meet the legal requirements to marry, which is providing us two valid, unexpired pieces of government-issued ID, and if previously married which ended in divorce or annulment, an original or certified true copy of the paperwork.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact us at <u>clerks@fortfrances.ca</u>.





Pon-un Elgennents \$500

- Just show up and get married!
- We handle the setup, the decor, and even the ceremony!
- You apply for your marriage licence online.
- Choose a pre-scheduled Pop-Up Elopement date.
- We pick the beautiful location (with Council Chambers as a backup if it's rainy or needs to be moved)
- You bring your witnesses (or we provide for an extra fee)
- Up to 6 couples per date can tie the knot!

Office Manage \$350

Perfect for those who have ceremonies planned but just need the legal part done!

- Apply for your marriage licence online.
- Contact <u>clerks@fortfrances.ca</u> with your preferred weekday date.
- You bring your witnesses (or we provide for an extra fee)
- Only the legal wording will be used.
- Marriage takes place in the Office of the Municipal Clerk.
- Be legally married within 30 minutes.





Civic Centhe Ceremony \$548.50

- Get married indoors in the Council Chambers or, weather permitting, outdoors
- Can personalize ceremony
- Bring up to 75 guests if indoors
- Bring your own decorations or use the Town of Fort Frances decorations
- Meet with your officiant beforehand
- Have your marriage licence issuing appointment beforehand





Evening/Weekend/ Off-Site Ceremony

\$661.50

- Your wedding, we show up!
- Evenings, weekends, or any weddings that are outside of Town limits
- Can personalize ceremony
- Meet with your officiant beforehand
- Have your marriage licence issuing appointment beforehand
- Council Chambers is available for booking and decorating with up to 30 guests, with up to 75 guests for additional fee (covering three hours of staff time)
- Mileage added into fees if outside Town of Fort Frances limits





Locations

Here are some of the places we offer for Pop-Up Weddings and as an add-on for a weekday location (Council Chambers always booked as backup when outdoors):

- Civic Centre
- La Verendrye Parkway
- 8th Street Trails (Fall/Winter)
- Town Parks
- Town facilities (with approval of Recreation and Culture)

Want your wedding at a local business?

Make sure to reach out to them for their permission!

Are you a local business wanting to partner in Pop-Up Elopements? Contact clerks@fortfrances.ca.

GIFT Basket Add-on \$84.75

Something special to remember your day? Order a gift basket worth \$75 +HST - every dollar is spent on you! Contains 1 bottle of Sparkling Juice. Other items curated of locally made and/or purchased goods from Fort Frances stores. Let us know beforehand if you prefer: Adventure & Waterside Fishing & Boating Eco-Tourism/Nature Local Indigenous Culture Arts & Culture Cabin Coffee/Tea & Cozy Anything/Everything Fort Frances

Further Add-ons

REHEARSAL

 Rehearsal fee - \$84.75 (and mileage if outside of Town of Fort Frances limits)

WITNESSES

Two witnesses are required to get married. They cannot be an interpreter, and cannot be your officiant. They must be able to understand what they're witnessing and signing. The Town can provide staff to act as witness for a fee.

- 1 Witness \$28.25
- 2 Witnesses \$56.50





Council Chambers Rental

Are you wanting to get married in the Council Chambers, but you have your own officiant?

Or are you an external officiant and you want to do your own ceremonies at an affordable venue?

Our Council Chambers are available for rent during weekday office hours!
Contact us at <u>clerks@fortfrances.ca</u> for availability and inquiries, and to enter into a booking agreement.

- 1 hour \$56.50
- 4 hours \$141.25
- Full Day \$282.50





