

Standard hire rates for The Beacon (rates are inclusive of VAT)



Hourly room hire

Capacity

Room	Peak Hourly rate	Off Peak Hourly rate (Mon- Wed 12pm – 3:00pm)	Board	Standing	Theatre	Banquet
The Ridgeway (hall only)	£64	£48 (9am – 3:00pm)	80	400	348	160
The Lockinge	£33	£28	50	120	100	N/A
The Challow	£21.50	£18.50	25	40	40	N/A
The Hanney	£21.50	£18.50	25	40	40	N/A
The Sparsholt	£15	£13	10	10	N/A	N/A
Bar open for private events	£30 per hour					
Pre-9am hire	£52.50/per hire (in addition to standard hourly rate)					
After 11pm hire	£52.50/per hire (in addition to standard hourly rate)					

Children's Bouncy parties

Children's bouncy castle party packages are available from £200 Please view our party package offers at www.beaconwantage.co.uk/hire-us

Available with hire
Advance room set-up
Wi-Fi
Sound system (exc Challow and Sparsholt)
Flip charts
Projector & screen (Lockinge & Hanney only)
Refreshments (chargeable)

Contact us to check availability and to receive a tailored quote for your event:
beacon.wantage@whitehorsedc.gov.uk
 01235 763456
www.beaconwantage.co.uk/hire-us/
 or pop in to see us at The Beacon, Portway, Wantage OX12 9BX

Regular community room hire rates for The Beacon* (rates are inclusive of VAT)



Hourly room hire

Capacity

Room	Peak Hourly rate	Off Peak Hourly rate (Mon- Wed 12pm – 3pm)	Board	Standing	Theatre	Banquet
The Ridgeway (hall only)	£51	£38.50 (9am – 3pm)	80	400	348	160
The Lockinge	£26.50	£22.50	50	120	100	N/A
The Challow	£17	£14.50	25	40	40	N/A
The Hanney	£17	£14.50	25	40	40	N/A
The Sparsholt	£14.50	£12.50	10	10	N/A	N/A
Pre-9am & after 11pm hire	£52.50/per hire (in addition to standard hourly rate)					

Additional offers

New Hirer Introductory rate – New regular class hirers can benefit from off peak hire rates at any time for the first month*

School Holiday Offer – All hirers can benefit from off peak rates during school holidays at any time**

Terms and conditions

*defined as weekly bookings for minimum of two months – bookers must confirm 2 months of hires to qualify for the new hirer rate, and not have had regular hires at the Beacon in the last 2 years

**Regular hirers will receive the regular off peak rate, Standard hires will receive the standard off peak rate

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Performance Hires at The Beacon (rates are inclusive of VAT)



Performance Hires are available to:

- Amateur theatre companies,
- Local choirs, orchestras and silver bands,
- Dance schools and youth drama groups,
- Community performance groups,
- Self-produced shows not seeking to be part of The Beacon's curated programme

Room	Mon-Thu Full day	Mon-Thu Half day	Fri & Sat Day	Full	Fri & Sat Half day
Entire Venue	£1500.00	£750.00	£1500.00		£950.00
The Ridgeway - Performance package*	£650.00	£450.00	£650.00		£450.00
Additional Technician (minimum 4 hours)	£31.50/hr	£31.50/hr	£31.50/hr		£31.50/hr

Ridgeway performance package includes:

Sound, light, and 1x technician
(see tech spec for full list of equipment included in cost)

Use of the Ridgeway with seating for up to 348

Two side-stage dressing rooms

An event manager and front of house support

An event listing on the Beacons website and use of the venues professional ticketing platform

Ticketing and Commission

All public or paid events must be ticketed through The Beacon*

The Beacon will retain a 15% commission on all ticket income.

Ticket income is returned to the hirer minus:

- 15% commission
- PRS (Performing Rights Society) fees (if applicable)
- Credit card processing charges (if applicable)

Hirers will receive a full box office return post-show and will invoice The Beacon for the final amount.

*(Private, free events may self-manage ticketing if not advertised to the public with prior consent from the venue.)

Contact and Booking

- Contact us to check availability
- Complete a booking form
- We'll issue an invoice for your deposit
- A full contract will follow closer to the event

Note: The Performance Hire package is not available to professional acts (including tribute acts, comedians, and musicians). These artists must apply to be part of The Beacon's curated programme: beacon.wantage@whitehorsedc.gov.uk