

# PREFERRED VENDORS

## PLANNER

### Camille Victoria Weddings LLC

[www.camillevictoriaweddings.com](http://www.camillevictoriaweddings.com)

[\(708\)-628-7323](tel:7086287323)

Camille Victoria Weddings LLC is an award-winning wedding and event planning company, serving the Chicagoland area for more than 14 years! As a leader in the events industry, we've been featured and quoted as an expert in Martha Stewart Weddings, Glamour, Real Simple, and more! Our goal is always to make both the planning experience and the day-of fun, special, and memorable by taking the stress off. Our experienced team provides personal attention, care, and excitement to every event. We offer packages from Day Of Coordination to Full Service Planning to fit a variety of planning needs. Let us help plan your perfect day!

### Wedicity Wedding Planning

[www.wed-icity.com](http://www.wed-icity.com)

[\(614\)-432-2334](tel:6144322334)

Full-service wedding planning firm focusing on small details and big design! From design ideation to the "I Do's" - We approach planning with a detail-oriented process, white-glove experience, and wholistic design all backed by vetted experience!

### Fueled Events-Event Management

[www.fueledevents.com](http://www.fueledevents.com)

[\(614\)432-2334](tel:6144322334)

Fueled Events is an experiential event planning firm specializing in events fueled with passion, heart and purpose. With over a decade in event production, design and logistics; we bring a service-first approach to meetings, conferences, galas, retreats, incentives and special events!

## RENTALS

### Halls Rental

[www.hallsrental.com](http://www.hallsrental.com)

[\(847\) 929-2222](tel:8479292222)

Since 1958, Hall's Rental has been a family owned and operated full-service party and event equipment rental company. Located in our 125,000 square foot warehouse in Niles, Illinois, Hall's has an extensive and varied inventory of chairs, tables, tabletop settings, and catering equipment.

### Tablescapes

[www.tablescapes.com](http://www.tablescapes.com)

[\(312\) 733-9700](tel:3127339700)

Tablescapes Event Rentals serves as Chicago's premier event rental company. Owned and operated by proud and dedicated team members. When a quality experience is what you need, Tablescapes Event Rentals is who you can trust. With 36 years in the business, and over 200,000 events serviced, the best is yet to come!

## TENTS

### ProEM

[www.proem.com](http://www.proem.com)

[\(847\)-967-6800](tel:8479676800)

ProEm National Event Services provides tent structures, flooring, staging & lighting with complete event management from beginning to end. Serving the entire Midwest along with support from locations in Phoenix, LA & Orlando makes ProEm a great local & national partner.

## LINENS

### BBJ Latavola

[www.bbjlatavola.com](http://www.bbjlatavola.com)

[\(847\) 933-4600](tel:8479334600)

Bring your vision to life with BBJ La Tavola Specialty Linen. Our products are purposefully eclectic to fit any theme or style you're after. Our service is second-to-none when it comes to turning your inspiration into reality. Let's create an unforgettable event.

## Chair Covers by Sylwia

[www.chaircoversbysylwia.com](http://www.chaircoversbysylwia.com)

**(708) 294-5200**

We are a fine linen and chair rental company serving Chicagoland and NW Indiana since 2001. Our eye for detail, quality and service earns us an impeccable reputation among venues, vendors, party planners and brides. We offer a variety of accessories, colors and fabrics to make your next event look spectacular and breathtaking!

## Windy City Linens

[www.windycitylinens.com](http://www.windycitylinens.com)

**(224) 279-1500**

Windy City Linen was founded in 2008 to serve the event linen industry. In just a short time, Windy City Linen became an industry leader.

Leveraging off 30 years of experience in the textile care, manufacturing, and retail sectors, Windy City Linen saw an opportunity to serve the industry. We strive to exceed our customers' expectations by providing the best products available, paired with unparalleled service.

While our selection of linen styles and colors have grown dramatically, two things have remained constant since our humble beginnings: our total dedication to our customers and our drive to constantly improve. Windy City Linen delivers quality linens – every time.

## DJ's AND BANDS

### DJ Chicago

[www.dj-chicago.com](http://www.dj-chicago.com)

**(773) 472-5100**

Established in 2000, DJ-Chicago has set the standard for the DJ industry in Chicago for the past 24 years. DJ-Chicago offers the most client-forward DJ experience available, encouraging clients to be as specific or as open-ended as they care to be with their musical selections. Since our inception, our number one priority has been simple, to meet or exceed our client's expectations, and deliver an unparalleled DJ service.

## Love Ent by Milk Majer

[www.milkmajer.com](http://www.milkmajer.com)

**(773) 206-8513**

Trusted to open for Pauly D, Skrillex, and Kesha, by companies such as the CrossFit Games, Shape Magazine, and pro sports teams, Love Ent by Milk Majer is not a typical DJ company servicing weddings in Chicago, the Midwest, and nationwide. Love Ent by Milk Majer is the trendsetting, Hall of Fame winning, DJ solution that helps you love your wedding. Whether you prefer viral Tik-Tok hits, hip-hop, and EDM or pop, classics, and throwbacks; this love radiating, accommodating, artist of a DJ guides your wedding on a transcendental adventure of musical euphoria reflecting your personality. His energetic style, creative mixing ability, and crowd-pleasing music selection will leave you and your guests talking about how much fun they had for years to come.

## Spinnin Discs Ron Hernandez

[www.spinnindiscs.com](http://www.spinnindiscs.com)

**(847) 818-8330**

Spinnin Discs is a comprehensive DJ service based in Chicago, dedicated to crafting unique and tailored events. Our guiding principle is to ensure our clients enjoy an exceptional journey from the initial planning stages to the final performance. This commitment is upheld through effective communication, unwavering accountability, and the collaboration of a team comprised of passionate and highly skilled DJs.

## PHOTOGRAPHERS/VIDEOGRAPHERS

### Tori Soper Photography (Corporate Photography)

[hello@torisoper.com](mailto:hello@torisoper.com)

**(773) 315-1350**

As the leading event photographer in Chicago, Tori and her team excel at capturing the big moments and the smallest elements of each corporate event. Whether it's a distinguished keynote speaker, a panelist of industry leaders, a brand launch, fund-raising galas, or a team-building activity, we'll preserve your special event in perfect detail.

## Nick Yi Photography

[www.skyyflair.net](http://www.skyyflair.net)

**(847) 295-3474**

Husband and wife team, Nick and Liz, are dedicated to filming the highlights of your big day. From the preparations to the I do's, heartfelt speeches and fun candid moments; from the first dance to the final send off, they're there every step of the day to deliver you a cinematic memory to share with each other as you journey through life together.

## Being Joy Photography

[joy@beingjoyphotography.com](mailto:joy@beingjoyphotography.com)

**(630) 890-1893**

If you've chosen Brookfield Zoo for your wedding or event, you've already picked a venue full of personality and natural beauty. As an animal lover, I'm completely in my element there and know how to work with the space, the light, and the unique energy of the zoo to create images that feel joyful, polished, and full of life. You focus on celebrating. I'll make sure every meaningful moment is beautifully documented.

## FLORISTS

### Phillip's Flowers

Coordinate directly with your Sales Manager

Our award winning floral business, Phillip's Flowers & Gifts of Westmont Illinois is celebrating 101 years founded in Cicero-1923 by James & Helen Phillip and is still owned and operated by seven family members spanning three generations. We've blossomed from a single location to six flowers shops, a Design Center and a Commercial Interior Plantscape Division.

Our event specialists and wedding consultants work with each client individually to select just the right flowers, colors, styles, and accents. We welcome the opportunity to custom design something wonderful for your special day!

## Flowers by Stem

[www.flowersbystem.com](http://www.flowersbystem.com)

**(773) 852-4680**

Flowers by Stem specializes in sustainable, hand-crafted, luxury floral design for weddings and events in and around the Chicago area. Owner Stephanie Stopka founded Flowers by Stem in 2005 on the idea that the key to beautiful design is a personal, hand-crafted approach. To this day, Stephanie oversees every design detail, from initial design consultation to plans for final set-up. Sustainability is a core tenant to our business - we source locally during the Midwest growing season, have fully eliminated the use of flower foam (a toxic material often used by florists), we compost / recycle all materials, donate flowers to local nursing homes, and more. We look forward to creating with you!

## DECORATORS

### Prestige Wedding Decoration Company

[www.prestigeweddecor.com](http://www.prestigeweddecor.com)

**(847) 722-6671**

At Prestige Wedding Decoration Company, we are passionate about transforming your special moments into unforgettable celebrations. We take pride in offering a wide array of event and wedding decoration services that cater to every aspect of your decor needs. Whether you're planning an elegant wedding, a corporate event, or a private party in the Chicagoland region, we are here to make your vision come to life.

## CAKES, BAKERIES & CANDY

### Alliance Bakery

Coordinate directly with your Sales Manager

Alliance Bakery is an award-winning bakery with 2 retail stores in Chicago creating amazing, decorated cakes, French pastries and desserts.

From Classic Wedding cakes to modern desserts, we customize special occasion cakes and desserts throughout the day.

### Sugar Fixe Patisserie

[www.sugarfixe.com](http://www.sugarfixe.com)

**(708) 948-7720**

Sugar Fixe Patisserie is a gourmet pastry shop and cake boutique located in downtown Oak Park. Since 2011, we have been handcrafting desserts combining classic European traditions with American styles. All desserts are made from scratch using high quality ingredients. *\*We are a peanut free facility*

## Fill My Jar

[www.fillmyjar.com](http://www.fillmyjar.com)

(708)-905-5555

Crafted with Passion, Shared with Joy: Step into the world of Fill My Jar Candy Company, where our skilled team is dedicated to enhancing your moments with sweetness. Established in 2015, Fill My Jar is not just a confectionery; it's a celebration of Annette Pardun's collective passion and commitment to creating delightful treats.

Annette & her team are driven by a shared love for crafting delicious confections that meticulously prepare every jar of their handcrafted candies with care. When you choose Fill My Jar, you're not just getting a sweet indulgence; you're inviting a piece of their dedication to bringing you joy to your celebrations.

As founder & owner of Fill My Jar, Annette takes pride in the care and consideration put into every aspect of our candies. From crafting small batches to thoughtful packaging, we aim to make your experience with Fill My Jar special and memorable.

## ECBG

[www.fillmyjar.com](http://www.fillmyjar.com)

(312) 508-3515

Located in West Town in Chicago, ECBG Cake Studio specializes in bold, beautiful, modern wedding cakes and dessert tables made with intention and care. At ECBG we know cake is more than just dessert. It signifies the passing of time, the love we share, and life's sweetest indulgences. Schedule your wedding cake tasting for your delicious experience now!

## HOTELS

### Hyatt House Oakbrook

[www.hyatt.com](http://www.hyatt.com)

(630)-590-1200

Located just 10 minutes from Brookfield Zoo, Hyatt House Chicago / Oak Brook offers all the comforts of home including free parking and Wi-Fi, complimentary breakfast, grocery delivery service and more. Modern, pet-friendly guestrooms and apartment-style suites with full kitchens await a well as 24/7 fitness and business centers. When you're ready to relax, take a dip in the indoor pool or hit the links at the nearby Oak Brook Golf Club. There are plenty of shopping and restaurants all located within a mile of our extended stay hotel.

### Four Points Westchester/Oakbrook

[www.marriott.com](http://www.marriott.com)

(708) 409-1000

Less than 4 Miles from Brookfield Zoo. A convenient Hotel located between O'Hare and Midway, that has contemporary and cozy guest rooms. We offer an onsite restaurant for Breakfast and Dinner that serves an American Fare. Our hotel has other amenities including being Pet Friendly, a 550 Sq Ft Meeting Space and a 24/7 Fitness Center.

### William Tell Hotel MOD Collection by Sonesta

[jermaine@thewthotel.com](mailto:jermaine@thewthotel.com)

(708) 354-4200

Located only 6 miles from the Brookfield Zoo Chicago, our hotel offers spacious rooms with small refrigerators and microwaves for added convenience. Perfect for after a full day of meetings or celebrations with plenty of room to unwind. Your guests will enjoy a seamless and stress-free stay experience from start to finish.

## OFFICIANTS

### Reverend Emmy Lou

Coordinate directly with your Sales Manager

The Rev. Emmy Lou Belcher will create a ceremony especially tailored for you. She invites you to help her do that. She has officiated for hundreds of weddings, naming and baptismal and memorial services for people of many faith traditions during 30 years of ministering to Unitarian Universalist congregations.

### Reverend Denise Tracy

Coordinate directly with your Sales Manager

Rev Denise Tracy specializes in helping you have the ceremony of your dreams. Religious or Spiritual or not? Thanking your parents? Telling your story? She will help you craft a ceremony that is unique to you. She will help you enjoy the experience.

## TRANSPORTATION

### Aries Charter

[www.ariescharter.com](http://www.ariescharter.com)

(773) 826-2000

Aries Charter is a family-owned business that has been providing excellent customer service for more than 34 years. Aries operates a modern fleet of over 60 vehicles, including motor coaches, mini-buses, trolleys and transit buses, and is a certified Minority Business Enterprise with both the State of Illinois and the City of Chicago.

Whether you need a 55-passenger coach bus rental for a corporate event, a trolley rental in Chicago for your wedding, a sprinter van rental for a night out, or a luxury sedan to the airport, Aries Charter Transportation can get you safely to your destination and back.

## EVENT ENTERTAINMENT

### Jensen Entertainment Inc

Coordinate directly with your Sales Manager

Jim Jensen and his amazing staff of Family Friendly and Interactive performers. For more than 30 years we have been providing full time professional entertainers for Corporate, Social and Family Events. Our performances can be customized to your group, theme or event!

At Jensen Entertainment our goal is not to meet your expectations, our goal is to exceed them! Jensen Entertainment Inc. Exceeding expectations for more than 30 years! Services includes: Interactive Game Shows, Magic shows or Close up Magicians, Photo Booths-Green Screen Event Pictures, Outdoor Movie Nights, Face Painters, Holiday Characters, Stilt Walkers-Jugglers and more!

### Kaman's Art Shoppes

Coordinate directly with your Sales Manager

Kaman's Art Shoppes is America's largest art, photo and specialty merchandise concessionaire company for theme parks and zoos. Our artists, photographers and retail staff will provide your guests with a unique entertainment experience plus a quality, personalized souvenir. We offer face painting, henna, caricatures and photo services for Brookfield Zoo Chicago.

## EVENT ENTERTAINMENT

### Spin-Spun

[www.spin-spun.com](http://www.spin-spun.com)

(312) 880-7786

Spin-Spun All-Natural Cotton Candy - A New Spin on an Old Favorite!

At Spin-Spun, we are passionate about our cotton candy. We love bringing our fun and interactive gourmet cotton candy experience to each and every one of our clients and their guests. With more than 50 "glowing" flavors, including our very popular "Spin-Spun Spirit Infusions," we help to make your special occasion even more uniquely memorable!

### Nadeau's Ice Sculptures

[www.nadeauice.com](http://www.nadeauice.com)

(708) 366-3333

America's Oldest Ice Sculpture facility.

We specialize in anything Ice and freeze out the competition. Great for parties, weddings, anniversaries, quinceaneras, birthdays, holidays, celebrations, and all-around fun. The coolest place in town since 1980!!

## FORMAL WEAR

### Essence Bridal and Formalwear

[www.essenceweddings.com](http://www.essenceweddings.com)

(847) 923-9800

Experience the magic of finding your dream wedding gown at Essence Wedding Center, where we blend 20 years of wedding expertise with breathtaking discounts of 40-80% off retail prices on designer bridal gowns. -We revolutionize the experience by offering affordable, high-quality, and stunningly beautiful bridesmaid dresses designed with love, by combining online pricing in a brick & mortar environment.

We ensure the men in your wedding party look sharp and feel confident. Leveraging our extensive experience, we bring you the latest in men's formalwear and suit styles and trends.