

# Why Van Abel's of Hollandtown Charge a Hall Rental ?

*We have a Hall Rental because it a savings for our guests rather than charging all the other miscellaneous fees that other venues charge.*

## **Here is a list of what you get at Van Abel's of Hollandtown:**

**Sound System:** Most Weddings announce the head table before dinner, lead the group in prayer before the meal., or toast the happy couple. The costs can range from \$50-\$200 that may be added to your bill or you will need to contract with your DJ to get this Service. Many places charge extra for this.

**Projector and Screen:** The costs of local venues range from \$125—\$200 for the use of this. Also there may be restrictions on how long your slide show can be at other places. We include this and we make it extra special. We dim the lights, stop clearing the tables, and wait for the wedding party to get out from behind the head table and cosy up with their guests to share the laughter and the tears. It truly creates a memorable moment. Many places charge extra for this.

**Card Box:** We provide a heavy wooden locked card box. You can even decorate it if you would like. Many Places charge from \$10 to \$25 for this.

**Podium for Guest Book:** We have a wooden podium that you may use to place your guest book on for your guests to sign in on. Most places charge from \$10 to \$25 for this

**Vases and Candle Holders:** We have taper candle holders and votive candle holders that you may use. The vases are a 8 inch cylinder that you can pick up the week of your wedding and give to your florist. Most places charge about \$1.00 per piece.

**Setup Charges:** There are no hidden setup charges at Van Abel's of Hollandtown. The cost of this at some places is \$1.50 per person. If you have 300 people this can be \$450.00 added to your bill.

Also included are linen napkins stuffed in water glasses. Also included are champagne/wine glasses with all champagne or wine purchases.



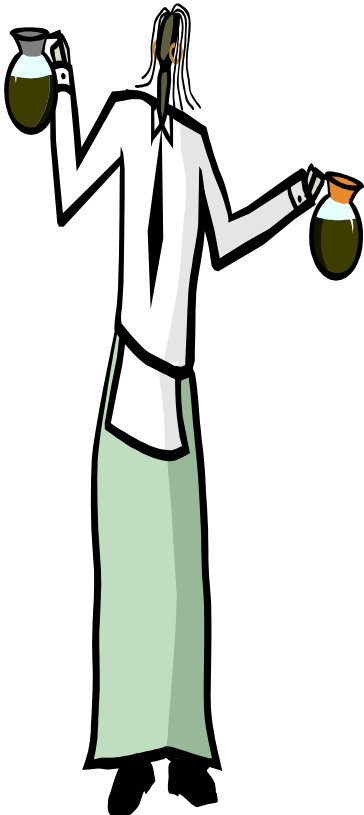
**Late Charge:** If you are 15 minutes late some places charge you a \$1.00 per person charge. If you have 300 people that would be \$300. We believe that your wedding dinner should be served when you are ready. We will talk to you 15 minutes before dinner and see if you are ready. If not, its not a problem. We understand that you need time to talk to your guests and gather your wedding party for the head table announcement. We are flexible and work to make your day perfect and enjoy your party

**Favors:** Need your favors placed on the tables for your event? Some places charge you \$1.00 per person for this service. Sounds like another \$300 charge.

**Staffing and Service:** Van Abel's prides itself on servicing your guests. We check and re-check your tables to make sure that your guests have all they need. It's a tradition that keeps generations choosing us for their family's events.

**Free Beer:** We charge you for what you consume not what we open. Let say that its 11:30pm and another half barrel is opened and only a quarter is used. At most places you would be charged for the entire half barrel. Not at Van Abel's. You would only be charged for what you used. Based on our pricing you would be charged an extra \$142.50 for that half.

**Gratuity:** We charge a 15% gratuity and many places charge 17% to 20% . On a \$6,700 with an 18% gratuity , the wedding bill can be an immediate extra \$200.00



**Ready for the total?**  
**If you add all the services that we provide  
in our Hall Rental Fee you  
would have paid \$1,800.**