



# Empty Nest Winery

## Venue Information ~ 2025

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Thanks for inquiring about Empty Nest Winery for your special event. Our goal is to make your event special, fun, as stress free as possible, we will try to accommodate your needs as much as possible to make this an awesome event! Information below about our venue for parties, anniversary, rehearsal dinners, bachelorette, bridal & baby showers.

- There is uplighting on the beams that can either be on or off but can't be moved or removed. Any decorating of the beams needs to be done by *Staymmeyer Signature Events (608) 792-5293*. You may decorate to your taste, but need to take it all with you when you leave. No nails, tacks, tape of any kind or screws on the walls, ceilings or beams. Command strips work best, any questions on this, please ask us.
- We can accommodate events up to 200 people. We will provide inside tables & seating for the event room you are renting. The cozy tasting room has wooden booths, tables, stools and chairs and is an intimate setting for about 70 people. The larger event room has white banquet tables and chairs and seats up to 135. Using both event & tasting rooms, we provide inside accommodations up to 200 people. Any questions, please ask.
- Any additional lights, decorations, candles, table linens, china, stemware, tents & chairs for outside, extension cords, DJ/music w/speakers inside or outside will be left up to you to obtain/retain and return. Questions, ask.
- We ask that you limit the amount of small candies used in decorating or snacking as they easily end up on the floor and are hard to clean up. No jewels/hard decorations as they permanently scratch the floor. If you choose to decorate with these, there will be an additional charge for cleanup/damage. If there is any physical damage inside or outside of the building or grounds, there will be additional charges to cover the repairs. Questions, ask.
- For alcohol at your event; we provide a bartender at \$50/4 hours. Our bar accommodates drink tickets, cash, or open bar to serve drinks; no underage drinking is allowed. Absolutely no alcohol or other beverages can be brought onto the premises, this is per state code. We serve can, tap & bottled beer, wine, sangrias, slushes, hard ciders, water, pop; no hard alcohol is allowed; a fine is added if any is found. Let us know 3 weeks in advance for drink requests. You may bring in non-alcoholic punch or we can make it for you. Questions, please ask us.
- All catering will be provided using the Winery catering service. Half of the catering cost is due 2 months before the date of the event and the remaining amount is due 1 week before your event. If there is any food leftover and you want to take it with you, bring your own containers for it. If you don't take your leftover food, it will be donated locally. You may bring in your own snacks/food but kitchen/frig is not available to use & a \$50.00 cleanup fee may incur; there are outlets in the event rooms to use for crockpots. Any questions, please ask.
- Half of the rent is due as a deposit when you sign & return the contract. We will block off & lock in your date when we receive the signed contract & deposit. Without the deposit & signed contract, the date will remain open for others to book. Rent starts at \$250 on Sundays for small events; email or call for a quote on your event.
- If you cancel your event AND we can rebook the date we will refund your deposit. If we can't rebook the date, then you will forfeit the deposit amount. The remainder of the rent is due one week before your event.

Please don't hesitate to call or email us with any questions or concerns at any time before your event as we want your event special and as stress free as possible!

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