

# Charlotte

FOR TAYLOR + GRAYSON

Tuesday, January 28, 2020 Mint Museum Uptown

CHARLOTTE, NC

# Welcome!

# Our goals at this event are to promote local businesses, inspire brides and grooms, and to encourage solid and committed marriages.

The Big Fake Wedding® is a bridal show alternative complete with an emotional vow renewal ceremony, light bites and a dance-party.

This vendor guide will be a great resource in showing you who-did-what, leaving room for you to keep track of who you've met, loved, and booked!

On the last page, you'll find a wedding planning timeline that will be helpful to reference as you connect with and book today's vendors.

#### MEET OUR COUPLE

# In 2014, Taylor & Grayson lived 100 miles apart...

but met randomly, and instantly became best friends, despite the distance. That friendship bloomed into something more after they both could not deny the spark they felt with each other. Four years of dating later, Grayson popped the question in Savannah, Georgia. They wed in May of 2019 in Taylor's hometown church and dream venue. Now, Taylor and Grayson live in Charlotte with their adorable Sheepadoodle pup, "Savvy," named after their proposal spot. How precious is that!



#### SAY THANKS TO OUR MEDIA PARTNERS

#### The Knot

theknot.com

## Here Comes the Guide

herecomestheguide.com

# **Wedding Chicks**

weddingchicks.com

## Southern Bride

southernbrideandgroom.com

## The Carolinas Magazine

thecarolinasmagazine.com

## **Perfect Wedding Guide**

perfectweddingguide.com

#### **ENJOY THE CEREMONY**

# The couple who is about to tie the knot is actually already married, and they are using this evening as a chance to renew their vows.

As you enjoy the ceremony, we hope that you'll be encouraged and excited to plan for your marriage as well as your wedding.

After the ceremony, we'll enjoy light bites, drinks and dessert, along with dancing and The Tunnel of Love, which is an opportunity for you to meet tonight's amazing vendors.

# #thebigfakewedding

## MINGLE WITH OUR AMAZING VENDORS

met	loved	booked	NATIONAL SPONSOR : ALCOHOL  Ketel One & Baileys  ketelone.com/botanical   baileys.com
			BAND + CEREMONY MUSICIAN  EastCoast Entertainment  bookece.com   @eastcoastentertainment
			BRIDESMAID ATTIRE  Brideside  brideside.com   @brideside
			Sonoma Restaurant Group sonomarestaurants.net   @ariatuscangrill
			Cookies on the Side cookiesontheside.com   @cookiesontheside
			Amour Wedding Events amourweddingevents.com   @amourweddingevents
			EVENT RENTALS  Country Time Party Rentals  countrytimepartyrentals.com   @countrytimepartyrentals
			FLORAL + EVENT DESIGN : CEREMONY BACKDROP + TABLES 1, 6  Serendipity Flowers serendipityflowers.co   @serendipityflowersnc
			FLORAL + EVENT DESIGN : HEAD TABLE + TABLES 2, 5  Seeded Events & Design  seededevents.com   @seededeventsanddesign

met	loved	booked	TABLES 3, 4  Daly Floral Designs  dalyfloraldesigns.com   @dalyfloraldesigns
			The Makeup Addict themakeupaddict.com   @themakeupaddictstudios
			HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS Omni Charlotte Hotel omnihotels.com/hotels/charlotte
			INVITATIONS: MINIMALIST WATERCOLOR FOLIAGE  Wit & Whimsy Paperie  witandwhimsypaperie.com   @witandwhimsypaperie
			The Buttercup Gifts & Stationery buttercupcharlotte.net   @thebuttercupshopclt
			Perry's Diamonds & Estate Jewelry perrysjewelry.com   @perryssouthpark
			LIVE PAINTER Live Paintings by Morgan Honeycutt honeycuttstudio.com   @morganhoneycuttart
			MOBILE BAR  Bubbles & Brews Charlotte getcozybars.com   @bubblesandbrewsclt
			NATIONAL TRAVEL VENDOR  Taylor & Co. Travel  taylorandcotravel.com   @taylorandcotravel
			PETIT DESSERT MIX  Amelies French Bakery  ameliesfrenchbakery.com   @ameliesfrenchbakery

met	loved	booked	POLAROID PHOTO BOOTH  Tin Hive  atin_hive
			PHOTOGRAPHY Erin Allenczy Photography erinallenczy.com   @erinallenczy
			PHOTOGRAPHY  Olga Mohr Photography  olgamohrphoto.com   @olgamohrphotography
			PHOTOGRAPHY  toujours  toujoursphoto.com   @toujoursphoto
			SIGNAGE Unspoken Designs unspokendesigns.com   @_unspokendesigns_
			Rē Salon and Med Spa resalonandmedspa.com   @resalonandmedspa
			TABLE ACCENTS  Honey Belle Events  honeybelleevents.com   @honeybelleevents
			TRAVEL  Destinations to Explore  explorewithamy.com   @eiseeamytravel
			VENUE  Mint Museum Uptown  mintmuseum.org/rent-the-museum   @themintmuseum
			VIDEOGRAPHY  Flightless Bird Photography  flightlessbirdphotography.com   @flightlessbirdphotography

met $loved$ $booked$	WEDDING CAKE
	The Cake Attic
	thecakeattic.com   @thecakeattic
	WEDDING DRESS Poffie Girls poffiegirls.com   @poffiegirls

### ENTER TO WIN THE BRIDAL BUNDLE

To make this night even better for you and yours, we asked our amazing vendors to contribute something special that can help make your wedding planning process a little more relaxing. Enter to win by scanning the QR code below and simply fill in the information on the form linked.

You must be present to win! Winner will be announced tonight at 8:45p.m.



- + "Wedding Planning Shouldn't Be Hard" Package from East Coast Entertainment
- + \$200 off any wedding planning package from Amour Wedding Events
- + and more from our vendors!

#### ENTER TO WIN THE BIG HONEYMOON GIVEAWAY

# Win a 5-Night Stay at Secrets Huatulco Resort & Spa compliments of Taylor & Co. Travel

We think the vendors who make up The Big Fake Wedding family are pretty amazing, and we think you will agree. As a thank you for trusting us with your wedding planning decisions, we would like to offer you a chance to win an all-inclusive trip to Mexico!

This dream destination honeymoon includes a five night stay at Secrets Resort off the coastline of Conejos Bay. Compliments of Taylor & Co. Travel, this trip also includes \$1000 in airfare co-sponsored by Skybird Travel, air consolidator. Not only that, you will win a twin set of luggage too!

To enter, tell us about your experience at The Big Fake Wedding at: thebigfakewedding.com/the-big-giveaway/

#### WEDDING PLANNING TIMELINE

12 MONTHS BEFORE	8 MONTHS BEFORE	3 MONTHS BEFORE	
☐ Pick a date!	☐ Do you have your photographer?	☐ Have your cake and	
☐ Wedding planner.		eat it, too!	
☐ Venue.	☐ Videographer?	☐ Limousine, please.	
☐ Guest list.	☐ Order bridesmaid dresses.	$\ \square$ And where will they stay?	
10 MONTHS BEFORE	☐ Have your guests "save the date!"	2 MONTHS BEFORE	
☐ Say "yes" to the dress!	6 MONTHS BEFORE	☐ Book your hair and makeup.	
☐ Food. Enough said.	☐ Order invitations.	☐ Write your vows. Don't	
☐ Book entertainment.	Order wedding rings	forget this is about a	
☐ Pretty pretty flowers!	Groom + groomsmen attire.	beautiful marriage!	

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Find a full recap of this event, including images, video and this vendor guide by visiting: thebigfakewedding.com/rsvp/charlotte-6