



FRANSCHHOEK WEDDINGS

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Seating Plan

Name or number all tables clearly, placing a copy of the seating plan on an attractively decorated board or easel outside the entrance to the venue to assist guests in finding their allocated tables.

This can involve listing guests under each table, but could also be alphabetized with the table number of each guest beside his or her surname for easy reference.

The traditional bridal table consists of a long table with the bride and groom in the centre, flanked by their respective mothers.

The groom's father sits next to the bride's mother and vice versa, with the bridesmaids sitting on the bride's side next to the groom's father, and the groom's best man and attendants on his side, next to the bride's father.

Today it is acceptable to have a round table, especially where there are complicated family set-ups.

Guests with children should be seated at the outermost tables.

Remember to include the musicians, photographer, videographer etc. in your plans, seating them close to the action.