

## CEREMONY GUIDELINES

### WHEN SHOULD YOU DECIDE TO HAVE YOUR CEREMONY INSIDE?

#### BELOW 45-55 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT

When the temperature drops below 55 - 60 degrees Fahrenheit, consider adding on a hot beverage station or our Snuggle Up & Get Cozy Package!

#### BELOW 45 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT

When the temperature drops below 45 degrees Fahrenheit, we advise that you hold your ceremony indoors.

#### BACK UP PLAN

##### **In Front of the Windows:**

- Guest tables pushed into the alcove
- Head table removed until after the ceremony
- 60-70 chairs on the main floor facing towards the windows
- Remaining guests in the balcony to watch ceremony overhead

##### **In The Alcove:**

- Only works with 13 tables or less on main floor of The Barns
- Guest tables pushed onto the dance floor
- 60-70 chairs, facing the alcove
- Remaining guests in the balcony to watch ceremony overhead

#### CEREMONY MUSIC

Do you have live musicians? We find that most musicians, especially those with string instruments, cannot play outdoors in temperatures below 60 degrees Fahrenheit, or with any moisture in the air. We advise that this is something you discuss with your musicians ahead of time so that you can take this into consideration when deciding where you should have your ceremony.

#### CEREMONY DECOR

Do you have large décor that cannot be moved easily, such as a chuppah or arbor? If so, you may need to make your decision earlier in the day.

