

# Arlington, Berwick, Selmeston with Alciston and Wilmington Churches

## Marriage Application Form

**Important: Please read the notes below *before* you complete the Application Form**

When completed, please return this form to the Revd Peter Blee, The Parsonage, Berwick, Polegate, East Sussex, BN26 6SR. Alternatively, complete it electronically and send it by email to [peter.blee@berwickchurch.org.uk](mailto:peter.blee@berwickchurch.org.uk).

The Benefice's website has lists of hymns and readings suitable for weddings. It also has information about 'qualifying connection' with the parish. For further details, please log on to [www.berwickchurch.org.uk/marriages.html](http://www.berwickchurch.org.uk/marriages.html).

Please make contact in good time with one of the following persons to discuss arrangements for decorating the church:

- Alciston: Mrs Jane Anderson (01323) 870075
- Arlington: Mrs Diana White (01323) 8706880
- Berwick: Mrs Linda Hallums (01323) 896008
- Selmeston: Mrs Jan Matthews (01323) 811380
- Wilmington: Mrs Julie Little (01323) 871557

Please complete the following details as fully as possible. If you need any specific assistance with completing the form, please telephone Peter Blee on (01323) 870512.

	Man	Woman
Christian Name(s)		
Surname <i>(In CAPITALS please)</i>		
Date of birth		
Nationality		
Address at time of publishing banns <i>or</i> Address at time of civil preliminaries <i>Please include postcode</i>		
Email address		
Telephone	Landline: Mobile:	Landline: Mobile:
Since when have you lived at the address above?		
Rank, Occupation or Profession		
Age at date of wedding		
Father's Full Name or Adopted Father's Full Name <i>If deceased, please add 'deceased'</i>		
Father's Rank, Occupation or Profession <i>If retired, please add 'retired'</i>		
Have you been married before?	Yes / No	Yes / No
If 'Yes' - was the marriage terminated by death?	Yes / No	Yes / No
If 'No', has the vicar seen the Decree Absolute?	Yes / No	Yes / No

*Continued overleaf...*

**Man**

**Woman**

Current marital status <i>Please delete as appropriate</i>	Single Previous Partnership Dissolved Widow/Widower	Single Previous Partnership Dissolved Widow/Widower
Are you related, or connected by marriage?		
Have you been baptised/christened and confirmed?	Yes / No	Yes / No
If 'Yes', please state where?		
Which is your Church of England parish church?		
At which church do you wish to be married? <i>(Please delete as appropriate)</i>	Alciston    Arlington    Berwick    Selmeston    Wilmington	
On what day and date and at what time?	Day:	Date:                      Time:
One ring or two?		
Please state what your 'qualifying connection' with the parish is <i>(E.g. Family live here, relatives buried in churchyard, member of church electoral roll, or that you used to live or work in the parish. Please see the church website link <a href="http://www.berwickchurch.org.uk/marriages.html">www.berwickchurch.org.uk/marriages.html</a> for further guidance.)</i>		
Do you want the church's organist to play at the service?	Yes / No	

**Declaration**

We wish to be married by the following method, and testify that we will fulfil the obligations required to enable us to be married thereby. <i>(Please delete as appropriate)</i>	Banns by Residence Church Membership (on the Parish Electoral Roll) Other <i>(Please give details below)</i>	
I hereby certify that to the best of my belief the answers given to the above questions are correct, and that I will notify the vicar of any change of information.	<b>Man's Signature:</b>  Date:	<b>Woman's Signature:</b>  Date:

**For Office Use**

Date for publication of Banns	
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