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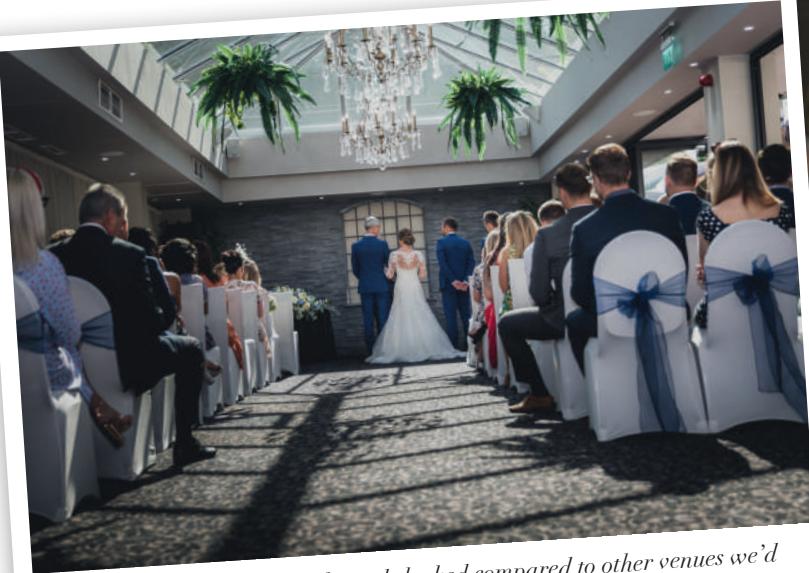
Anneka and Adam styled their day in blue and white, with bursts of yellow

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Anneka met Adam when they worked together on the same team at a travel company, and she had a love/hate relationship with his silly jokes! Adam proposed whilst on holiday in the Maldives in November, 2018. Anneka says, "I really had no idea it was coming. I thought we were just going to dinner." Adam had asked her to pose for a photo in

a hanging chair while he did his David Bailey routine, snapping shots from all angles, including on his knee. It was then he produced the ring. "It was surreal and at first I thought it might be a joke. But he asked me to marry him, and the rest his history," Anneka shares.

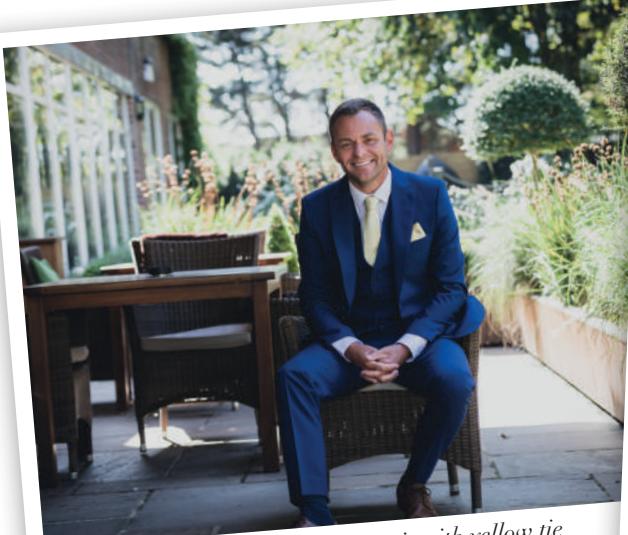
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We loved how modern Wickwoods looked compared to other venues we'd seen. The Glass House where we had the ceremony is absolutely stunning, with chandeliers hanging from the ceiling and plenty of natural light.



I wore a white long-sleeved lace fit-and-flare gown, with detailed back. I liked the coverage and the shape it gave me. I wore flat embellished sandals for comfort, and stud earrings, along with matching hair accessories.



Adam wore a blue three-piece suit with yellow tie and rose boutonniere. The groomsmen were dressed to match with yellow spray rose buttonholes.



My bridesmaids looked beautiful in pale-hued dresses with sequin bodice detail.



We utilised our bridesmaids' bouquets as the centrepieces and had some extras for the remaining tables. The top table had a simple flower arrangement, circled with tea lights and beaded jewels.



My bouquet was ivory, with accents of pale blue and yellow. The bridesmaids had a smaller variation of ivory and blue. We had one large, long and low-hanging flower arrangement, which we used to decorate the table where we signed the register, and then moved it to the top table.



Our talented friend, Alice, made our cake. It was two-tiered, one chocolate sponge, one Victoria sponge, iced ivory and wrapped in yellow ribbon. The topper was made by Clare's Cake Boutique and was a mini-iced Adam and Anneka in our wedding attire.



My friend, Claire, made the place names and table plan with a world map in the background as we both work in the travel industry. For the table names she used names of countries we've travelled to together featuring an anecdote from each trip.



Adam's two brothers were his best men and their speech was particularly hilarious. We weren't expecting a projector showing opening credits for our own Star Wars-style story.



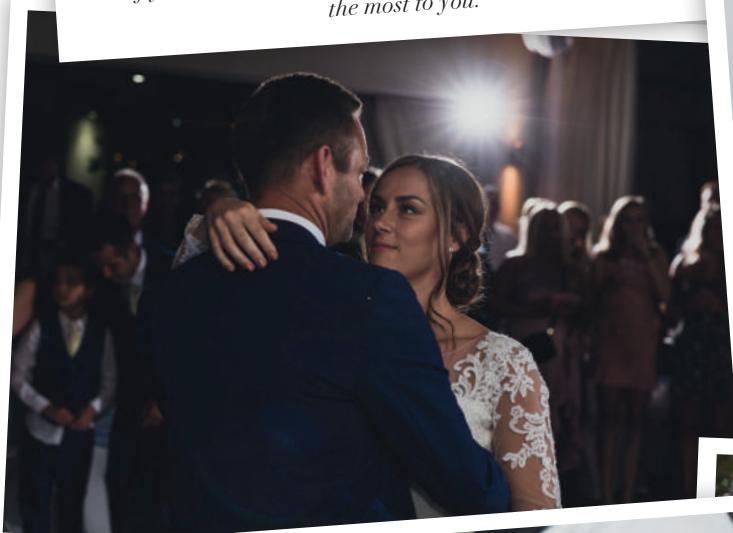
Live band The Sonics kept everyone entertained and were fantastic. The lead vocals were incredible and the dancefloor was always heaving. They really stole the show for me. We've had so many people ask us about them, they were so impressed.



We went to Paphos on honeymoon a couple of days after the wedding. We wanted some autumn sun with a short flight, and it was a relaxing way to spend our first week as newlyweds.



Just relax and don't worry about things out of your control. Think how happy you are to be marrying the love of your life, and sharing it with all the people that mean the most to you.



THE W-DAY TEAM

Venue, Wickwoods Country Club, Hotel & Spa, www.wickwoods.co.uk

Photographer, Steve and Tania Photography, www.steveandtaniaphotography.co.uk

Hair and make-up, Jenna West Make-up, www.jennawestmakeup.com

Groom's suit, Moss Bros, www.moss.co.uk

Bridesmaids' dresses, Monsoon, uk.monsoon.co.uk

Cake topper, Clare's Cake Boutique, www.clarescakeboutique.co.uk

Flowers, Flowercraft Lindfield, www.flowercraftlindfield.co.uk

Entertainment, The Sonics Band, www.thesonicsband.co.uk

Photo booth, Snappy Shot Events, www.snappyshotevents.co.uk