

QUAINTON MEMORIAL HALL PRIVATE HIRE CHARGES EFFECTIVE FROM 1 January 2026

(COMMERCIAL HIRES Additional charges may be payable for commercial hires, at the discretion of QMH)

(Please ensure you include sufficient time for setting up and clearing up in the booking period)

PARISH* NON PARISH

MAIN HALL (including kitchen) REGULAR BOOKINGS (Day or evening) Regular Users and Quainton Village Groups/Clubs (eg. sports, keep fit, craft clubs, social clubs, music groups) Up to 3 hours (day or evening) £24 £32 Additional hourly charge £5 £10 One hour sessions (subject to availability) Day or Evening £15 £20 **DAY TIME bookings** (parties of over 50 guests may incur extra charges) £47 £70 Minimum 3 hours session additional hourly charge before 6pm £15 £20 additional hourly charge after 6pm (maximum 1 hour) £20 £30 **EVENING BOOKINGS** (MAIN HALL and SERVERY starting after 6pm) Quizzes and similar events £105 £155 Parties, dances, discos £160 £270 **CONFERENCE ROOM** Minimum 3 hours £19 £32 Additional hourly charge £10 £6 ALL FACILITIES, ALL DAY e.g. weddings, large celebrations £350 £550 Weekends set up and clear up Early access for Setting up, Friday 1pm onwards, £50 £50 Clear up until Sunday midday, 12pm £50 £50 **INTERVIEW ROOM** Please ask Please ask Per session – price on application **OTHER BOOKINGS:** Elections £350 N/A

^{*}PARISH RATE applies to hires by residents of Quainton Parish for personal use or where it can be shown clearly that the majority of users within the hire are themselves residents, or the hire is beneficial to Quainton residents.

Charges to be paid in full when the booking is confirmed, unless agreed otherwise. Keys or the code for the key safe will be available only if the hire charge has been paid.

CANCELLATION CHARGE

QMH reserves the right to make the following charges for cancellation:

- For cancellations **more than 1 month** in advance of the event, there is no charge and any deposit paid will be refunded in full-
- For cancellations more than 7 days but less than a month in advance of the event, a charge of 50% of the hire charge is made, offset by any deposit already paid.
- For cancellations within 7 days of the event, a charge of 75% of the hire charge is made, offset by any deposit already paid.

In each case, any cancellation charges made will be reduced by the value of any alternative income achievable on re-letting the space

Regular users – to avoid cancellation charges please notify the booking clerk in writing or by email of any cancellations at least 24 hours before the hire. QMH will use discretion in levying fees made for notification of cancellations made after this time.

DEPOSITS

Weddings, and large parties (to be paid at time of booking)

£250

All other hires, including use of acoustic equipment (to be paid at time of booking if required by QMH)

£50 (discretionary charge)

Notes

All hires are at the discretion of Quainton Memorial Hall and its management committee.

Parish rate applies to hires by residents of Quainton Parish (as defined by the electoral register) for personal use or where it can be shown clearly that the majority of users within the hire are themselves residents.

Main Hall hire includes use of the kitchen and in the case of evening events and trade shows/training days use, when required, of the servery/bar.

The kitchen will be available to Conference Room hirers at no extra charge at times when not in use by Main Hall users. In instances where the kitchen is in use, Conference Room users may use the tea and coffee making facilities in the servery.

Additional charges

Call out of hall staff to reset the fire panel/kill fire bells through a false alarm howsoever caused (note the use of smoke machines in the main hall and (illegal) smoking in the toilets will cause the alarms to go off)

£25

Additional function services (subject to availability)

Furniture Hire

Hire of trestle table	5	Р	er table	£2
Hire of polypropyle	ne chairs	Р	er chair	£0.75
Minimum charge for furniture	e hire			£5
Staging – includes set up and Per module (2m x 1r standard height (app	m),	Mi	inimum charge per	hire £30 £5
Surcharge for super height (w steps)	hich then requires the		+	+ 75%
Voiles – put up/take down by 2 or 3 runs of voile chosen fro				£85
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(Further colours, perhaps to match a bridal theme, can be sourced at additional cost. This will vary but estimate on £50 per run).

Paper Lanterns £30

Storage of equipment charges to be agreed on a case by case basis.

Licence to sell alcohol please enquire for further details.

Capacity of the Main Hall
80 seated at tables, 120 seated theatre style
Capacity of Conference Room
18 seated at tables, 25 seated conference style

(Capacity takes into account the facilities in QMH, and the hall's ability to cope with large numbers)

Amended 23/10/2025