

*Your Official Guide
to*

Amber & Sean's



Fairytale Wedding

July 2, 2000



Together with their parents

Amber Lyn Matteson

and

Sean Patrick McCafferty

Lieutenant, United States Army

request the honour of your presence

on this day

of enchantment and romance

as they exchange wedding vows

and begin their new life together

Sunday, the second of July

the year two thousand

at half after seven in the evening

Disney's Wedding Pavilion

Walt Disney World

Welcome!

Thank you for joining us on our wedding day!

This booklet contains important information for making the most of your time here at Disney. It includes schedules of events, helpful hints, frequently asked questions, and dining options. Please make a special note of Saturday night's Welcome Party and Sunday's schedule. The rest of the time is yours to relax, unwind and have a wonderful time!

To our family -

Since you have known us the longest, you deserve a special thank you for joining us on our wedding day. Thank you for the love and support that you have given to us through the years. Sunday will be the beginning of a wonderful compilation of two families. Thank you for being here for us!

To our friends -

Since you are not related to us and have volunteered to know us, love us and support us – we could not thank you enough! Both of us are indeed lucky to have such a wonderful group of friends – thank you!

To our bridal party -

Thank you for “volunteering” to be a part of our wedding day. All of you have known us at various times of our lives, and yet continue to be our friends! We are thrilled that you will be standing up with us as we exchange our vows and begin our new life together.

To our parents –

Our parents deserve a special thank you for guiding and supporting us for what must have felt like an eternity. Thank you for showing us unconditional love, being the shoulder for disappointments and our greatest cheerleaders for our accomplishments. Thank you for teaching us to learn to love ourselves and for believing in our dreams. We love you!

Love,

Amber & Sean



Rehearsal Info

Saturday July 1, 2000

Who: Wedding Party

Where: Wedding Pavilion

When: 9:00 a.m.

Tux fitting for the guys will be at 8 a.m.

How to get there...

If you are staying on Disney property, take Disney transportation to the Grand Floridian hotel. The Wedding Pavilion is within walking distance. Please be aware that travel times from All Stars Resort and Carribean Beach Resort may take as long as an hour. **(There is no Disney transportation that will take you directly to the Wedding Pavilion.)**

If you are not on Disney property, refer to the driving directions listed on Page 5 under Wedding Info.

The wedding party will receive a detailed schedule when you check in to your hotel.

Welcome Party Info

Saturday July 1, 2000

Who: **ALL of our Guests**

Where: Disney Institute

When: 7:30 p.m.

Please join us at the Disney Institute for a Welcome Party. The party is being hosted by Sean's mom, Kitt McCafferty and Sean's dad, Pat McCafferty. Dress is casual, so come on over for some pre-wedding festivities!

How to get there...

If you are staying on Disney property – take Disney transportation to the Welcome Center at Disney Institute. From most hotels, this will require taking a bus to a transportation hub, then switching buses for the one marked “Disney Institute.” Please ask at your front desk to be sure which transportation hub you will need to go to.

If you are not on Disney property: Take I-4 to Exit 27. This is the 535 exit. Go west on 535 to Hotel Plaza Blvd and turn left. At Buena Vista Drive, turn right. You will be headed towards the Wyndam Palace Resort and Spa. Turn left on Oak Lane and follow the signs to the Disney Institute. Go to the Welcome Center.

Wedding Info

Sunday, July 2, 2000

Who: ALL of our Guests

Where: Wedding Pavilion

When: Ceremony starts at 7:30 p.m.

How to get there...

If you are staying on Disney property, transportation will be provided if you are staying at All Star Movies, Wilderness Lodge, or Coronado Springs. **The specific pick-up schedule is on a separate sheet provided by Disney.** Please be sure to note what time the bus will be outside your hotel to pick you up.

If you are **NOT** staying on property:

Take I-4 to exit 26 AB (EPCOT exit). Take the 26B exit. Follow signs to Magic Kingdom resorts (the road forks, take the Magic Kingdom path). You will come up on the parking toll booth for the Magic Kingdom. Go to the far right lane – tell the attendant you are going to the Wedding Pavilion. There is no toll. Follow the green line. Turn left at the first light. Turn right when the road ends. The Wedding Pavilion will be the second right.

All Guests:

Transportation will be provided from the wedding to the reception. The reception is scheduled to last until 1:30 a.m.. You will be able to leave the reception any time — up until 1 a.m.

Transportation will bring you back to your hotel (if you are on Disney property) or the Wedding Pavilion.



Frequently asked questions

How did Amber and Sean meet?

President's Day Weekend. Friday, February 13, 1998 – at Newark Airport. Actually, they didn't truly meet until they were seated on the plane. Amber was flying home from a business trip in New York City and Sean — along with 12 or so other West Point cadets — was flying to Orlando as part of the West Point Orienteering Team.

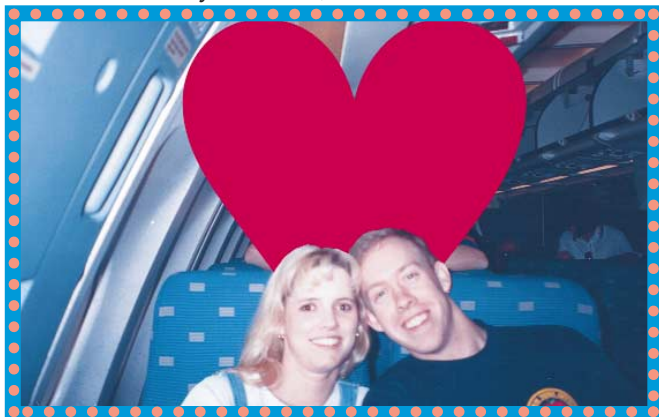
Neither Amber nor Sean were originally scheduled to be on that plane, however, on the previous Wednesday, Amber had changed her reservations and Sean had taken a last minute opening for the team trip.

Amber and Sean sat across the aisle from one another. Sean was in uniform, so of course the passenger sitting next to him starting asking about the cadets. Amber wanted to know as well, and couldn't quite hear what this young man in uniform was saying. So with an "excuse me" the two started talking, and talking, and talking!

Two hours later, the plane landed. Sean asked Amber if she ever had any free time when she was in New York and if she'd like a personal escorted tour of West Point. Amber gave Sean her business card – which had her email address on it.

The following Tuesday (it was a 3-day weekend), the first of many emails were exchanged. Phone calls and visits followed, and by the following year the two were engaged, one year to the day of their first meeting (which is another story in itself!).

Two and a half years after that fateful flight, they will be married at the place where dreams really do come true.



Who are the members of the bridal party?

Callie Matteson	Mother of the Bride
Doug Matteson	Father of the Bride
Kitt McCafferty	Mother of the Groom
H. Patrick McCafferty	Father of the Groom
Patrick McCafferty	Brother of the Groom Reader
Michael McCafferty	Brother of the Groom Ringbearer
Amanda Harmon	Niece of the Bride Flowergirl
CJ Watts	Nephew of the Bride Usher

Attendants

Amy Becham Maid of Honor
Amy and Amber met while attending LaGrange College, and are also sorority sisters. Amy has many stories that hopefully she will not share with anyone – those college sorority bonds are strong! Amy hails from LaGrange, Georgia and now calls Atlanta her home. Amy is the Senior Graphic Designer for Georgia-Pacific Corporation Printing Services. (She also contributed her talents to the creation of this guide book and other royal wedding literature.)

Cyndi Wysong Matron of Honor
Cyndi and Amber met at church after moving to St. Cloud, Florida within a week of each other. Cyndi and Amber attended St. Cloud High School together and made it through their teen-age years in Osceola County, relatively unscathed. Cyndi originally hails from New Jersey, and now lives in Port Orange, Florida. Cyndi is married to Bob Wysong and they have a wonderful 8 year-old son, Bobby.



Molly McDowell Bridesmaid
 Sean has known Molly's parents since before Molly was born!
 The McDowell's have been Sean's neighbors all his life and have
 been like a second family to him. When Molly was born, it was
 just natural for Sean to feel like he had gained a sister. Molly is
 currently attending Cornell University and will be returning as a
 sophomore in the fall.

Aaron Miller Bestman
 Aaron and Sean met while attending the USMA Preparatory
 School and later attended West Point together. They spent many
 weekends in New York City and stories about these adventures
 are better left untold! Aaron is currently an officer in the U.S.
 Army and is stationed in Savannah, Georgia.

Aaron Oelrich Groomsman
 Aaron and Sean met during their second year at West Point.
 Throughout their time at West Point the two had many life events
 that would mirror each other. The most recent of these events
 was when Aaron and his highschool sweetheart, Kim Munter,
 were married June 2, 2000. Aaron is currently an officer in the
 U.S. Air Force and will be attending flight school in Mississippi.

Rick Knutson Groomsman
 Rick and Sean have known each other since elementary school
 days and have gone to school together until college. During those
 high school days Rick and Sean learned a lot — enough said!
 Rick graduated from Keene State in New Hampshire and is
 currently living in Denver, Colorado.



Where are we supposed to be on Sunday, July 2?

This guide book contains day by day schedules. You should be familiar with the events for all days, but especially those listed for Sunday, July 2, 2000. Please see the accompanying sheet provided by Disney for bus schedules. If you miss the bus, please call (407)-808-9664 **immediately** so that alternate transportation can be arranged.

How can I fill my time while at Walt Disney World?

Now this is a hard one!

Daytime

- Magic Kingdom
- EPCOT
- Animal Kingdom
- MGM
- Typhoon Lagoon
- Blizzard Beach
- DisneyQuest – at Downtown Disney



Nighttime

- Pleasure Island
- Downtown Disney
- Cirque de Soleil – located in Downtown Disney.
- Disney's Boardwalk – includes shops, restaurants, clubs, amusements, a dance hall and sidewalk entertainers.
- Dinner shows – Polynesian Luau, Hoop-dee-doo Musical Revue.



Optional things to do that don't involve a park:

As a resort guest, you can go to any resort for their recreational activities.

Water Sports — paddleboats, rowboats, canoes, sailboats, pontoon boats, Water Mouse (2-person mini speed boat), etc. Check with your resort for available options.

The Grand One – available at the Grand Floridian, this is a 44-foot luxury motor yacht available for crewed charters during the day, dinner cruises, and for evening firework voyages. Very romantic!

Bicycle Rentals – available at Fort Wilderness, Wilderness Lodge, Coronado Springs, Disney Institute, and Boardwalk.

Golf – Osprey Ridge, The Palm, The Magnolia, Eagle Pines and Lake Buena Vista are recommended links. The Palm and The Magnolia are located at Shades of Green. Osprey Ridge and Eagle Pines are located at Bonnet Creek Golf Club. The Lake Buena Vista course is located near Disney Institute.

Tennis – Contemporary, Grand Floridian, and Disney Institute offer clinics, lessons and racquet rentals. Yacht & Beach Club, Fort Wilderness, Old Key West, Swan & Dolphin, Shades of Green and the Boardwalk offer lighted tennis courts.

Fishing Excursions – Trips on Bay Lake, Lake Buena Vista, and Crescent Lake last 2 hours and accommodate up to 5 people. Dixie Landing's fishing trip is also 2 hours, along the Sassagoula Waterway. The Ol' Fishin' Hole at Dixie Landings is the less extravagant method. Call WDW-PLAY for additional info.



Horseback Riding – Fort Wilderness offers horseback riding. Call WDW-PLAY for cost and reservation information. This ride is more of a walk, but for the nonexperienced rider this will be a treat.

Jogging and Walking paths – Most resorts have a jogging/walking path. Some that are recommended are : Wilderness Lodge to Fort Wilderness, Yacht & Beach/Swan & Dolphin area, Dixie Landings and Port Orleans, Coronado Springs, Disney Institute. If you're in for a long run try the path around the Seven Seas Lagoon – you can start at either Grand Floridian, Polynesian or the Contemporary. This path will go in front of the Magic Kingdom as well.

Disney Institute – classes are offered in everything from rock climbing, cooking, golf, etc.

Spas – Grand Floridian Spa and Health Club, the Spa at the Disney Institute and the Spa and Fitness Center at the Buena Vista Palace.



Shopping – Downtown Disney Marketplace

Helpful hints for the Theme Parks & Resorts

- ♥ Ask your resort about “Surprise Mornings” – these are days that resort guests are allowed to enter a different theme park each day, 90 minutes before the general public. The usual schedule is Magic Kingdom on Monday, Thursday and Saturday, EPCOT on Tuesday and Friday, MGM on Sunday and Wednesday. Check with resort staff in case of schedule changes.
- ♥ Bring a bottle of water per person with you into the theme parks– you’ll be amazed how hot it will be, this will keep you from searching for soft drinks and it will allow you to keep hydrated.
- ♥ Wear sunscreen – the Florida sun is intense even on overcast days.
- ♥ Bring a tote bag or backpack – you will be carrying your camera, extra film, water bottle and souvenirs!
- ♥ Optional – you can ask that your souvenirs be delivered to your hotel, this will keep you free from carrying them all day.
- ♥ Make your lunch/dinner reservations prior to leaving the room in the morning, just dial extension 55 on your room phone.



- ♥ Wear lightweight clothing.
- ♥ Wear comfortable shoes.
- ♥ If you are in line for an attraction and it has 2 aisles, go to the left. Most people will go to the right, the left lines will move quicker. The exception to this rule is the line at Splash Mountain – go to the right!
- ♥ Check the attraction guidemap for the specified locations and times of character encounters – this will allow you to be in the right place and the right time for those photo opps!! (This is not just for kids!)
- ♥ Try the busier attractions during a parade or fireworks show.
- ♥ E-ticket express is available for resort guests with either a Length of Stay, Park Hopper, Seasonal or Annual Pass. This \$10 admission ticket allows the bearer to three hours of riding the big attractions after closing on select dates. Rides usually include Space Mountain, Splash Mountain, Big Thunder Railroad, etc. Check with Guest Services at your resort for details.
- ♥ Refillable Resort Cup – each of the Disney resorts offers its own logo thermal cup. Not only is it a usable souvenir, but you get refills at your resort’s fast food outlet. Refills of soft drinks, tea and coffee are free for your length of stay with this handy cup.
- ♥ To get a great view of the theme park parades, especially the Magic Kingdom – be in place from 30 – 45 minutes prior to parade start time – especially the last parade of the evening. Otherwise you will be standing behind a huge crowd – and it won’t be the best viewing. You don’t want to miss the Electric Light Parade!

• The best viewing area of the Magic Kingdom's evening Electric Light Parade is to the right of the castle, at the entrance to Tomorrowland. If you look up, you will see a guide wire. Stand under or at least in sight of this. The parade will go right by, and after the parade the castle will dim and Tinkerbell will come down that wire right above your head!! Then the fireworks will commence. It is a great way to end to day at the Magic Kingdom!

• You can view the Magic Kingdom fireworks "for free" from the 2 catwalks outside the California Grill on top of the Contemporary hotel. Take Disney transportation to the hotel, take the elevator to the 15th floor, the catwalks are open to the public. Check schedules for times, and be on the catwalk at least 15 minutes prior – this spot fills up fast.

• You can view the Electric Water Pageant on the Seven Seas Lagoon from the Wilderness Lodge, the beaches at the Grand Floridian, the Polynesian, or Fort Wilderness, the beaches at the Contemporary, Sunset Point at the Polynesian or Narcossee's restaurant at the Grand Floridian.

Dining Options

Fast Food options are located EVERYWHERE! To beat lines, avoid eating lunch at noon or dinner at 6. Try 11:30 a.m. or during one of the afternoon parades. Also, you might want to try eating a hearty breakfast to carry you through until after the normal lunch hour.

• **Helpful Hint:** If you prefer sit down dinners to fast food, make your reservations in the morning before you leave your hotel room. Even if you'll be in a theme park – look through your dining choices, and call WDW-DINE, or press 55 from your room phone, to ensure you won't have to wait and that you'll have something more than fast food.

Our sit down dining recommendations are as follows.

Magic Kingdom

Tony's - located on Main Street, Italian food, restaurant is styled after the restaurant in "Lady & the Tramp." \$\$

Crystal Palace – Character buffet with Winnie the Pooh and friends. On Main Street. \$\$

Cinderella's Royal Table – located inside the castle, this books up fast so if you're interested, make your reservations early. This restaurant serves breakfast, lunch and dinner. Breakfast is a character breakfast ensuring that Cinderella and others will be mak-



ing the rounds. Lunch includes some dinner entrees as well as sandwiches and salads. Dinner includes items such as prime rib, roasted chicken, and salmon. \$\$\$

EPCOT

Helpful Hint: When you first enter EPCOT, head to the kiosks to make your lunch and/or dinner reservations. The restaurants inside the World Showcase fill up fast, so plan ahead. Or better yet, make your lunch or dinner reservations prior to leaving your room in the morning by dialing 55 from your room phone.

San Angel Inn – Mexico \$\$: Mexican setting inside the pyramid.

Akershus – Norway \$\$: Breads and cheeses of Norway with an assortment of hot and cold dishes.

Teppanyaki Dining Room - Japan \$\$ - Similar to Benihana's style where the Japanese chef "performs" while preparing the meal.

MGM and Animal Kingdom — you're on your own for these theme parks.

Character Meals

Character Dining is one of the best ways to ensure you see your favorite Disney characters while vacationing. The characters will visit each table allowing for photo opps. Don't forget to bring your camera! You will need to make reservations to ensure seating – again, dial WDW-DINE from your room and you will be set! Check out the list to find the characters you wish to see and enjoy a great meal along with seeing your favorite characters!

Character Breakfasts

Artist Pointe, Wilderness Lodge – Pooh and friends.

Cape May Cafe, the Beach Club – Admiral Goofy and friends.



Chef Mickey's buffet, Contemporary Hotel – Mickey, Minnie and friends.

Cinderella's Royal Table, inside the castle at the Magic Kingdom – Cinderella and friends.

Crystal Palace, inside the Magic Kingdom – Pooh and friends.

Fulton's Crab House, Pleasure Island – Mickey and crew.

Garden Grill, EPCOT – Farmer Mickey and Minnie.

1900 Park Fare, Grand Floridian – Mary Poppins and friends including Pinocchio and Geppetto.

'Ohana, Polynesian – Minnie and friends.

Restaurantosaurus, Animal Kingdom – Mickey, Minnie and gang.

Soundstage Restaurant, MGM – classic Disney film characters.

Character Lunches

Crystal Palace, Magic Kingdom – Pooh and friends.

Garden Grill, EPCOT – Farmer Mickey and Minnie.

Soundstage, MGM – classic Disney film characters.

Character Dinners

Chef Mickey's Buffet, Contemporary – Mickey and Minnie.

Crystal Palace, Magic Kingdom – Pooh and friends.

Garden Grill, EPCOT – Farmer Mickey and Minnie.

Liberty Tree Tavern, Magic Kingdom – Minnie, Pluto and Goofy.

1900 Park Fare, Grand Floridian – Disney Villians – including Cruella de Vil, Capt. Hook, Snow Queen, Prince John and others.

Fine Dining:

If you decide to have an elegant, dress up evening there are indeed places on Disney property to fill that bill here are a few suggestions:

Arthur's 27 – located inside the Wyndam Palace Resort, this restaurant has a stunning view of Downtown Disney, EPCOT and the Magic Kingdom. If you time it right you will enjoy an excellent sky show as the Magic Kingdom fireworks light up the sky. Sometimes you can catch both the fireworks show from EPCOT and the Magic Kingdom. All seats face the window. They have both ala carte and prix fixe dinners. For \$49 per person, your choice of four courses, \$55 five courses and \$60 six courses.

Victoria and Albert's – located inside the Grand Floridian Resort. Features two menus, the Standard and the Elite. Royal Wine Pairing may be added to each. The "Chef's Table" is located right in the kitchen! This is a unique experience!

And they lived happily ever after!

*We hope you enjoy your time here at Disney.
Thank you for spending the weekend with us
and for joining us at our wedding.*

We wish for all of you that your dreams come true

Let's do this again in 25 years!



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