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PHOTOGRAPHY

B R I A N & P A U L A O ' N E I L L



# WELCOME

Thank you for contacting us  
& congratulations on your  
engagement.

Planning your wedding is  
exciting. It may also perhaps  
be a little daunting as there is  
so much choice?

This brochure aims to give  
you information about who  
we are & how we can help  
you on your journey. It  
should also inform you about  
wedding photography  
generally & how we like to  
work on your day.

All weddings are different &  
we respond above all to your  
needs & preferences.





# CONGRATULATIONS - YOU'RE ENGAGED & ARE WEDDING PLANNING!

Welcome to your guide to wedding photography with a little smattering of all things wedding in between.

Before we delve in, we are just going to offer a few words of wedding planning advice in general (trust us we've seen it all).



BE TRUE TO YOURSELVES - it's your day

TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS - if you connect with suppliers, it's good - many will be with you on your day.



DO YOUR RESEARCH - there's a pile of everything out there for all budgets & tastes.

LOOK AT FULL WEDDING GALLERIES & GOOGLE REVIEWS OR ASK TO SEE THEM.

ABOVE ALL? ENJOY THE JOURNEY

# ABOUT US

We are husband & wife, Brian & Paula O'Neill, creative partners in life & work.

We have been professional wedding photographers as a partnership for 15 years now, with Brian's experience going back considerably longer to the days of darkroom & dangling out of aeroplanes. Paula is a sector leading art & photography teacher with encyclopedic knowledge of all things wedding. Two perspectives brings a depth & breadth to your gallery as well as, most importantly 2 different viewpoints.

We live in an idyllic cottage in the Perthshire countryside with our best boy, labrador Moss. We shoot weddings all over Scotland and especially love country/ barn/ farm weddings where creativity & nature can play a part.

We are genuinely passionate about what we do & approach our photography with care, planning, craftsmanship, good humour & love.

We limit the number of weddings we shoot each year to give all our couples our very best.





*"We got married 21.06.25 and Brian and Paula were the dream team! We couldn't have asked for better wedding photographers.*

*From the very beginning Brian and Paula made us feel completely at ease, which was never going to be easy considering we usually hate being in front of a camera! Their calm and friendly presence, along with their great sense of humour, helped us relax and actually enjoy the experience of being photographed.*

*Not only did they capture every important moment perfectly, they also caught all the little in between moments that made the day truly special. They were exactly what we had hoped for and more.*

*Their attention to detail, creativity and professionalism were incredible from start to finish and we are so happy that they were such a huge part of our special day."*

*Sharri & Ken*

## WHAT OUR COUPLES SAY

*"Our experience with Crieff photography was absolutely brilliant from start to finish. Brian is so friendly and reassuring, he took the time to understand what we wanted and guided us to that. His knowledge and experience was absolutely invaluable in the lead up to the day and his input definitely helped the day to run as smoothly as it could.*

*On the day Brian and Paula were a calm presence in the chaos and they captured our day so beautifully. We would absolutely recommend them and if we could give Brian and Paula 10 stars we absolutely would! "Victoria & Adam*





# REAL MOMENTS not POSES

The first key  
element of our  
photography is  
shooting STYLE.

For us, the  
unposed, natural, &  
candid always wins  
because these shots  
are REAL

You'll want to look  
back on your  
photography to  
remember & relive  
your wedding day.

We believe that  
your photos should  
reflect YOUR  
relationship &  
connection with  
each other.

THE REAL JOY







THE CANDID MOMENTS IN BETWEEN ARE SOME OF OUR FAVOURITES - WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHY IS NOT ABOUT CONSTANT POSING!



# EDITING STYLE

Together with photography, the look of your gallery is determined by the photographer's editing style.

We aim for a light, timeless, true to colour style which sits well with our natural approach.

Each gallery is hand edited, reflecting our ethos of craftsmanship, care & quality. We select specific images for black and white edits which suit the context.

We advise looking at LOTS of photographers to ensure that their style suits your taste & aesthetic.





# ABOUT YOU

The chances are, if our images speak to you as a couple, then you are looking for beautiful photography which is genuine & reflects a relaxed, romantic & fun approach to your day.

We have also heard quite a few times; “we don’t like having our photo taken.” That’s ok - we get it!

Primarily we are there to make you both comfortable & to capture what’s happening . We make sure that your photography is relaxed & fun for everyone.







## SUPPORTING YOU

When you book your photography with us - either via a video call or coffee and cake in person (our treat), we begin your planning journey with you & keep in regular communication through email & calls, working out your needs for your day.

This can be from helping with a timeline for your day, making use of our extensive knowledge of fellow suppliers, to advising on group shots or locations. We have also helped find a pipe band, plumbed a shower on the morning & tamed a lion - true story.

A pre wedding shoot is part of our full day wedding package which gets you relaxed in front of the camera makes most effective use of time on your wedding day.







## PRE WEDDING SHOOT

We offer this as part of our full day package & believe it to be invaluable in getting you both relaxed in front of the camera.

We shoot this at your venue which means we can preplan your photography on your wedding day with you , allowing you maximum time with your guests & getting you the locations/backgrounds you prefer.

This is usually done a year before in the same season, giving you an accurate feel of how your photography will look on your actual day.

These images can also be used for a “Save the Date”.







## INCLUSIVITY & EQUALITY

We understand & love that one size does not fit all so adapt our photography to suit your relationship & wedding plans





# YOUR WEDDING DAY TIMELINE





## WEDDING MORNING

We arrive two hours before the ceremony where Paula will photograph one of you & your party.

Brian is able to cover the second group if at the venue or can meet an hour before the ceremony for 'walking to the ceremony' shots if preferred. Having two of us means that we can take time to capture all the meaningful moments, details & people before we both come together at the ceremony.

We time sync our cameras which means that when looking at your gallery, you are able to see what each of you were doing - truly telling the story of your day's timeline.







Getting ready with your best people - we don't interfere or pose which makes your gallery a genuine reflection of your wedding morning.





A shot of your outfits in situ gives a sense of place & your aesthetic. You have spent time choosing, let's celebrate them and make them part of your story.





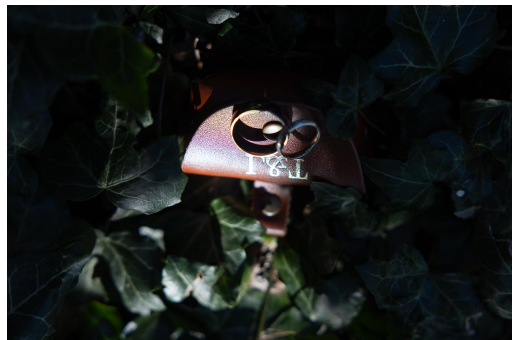
# HER DETAILS







# HIS DETAILS







PLEASE BRING ALL  
THE DOGS WE ARE  
DOG FRIENDLY





Getting ready - captured from a distance & without obtrusion creates the most natural images and tells the story of another element of your day.





The boys ( if appropriate) can be photographed at the venue & can opt for getting ready shots or to be photographed when ready.





## PORTRAITS

Taking time to capture individual portraits before you get married is an opportunity for a little quiet time before your day begins.







First look with mum, dad or bridesmaids is always an emotional one to photograph.

This is usually done just before you head off to your ceremony.





A little time for a group shot whether informal or formal with your wedding party before you head off to get married.







WALKING TO THE VENUE





Arriving at your ceremony location with your party or parent is another little connecting shot in the story.







WALKING DOWN THE  
AISLE





## THE REACTION

The first look -  
having two  
photographers means  
that we are able to  
capture 2  
perspectives and  
angles (where  
possible)

This means as one of  
you is walking down  
the aisle and being  
photographed, the  
other photographer  
is able to capture the  
reaction.





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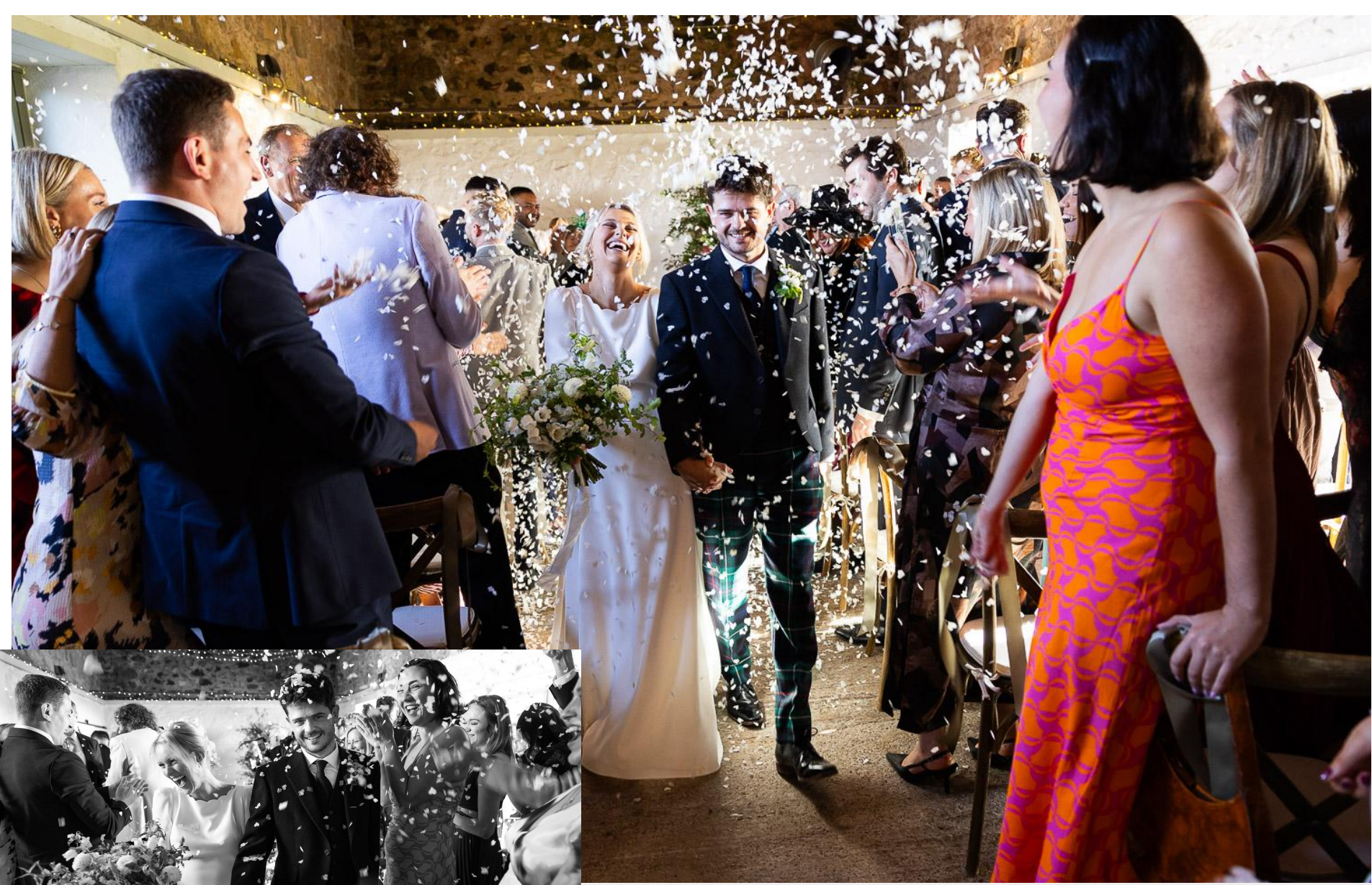






WE DID IT





CONFETTI FOR THE WIN





WE LIKE BUBBLES TOO







IMMEDIATELY POST CEREMONY YOU MAY WANT TO HAVE SOME TIME WITH YOUR GUESTS AS THEY WILL WANT TO CONGRATULATE YOU BOTH. WE STAND BACK AND SHOOT THIS FROM A DISTANCE, ALLOWING THE GENUINE REACTIONS TO BE CAPTURED - THE CANDID





CANDIDS





## COUPLE PORTRAITS

This is the part of your day (our favourite) where we sneak you away for maximum of an hour and you get a little breather to be together. We go a little walk, you can open a bottle of fizz and we take some portraits. You will be relaxed because you know what to do after your pre wedding shoot and you will be full of 'just married' joy!

Following this page, is a little selection from recent wedding which reflect our couples and a few of the venues we cover. We love to shoot to give a sense of place and have captured everything from a city centre to a mountain top.

Having two of us means that while you are having your photographs taken, Paula is able to photograph your guests at your drinks reception, taking both candids and any groups on request.







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THE COWSHED CRAIL





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MARR LODGE



## Boreland Loch Tay







BACHILTON BARN





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ROSSIE ON THE EARN





CROMLIX HOUSE





After your couple shots we rejoin your reception and, should you wish, take some time for family & friends group shots. These can be formal or as informal as you wish.





YOUR PEOPLE







SPEECHES





# DETAILS







## DINNER TIME

During your wedding breakfast (unless there are speeches between courses) we take a break from shooting. There really isn't any place in a wedding gallery for you eating and it allows us time to prepare for your evening celebrations.

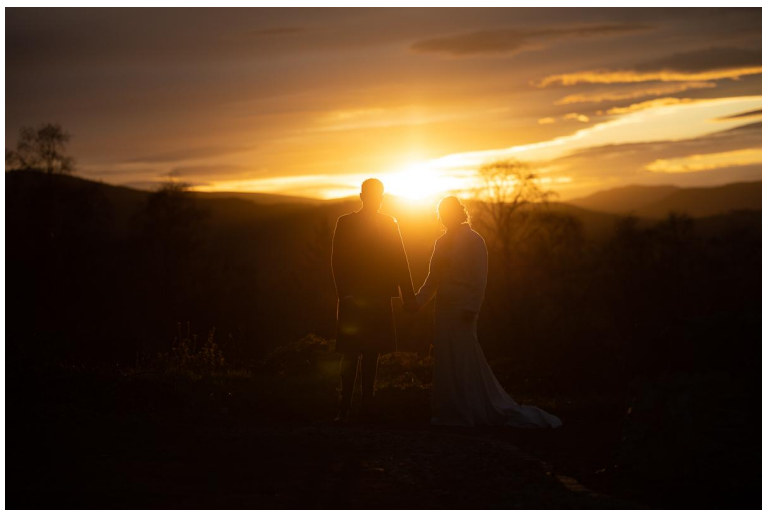
We will always photograph the details of your tablescapes and florals as it is another important element of your day's story.





## GOLDEN HOUR

Depending on the time of year, your timeline and weather, we can sneak away after dinner and before the first dance for a few Golden Hour shots. A celebration of yummy light and some time together adds another dimension to your day.







Cutting the cake whether traditional or alternative - usually marks the start of your evening celebrations.





Your first dance  
together gathers your  
guests to the dance  
floor and signals the  
time to party hard!

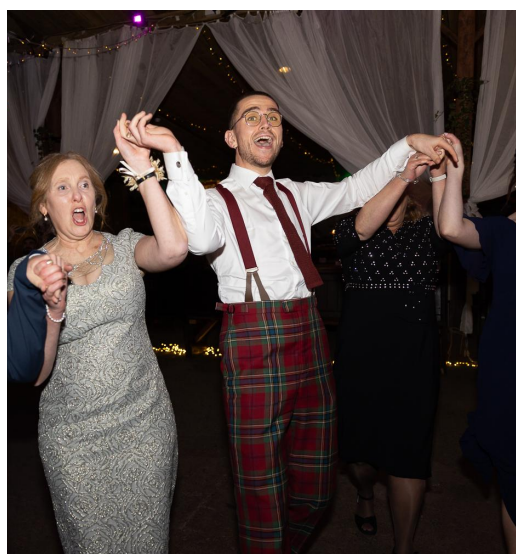








The evening celebrations are always a joy to capture & round off your gallery with the party. We stay into usually the 3rd dance which always allows plenty of action shots of your guests letting their hair down. As the Killers do their thing, we head into the night happy that it's been a good day.







After 9 hours of photographing your day, we wish you and your guests a fond farewell and leave you to the party. Preview photos are usually provided within 72 hours, allowing you to share a few on your socials. Your wedding gallery is then downloaded to multiple servers and goes into our editing queue of 6 - 8 weeks.



# FAQ'S - PLEASE ALWAYS ASK ANY PHOTOGRAPHER THESE!

- How many weddings do you shoot a year?  
We limit it strictly to ensure that we give our couples our best. This relates to our work on the day plus the time and care we take in the editing process - we never batch edit - each gallery is hand edited.
- Are you insured and what does this cover?  
We are fully insured with a specialist media insurer which covers all possible eventualities.
- What happens if you are ill on our wedding day?  
We have never missed a wedding yet, however are each capable of shooting a wedding without the other, plus have a bank of capable photographer colleagues who shoot in a similar style who can seamlessly step in.







## FAQ'S

- How long until we get our images?  
Your full gallery will be ready between 6 - 8 weeks after your wedding to allow for careful hand editing and presentation. The images are high resolution and watermark free. A wooden presentation box will be sent recorded delivery to your home, after which a link to your secure online gallery will be sent for you to share with your family & friends.

- Do you do prints and albums?  
Yes, we have a number of beautiful options and only use the best photo lab in Europe for your prints - you'll see a noticeable difference in quality from your high street printer.



## FAQ'S

- How do you protect and backup my images on the day and after?

We shoot all weddings simultaneously on 2 cards and never overwrite these until your gallery is complete and sent to you. We always carry backup cards and equipment. Your images are stored both in the cloud and on multiple hard drives for safety.

- What if it rains on our wedding day?

There are always beautiful options and possibilities in all weather situations and we are also ready to grab 10 minutes between the raindrops if at all possible with your schedule. White brollies and raindrops are also incredibly romantic if shot well - relax, you won't notice the weather, trust us!

- Do you take group shots? YES - ABSOLUTELY  
We understand that these are important.







## FAQ'S

- Why bother with a pre wedding shoot?  
It helps you both relax in front of the camera, allows us to explore all the possible locations with you at your venue for shots on your day, which makes photography on your day run even more smoothly and can also be used for save the dates if wanted.

- What equipment do you have?  
We both shoot on Canon R5 and 6's with dedicated RF lenses. These are the latest models and highest spec.

- Can we see full galleries?  
Absolutely - delighted to share full galleries with you as well as the range on our website.



## FAQ'S

- How do we find out more about your services?

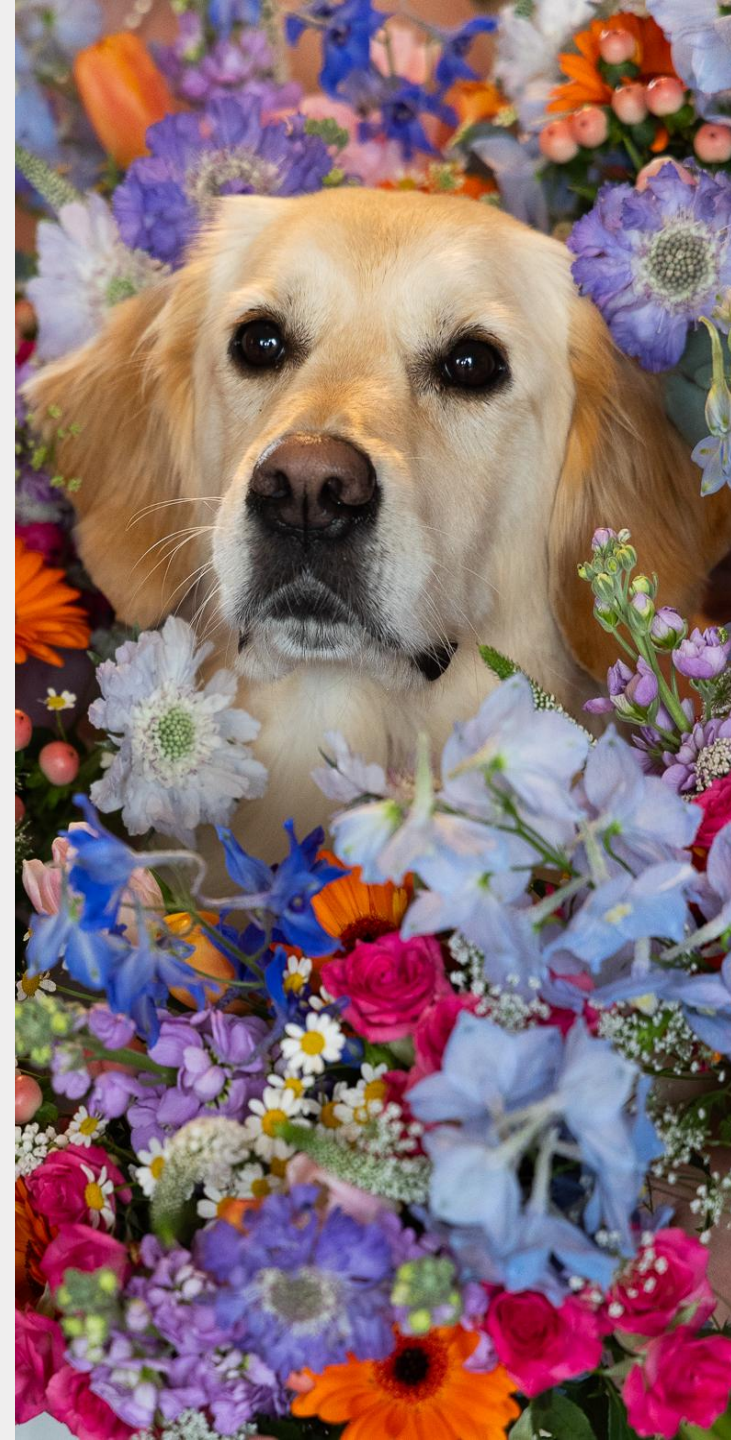
Drop us a line via the contact form on the website and we can arrange a meeting. As we live near Gleneagles, we are happy to meet there or in our home, River Cottage.

- If we meet, are we obliged to book?

No, not at all! It's always a good idea to meet your proposed photographer/ content creator and/or filmmaker as they will be with you all day, so you'll want to get on. We both want to be the best fit.

- Do you travel all over Scotland.

Yes, absolutely. We do not charge travel within 25 miles.





# INVESTMENT



## PART DAY WEDDING AND ELOPEMENTS

Available weekdays  
or by enquiry for  
availability

3 hours

150 images as online  
download.

£750



## FULL DAY - ONE

single photographer  
Coverage at your  
discretion 7 hours.  
300 images on USB  
in presentation box  
with selection of  
prints.

From £1450



## FULL DAY TWO

Online gallery Full day -  
two photographers  
Coverage from 2 hours  
before the ceremony, 9  
hours

Pre wedding shoot  
500+ HAND EDITED  
images on USB in  
presentation box with  
selection of prints

From £1950



## GALLERY BOX

Each gallery is unique and includes a selection of exhibition quality prints with a usb of the high res images. As a personal touch, dried flowers or foliage gathered on your wedding day are put in your box too.

We also include a secure online gallery which is e-commerce enabled, allowing you to share the link with your guests if they wish to view or purchase prints.





# GET IN TOUCH

We'd love to chat further over coffee and cake (our treat), and hear all about your plans.

So drop us a line with any questions or if you'd like to know more via our contact form on :

<http://crieffphotography.co.uk>

We both hope to hear from you soon!







Thank you for  
getting in touch &  
wishing you both  
the happiest of  
planning journeys!  
B & P