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# HAVE YOUR SAY!

We love sharing our most recent inspiration with you all via these quarterly magazines... so much so that we're now thinking about making them a more regular occurrence.

But is this what you want?

Hit us up with your thoughts by responding (even if it's a simple 'yes', 'no') to

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# FEATURED ARTICLE



# IMPRESSIVE BACHELORETTE GIFT BASKET IDEAS (YOU NEED TO TRY!)

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This is your ultimate guide!

# **BACHELORETTE GIFT BASKETS**

With a little thought, gift baskets can make the best bachelorette party gifts. And whether they're geared towards the bride, the couple, or the bridal party as a whole, the fact that they've been put together by family and friends will mean the world to your girl!

Ready to create incredible memories and presents all in one? The bachelorette gift basket ideas in this article will help you do this and more.

Related: Personalised Party Ideas



# Our Top Tips for Creating Bachelorette Party Gift Baskets

MAKE IT A THOUGHTFUL GIFT Rather than grabbing a gift basket online, we highly recommend putting one together yourself. There are a few reasons for this:

- 1. You know for a fact that she will love the contents (because you know her!)
- 2. The fact that her close friends and family members have put so much thought into this will be enough to bring your girl to happy tears!
- 3. You can tailor it to your event theme (if applicable)

# **BRAINSTORM**

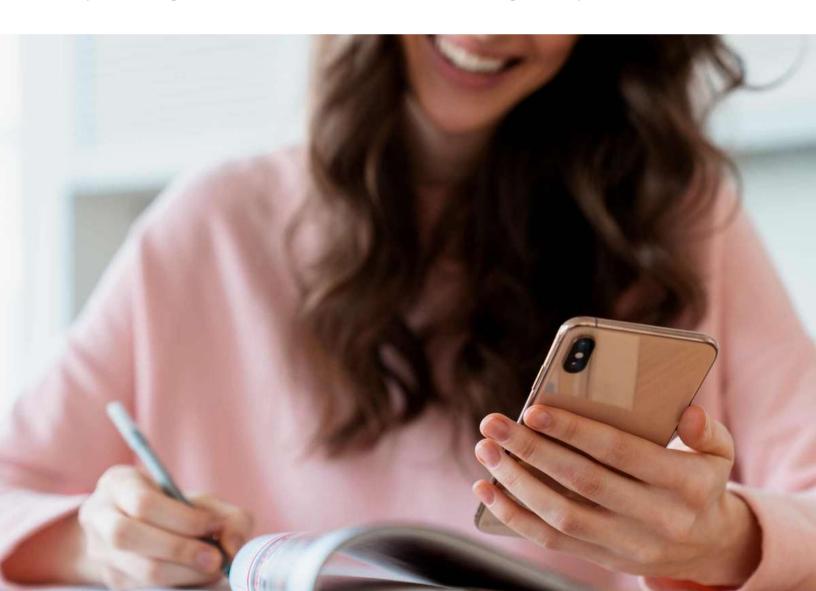
To hit the first tip, you first need to brainstorm. Which basically means questioning

# everything!

What are your best friend's interests? Is there something she's talked about buying, but not done so yet? Is there an item she'd love to own, but can't bring herself to splurge? What are her favourite things to do or places to go?

If this is a gift for the couple, think of their relationship. What is their favourite date? Can you create a basket based on this? Is there a new restaurant they're keen to try? A movie they'd love to see? Or a place they'd love to go?

Food, drinks, physical items, experiences - get creative, think outside the box, and make a list of everything you come up with. This will help you put together something extra special.



# **BRING IT ALL TOGETHER**

You've got your list, now it's time to create some magic! But first, how will you put together your basket?

# The Adventure Gift Basket

Filled to the brim with fun activities and experience ideas. This would make for the ideal 'date' or 'to do' list in the couple's first year of marriage.

Include vouchers to local

experiences, snacks that can be taken on expeditions, a first aid kit, and reusable water bottles. Personalise the hamper with notes from guests, outlining their own adventurous tips (such as their favourite hiking trails, camping spots, bike rides and sunrise/sunset views).

# Handy Tip:

For a more practical gift, place adventure items into a backpack rather than a basket.



# The 'Favorite Things' Gift Basket

As the heading states - this is all about the bride and her favorite things.

Fillers could include anything from her most-loved snacks and beverages, to her favourite makeup, music and plants. Vouchers to her hairdresser and beloved cafe's are also an option, as is a bunch of her favourite flowers.

The result? A useful gift that's also incredibly meaningful.







# The Foodie Gift Basket

For the bride who appreciates life's flavours, the best bachelorette gift idea involves food and drink.

In this gift basket you could include vouchers to local eateries or nearby chocolateries, surprise dining experiences, cooking classes or a sweet pre-booked picnic. Guests can add their favorite recipes to the mix, along with one of their favourite gourmet snacks.

Top it all off with an assortment of the bride's most loved foods.

# Handy Tip:

For an extra special touch, frame a recipe that's been passed down through the generations in the bride (and groom's) family. Place this, along with all of the ingredients needed, into the basket. A thoughtful present that can be used time and again.

# The Themed Gift Basket

Filled with items that pair well with your event theme.

Your best friend loves the beach, for example, so you're hosting a beach themed bachelorette. Her particular gift basket may contain some tropical cocktails, a voucher for her favourite bathers store, foods that

can be used for a beach picnic, sunglasses, luxe lip balm, a cotton sarong and/or a beach towel.

Pack in a beach bag rather than a basket for added effect.

Click here to view the custom beach bags by 'Sree AU' pictured below:



# The Pamper Gift Basket

There's no better time to give the gift of indulgence than in the lead up to a wedding.

Filled with anything from mini champagne bottles, bubble bath, bath salts, essential oils and eye masks, to nail polish, makeup, lip balm and even a herbal tea sampler - there are items to suit every style.

If you're looking to splurge a little,

bridal robes or a spa weekend are sure to go down a treat. And when it comes to vouchers, massage, hair or nails will be well-received.

Basically, by including your friend's favourite products and experiences, you really can't go wrong!

Related: DIY Pamper Party





#### The Wine Lovers Gift Basket

A gift that any connoisseur would adore.

Wine gift baskets might include a bottle or two of vino (complete with custom labels), an assortment of cheese, crackers and gourmet chocolates, a couple of wine tumblers, and perhaps even a wine tour experience (if you're after a big ticket item).

A great way to personalise this basket is by adding winery/wine suggestions from friends. Print off images of each guest and ask that they write their favourite winery and bottle of wine on the back. They might even like to include a little story about why it's their favourite. The couple can make their way through these suggestions at their leisure, comparing notes as they go.

Related: Wine Themed Bachelorette

# SPEND LESS ON YOUR PARTY!

# DEALS & SPECIALS

We've set up a page dedicated to specials and deals. This means, if one of the listed products or experiences is of interest to you, you can plan your event for a little bit less!

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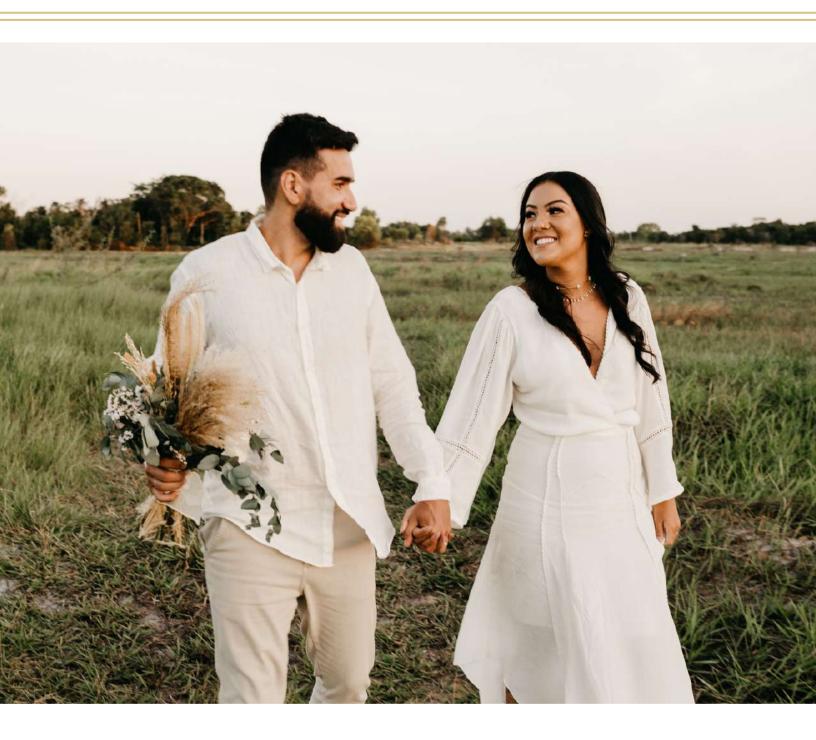


# A YEAR OF FIRSTS:

# THE GIFT THAT KEEPS ON GIVING



So many fun, sweet & unique options!



# A YEAR OF FIRSTS

Think of the big moments in your life. The first time you did something you're proud of. Your first date, your first kiss. Does reminiscing bring a smile to your face?

Big moments like these result in beautiful memories. Which is why they should be celebrated! And this activity helps your best friend and her soon-to-be husband (or wife) do just that. Fun and thoughtful; 'a year of firsts' will not only make amazing moments in their first year of marriage even better, but will also encourage the happy couple to look back on (and perhaps forward to) other exciting times!

Learn how to create this wonderful gift via the step-by-step instructions outlined below.

Related: Party Time Capsule Related: Thoughtful Party Ideas

### How to Create a 'Year of Firsts' Gift

### YOU WILL NEED:

A box or basket, gifts for the couple, labels and pens.

#### PREPARATION:

Start by brainstorming a list of 'firsts' that your best friend and her beau would enjoy celebrating. These could be anything from 'first night as a married couple' to 'first house together'.

Write each experience onto it's own label or gift tag.

Now, source some goodies! Every time a new 'first' is experienced within the marriage, the couple gets to open one of these gifts. So make it something special.

If they love to indulge in a drink or two, wine bottles from different regions are a fantastic option. Chocoholics? Perhaps a variety of luxe chocolates is in order. If you base the gifts on their likes/personalities, you can't go wrong.

### Handy Tip:

Tailor these special occasions and

gifts to the couple themselves. For example, if you know they're planning on adopting a puppy, 'first pet' would be an experience to celebrate. The more thought you put into it, the more memorable and enjoyable the overall gift will be.

# MARIAGE MILESTONES TO CELEBRATE:

- First anniversary
- First big purchase
- First christmas
- First date as a married couple
- First day as husband and wife
- First dinner party
- First fight
- First holiday
- First house
- First new year
- First night as a married couple
- First pet
- First Valentine's Day
- Just because

#### GIFT IDFAS

- A bottle of wine from a few of their favourite wineries
- Chocolates from around the world
- Different ways to spend date night (e.g. a voucher to a cooking class, a coupon for their favourite café, etc.)





# Click here to view ↑ these ↑ marriage milestone wine labels by 'The Sunshine Garden'

Bring it All Together
Attach the gift tags or labels to your chosen gifts (as pictured above).
Neatly display these goodies in a

basket or beautiful wooden box ready to gift to the bride at her shower or bachelorette.

# Alternative Ways to Create Your 'Year of Firsts' Gift

### A YEAR OF DATES

Rather than gifting 'a year of firsts', treat the beautiful couple to a year of quality time together! Vouchers to restaurants, cooking classes, mini getaways, scavenger hunts, or even

maps to secret picnic locations; get them out of their comfort zone and creating incredible memories with a variety of fun adventures put together especially for them!

Related: The Date Jar Game

# Click here to view/download the 'Date Ideas' bundle pictured below:



# BRIDE-TO-BE/WEDDING MILESTONES

Planning a wedding is exciting, nerve-wracking, and everything in between. Help your bestie document their road to marriage with a fun 'wedding planning milestone' gift.

To make, simply swap out the 'first

experiences' on your labels to experiences the couple may have whilst organising their big day. 'Said YES to the dress', 'Sent invitations', 'Booked a venue' and 'Bought suits', for example. Whether big or small, these special moments all combine to create one amazing day, and they deserve to be documented, and celebrated, too!

Click to view the bride-to-be milestone cards (pictured below) by 'Ellie Marie Designs Designs'



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# BACHELORETTE

# SURVIVAL KITS

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BACHELORETTE SURVIVAL KITS
Wardrobe malfunction, early
hangover, a had breath situation

hangover, a bad breath situation...? On girls night, things happen. Which is why a DIY Bachelorette survival kit will be so appreciated!

Not only the perfect gift (they're handy AND double as favor bags); but when you stick to items that can be used at the event + in day-to-day life, everything from the carrier to the little goodies inside won't go to waste.

Ready to get started? Check out the

Bachelorette party survival kit list below. With this inspiration, you'll be more than prepared for your special occasion and any little mishaps it may bring!

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# Survival Kit Bags

First thing's first: consider the items you want to include (are they small, large, bulky?) and your itinerary (is the party at one venue only or will guests' be moving from place to place?).

Then choose a bag that suits.

This may be a paper bag, muslin bags, cotton drawstring bags, tote bags, or even small hessian bags. Complete the look with a custom label (if desired).

# Handy Tip:

Heading out and about? Choose something small, the ideal size would fit in a handbag. Staying at the one location? Any size goes. In other words, pick the option that won't be a nuisance at your particular event. Survival kits are meant to make your guest's life easier, not harder!





Click here to view ↑ these ↑ custom bags by 'Mishmash Designs'

# ONE BAG INSTEAD OF MANY

Rather than creating a survival kit for each and every guest - put together one epic bag. The contents can be shared if/when needed.

# Handy Tip:

Bridesmaids can get themselves some wicked bum bags and keep all necessary items in these instead!

# Click to view the custom bags by 'Auckland Keyring' pictured below



# The Contents: What to Put In Your Survival Kits

# Hair & Beauty Products:

# **BOBBY PINS**

When your hair is falling the wrong way, when you need to pin your fringe back, or when you've lost some of the bobby pins required for your updo - what do you do?

Grab your survival kit.

Because bridesmaid of the year has made sure you have a few bobby pins up your sleeve for times like these!

### **DRY SHAMPOO**

A cheeky trick to absorb the oil (or, let's be honest dancing queen, sweat!) from your scalp. Keep your hair looking the goods all night long with a quick spray of dry shampoo

#### HAIR TIES

Help guests style their hair for any moment or scenario by providing a few cheeky hair ties. Because, if you're anything like me, there comes a point where you just want your luscious locks AWAY from your face!

# Click here to view the fun hair ties (pictured below) by 'Oh Happy Party Co'



# LIP BALM OR LIP GLOSS

Nobody wants cracked lips! Hydrate those beauties with a luxurious, natural balm or gloss. The perfect pick-me-up at any time of the day or night.

#### MAKEUP REMOVER WIPES

At the end of a big night, there's nothing better than wiping your face clean and jumping into bed. Help make this process a breeze by providing some soothing, natural face wipes.

# **NAIL FILES**

Perfect for when your nail breaks unexpectedly. Rather than walking around with sharp edges, a file can be used to easily smooth and shape when it's needed most.





Click here to view ↑ these ↑ sweet nail files by 'Team Hen'

#### Food & Drink Items:

#### FRESH BREATH

Keep the bad breath at bay by providing each guest with breath mints, gum, or even tic tacs. A quick fix that will be much appreciated should the problem arise.

#### SHOT GLASSES

A cheeky addition that is sure to go down a treat! Make sure each and every guest is ready to get the drinks flowing with this fun little gift.

### **SMALL SNACKS**

A small variety of snacks (such as wrapped chocolates or lollies, a granola bar, or even a protein bar) will mean you're equipped for when the hunger hits.

#### WATER BOTTLES

Encourage party-goers to stay hydrated by including a reusable water bottle (filled with ice-cold water). If this is too expensive, small bottles of water can be purchased in bulk (and the bottles themselves recycled after use).





Click here to view ↑ these ↑ water bottles by 'One Stop Collective'

# **Other Handy Products:**

### **BAND AIDS**

Bumps and scratches happen. If someone in your group winds up with a small graze, whip out a bandaid and continue enjoying the night!

# SAFETY PINS

As mentioned earlier, wardrobe malfunctions are a common occurrence on girls night. But with safety pins at the ready, any small tears can be temporarily fixed (meaning your friend can continue to enjoy herself!).



### Fun Alternatives to Survival Kits

Love the idea of a survival kit, but want to put a little twist on your final product? See the inspiration below:

# WEDDING SURVIVAL KIT

Just like small things can go wrong in everyday life, minor mishaps can happen on your big day. So be prepared! A wedding day emergency kit (much like the survival kits outlined earlier) will make sure you're ready for anything.

Band-aids, safety pins, bobby pins, hair ties, perhaps a few snacks to

get you through - think of all the items you may need on your special day and have them packed just in case

# HANGOVER RECOVERY KIT

Rather than focusing on the actual event, turn your attention to the next morning. Heads will be sore, eyes will be tired, and terrible food will be craved. So why not make the morning after a little more bearable with cheeky hangover kit bags? These can feature anything from a bottle of water and an eye mask to a voucher to the local café (where coffee and greasy food is in abundance!).

Click to view these hangover kit bags (pictured below) by 'Sixpence Collection'



# **MINIMALIST PARTY PRINTABLES**

After some digital decorations and/or games for your event? <u>Click here</u>.













# GAME IDEAS



# (NOT SO TYPICAL)

# BACHELORETTE

WORD SEARCH IDEAS!



Instructions + alternative ways to play!

#### YOU WILL NEED:

A word search template. Either make your own on the computer (using programs such as Word or Powerpoint), or purchase a premade activity card (example pictured below). You will also need pens/pencils and a timer.

# Handy Tip:

Remember to include a list of hidden words at the bottom of your cards!

### PREPARATION:

If you have a printer at home, use this to print off your game cards. If not, head to your local print shop instead.

# Handy Tip:

Make sure you have enough cards for the number of players.

### **HOW TO PLAY:**

On 'GO', players grab their game cards and search for the hidden words - finding as many as they can within the allotted time. For an easy search, we often allow 3-4 minutes; but this time limit can be changed to suit your search and party.

The person or team who find the most words before the timer goes off is your winner!

# Alternative:

Ditch the timer - the person or team to find all of the words first wins.



# The Different Types of Word Searches

# CHEEKY WORD SEARCH FOR BACHELORETTE PARTIES

After a bit of cheek? Up the giggle factor with hilariously naughty hidden words!

With options such as 'strippers', 'fake orgasm', 'missionary position' and 'condom' all fair play, partygoers will be blushing and laughing from the get go.

**Related: Dirty Pictionary** 

#### **FUNNY SHAPES**

Create a 'shape' with your hidden words. That is, hide the words so that once they're circled or highlighted, they create an image.

Your word search might result in a love heart, the bride's initials, the groom's initials or even a pecker! Get creative and have fun with it.

WEDDING WORD SEARCH PUZZLE Unlike their cheeky counterparts mentioned above, wedding word search game cards are a sweet, multi-age option that can be played at a range of events. To make, simply hide wedding related words (such as bridesmaid, ceremony, wedding cake and flower girl) within the puzzle.

# PERSONALISED WORD SEARCH GAMES

These are all about the guest of honor and her husband-to-be. So rather than hiding general wedding or hen related words, come up with a list that focuses on the happy couple's relationship and life in general.

Some examples include their names, cute nicknames they use, funny phrases they say, locations that have meaning (such as where they're getting married, or where he proposed) and so on.

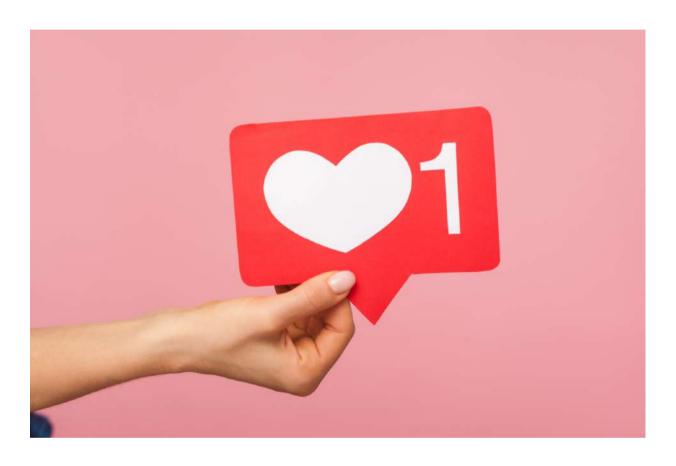
# Other Tips

#### PRINTING

Print your word search puzzles onto thin card stock. Not only will it have a more professional 'vibe', but will also be a lot sturdier than a normal piece of paper.



# ARE YOU READY TO Get Social With Us?!



We love sharing inspiration, asking questions, answering questions, hearing about your plans, seeing your party photos and so much more!

If you would like to see new and exciting ideas (from For Every Hen and fellow bridesmaids around the world), check out our socials.

We can't wait to see you there!



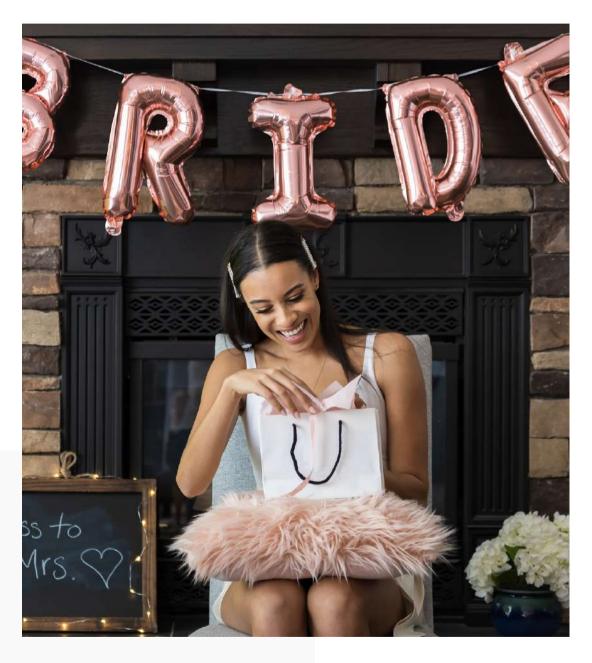




# HOW TO PLAY

# BRIDAL

# **BINGO!**



Instructions + alternative ways to play!



#### TO PLAY, YOU WILL NEED:

Bridal bingo cards, pens/pencils, the beautiful bride and her gifts!

#### PREPARATION:

First up, prepare some game cards. These can either be purchased premade (click here for some great options), or created yourself.

If you've chosen the DIY route, take a look at the image above for inspiration. Before starting on your own, think about how you want your cards to look. Then head to the computer and whip up a design!

Programs such as Powerpoint, Canva and Affinity are great for this.

## Handy Design Tips:

Planning a special bridal shower theme? Incorporate this in your design - it will make the celebration flow.

Alternatively, feature the bride-tobe's favorite color in your creation; it will add a sweet and personalised touch to the game.

# HOW TO PLAY 'BRIDAL BINGO':

When it's nearly time for the bride to open her gifts, hand each guest a game card and pen/pencil. Ask that everyone fill the blank spaces of their cards with gifts they think the brideto-be may receive. Examples include a recipe book, cocktail mixing kit, luxe bath towel, cheese board, activity voucher (something the couple can do together), or even some quality wine glasses.

As the bride unwraps each gift, party-goers can cross the item off their cards (but only if it was written there in the first place!). The first to get 5 squares crossed off in a row - horizontal or diagonal, a.k.a. 'bingo' - is your winner.

Alternative Ways to Play this Great Game:

#### MUSICAL CHAIRS

As outlined above, each guest starts with their own card, and writes down gift predictions in each square. BUT unlike traditional bingo, their card will not stay with them for the entire game.

This is where the fun starts.

After the bride unwraps one gift, a song is played for 20 seconds. When the music starts, much like musical chairs, everyone gets up and has a dance (leaving their paper and pen on their seat). When the music stops, players run to a new chair (and therefore, a different bingo card).

The second gift is then unwrapped, and the above is repeated. Items are marked off, music is played, everyone dances, music is stopped, players find a new chair/card. This continues until someone gets bingo!

#### Handy Tip:

Rather than doing this every single round, throw it in at random points throughout the game. For example, when you're a couple of gifts in, mix it up with 'musical chairs'. Wait for another few gifts to be unwrapped before playing the music again.

A variation of this game that will keep everyone interested and on their toes!

#### FIND THE GUEST BINGO

Rather than gifts, different descriptions fill each square. For example, 'is related to the bride', 'has travelled to more than three different countries', 'is wearing something pink', 'went to school with the bride'. It is up to party-goers to find someone who matches each description. When they've got five matches in a row, they yell 'BINGO!' and bask in winner's glory!

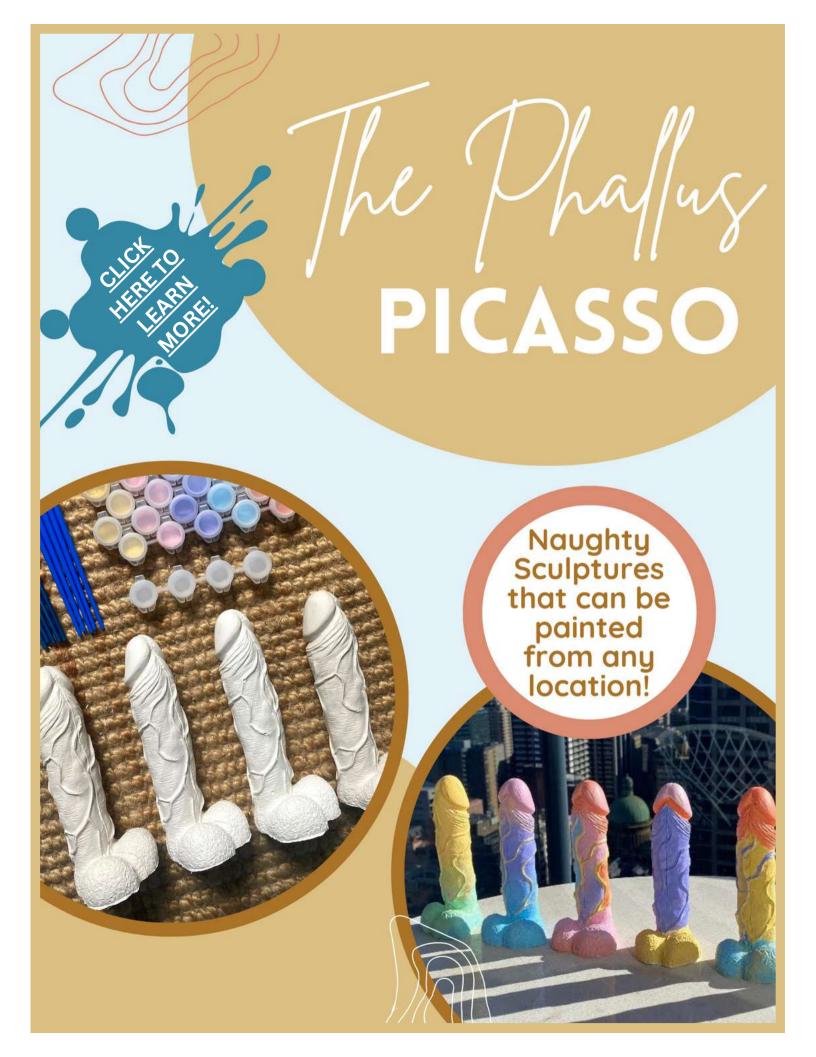
As you can see, this option revolves around real-life facts. Making it the perfect game for a large group of people, especially when they don't know each other that well.

See below for an example playing card:

Related: The Date Jar Game

<u>Click here to view the game cards</u> <u>by 'Minty Paperie Shop' (pictured</u> below)





EASY STEPS TO AN AMAZING

# WEDDING SCRAMBLE GAME!

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TOTAL CORRECT: NAME:

Instructions + alternative ways to play!

#### YOU WILL NEED:

Word scramble game cards, pens/pencils and a timer.

#### PREPARATION:

Start by writing down some wedding-related words (see the list below for ideas). Pick around 10 to 20 of your favourites and, using a word document or something similar, type them into a list.

We suggest printing this list off before going any further - it will become your answer key.

Now for the fun part... scramble them up! For example, BRIDE could become REBDI, GROOM might become OMRGO, and so on. With each word sufficiently jumbled, you now have yourself some playing cards.

## Handy Tip:

I've said it once, I'll say it again. Make an answer key. I've created these cards before, forgotten the words I used and then struggled to unscramble them! Don't do what I did. Don't be that person.

#### WEDDING-RELATED WORDS:

- Best Man
- Bride
- Bridesmaid
- Ceremony
- Dancing
- Favours
- Flower Girl
- First Dance
- Groom
- Groomsmen
- Honeymoon
- Maid of Honor
- Photos
- Proposal
- Reception

- Ring Boy
- Speeches
- Venue
- Wedding Cake
- Wedding Shower

#### Pre-Made Alternative:

Don't have time to create your own game card? Done-for-you digital items are the way to go. Simply purchase, open the digital files, and then use your home printer to make as many copies as needed.

You can view one of our pre-made designs here:



↑ Click here to view these Bridal Shower Word Scramble Cards ↑

#### **HOW TO PLAY**

On 'GO', players grab their game cards and fight to be the ultimate word unscrambler - making sense of as many words as they can within the allotted time limit. We often allow 2 -3 minutes, but this can be changed depending on how long your list is, and how quick/difficult you want the game to be.

The person or team to unscramble the most words before the timer goes off is your winner!

### Alternative:

Ditch the timer - the person or team to unscramble all of the words first wins.



# Alternative Ways to Play

#### PERSONALISE THE GAME

If this is being played at a bridal shower or bachelorette, then guests are no doubt there to celebrate one couple in particular. So why not make the game all about them?!

Rather than scrambling general wedding or hen related words, come up with a list that focuses on

the couple's relationship. Their quirks, cute dates, proposal location, cute nicknames, destinations with meaning, and so on.

## SPICE IT UP

Does the bride-to-be have a cheeky streak? Why not throw a couple of hilariously naughty words in the mix?!



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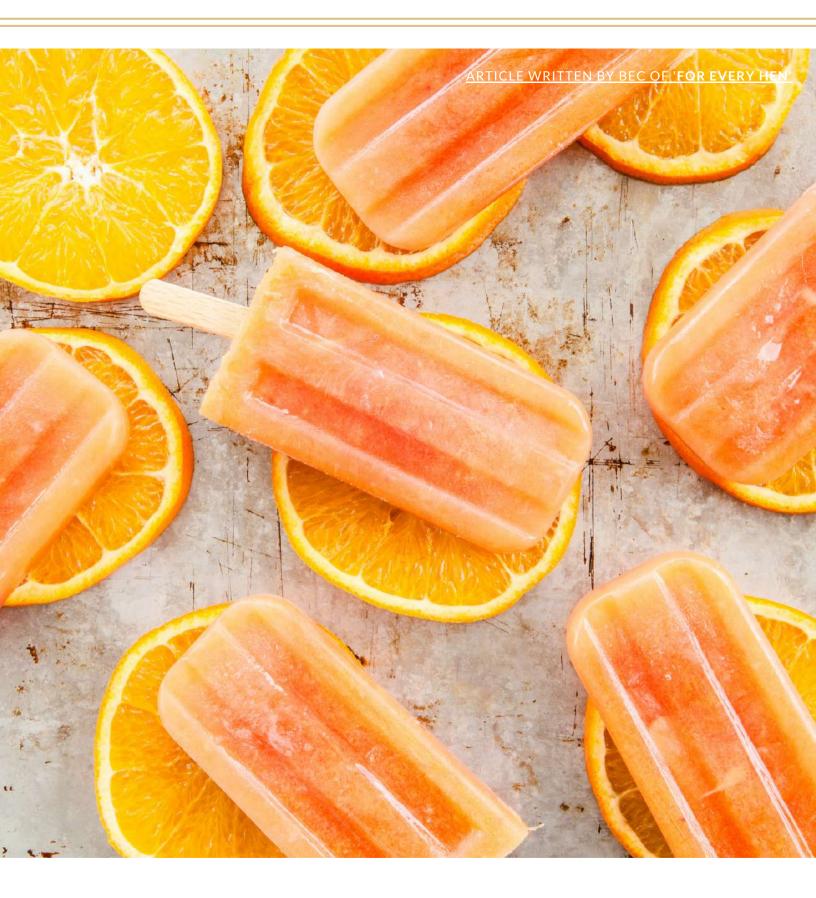


# FUN WAYS TO LUXE OUT YOUR EVENT WITH

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# **BOOZY ICYPOLES**

The blend of flavours paired with an icy texture makes boozy popsicles a great addition to any warm weather event. So whether it be a

bachelorette, birthday bash, or an ice-cold way to beat the summer heat; these epic ways to luxe out your day with alcoholic ice blocks are a MUST read!

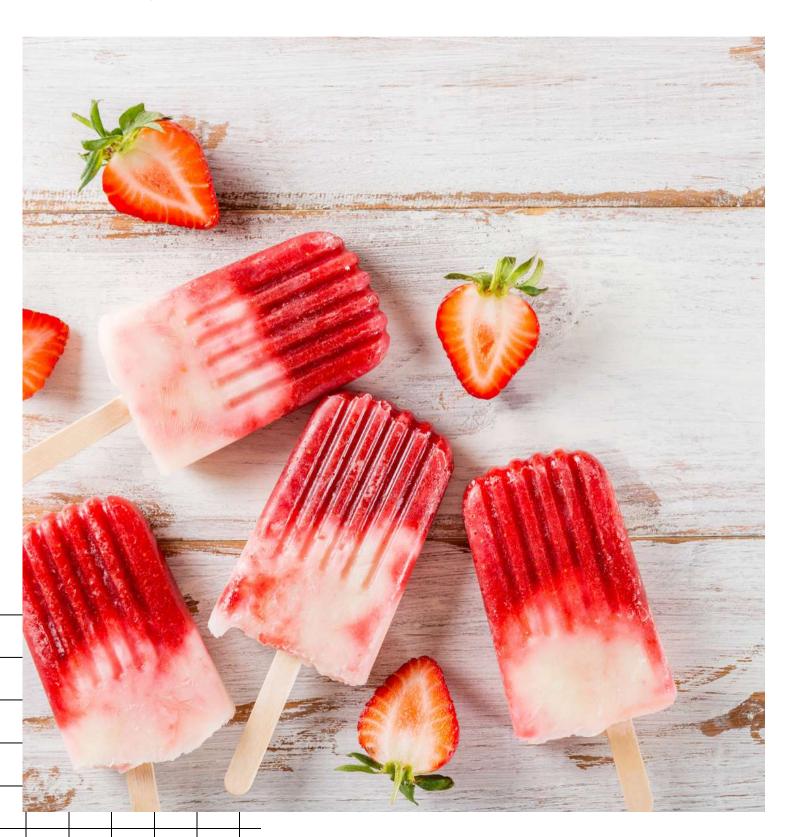
# What are Alcoholic Ice Pops?

The only difference between these and your usual popsicles is the alcohol content (making them a fun adult alternative to typical frozen treats!).

# Handy Tip:

Great recipes can be found at the

end of this article; use them to create some popsicle magic in your very own kitchen. When doing so, you may like to whip up some nonalcoholic options as well. Nondrinkers need in on the fun, too!



# 5 Fun Ways to Luxe Out Your Day with Boozy Ice Pops!

#### THE SUCKER RACE

Fight the brain-freeze with the sucker race! With the girl's hands tied behind their back, each participant has to race to finish their boozy popsicles.

How?

By sucking down their frozen popsicle; gripping the tubes or popsicle sticks with their knees. No hands allowed!

Will the brain freeze defeat you?!

#### THE TASTE TESTER GAME

Blindfold your hen and have her guess from a variety of delicious cocktail flavours. Can she guess them all?!

## Handy Tip:

Find some delicious ice pop recipes further down in this article. As these options are handmade with real fruit and alcohol, this will be the ultimate test of your friend's cocktail knowledge!

# WITH A VODKA SODA (PLUS SOME!)

To avoid being a basic b, flavour your vodka soda's by placing an alcoholic iceblock in your glass. Refreshing AND flavoursome!



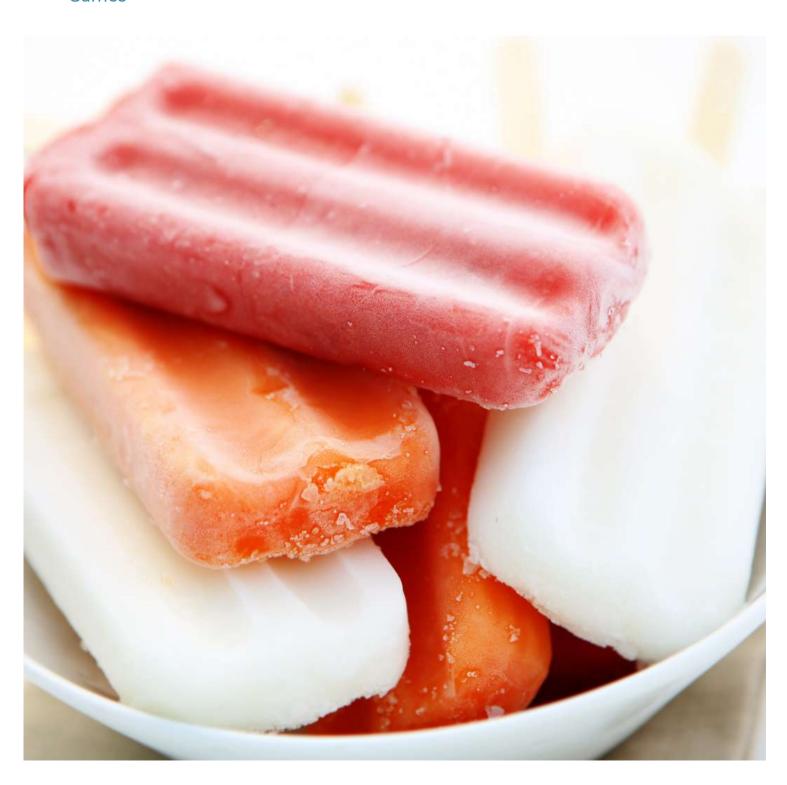
#### THE ICE-BREAKER GAME

The group will break the ice with personal questions whilst playing 'I Never Ever'. However, instead of sculling a drink, those who answer 'yes' to the question have to take a hefty bite out of their alcoholic popsicles. Hurts my teeth just thinking about it!

Related: Ultimate List of Hen Do Games

#### WITH A NOVELTY CATERING CART

And, last but certainly not least, you can luxe out your function space with a unique catering cart. For instance, based on an old school bicycle, this novelty cart is perfect for outdoor/summer hens parties. You could even pair with a pink pinstripe umbrella and wait staff – topless if you so please.





# The Different Ways to Make Alcoholic Ice Pops

Whilst your local liquor store may stock a pre-made frozen alcohol treat or two, it can be fun to create the magic yourself. To put a homemade twist on your frozen delights, see the wonderful recipes below:

### **BOOZY MARGARITA POPSICLES**

Adults - treat yourself! As the good ol' fashioned Mojito has had a makeover. 'Great for a day by the pool, BBQ, parties or just to make ahead of time and pull out for cocktail / happy hour'; Create Yum's refreshing icy treat is sure to be a hit. Click here to view the recipe now.

# COSTA RICAN WATERMELON MOJITO POPSICLES

Toni of 'Boulder Locavore' will help you 'take the edge off summer' with these 'heat-quenching popsicles'. For it is here that the flavours of watermelon, lemon juice, rum,

syrup and spearmint combine; creating one mouth-watering and refreshing ice treat!

Click to learn how to make your own.



# **GIN & TONIC POPS**

When you take an original recipe and add a little bit of a twist, what do you get? A popular cocktail turned icy treat that will have the adults in your life wanting more! Perfect for small gatherings and big bashes alike, these flavoured popsicles require only a couple of ingredients; then you're good to go! To learn how to make gin & tonic pops for your next event, click here.



#### **MOJITO POPSICLES**

Described as a 'crisp treat on a hot summer's day' by 'Chunky in Kentucky', this adult beverage turned popsicle is a must try for any Mojito lover! And with an easy-to-

follow recipe (featuring only four ingredients), making a bulk batch for your event will be a breeze.

Find out how to create these yummy 'poptails' by clicking here.





# RASPBERRY SANGRIA POPSICLES

Perfect for the warm weather or outdoor events, these icy refreshments will not disappoint! With only four ingredients, Kelley of 'Chef Savvy' loves the fact that these are 'extremely easy to make, not too sweet [and] loaded with fruit'.

Better yet? If you're after a nonalcoholic product, simply 'swap out the red wine for a fruit juice'.

Ready to make your own flavoursome treats? Click here to view the recipe + instructions.



# WATERMELON MARGARITA POPSICLES

Watermelon is one of the best fruits to dig into on a hot, summer's day. And with a little 'tweak', it can become the ultimate adults-only summertime treat! Bintu of 'Recipes from a Pantry' has created a

'refreshingly different way to enjoy your favourite [fruit and] cocktail' with these wonder popsicles; stating that 'they are as fun to make as they are to eat!'

Learn how to create your own by clicking here.



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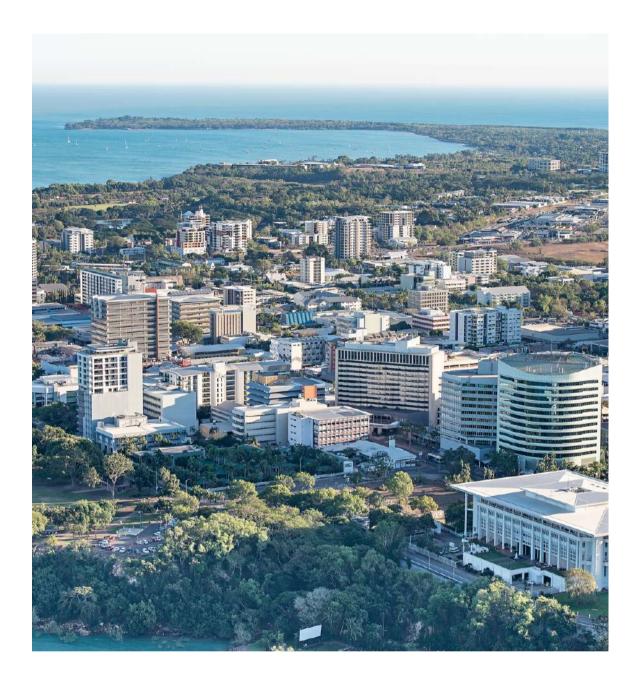


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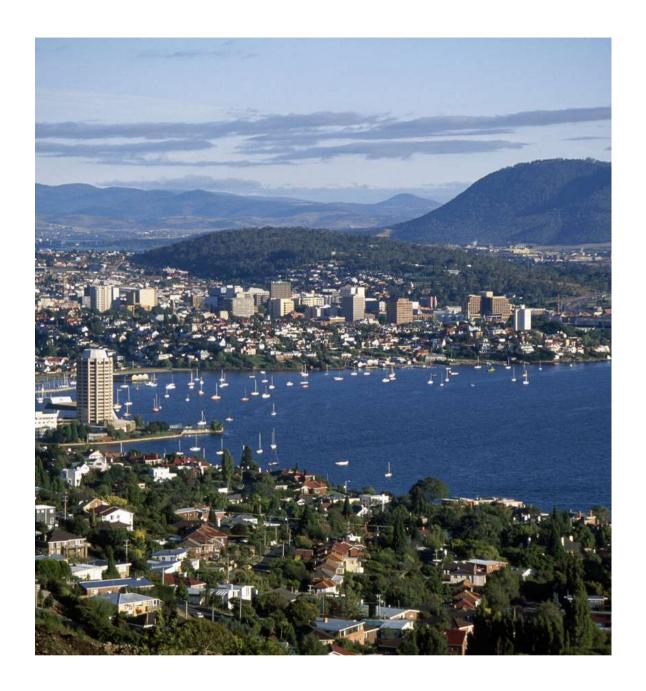
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