



Bridal Tips Planning Newsletter

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Bride/Name Change Kit

Do you realize how many agencies and forms that you must locate and fill out when you change your name? Social Security, insurance, banks, the list goes on. It's so overwhelming... Now, we have found a great little item that makes a wonderful bridal shower gift or buy one for yourself.

This is a consolidated, easy to use, name change kit for the new bride. It contains all required government forms, every personal record change form, an instruction guide and checklist to help the new bride change from her maiden to her new married name.

This has been voted #1 by new brides everywhere! This is good for use in all 50 states. You can receive your name change kit for \$30 (s/h included) direct from Sound Sensations Entertainment. Send your check / money order to our main office address, along with a note saying you want the name change kit.



Thoughts For The Month

Acceptance

"The art of acceptance is the art of making someone who has just done you a small favor wish that he might have done you a greater one."

-Russell Lynes

Sound Sensations Entertainment Email Addresses

We are amidst another busy wedding season, and as the summer marches on, calendars get filled quickly. As our DJ/Entertainment staff continues to grow, we wanted to make it quick and easy to contact your DJ directly and painlessly. Sometimes it's easier to contact your DJ directly, rather than leaving a message in the main office, or emailing the office main email address. Here they are:

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"You can check out my podcast."

The Lighter Side

INDIA

1. What island nation is located just south of India, across the Palk Strait? a- Burma, b-Bangladesh, c-Bali, d-Sri Lanka.
2. Since cows are sacred in India, what are McDonald's burgers made of in New Delhi? a-Soybeans, b-Pork, c-Mutton, d-Chicken.
3. Which color does not appear in the national flag of India? a-Saffron, b-White, c-Green, d-Red.
4. India was the first country to ban the controversial novel The Satanic Verses, written by what native son? a- Hanif Kureishi, b-Salman Rushdie, c-Raja Rao, d- Rabindranath Tagore.
5. What was the name of young cartoon hero, Jonny Quest's companion from India? a-Raji, b-Tao, c-Hadji, d-Sabu.
6. What city is home to India's film and television industry, known as Bollywood? a-Mumbai, b-Delhi, c-Calcutta, d-New Delhi.
7. What Portuguese explorer was the first to sail directly from Europe to India? a-Bartolomeu Dias, b-Vasco da Gama, c-Christopher Columbus, d- Pedro de Mascarenhas.

Looking For Song Ideas...

As you plan your reception, you may be looking for song ideas not just for your first dance, but maybe your cake cutting, grand march entrance, bouquet/garter toss and more. We have hundreds of suggestions, and you can check out our more than 62,000 song library online and listen to a clip of any song, and don't forget to generate a "do not play" list as well. Need a password to our planning area of our website, email or call us and we will gladly get you a password. dj@soundsensationsent.com, or call (920) 420-5929.

Alternatives to Glass Clinking At Your Reception...

Traditionally, reception guests will tap their champagne glasses with their flatware as an audible request for the bride and groom to kiss. As inviting, or ludicrous, as this may sound, there are other alternatives to this age old tradition - some of which are listed below.

Tell A Joke- The emcee/DJ announces that if a guest wants the newlyweds to kiss, he or she must come up to the microphone and tell a funny and clean joke.

Bells- Consider placing hand-held bells on each table at the reception. The formality of your wedding dictates which kind of bells you choose. Whether the bell is made of glass, silver or brass, it's a terrific way to "ring" in an old tradition!

Sing a Song Of Love- If a guest wishes the bride & groom to kiss, he or she must stand up in front of the crowd and sing a song that contains the word "love" in its lyrics.

Scavenger Hunt- Have a scavenger hunt. For example, guests who had baby pictures or a coin from the year the bride or groom was born would provoke a public kiss from the bride and groom.

Kissing Box- Get a shoebox and decorate it with paper, then cut a whole in the top. The master Of ceremonies starts things off by putting a dollar or more into the box. He then hands it to the bride & groom and they kiss. They then pass the box to whichever couple they want to make kiss next. Basically, you get the box, you kiss, you put money in the box and pass it to who ever you want. That way, the bride & groom earn money for the honeymoon while not getting chapped lips! Also works, in lieu of having a dollar dance.

Answers to 'India'

- 1-d, Sri Lanka
- 2-c, Mutton
- 3-d, Red
- 4-b, Salman Rushdie
- 5-c, Hadji
- 6-a, Mumbai
- 7-b, Vasco da Gama



"I don't want to ruin it for you, but the ending is pretty obvious."

Sound Sensations Entertainment News...

Thank You For Your Referrals

There's no question that we have the BEST customers on the entire planet.

Our entertainment business is built on word of mouth advertising and I like to thank the following people who were kind enough to recommend my services to their friends, co-workers & family...

Thank you soooo much!

Brian Krause
Cathy Goehre
Holly Murray
Sarah Ostrowski
Kim Pinkerton
Jaime Olson
Stephanie & Pete Poree

Referral Program

Do you know someone planning an event, party, wedding or any other type of event that might need entertainment? Refer them to us, and get rewarded. Visit the referral program link on our website, or call/email our office for details. If you have an event coming up and they book, we will give you a \$50 credit on your entertainment agreement, past clients will get a check for \$50, approx 30 days after the client they refer books our service. In addition, the client you refer, will receive \$50 off any entertainment package! It's a win-win situation for everyone. So go ahead and refer your friends to us...

New Clients We Want To Welcome...

I'd like to welcome the following people and organizations to the Sound Sensations Entertainment family!

Jessica John Eric Pierce
Nick Widi Kenny Beel
Jenny Boyce Marci Schroeder
Sarah Ostrowski Ashley Miller
Laura Keplin Tara Helmbrecht
Amy Zinda Erin Hemmila
Kate Tymus

Is your Company Planning A Holiday Party...?

We know its July, but its never too late to start planning for Winter. Where do you work? Are they having a holiday party? Find out. We would love to bring the entertainment to your next Winter Celebration.

Our December 2006 and January 2007 dates are booking up quickly. We provide entertainment including holiday games/team building games, corporate trivia, karaoke and music entertainment at many area corporations and businesses.

Refer your company, and if they book, get a \$50 credit on your contract, in addition to them saving \$50 on the entertainment!

Another Satisfied Client...

"We heard nothing but good things from all of our guests, and the dance floor was packed all night, just like we wanted! the music was great, the service was great, and the whole wedding turned out perfect, so thanks again for your help in making that happen!"

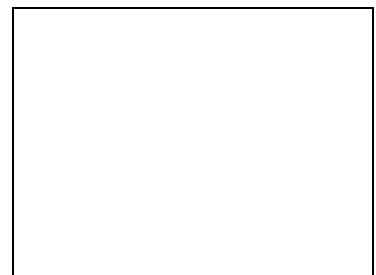
**Nick & Trista Forgette,
June 3, 2006**

Sound Sensations Entertainment goes to the DJ Conference in CT.

We are so excited! We just returned from the Mobile Beat Summer DJ Expo in Cromwell, CT, where we soaked up seminars, networked, and learned more about the latest in DJ equipment and technology. Best of all you get to benefit. Be on the lookout to several expansions to our current package options, as well as some new cutting edge ideas to make your reception a success. Here a few pictures from the show which was last week June 26-28th.



New Interactive Dances



Idea Sharing Session 10

We are looking forward to the Winter Mobile Beat Conference in Las Vegas, February 20-22. Stay Tuned for details on some of the new offerings we will be unveiling soon...

Unique Idea For Postage On Your Invitations

You are ready to mail out your wedding invitations and you go to the post office and try to decide whether the doggy stamps or the Eisenhower stamp looks better on your envelope. Wouldn't it be great if you could customize a postage stamp?

Enter www.photostamps.com You can upload your own photo and have any image that you want on your stamps. Add your photo or the photo of your dog. The options are limitless.



Let Us Make Your Wedding Ceremony Unique with a Custom Recording...

Are you having a Rose or Sand Ceremony at your ceremony? Maybe a candle lighting at your ceremony? What are you using for music during that time? We can take an instrumental song and add your voices into the song, during this portion of your ceremony. We can record a message to your spouse, meaningful words, a poem, your feelings, it could be anything. It can really give your ceremony a different and unique twist. If it's a rose presentation, maybe you want to express your feelings for your mom or dad, so they can hear it, as you present the rose to them. Sound Sensations Entertainment has several examples you can listen to in our office for ideas. We don't have to be at your ceremony or do music at your ceremony for you to take advantage of this option. Just let us know at least 4-6 weeks prior to your ceremony, and we will schedule a time to record your voices. Call our office or email us for more details, let us help you make your ceremony unique!

Doing Things Your Own Way...

No one said that you had to follow the rule or etiquette. After all, this is your wedding day. If you want to do the blessing AFTER the best man's toast, then it is your choice. If you decide that you don't want to intrude in the wedding party, then don't do it. Back 20 years ago when wedding receptions were all the same - it would have been unheard of to do something different and unique. In this day and age, you can pretty much do anything you want. We WILL LISTEN to you.

What are some of the more unique things that we've seen in the past few years? We've seen clients opt to do a grand march into the reception hall v. formal introductions. The bridal party still lines up, but instead of announcing each person as they come in, the DJ would just play some lively music as background while they parade into the room.

Many wedding clients are deciding to be part of their cocktail hour - many times due to a lag between the end of the ceremony and the start of the reception. This is a great way to socialize with all your friends and family in a less structured format than the typical receiving line.

Are you having a long reception with kids, where its 4pm and dinner isnt until 6pm? We have coordinated kids activities and games during this time, to keep the children/kids occupied while guests wait for dinner, and before dinner music is played.

Talk to your entertainment/DJ and ask them for suggestions on how you can make your wedding reception unique and all your own. There are a million ideas we could suggest to make an unforgettable reception...

Topical Humor!

