



Equinox-Storm is a Professional Disco & Décor Company

Please Read Carefully...

The following points will form part of your contract with Equinox-Storm

- The Road crew/lighting & special effects technicians will need ample space to set up equipment and sufficient mains electricity points to be able to perform.
- For our Disco package we will need at least 2 x 13 amp mains sockets **(not extension leads)** This can sometimes be a problem in Marquee Receptions where insufficient power has been arranged. **You MUST provide 2 power sockets within 6 Meters of where you would like the Disco to set up.** Please contact us to confirm if you are not sure.
- If the Disco is going to be in a Marquee you **MUST ensure that the ground is level** where you want the Disco to set up. If the Roadcrew Team believe that the ground is not level they may not set up the disco due to Health & Safety responsibilities. A level surface is essential, not just flat, but level; the ground should not slant in any one direction.
- **Check that your venue does not have a sound limiter,** as they may interrupt our performance. Sound Limiters can damage our equipment as well as ruin your party atmosphere. Some venues do not disclose this when you book them! Vocal mics in particular tend to trip these, so the DJ may not be able to make any announcements.
- We will require 90 minutes to set up the Wedding Disco Package. The set-up time can be increased if the Roadcrew Team are not able to get the van within a few meters of the stage or set-up area. If there are any stairs to climb this can also increase the set-up time and cost. Stairs are charged at £30. Please advise us. Also, if you have selected any Package Upgrades the installation & set-up time will be increased. Some Package Upgrades can increase the total installation time up to 2 hours. Under these circumstances it may be advisable to consider booking our Early Set-Up service (charged at £80).
- At Wedding Receptions, we would normally set-up following the meal when the venue clear the room and prepare it for the evening activities. Sometimes the meal & speeches can over run and this will prevent us from gaining access and therefore will result in a later start time, however the disco will finish as scheduled.
- We are normally contracted to arrive one & a half hours before the start time, however you can arrange for us to set-up our equipment any time from 9:30am on the day of your function. We would charge an additional £80 for this service. We can in fact cater for suitable background music such as dinner jazz, upbeat disco, Tubular Bells, Pan Pipes & Latino music, during the day as well as the evening.
- The fees we calculate, cover travel time, additional van hire if multiple Package Upgrades are selected, fuel and sometimes overnight accommodation.
- Space required for Equinox-Storm to perform does vary but as a minimum guide 2 meters deep x 4.5metres wide x 2.5metres height to accommodate the Rig, backdrop system (excludes 6 Meter backdrop), lighting & speakers. Additional equipment requested through our 'Package Upgrades' will require additional space. It is the responsibility of the lead name on the booking form to ensure that there is adequate space for the disco to fit as detailed above. If you have booked multiple Package Upgrades please contact us for clarification on how much space is required.
- The Disco package price includes a 3 meter Star Cloth backdrop. Why not really WOW your guests with a 6 meter professional Star Cloth backdrop system. This really does look truly amazing. Extra charge of £100 - Remember: We will need 6 Meters of available space in width to fit this in! If you see it; you'll definitely want it!! Or why not enquire about our unique dynamic drapery backdrop for your Head Table or create a grand entrance to your function room with our "Oscar Style Entrance" drapery & silk flames??? Have you considered running drapery all of the way around your function room?
- Remember when you have left the function the DJ & Roadcrew will still be packing down and traveling home, very often in the early hours.
- Equinox-Storm have a legal duty of care towards it's employees and will not tolerate any kind of abuse or harassment towards our administration team, Venue Décor teams, DJ's or Road crew Teams.

Should this occur on-the-night at your function during the set-up or performance the DJ/Venue Décor team reserves the right to terminate the performance, pack down the equipment & leave the venue. Under these circumstances, full payment is still due and will be pursued.

- We will provide written confirmation of the basic booking arrangements, including times and venue etc. **However, the DJ/Lighting & Special Effect technicians should be reminded of any particular requirements and last minute changes on the night at the start of the evening.**
- For Wedding Receptions, we recommend having The First Dance at the very start of the function. Some Brides & Grooms are very nervous about dancing in front of their family & friends. Your guests will be expecting the first dance as the DJ launches the evening Reception. It is best not to delay the inevitable. After the first dance you can relax and enjoy your party.
- One of the special moments of a Wedding Reception is the bride and groom's first dance. Why not make it more unique and memorable by ordering our Dry Ice effect* (charged at £150) where we will create a 'dance on a cloud' effect and then top off the first dance with professionally launched Confetti; you can select the confetti to match your wedding colour theme! Confetti is charged separately at £65. * Dry Ice cannot be cancelled, once ordered.
- Our Disco package includes Glow Sticks & LED novelties that will be available on-the-night for your guests to purchase if they wish. These are great fun and popular with adults and children alike. You can opt to have these withdrawn from sale or you can purchase these in advance if you wish.
- Music requests are accepted on the night, but are subject to availability & suitability. Your DJ will play as many requests as possible, however, we cannot guarantee to play all requests. Don't try to select every song your DJ will play. Choose a song for your first dance and a small selection of others that are your favourites. Tell your DJ what artists and styles of music to feature or avoid, but don't try to manage your DJ's performance. See our Song Selector on the Disco page of our website.
- A professional wedding DJ can read the crowd and knows what to play and when to play it to keep the party going. More importantly, your DJ knows which requests clear the dance floor.
- You're paying Equinox-Storm for your DJ's knowledge and experience. Take advantage of it.
- We play a mainstream radio mix of music covering the past 60 years up to the current charts and including party music. We do not play house, garage, techno, trance or rap – unless specifically requested and supplied before the function...
- You can select some of your favourite tracks from our on-line song selector. If they are not listed in our library we can obtain them for you for a one off £10 administration fee and a fee of £1 per track. Alternatively, you can supply the tracks to us via email in MP3 format prior to your function.
- The disco will have effects lighting to the dance floor. We do not normally use high wattage strobe lighting unless requested. Such lighting can affect people who suffer from epilepsy or certain photo sensitive conditions. Please be aware of this potential hazard, and **advise us if any of your guests suffer from this condition.**
- We operate sound equipment at reasonable levels and will always respond to requests on volume.
- Make sure your older guests are seated away from speakers so as to avoid problems later in the evening when the party gets going.
- All of our discos are equipped with a professional haze machine, although many venues do not allow their use due to sensitive smoke detectors. You could always upgrade your package with our Dry Ice effect which will not affect venue smoke detectors or fire systems. We can also supply a Snow/Foam machine for an extra £50 (See the Disco or Décor page on our website).
- A **£100 Transportation** fee is charged if more than one van or a larger van is required to transport your disco to your venue. This rarely occurs, but should this be necessary, you will be advised of this as you are in the process of building/designing your disco/décor package.
- If your function is in a Marquee, we will charge a **Marquee Premium of £100** that will be added to your package price due to the fact that when we perform in a Marquee we have to allow extra time to set-up, dismantle & clean our equipment.
- Why not enquire about some of our 'Package Upgrades' such as our Award Winning Venue Alive! Mood Lighting System. This futuristic mood lighting will literally transform your venue by colour washing the walls with a colour of your choice (looks fantastic in a marquee!) or try our Dry Ice that covers the floor with a dense fog; just as seen on TV! From Fire Projectors to Snow, we can make your party unique and memorable. See the Disco or Décor page on our website for further details.
- Enquire about our outdoor mood lighting system; Venue Alive EXTREME. First impressions last! Your guests will see and use the outside of your venue as much as the inside! Our EXTREME system will transform the outside of your venue, illuminating the building, architecture, gardens, borders, trees, driveways and shrubs in a colour of your choice or multiple/contrasting colours if you wish...
- Why not Book a date to visit us at our studio for a **FREE demonstration**. We can discuss your function and demonstrate some of our special effects and lighting systems.
- If you have any questions, concerns or would like to upgrade your existing package please contact us immediately on **01933 312880**.