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New Year
New Visions
Unforgettable
Weddings

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Founder's Note

Dear Wedding Planners,

The response to our first edition truly meant a lot to us. Your messages and encouragement confirmed that this growing community of planners was much needed. Thank you for welcoming WedHaven Magazine so warmly.

In this second edition, we bring you newly curated insights, useful ideas, and a few fun elements to add freshness to your planning journey. Each feature is thoughtfully created with your everyday challenges and creative passion in mind.

As we step into 2026, it brings renewed hope, fresh visions, and exciting opportunities. We wish you a year filled with inspired celebrations, happy couples, smooth executions, and continued success.

We are also upgrading the WedHaven app, with relevant updates and smarter features to support you better. These improvements are coming soon, and we are excited to share them with you.

Here's to learning, growing, and creating memorable weddings together.

Warm wishes,
Team WedHaven



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A New Season, New Trends That Matter in 2026

January marks the beginning of the new year and is also a very busy period for marriage planners. It is important to stay consistent with your work while also noticing and adopting the latest season trends.

This year, weddings are moving in one clear direction — **less noise, more meaning.**

The Wedding Trends in 2026

1 Smaller Guest Lists, Deeper Storytelling

Personal vows, memory corners, heritage rituals. Couples are choosing emotion over excess.

2 Sunset Ceremonies & Candid-First Photography

Golden hour is no longer an aesthetic choice, it's the main event.

3 Food That Feels Like Home (with a twist)

Regional flavours, modern plating. Comfort food with personality.

4 Strong Digital Systems

RSVPs, travel updates, and guest details no longer need ten different WhatsApp groups. Many planners are now shifting to the WedHaven app.

5 Decor That Breathes

More fabric, fewer props. Softer lighting, sustainable choices.

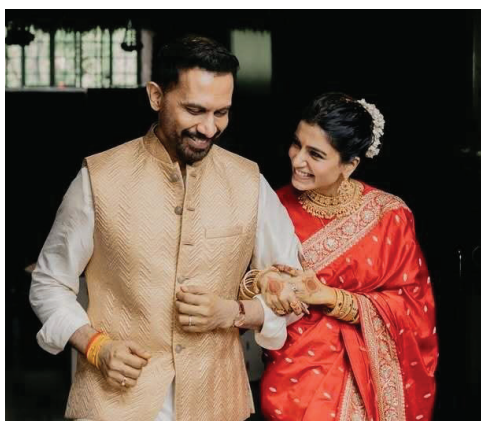
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belongs to planners who create **Calm, not Chaos.**

Recent **Celebrity & Influencer** Weddings That Stole the Limelight

Samantha Ruth Prabhu & Raj

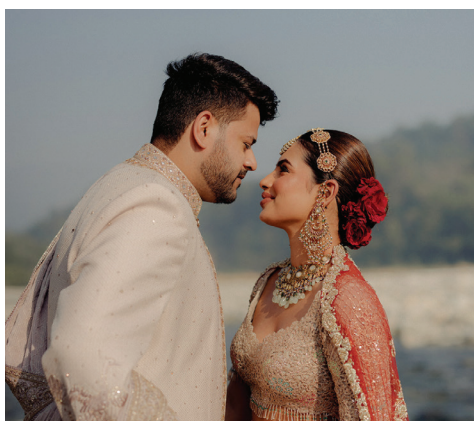
📍 Hyderabad



Temple rituals, earthy palettes, brass décor, local musicians. Rooted, warm, and deeply personal.

Aashna Hegde & Aditya Kumar

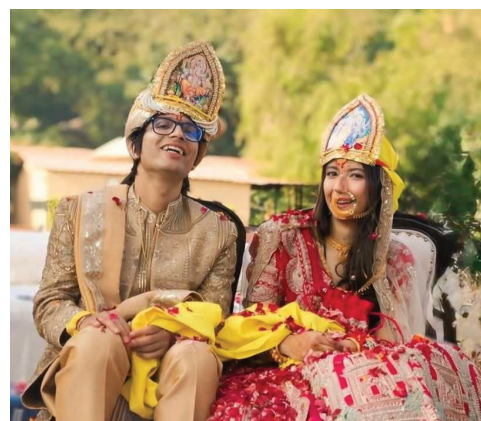
📍 Goa



Soft sunsets, close family, pastel tones. Personal vows without performance. Elegant and unforced.

Saurav Joshi & Avantika

📍 Uttarakhand



Nature-led celebrations with minimal decor. Bonfires, folk music, long conversations. Guests felt at home.

Sejal Kumar & Bharat Subramaniam

📍 Delhi



Chic silhouettes with emotional depth. Handwritten mehendi notes, nostalgic playlists, classic jewellery.

Stebin Ben & Nupur Sanon

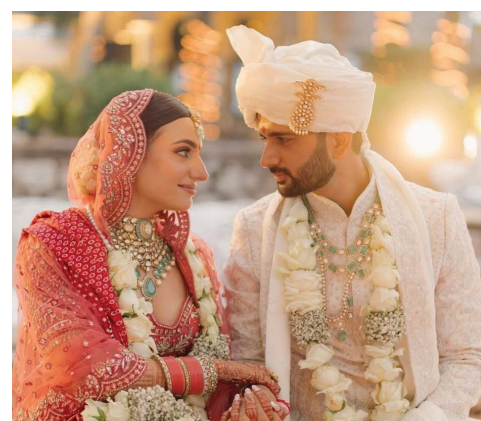
📍 Udaipur



A quiet luxury wedding — heritage venues, soft colours, and intimate moments that didn't feel staged.

Prakriti Kakar & Vinay Anand

📍 Rajasthan



A vibrant sundowner mehendi with marigolds, florals, and coordinated Abhinav Mishra ensembles—joyful, colourful, and elegant.

Planner takeaway: Create guest experiences, not just beautiful setups.



Shaadi Fun

Evergreen **shaadi songs** without which no marriage is complete



MEHNDI LAGA KE RAKHNA

Mehendi without this is Illegal



BOLE CHUDIYAN

Cue Coordinated Family Performance



LONDON THUMAKDA

Bridesmaids, Random Aunties



SAAJANJI GHAR AAYE

Baraat Late Hai, Dj Early Hai



DIN SHAGNA DA

Bride Entry



Damad Ji Agna Mein Padhare

Groom Entry

Shaadi Reality

EVERY INDIAN WEDDING FOLLOWS **TWO RULEBOOKS**



One written by the **THE FAMILY**

Log kya kahenge is the final approval

Traditions first, timelines later

Every decision needs at least five opinions



One written by **BOLLYWOOD**

Family must coordinate their dance steps

Ensure slow-motion entries for the bride

Every moment deserves a filmy twist

EVERY INDIAN WEDDING PLANNER FACES THESE **LAST-MINUTE CHALLENGES**

Seating Plan **CHANGED** After Print creating confusion

Baraat Running Late But Pheras needed **"ON TIME"**

Someone Wants to Add a Speech **LAST MINUTE**

Vendors start calling during the most **IMPORTANT RITUAL**

BUT SOMEHOW, EVERYTHING STILL WORKS



Because Weddings may Look Chaotic, but **Planners Quietly Keep Them Together**





Shaadi Fun

All Time Favourite Shaadi Movies & What They Thought Us

Weddings are **EMOTIONAL** | Nothing goes exactly as **PLANNED** | The people matter more than **PERFECTION**



Hum Aapke Hain Koun..!

Family functions, endless rituals, and food breaks that never end. Basically, a wedding stretched into a movie.



Dilwale Dulhania Le Jayenge

Big families, bigger emotions, and weddings that feel meant to happen.



Kabhi Khushi Kabhie Gham

Grand entries, dramatic moments, and shaadi energy turned all the way up.



Yeh Jawaani Hai Deewani

Destination weddings, friendship goals, and that Kabira moment we all feel.

Our All Time Favourite Wedding Planner Film & what we learnt



Band Baaja Baaraat

Every planner's comfort film. Chaos, hustle, pressure, passion — all too real.

- ◆ Passion works only when backed by professionalism.
- ◆ Personal drama should never enter client work.
- ◆ Calm handling of last-minute chaos defines a great planner.
- ◆ Strong team coordination is the backbone of any wedding.
- ◆ Client trust is earned through flawless execution, not promises.



Kashmir: The Rising Destination for Intimate Weddings

Kashmir doesn't try to impress. It Simply Exists & that's enough.

SNOW-CAPPED MOUNTAINS

WOODEN LODGES

KAHWA BARS

SOFT PHIRAN AESTHETICS

Weddings here feel calm from the moment guests arrive.



Why Couples are Choosing Kashmir

- They want peace, not performance
- Nature already does the decor
- Smaller guest lists feel more meaningful
- Every corner is a photo frame



Best Seasons to Plan

OCTOBER TO MARCH
Winter Magic, Snow, Cosy Celebrations

April to June
Soft Spring Colours, Fresh Landscapes



Planner Must-Knows

- Security permissions need early planning
- Travel timelines must be tight
- Altitude comfort for elders is key
- Weather-proof decor is non-negotiable



Why Planners Love It

- Guests arrive calmer
- Timelines flow better
- Less chaos, more connection

In Kashmir, Weddings Don't Feel Rushed. They Feel Remembered.

Srinagar – Lakeside Elegance & Mughal Gardens

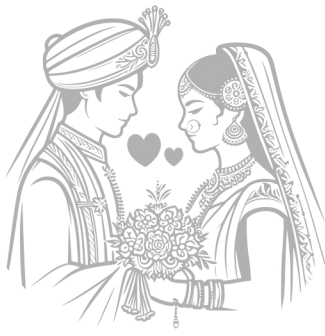
With venues around Dal Lake, houseboats, lakeside lawns and historic Mughal gardens like Shalimar Bagh and Nishat Bagh, Srinagar offers a romantic and timeless setting perfect for ceremonies and receptions.

Gulmarg – Snowy Fairytale & Mountain Views

Known as the "Meadow of Flowers," Gulmarg's alpine meadows, snow-capped peaks, and luxury resorts create a storybook backdrop — ideal for winter weddings or elegant outdoor celebrations.

Pahalgam – Riverside Romance & Meadow Weddings

Surrounded by lush valleys, the Lidder River, and open-air meadows (like Betaab Valley), Pahalgam offers serene natural beauty — perfect for intimate weddings and scenic ceremonies close to nature.



WedHaven



WedHaven - The Smartest Way to Plan, Coordinate, and Deliver Weddings

WedHaven is designed to simplify a wedding planner's busiest days. From managing RSVPs, guest details, and travel updates to sharing real-time information with families and vendors, everything stays organized in one place. It reduces dependency on multiple WhatsApp groups, saves time, and brings clarity to planning and execution. With smart tools built specifically for weddings, WedHaven helps planners focus less on coordination chaos and more on creating unforgettable celebrations.



WedHaven App

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1 INSTANT GUEST UPDATES

Share venue changes, schedules, and announcements with one click.

2 EASY INFO COLLECTION

Automatically collect all guest details with an AI-based WhatsApp chatbot.

3 SMART RSVP MANAGEMENT

Get real-time headcounts without calling anyone.

4 CENTRALISED MANAGEMENT

Manage multiple weddings at once on a single platform.

5 FEWER GUEST QUERIES

Guests get answers on the website, reducing repeated calls.

6 STRESS-FREE PLANNING

Automated reminders, directions, and event info keep everything smooth.

Join the WedHaven Community

Why Join the WedHaven Community

- ◆ Discounted pricing to help you scale better
- ◆ Early access to features and updates on the WedHaven platform
- ◆ Invitations to upcoming workshops & networking events
- ◆ Special offers from partner brands
- ◆ A shared space for planners and vendors

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