

History

The Peña-Peck House was built circa 1750 by the Spanish Crown for Treasurer Juan Estaban de Peña. The house originally was only one story and was built using native coquina stone. The loggia area with its Spanish architectural arches remains much the same as when the house was first built. Through the years the house was home to many distinguished St. Augustine families including two British Governors.

In 1837, Dr. Seth Peck of Lyme, Conn., purchased the run down house. He added the second floor to accommodate his family and his medical practice.

The second floor incorporates traditional New England building styles. Dr. Peck's descendants remained in the St. George Street house until his granddaughter, Anna Burt, passed away in 1931. Upon her death, she gave the home to the City of St. Augustine to be exhibited to the public as a house museum. This was during the height of the Depression and the City did not feel it could afford to keep up the house and planned to sell the estate. Anna had been a member of the Woman's Exchange since it was founded in St. Augustine in 1892. The Woman's Exchange took on the task of fulfilling Miss Anna's wishes and moved its consignment shop to the house so that the women could lovingly maintain the residence for future generations to see and enjoy.

Today the St. Augustine Woman's Exchange is a non-profit organization dedicated to helping women sell their handmade items, continue their education through scholarships, as well as support the continuing upkeep of the historic Peña-Peck House. Your event also supports these efforts. Thank you!

Contact

For more information or to reserve the garden for your wedding or event visit us online or give us a call.



Gift Shop Hours

*10:30am-5pm Mon-Sat.
12:30-5pm Sunday*

House Tours

*12:30pm-4:30pm Daily
Call (904)-436-5112
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The Peña-Peck House
The Woman's Exchange of St. Augustine

Wedding & Events

Ceremony Packages

THE ELOPEMENT

Perfect for an intimate ceremony with up to 25 guests. Includes use of the garden for your ceremony and photographs following. No chairs or other decoration setup. Time does go by fast, so make sure this package is right for you. Full payment is due at time of booking and is non-refundable. May only book 90 days or less.



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THE FULL CEREMONY

Includes use of the garden for your wedding ceremony and photographs following. We also offer a bridal prep room at no additional charge.

Day-before rehearsal for your ceremony is complimentary before 5pm. After 5pm, there is a \$50 fee. A non-refundable retainer of 50% of the package price is required to reserve your date.

Reception & Rehearsal Dinner Packages

DINNER & DANCING

Have a celebration following your off-site ceremony or your rehearsal dinner in our historic garden. Tables and chairs available for a small set-up fee. Tent rental is not required but highly recommended with our Florida weather. Caterers must be licensed, state-certified, and fully insured. We also offer use of our kitchen for plate presentation and set-up for caterers. Your caterer is also responsible for providing a bartender. All festivities must end by 10pm. A non-refundable retainer of 50% of the package price is required to reserve your date.



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The Complete Wedding

CEREMONY & RECEPTION

We would be honored to host your entire wedding day and will give you a discount if you do! Make use of our historic garden, bridal prep room, and our kitchen for your ceremony and reception. Tent rental once again is not required but highly encouraged. Our table and chair set-up is included for a small fee or you may rent your own. See our Reception Package for catering guidelines. All festivities must end by 10pm. Day-before rehearsal for your ceremony is complimentary before 5pm. After 5pm there is a \$50 fee. A non-refundable retainer of 50% of the package price is required to reserve your date.