

Talbot Wedding Feedback....

June 2011 – Sharon, John

Thank you for all your guidance and support throughout our time with you. We had a great wedding day. Hope to see you soon.

May 2011 – David & Caroline Kinsella

Thanks for a wonderful day. We couldn't have asked for more.

May 2011 – Jimmy & Ann Ryan

To all the staff of the Talbot Hotel Carlow who made Caroline & David's Wedding Day memorable. Thank you all for your efforts. Best wishes.

Sonia & John

To all the staff at the Talbot Hotel thank you so much for all your hard work. We had a great day, the room was fab, food super and the service was excellent. From the bottom of our hearts thank you. Have a few **drinks** on us.

Email 06/08/11 – Helen Fitzgerald

Hi Niamh just wanted to thank you again for everything you did for us on the 1st July. It was a great day and everything went like clockwork thanks to all of the staff at the Hotel. It was a pleasure dealing with you.

Email 30/05/11 – Aoife Doyle

Hi Niamh Well I am back to the land of the living. I just want to thank you so so so so much for everything. You and all the staff on the day were absolutely brilliant and I will happily recommend you to anyone and everyone I can! I really can't say thank you enough. You were so obliging the whole way through and I know me and Dave were probably not the easiest of people to please. Hope all is well in the Talbot and I wish you every continued success.

October 2010 – Darren & Helen Woulfe

To all the staff at the Talbot, Thank you so much for all your help and support with our wedding. We had the best day we could have asked for. Thank you for making everything so special!

Email 04/01/2011 – Karen O'Connell (wedding November 27th 2010)

Hi Niamh I hope you had a great Christmas and Happy New Year! I just wanted to express my thank you to you and all the staff at the Talbot Hotel for making our Wedding day amazing! Everyone had full praise for how helpful and friendly the staffs were on the day itself and also the day after. We honestly couldn't fault the hotel even if we tried, from the food, service or rooms we were all delighted. Please pass on our thanks to both Managers too.

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Email 01/01/2010 (Thomas Behan & Lisa Duff – wedding 19th November 2010)

Hi Niamh, Just a quick email to say a massive thanks to yourself, Trevor and all the staff at the Talbot for a fantastic wedding day. We have heard nothing but compliments about the hotel, the meal, the rooms and staff from everyone who attended our wedding. To be honest we knew we were going to have a great day on the night we had out tasting and we really couldn't have been happier with the way everything worked out. Trevor was basically the reason we booked the hotel initially as he was always so nice and helpful and nothing was ever too much trouble and he was the one that sold us on the hotel. We called into the hotel several times before booking it just to see the function room and have a wander around and Trevor was always there to answer questions and show us around even one night when he was in the middle of a wedding. You were fantastic also and always quick to reply to my emails and calls and did a fantastic job at setting up our sweet table and at setting out all the flavours. I'm just hoping our photographer got a good picture of it. The waiting and bar staff was great and very fast to serve which was commented on and the reception staff were so nice and helpful. Huge thanks has to go to the chef on the night, the meal was amazing, I don't know how many people have said they've never eaten so well at a wedding and the sea bass in particular was a big hit along with the malteser cheesecake. Very few of our guests had been to your hotel before our wedding and I know I'd always wanted to choose a venue where not many people had been before and even though I was nervous of choosing somewhere "different" at the same time as I didn't have much feedback on it I honestly couldn't have been happier with the Talbot. We can't thank you all enough; you all really helped make our day perfect. If we can ever be of help recommending your hotel or giving a review please let us know because we couldn't recommend The Talbot highly enough. I've left a review on Trip adviser yesterday and so did a friend of mine who was at the wedding. Thanks again for everything and we'll definitely be back to the restaurant at some stage in the near future.

4th August 2011 – Arlene B

From the day we visited a year previous to enquire about wedding packages, we knew that the Talbot was it one nothing was too much trouble and Niamh and her team were so welcoming and accommodating. Niamh was always on hand to answer any questions and she has a lovely manner – a pleasure to deal with. As we don't live in Carlow, we were invited for a tasting and a complimentary overnight stay to get a 'feel' for the hotel – a lovely touch. On the actual day, the staffs were fantastic (overseen by Michael and Ken who were brilliant) and the food was amazing. The value for money is also very good, the Talbot offer an outstanding service in Carlow for half the price per head that some nearby hotels are offering for people who are just thinking of visiting the hotel, the rooms themselves are a very high standard and the food in the bar and restaurant is excellent.

5th November 2010 – Stephen & Barbara

To Management and staff thank you so much for your help making our day so special and compliments to the chef on the day

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Email Avril Byrne (wedding 19th June 2010)

Hi Niamh, I and Mark just wanted to thank you and the hotel staff for all your help with our wedding reception. Everybody said the food and service was outstanding. The food was excellent, nobody was disappointed with the element, and everybody loved everything from the canapés on arrival to the reception food. The main course was fabulous also. We also want to thank you for the high level of service you provided on the day. From when our guest's arrival at the hotel, all the staff was so helpful, the manager guided us through the day and the service at the meal was outstanding. Everybody was served very promptly and the wine glasses were kept topped up if you could also pass on my thanks to the manager that was working the next morning too please. He brought breakfast up to my dad and Mark's uncle. It was extremely nice of him and my dad was very grateful for his thoughtfulness. I believe mark's uncle has previously also written and email to the hotel thanking everyone because he thought so much of the service you provided. Thanks again.

20th July 2010 Miriam & David

Thank you so much for all you have done for us on our wedding day.

Email Andrea Skerrett 30th June 2010 (wedding 29th may 2010)

Hi Niamh, I'm sorry this email has taking so long to come but we are just getting settled after our honeymoon and life is only now starting to get back to normal. I just want to say a Hugh thank you and all the staff that worked the night of our wedding we had the best night of our lives and we will be strongly recommending you to everyone already one of my friends has booked her wedding there the staff couldn't do enough for us especially Trevor looking after everyone and Dan was as usual very bubbly and looked after us in the late bar. We couldn't change a thing about the whole day it was fantastic and the food was gorgeous, everyone was especially impressed by the dessert plate (I think everyone has a photo of it) the whole service was 2nd to none compliments to the chefs they done a great job. If we could do it all again we would in a heartbeat and wouldn't change a thing. Thanks again and we will see you 29/05/11 Andrea and Gavin.

Email 20/06/10 (Una & Ian Manners wedding)

We cannot thank you enough for helping us celebrate the most memorable relaxed day of our lives. The feedback from our guests was all positive. All the staff has been so friendly and a particular thanks to Rory from the bar that helped set up my cake. The food was amazing and everyone was talking about it. Also a big thank you, to yourself. You have been so helpful all year and made us feel like we were the only wedding couple in the hotel all year. Sure we felt like part of the furniture by the time we left. Again thank all the staff for us and we'll be seen you next year on our anniversary.

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Email 08/06/2010 (David & Julie Spain)

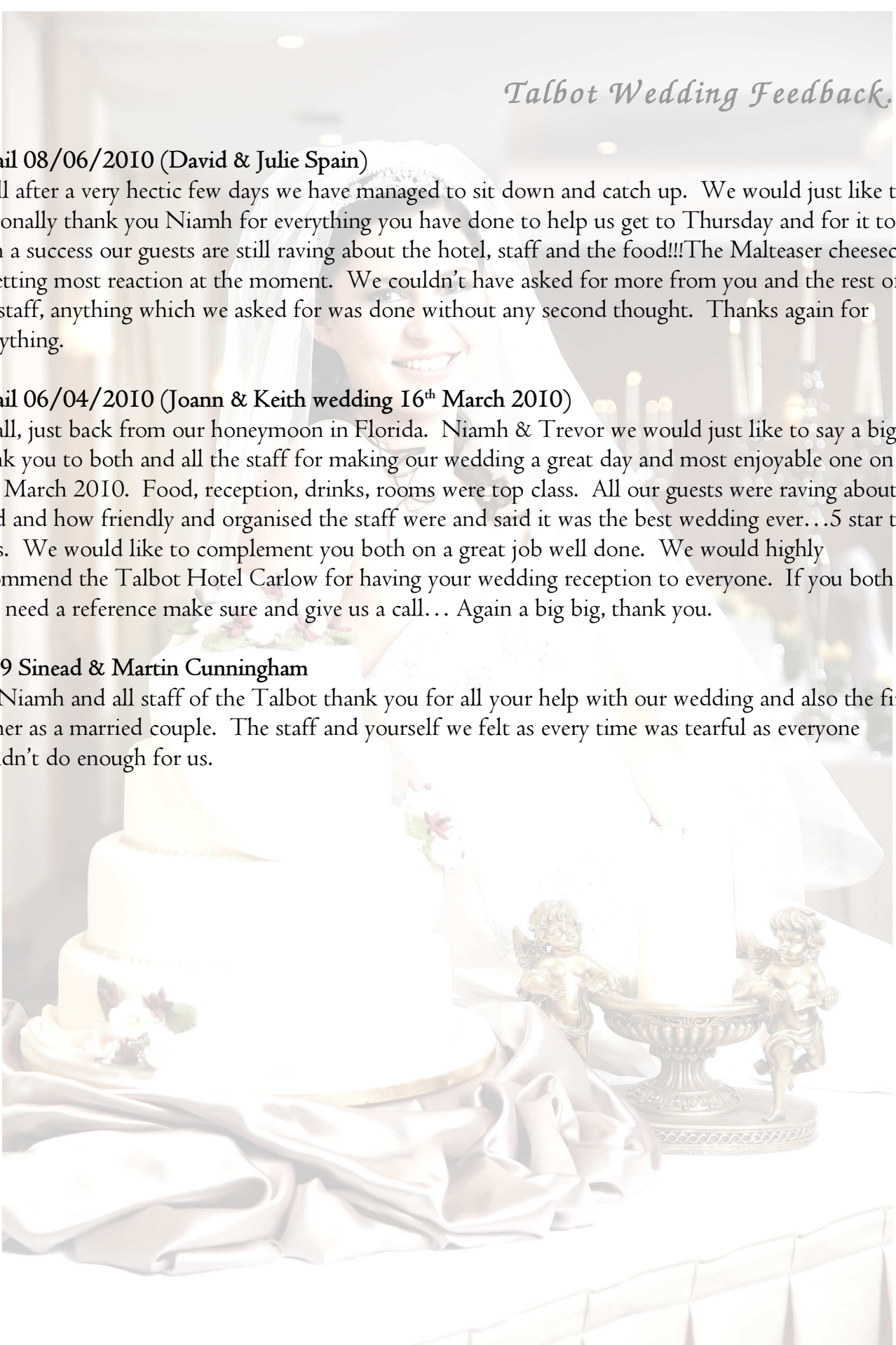
Well after a very hectic few days we have managed to sit down and catch up. We would just like to personally thank you Niamh for everything you have done to help us get to Thursday and for it to be such a success our guests are still raving about the hotel, staff and the food!!! The Malteaser cheesecake is getting most reaction at the moment. We couldn't have asked for more from you and the rest of the staff, anything which we asked for was done without any second thought. Thanks again for everything.

Email 06/04/2010 (Joann & Keith wedding 16th March 2010)

Hi all, just back from our honeymoon in Florida. Niamh & Trevor we would just like to say a big big thank you to both and all the staff for making our wedding a great day and most enjoyable one on the 16th March 2010. Food, reception, drinks, rooms were top class. All our guests were raving about the food and how friendly and organised the staff were and said it was the best wedding ever...5 star top class. We would like to complement you both on a great job well done. We would highly recommend the Talbot Hotel Carlow for having your wedding reception to everyone. If you both ever need a reference make sure and give us a call... Again a big big, thank you.

2009 Sinead & Martin Cunningham

To Niamh and all staff of the Talbot thank you for all your help with our wedding and also the first dinner as a married couple. The staff and yourself we felt as every time was tearful as everyone couldn't do enough for us.



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Email 28/01/2010 Sylvia & Niall

Hi Niamh, We're back from our honeymoon over a week now and all our family and guests are still raving about our wedding day – they are still singing their praises in relation to the meal and a few with young families are looking to pop down at Easter for a break. I can't thank you enough for making our wedding day a complete success. Thank you for sending on the voucher to my parents – it will actually be Niall and I using it as we gave them money instead to go to your sister hotel in Wexford. We can't wait to return to our hotel (our hotel as I call it). Niall and I did up a short note in relation to our day if you want to display as a referral to other couples if they are thinking or planning their wedding in your hotel. Our note is only tip of the iceberg on how pleased we were on the day.

Niamh and Trevor and to all the staff, we can't thank you enough for making our wedding day a complete success, all of our requests were met and exceeded beyond our expectations. The Leinster Room was decorated beautifully and the food was 5 star quality, the service was exceptional and all of our guests went as far as to say it was the best wedding they had ever been too, they were still raving about it when we returned from our honeymoon and are looking for an excuse to return to your hotel again. We would highly recommend the Talbot Hotel Carlow as a top wedding venue from the drinks reception, to the service, spectacular food even to the luxury bedrooms that your hotel offers makes up a unique ambiance that is priceless. Thank you again for making our wedding a wonderful day.

Niamh, I am actually going to miss chatting with you – thank you so much for been patient with all of my requests and always going that extra mile for Niall and me. We haven't forgotten what I mentioned on new year's eve in giving something to the staff who looked after us on the day, it might not be much but when were down on the voucher we will arrange that for them. Thanks you once again for everything.

22nd August 2009 Nicola & Andrew

Niamh and the staff of the Talbot Hotel Carlow, thank you so much for providing us with the most perfect venue and staff for our wedding day. Everything went perfect and it is a credit to you all.

Email 15/11/09 (wedding Helen & David Rogers 18th September 2009)

Hi Niamh I kept meaning to send this email but I don't know where the last two months have gone. I and David Rogers got married there on 18th September and we both really want to thank you Trevor, Larry, the Chef and all the staff in the hotel as we had a brilliant day. From the moment we booked our reception with the Talbot you made us everything so easy and nothing we asked for was a problem. The food on the day was excellent and I could not have asked for anything better. Everyone was commenting on how good it was. I have spoken to loads of brides who were stressed out on their wedding day due to one thing or another with their hotel but I have to say, not once did we stress about anything on the day. We enjoyed it from start to finish. Can you forward this email onto Trevor also as he was excellent, he was constantly there with the best man making sure myself and Dave had a great day and we did. I could not fault the hotel on anything, thank you for a brilliant day.

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31st August 2009 Daniel & Carol

Thank you Niamh , for all your help in making our wedding day really special. It was a wonderful day.

Email 15/05/09 (wedding Sinead & Clint Kirwan 1st May 2009)

Hi Niamh, Just a quick note to say "thank you" for everything on our wedding day on the 1st May 2009. Everything went so smoothly. Compliments to the Chef on the night, the meal was fabulous. Also to Bart and his team who ran like clockwork!!! Nothing only but compliments from all the guests. Thanks again Niamh.

Email Rose & Lar Moore 20th March 2009

Hi Niamh, I and Lar would like to send a big thank you to you and all the staff at the Talbot Carlow for the wonderful wedding reception that we had there on March 20th 2009. We still have people complimenting us over our choice in venue and raving about the wonderful food and fantastic service they received from all staff on the day. Everything went better than either of could have hoped our planned and please give a special thanks to Bart for his help with the first dance and the attention he gave to us from the moment we arrived. We would highly recommend the Talbot Carlow to anyone who would hold a high quality of service and exceptional value as being important to them when choosing a wedding venue.

Email 22/09/08 Andrea Dalton 21st September 2009

Hi Niamh, just wanted to write and thank you for the wonderful day we had yesterday. Everything was perfect, the room, the food and the service. In particular, Bart and another foreign guy and Tracy were most helpful; well - mannered and highly professional. Must also mention Barry who was also so pleasant helpful and obliging. The room was beautiful and my parents had a fantastic day as did all our guests. Thanks a million for everything. We hope to be back again soon (when we recover) everyone who attended was very impressed so I'm sure your hotel will benefit from more bookings from other members of my family. Please pass on my thanks to all mentioned above as well as the chef for the super tasty food which was in abundance, and to your GM for having such great staff.

Email 09/09/2008 Uche & Donatus

Hi Niamh, This is Uche and Donatus, just wanted to say thank you for your assistance during our wedding, we really appreciate. Thanks.

27th September 2008 Laura & Alan Culleton

Dear sir's I'm writing to thank you and all members of staff for the wonderful day we had at your hotel. You helped to make my daughter's wedding. I cannot fault the day Bart the manager on the day was excellent. He looked after everything and was so professional, kind and helpful. The waiting staff, bar staff and receptionists were also brilliant. Niamh who Laura liaised with, people convey my thanks to everyone. The meal was excellent, we could not fault it. My friends and family had a wonderful day at your hotel. I will be recommending your hotel to one and all. Patricia Sheridan.

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Stephen & Georgina

Thank you both so much for everything and for making our special day on the 31st a very memorable one. We had a blast. Every good wish.

16th March 2010 Joann & Keith

Had our wedding in the Talbot Carlow, absolute amazing day. All our friends and families are still talking about the service the hotel put on, from the food to reception drinks, rooms etc. The staff was top class and looked after all our needs. We have to say that there prices were very reasonable. Absolutely 5 star, well done guys and we would definitely recommend the Talbot for a top class venue for a wedding or for a weekend away. Thanks again.

August 2011 wedding guest Sue

Spent one night in the Talbot Carlow, attending a wedding, what a great SHOW!!!! We had a wonderful time. The courtesy and helpfulness of the staff was excellent. A special mention to the manager Kevin who made wedding service very spectacular. We look forward to going back again.

April 2010 wedding guests Lisa & Tom

Could not agree more with the above review I attended the wedding food and staff were incredible, great day at the wedding, very friendly hotel great kids club. Staff from the restaurant were superb and reception (Lorraine I think was her name) was great, very friendly organised babysitters for us at such short notice that night, nothing was too much trouble to the staff. We will be returning in the next couple of weeks for a break with kids again. Looking forward to It!!!! Best hotel I ever stayed in.

March 2011 wedding guests

Just spent last weekend at the Talbot for my brother's wedding and I could not get over the attention we received from all the staff at the hotel no matter whether you were 5 years or 65 years the staff just went completely out of their way to make sure you enjoyed every minute of your time at the Talbot Carlow. I think anybody that has a hotel should send their staff to the Talbot for training.

7th May 2011 wedding guests

We were part of the wedding party on May 7th 2011 and we can honestly say that it was the best wedding we were ever at thanks in large to the service we received at your hotel. The service was fantastic. Trevor and his were just brilliant. We would just like to thank you and all your staff for an absolutely brilliant night.

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December 2009 Sylvia

My husband and I have stayed in this hotel on numerous occasions over the last 2 years for a romantic break or a family holiday with our daughter. The staff is extremely friendly and the service is exceptional. So we decided to have our wedding here which was held in December 2009. The staff was very patient with all of our requests and went the extra mile to accommodate us. On the day itself we were delighted that we had chosen The Talbot as our wedding venue, all of our requests were met and exceeded beyond our expectations. The food was superb and the room itself was decorated beautifully. I would highly recommend this hotel as a first class wedding venue from the drinks reception, to the service, spectacular food even to the luxury bedrooms that the hotel offers makes up a unique ambiance that is priceless. We are returning to the hotel again in a few weeks for a romantic break and we are already looking forward to the 5* service the hotel offers. This hotel is not just a wedding venue but it has become home away from home with excellent service thrown in for good measure.

8th July 2011

We have just had our wedding in the Talbot Hotel and can honestly say that the staff and management could not have done any more for us and our guests than they did. We had a fantastic day and enjoyed a couple of days in the hotel after wedding, excellent staff and excellent food. A visit is highly recommended.

November 2010

We had our wedding at this hotel in November and the vast majority of our guests stayed at least one night here. Everything received the height of praise from the staff to the rooms to the meal and bar service. Both my new husband and I were delighted with everything on the day and would highly recommend the hotel. Nothing was too much trouble, everyone was commenting on how fantastic the staff the rooms were a good size and the suites were amazing and to be honest the hotel really helped make our day perfect. Thank you all so much at the Talbot Hotel.

November 2010 wedding guests

Stayed here recently for a friend's wedding, was pleasantly surprised everything was amazing. Fantastic friendly staff, lovely surroundings and wedding service was amazing.

August 2010

We had our wedding at the Talbot at the end of August 2010 for 200+ guests and we couldn't have been more delighted. The staff was efficient and really friendly and the food was excellent (very good value for money) our guest's raved about the hotel and a good few of them stayed for more than one night and were happy with the value. I'd definitely recommend this hotel for weddings.

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February 2011

From the moment we started talking to the Talbot we knew that they were the venue for us. The staff was so friendly and the place is so well looked after, clean, bright and brand new looking. They have the most attentive staff I've ever seen. The food was stunning anytime we ate it there, and all our guests were raving about it and couldn't believe that if they ordered turkey they also got offered salmon. The room was beautifully decorated with candle - bras and floral arrangements that I wasn't expecting. Anything I asked of was taken care of. The bridal suite was gorgeous, huge with a supersized bed and a fruit bowl and champagne and 2 televisions. We stayed here sneakily before we booked the wedding. There were so many little touches, like the man playing the piano to entertain guests, he played the wedding march as we (bride & groom) entered the hotel, and then while we were waiting for the meal he played away with great songs. The guests thought we picked the songs and then after the meal he was there again playing away before the dancing began. The staff was very efficient picking up the meal and there was so much extra food offered to everyone I'm sure no one went hungry. If I could do it all again, I'd still do it in the Talbot. I really haven't anything negative to say. They are the best value for money around, and with no hidden charges.

7th May 2011 Aoife

I got married in the Talbot Hotel on 7th May 2011 and I cannot recommend them highly enough to anybody. Starting with Niamh from organising the wedding, she was the most polite, courteous and obliging person to deal with. No ask was too big and she was an absolute pleasure to deal with. As for the wedding day itself, each and every staff member was a credit to the hotel. Neither I nor any of my guests were wanting for anything, the quality of service is the best I have ever seen and would recommend this hotel to anyone considering having their wedding reception here. As a result of the excellent service received, I was able to relax and enjoy every moment of my wedding day. For this I cannot thank them enough.

25th March 2011

One of my sons got married on the 25/03/11 and had booked the Talbot for the wedding. So all the family and friends said great we'll make a weekend of it and all booked. On arrival we were greeted by staff that checked that we had a drink and booked in no pressure take your time. We were told we would be called when we had to go for meal. Everybody went off and did their thing. When I went down to the bar a short time later all I could hear was everyone talking not about the wedding but the hotel and the staff. How helpful they were how they asked if they could help in anyway. That went on for the whole off the stay. You felt the staff were there only to look after you, yet knew everybody was getting looked after the same way. The rooms were spotless, food great and plenty of it. We will be going back to this hotel again. I would like to thank the staff and the managers for a wonderful time and making it so special for all the family. Pat Grogan.

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10th June 2011 Jen Dalton

We were married in the Talbot Carlow on the 10th of June and the service was nothing short of spectacular. Beginning with the wedding co-ordinator Niamh for whom nothing was too big or little to deal with and kept the preparations and the day itself running smoothly. Niamh's presence meant we could relax and enjoy our day fully knowing that everything was in her capable hands. The other staff was all equally amazing, helpful and friendly and an absolute credit to the hotel. The food was delicious and with extremely generous helpings and we've gotten many comments from our guests about the excellent quality of everything. Overall we had an absolutely smashing day which was perfect in every way. From our own experience and the comments we've received from guests since I would have no hesitation in recommending the Talbot. Thank you for an amazing day.

October 2010 Seanny O'Raw

My wife and I recently got married in the Talbot hotel from the moment we made first enquiry we knew we didn't have to look any further, the Talbot was the right place for us. The price for our wedding package was very reasonable and we certainly felt it was worth every penny, especially with all the perks added in. The management looked after our every need every step of the way, the wedding organiser met with us as many times as we needed, accommodating our every little whim. The day itself passed off without a single hitch, all of the staff was as helpful, courteous and good fun too. The food was exquisite, the service was top notch, the rooms were all fantastic and the facilities were all just great. We had 30 or more of the bedrooms booked for our family and friends and we didn't hear one complaint, so we would certainly have no hesitations in recommending the Talbot hotel for any kind of function or holiday stay.

September 2011 wedding guest

I attended a wedding at the Talbot recently and have to say it was the best wedding I have ever been to. The food was second to none. The detail was flawless; everyone was talking about the level of service. I would recommend this to anyone for a wedding and hope to get invited to the next one.

