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**WNC Magazine to Include Weddings Feature in January/February 2009 Issue**  
*An Insider's Guide to Western North Carolina Nuptials*

November 21, 2009 – Asheville, North Carolina – *WNC* magazine is pleased to announce the addition of a weddings section to its January/February 2009 issue. This special section will include extensive coverage focusing on weddings of Western North Carolina and will serve as a regional resource for brides-to-be. Expect to see images from local weddings, read advice from area experts and discover why this region is becoming a top wedding destination. Editor-in-chief Eric Seeger adds, "We have recognized there is a need for a resource to showcase the best of Western North Carolina to brides planning locally or from afar."

The substantial increase in Western North Carolina weddings has led to a swell in the businesses catering to wedding-related services—including caterers, planners and accommodations—offering brides many options. Seeger says that the magazine will help to de-mystify the planning process and offer advice from area experts. It will also include stunning photography of real weddings, cakes, and gowns as well as informative features on planning, style, and etiquette, plus a resource guide of local wedding vendors.

"We hope to capture this area's unique 'mountain spirit' and why Western North Carolina has become such a sought-after wedding locale," says Seeger. Western North Carolina captivates visitors with its remarkable mountains and abundance of activities, making it a hotspot for destination weddings. And whether planning a ceremony in the mountains of Blowing Rock, on a farm near Hendersonville, or in the heart of downtown Asheville, *WNC* magazine's wedding supplement will have the region covered.

*Look for WNC magazine's January/February 2009 edition on newsstands before the New Year.*

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*WNC is a lifestyle magazine celebrating the unique people and cultures; arts, crafts and architecture; history; and foodways of Western North Carolina. Each issue includes features on current issues facing residents; profiles on intriguing locals; and regular departments highlighting gorgeous homes, great weekend escapes, outdoor adventures, a calendar of regional events, and a comprehensive dining guide. Please visit [www.wncmagazine.com](http://www.wncmagazine.com) to learn more.*

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