

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT PACKET

feature your engagement in the magazine!



Brides of Oklahoma[™]
MAGAZINE + WEB

Checklist

- 1** **Pick Your Issue**
To include your engagement announcement in the Spring/Summer issue of The Brides of Oklahoma magazine, completed engagement packet must be received by **October 15**.

To include your engagement announcement in the Fall/Winter issue of The Brides of Oklahoma magazine, completed engagement packet must be received by **May 15**.
- 2** **Fill Out Information Form Completely**
- 3** **Pick Your pictures**
Engaged couples are limited to 2-4 pictures. Photos must be CMYK color, 300 dpi, 5x7 images. **RGB files will not be accepted.** Please work with your photographer to obtain the images on a CD or have your photographer submit the photos directly to the Brides of Oklahoma. Be sure to label the CD containing your pictures with your first and last name.
- 4** **Acquire Photographer Release**
Send the Photographer Release enclosed in this packet directly to your photographer for his/her signature. Photos will not be published unless a signed photographer release is received.
- 5** **Write Your Story**
Tell us about how you met, the proposal and your upcoming plans to wed! If you'd like to share a few of the details about your upcoming wedding, feel free to do so. Engagement announcements are limited to 250 words. All announcements must be typed in Microsoft Word or other similar program and saved to a CD clearly labeled with your first and last name. Also include a hard copy of your announcement when you submit your packet.

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MAIL EVERYTHING, INCLUDING YOUR PAYMENT, TO THE ADDRESS BELOW:

**BRIDES OF OKLAHOMA
3100 W. BRITTON ROAD, SUITE H
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73120**

I would like to be included in the Spring/Summer issue of the Brides of Oklahoma magazine:
NOTE: Deadline to register is October 15

SPRING/SUMMER ANNOUNCEMENT: Half Page (\$200)

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FALL/WINTER ANNOUNCEMENT: Half Page (\$200)

Personal Information.

Full Name of Bride:	<input type="text"/>	Home Phone:	<input type="text"/>
Full Name of Groom:	<input type="text"/>	Cell Phone:	<input type="text"/>
Couple's Formal Name (e.g., "Mr. and Mrs. John David Smith"):	<input type="text"/>		
Address of Couple:	<input type="text"/>	Email:	<input type="text"/>
Were you in a sorority? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, what sorority <input type="text"/>		
	College/University you attended <input type="text"/>		

Payment Information.

Name:	<input type="text"/>	Home Phone:	<input type="text"/>
Address:	<input type="text"/>	Cell Phone:	<input type="text"/>
	<input type="text"/>	Email:	<input type="text"/>
Method of Payment:	<input type="checkbox"/> Check (enclosed)	<input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card	<input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Discover <input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard <input type="checkbox"/> American Express
Amount of Payment:	<input type="text"/>	* As a security measure for you, credit cards are only accepted by contacting The Brides of Oklahoma directly or by paying online for your announcement space through our Web site.	

Engagement Information.

Engagement date:	<input type="text"/>		
Where you met:	<input type="text"/>		
When you met:	<input type="text"/>		
Planned wedding date:	<input type="text"/>		
Planned wedding venue:	<input type="text"/>	City	<input type="text"/>
		State	<input type="text"/>
Occupations: (optional)	<input type="text"/>		
	<input type="text"/>		
What is one thing you learned from planning your wedding so far?	<input type="text"/>		
	<input type="text"/>		
	<input type="text"/>		
	<input type="text"/>		
	<input type="text"/>		
I'm also planning on announcing my wedding in the Brides of Oklahoma Magazine.	<input type="checkbox"/> YES!	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	

Photographer Release

("Photographer") grants permission to The Brides of Oklahoma, its heirs, legal representatives and assigns, the right to reproduce the copyright Images of taken on . The referenced Images may be reproduced in The Brides of Oklahoma magazine and web, in addition to media and promotional material associated therewith. The Brides of Oklahoma agrees to provide legible photo credit in connection with any and all use of such Images, unless otherwise agreed to by the parties. Photographer warrants that it is the owner and holder of any and all copyrights related to the referenced Images and that it has the right and authority to execute this release. Signature of photographer releases The Brides of Oklahoma from any copyright infringement.

Photographer's Signature Date

Photographer's Name (print only)

Photographer's Studio/Company

Photographer's Address

Photographer's Phone Number

Photographer's Email

*How would you like photo credit to appear (limited to business name and/or website ONLY) :

*note: photo credit will appear exactly as listed

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Sample Engagement Announcement



Kalee Ridings Photography

LAUREN NASHERT + JONATHAN JORDAN

To Be Wed - May 30, 2009

On June 4, 2008, Lauren and Jonathan's dream of a future together became a reality. After meeting at the University of Oklahoma and being best friends for several years, it was time to take the next step. Jonathan and Lauren were headed to Lake Texoma, the exact spot where one year earlier they had their first kiss. Upon their arrival, Jonathan's lake house entry way and living room were covered in white glowing candles and white rose petals. A picnic for two was laid out, while champagne and chocolate covered strawberries chilled on the coffee table next to two dozen white roses and a picture of them. Lauren was in shock as Jonathan told her how lucky he was to have fallen in love with his best friend and his soul mate. As he was down on one knee, Lauren let out an excited, "Yes, Absolutely!" As tears of joy were flowing, they danced on a floor of petals to their song by the glow of candlelight. Like the poster that Jonathan made that sat on the fireplace and like the engraved words in Lauren's engagement ring, they will love each other "Forever & Ever."

Lauren Michelle Nashert is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Nashert Jr. Jonathan Evan Jordan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Jordan. The wedding ceremony will take place May 30, 2009, at Christ the King Catholic Church with a reception immediately following at Oklahoma City Golf and Country Club.