

A detailed painting of a woman with a sugar skull face, wearing a red shawl, surrounded by flowers and a crown of roses. The woman's face is painted with intricate designs, including blue and gold patterns around the eyes and mouth. She has long dark hair and is wearing a red shawl with a gold border. The background is filled with various flowers, including roses and daisies, and a crown of roses is placed on her head. The overall style is reminiscent of traditional Mexican folk art.

DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS

Día de los Muertos Schedule

October 30th to November 3rd - Oaxaca, Mexico

Día de los Muertos in Oaxaca is unlike anywhere else on earth, a celebration where time softens and the veil between worlds grows thin. The city becomes a tapestry of marigolds, candles, music, and memory. It is not a time of mourning, but a homecoming: a joyful invitation for spirits to return to join the living in warmth, remembrance, and love. In Oaxaca, Día de los Muertos feels as though the city itself is breathing – alive with history, heart, and an ancient beauty that stays with you long after the last candle flickers out.

Below is the guest itinerary for our Day of the Dead weekend in Oaxaca, ahead of the wedding. Join as much or as little as you like – everything is optional. Timings and a few activities are still being finalised; anything marked "TBC" will be updated as details are confirmed.

DAY 1 - SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

Evening activity: Day of the Dead parade, followed by drinks and dinner in the city centre.

- 18:00 – Parade begins. Traditional Día de los Muertos parade throughout the city of Oaxaca.
- 18:30 – Group Drinks & Dinner at Romeo's, City Centre – with a view of the city and easy access to the street for the parade. Set menu pre-arranged. Price to follow.

DAY 2 - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Brunch at Criollo, afternoon exploring Oaxaca City, evening visit to Jalatlaco, dinner at Brío.

- 11:00 – Brunch at Criollo. A renowned Mexican restaurant which hosts a festive brunch with traditional Mexican dancing and music in the backyard. Set menu pre-arranged. Price to follow.
- 13:00 – Free time. Relax, visit the city, or cultural activity.
- 18:00 – Visit to Jalatlaco & the cemetery. Tapetes, parades, street art. A ten-minute walk from the centre – one of the oldest and most beautiful neighbourhoods in the city, with some of the best ofrendas during Day of the Dead.
- 20:00 – Dinner, three options:
 - Dinner One: relaxed/casual dinner at Casa Rufina.
 - Dinner Two: dinner at Brío, roof terrace, Michelin-praised restaurant with fantastic cocktails. Set menu pre-arranged. Price to follow.
 - Dinner Three: dine at your own leisure.
- 22:00 – Oaxaca bar hopping.

DAY 3 - MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Exploring Oaxaca and **Day of the Dead Party**.

- Morning / Afternoon – Free time. Relax, visit the city, or cultural activity.
- 17:00 – Prepare for the party. Makeup will be provided.
- 18:00 until late – Day of the Dead Private Party hosted by Shirley & Luca
 - Sunset Drinks & Dinner at Otro.
 - Followed by an After Party at an Oaxaca Speakeasy bar.

Dress Code: Day of the Dead. Moodboard attached.

Professional Day of the Dead makeup will be available at your accommodation or at the venue. Authentic costume accessories – including traditional, locally made floral headdresses – are available to pre-order. Vendor details to follow. A mood board has been created to help inspire your look.

For guests arriving November 2nd: the organizational team will assist with transport from the airport to your accommodation and then to the party. Makeup will be provided for you at the party venue.

DAY 4 - TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

A recovery and relaxed day

- Morning / Afternoon – Free time. Relax, visit the city, or cultural activity.
- Evening – Sunset drinks at Casa Aguacates.

We have a few cultural activities planned for those who'd like to join – details to follow. We will also share a curated list of experiences you can explore and book at your own leisure. A list of Oaxaca's top restaurants can be found on the website – we highly recommend booking in advance.



