



Pastoral Perfection

Roanne Adams and Johnny Wahba

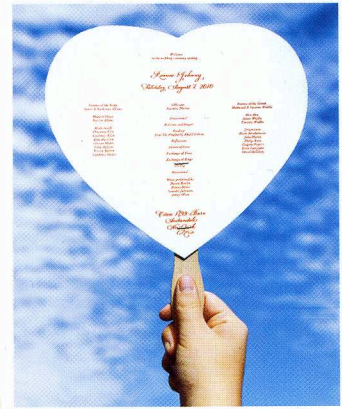
When it was time to plan her wedding, Roanne, 29, the owner of a graphic-design firm, approached it like any other job. She created a mood board full of color palettes, illustrations, and floral inspiration. Her vision had a rural, idyllic vibe; all she and her fiancé, Johnny, 30, needed was the perfect barn for the event. They found it in Columbia County, New York, and soon began putting all the mood-board elements into place. Save-the-dates included a creative time line documenting their relationship, poster-size invitations featured whimsical illustrations, and jewel-tone bridesmaids' dresses complemented the landscape. By nightfall, the barn was rocking with 80s music, and the party lasted late into the evening. Which, of course, meant the mood was just right.



The 9-by-12-inch invitations featured the barn, a custom monogram, and playful, personality-infused illustrations.



The bridesmaids carried free-form bouquets of white dahlias. Saipua (saipua.com) handled the flowers.



Heart-shaped programs (designed by Roanne) doubled as fans to offer relief from the heat.



Roanne chose the four jewel-tone shades of the bridesmaids' dresses, all from Amsale, to coordinate with the color palette. Her friends picked out their own styles.



Johnny worked closely with the caterers (silkstonenyc.com) to create a rustic menu for the cocktail hour and dinner, which was served under a tent.



The couple hung escort cards on vintage skeleton keys from Zaborski Emporium (stanthejunkman.com).



To create a homey, dinner-party feel, the couple rented vintage-looking china (in fortuitously coordinating colors).



The bride's dress and headpiece (topped with wild roses) were designed by Vena Cava (venacavanyc.com).