



# RECENT CELEBRITY WEDDINGS

## Eva Longoria & Tony Parker

*Desperate Housewives* actress Eva Longoria, 32, married San Antonio Spurs star Tony Parker, 24, in Paris, France on 7 July. Longoria and Parker met in the Spurs' locker room after a game two years ago. Considered to be the wedding of the year, the event was attended by several celebrities and the couple sold their wedding photos to *OK magazine* for a reported \$2 million. The week-long celebration started with a boat cruise along the Seine river for the couple and their closest friends. The group hit the decks on a Yachts de Paris boat the night before the civil ceremony, under the lights of the twinkling Eiffel Tower.

Eva and Tony became man and wife at a civil ceremony - as required by French law - at the Mairie (City hall for the 4th Arrondissement) in Place Baudoyer, not far from Notre Dame. They were married by the Mayor of Paris, Monsieur Bertrand Delanoë.

For the church wedding, Eva wore a couture Angel Sanchez mermaid gown made of silk wool, with silk gazar metallic embroidery, a scoop back and a long train.

Guests feted Eva and Tony's union at a lavish reception - complete with fireworks - just outside of Paris at the Chateau Vaux-le-Vicomte. The 17th-century castle hosted more than 200 VIPs, including Longoria's *Housewives* co-stars Teri Hatcher and Nicollette Sheridan, Sheryl Crow and Jessica Alba, who celebrated with the couple into the early morning.

Fireworks lit up the French sky as the newlyweds partied into the early hours. Scores of diamonds decorated Longoria's wedding band, the company which made them has revealed.

Both the bride and groom wore Piaget Possession wedding rings. Eva's band was made from 18K white gold with two rows of 80 brilliant-cut diamonds. These were separated by a row of 27 square-cut diamonds, for a total of 107 jewels.

Tony's ring matched his wife's 18K white gold but was not decorated with stones. They each had a special inscription, in French, etched into the inside of the gold ring. (Since the wedding, however, Tony has said that he doesn't believe in wearing a ring).



Teri Hatcher



Felicity Huffman

Meanwhile, all the women guests at the wedding were given bracelets from Van Cleef & Arpels' Sweet Alhambra range. The bracelets are 18K yellow gold on a delicate chain. They each had a miniature mother-of-pearl clover charm and the French jeweler said they are "sure to bring good luck."

The wedding ceremony capped off a week of partying, shopping and socializing, including a his-and-her bachelor party in St. Tropez. The newlyweds stayed in an \$11,000-a-night suite at the Park Hyatt Paris Vendome hotel.



Nicollette Sheridan

## Rebecca Romijn & Jerry O'Connell

Actress Rebecca Romijn, 34, and actor Jerry O'Connell, 33, tied the knot at a small ceremony in their home on 14 July. A former model, Romijn divorced actor John Stamos in 2005 after five years of marriage. This is the first marriage for O'Connell. (Photo: AP)



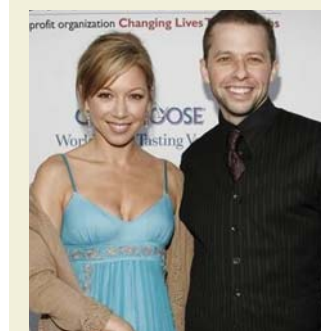
## Penny Lancaster & Rod Stewart

British rocker Rod Stewart, 62, married model Penny Lancaster, 36, on Italy's northwestern coast, on 16 June. The couple were married at a cloistered medieval abbey at La Cervara near Portofino. The couple have a son together and this is Rod Stewart's third marriage (Photo: AP)



## Lisa Joyner & Jon Cryer

Actor Jon Cryer and entertainment reporter Lisa Joyner were married on Saturday 16 June in Cabo San Lucas. Cryer, the star of *Two and a Half Men* 42, has a 6-year-old son, Charlie, from a previous marriage.



## Brittany Murphy & Simon Monjack

Actress Brittany Murphy has married Simon Monjack, the British writer and director. They were married at their home in Los Angeles several weeks ago in a small ceremony. It was officiated by a rabbi, and they were surrounded by their families.

