The Vault

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The Vault

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Hours of operation:
Mon. Tues. Wed. Fri. | 9am - 5:15pm
Thurs. | 9am - 8pm
Sat. | 10am - 4pm
Sun. | Closed
A HIDDEN GEM 

beneath the queen city

We crossed Main Street in 2016, nearly quadrupling the size of Richter & Phillips Jewelers. Upstairs in our new showroom, we had the honor of opening our shop to host fundraising opportunities for organizations, like Dragonfly and Cincinnati Children’s Hospital, and throw community events, like our highly-anticipated annual holiday party, Whiskey & Watches. But, our new home on the corner of 6th & Main also came with a little-known, coveted treasure only discoverable at the bottom of a gorgeous, white marble stairwell - a 1920s bank vault, iron door and all.

For five years, this treasure sat idle. Then, we spent 2020 investing in the historic space, leveraging its deco roots and filling it with Richter & Phillips history, transforming it into a place where we can create even more memories together; a place reimagined to serve as a versatile space for the hosting and gathering of all types of non-profits, clubs, and Cincinnati organizations. And all you have to do is book it!

Shimmering with deco detailing, cloaked in jewel tones and rich velvet, The Vault is a unique, free space to mingle below the city. The Vault itself is stocked with a miniature beverage fridge tucked underneath a marble top bar. Sparkling glassware shimmers against a wood grained, blue and gold wallpaper opposite a grid of historic Richter & Phillips catalog memorabilia from the midst of the 1920s.
A CREATIVE PLACE TO GATHER

Comfortably seating 10 inside The Vault, with a majestic hallway housing up to 20 in conference style seating, The Vault’s versatility can accommodate a non-profit’s planning session and presentations or serve as a decadent backdrop for a book club’s monthly cocktail hour. The gathering possibilities are open to your creativity.

We are happy to collaborate on special events, such as fundraisers or celebrations! The Vault is meant to serve as a unique space to gather. But, overall, we are open to hearing creative ideas on how to offer experiences in our space!

Who is this for?

The Vault is the perfect place to host a small gathering. We encourage nonprofits to utilize the space to host a board meeting. We invite clubs to use our space for an upcoming gathering.

Additionally, we partner with a few nonprofits each year to host fundraisers, usually based on a percentage of sales from our showroom upstairs, but offer the vault space as an extension of our hospitality.

Capacity?

The Vault is a smaller space with room for about 10 to meet seated inside. We have a vault foyer and hallway that are also open in addition to the space. When utilized, it allows up to 25-30 guests to mingle.

Availability?

Available during business hours only: Mon, Tues, Wed. Fri. | 9am - 5:15pm Thurs. | 9am - 8pm Saturday hours by request only Closed on Sunday

Accessories?

The Vault has many accommodations for you to enjoy, including a catering room, wine cooler, bar shelving, lush seating, 5 cocktail tables, golden stanchion with red rope, & more.
How to Book

Inquire online
You can submit an inquiry through the form on our website at richterphillips.com/the-vault

Agree upon a date
The Vault has limited availability and is offered on a first come, first serve basis, booking up to 4 months in advance. The Vault is only available during normal business hours.

Discuss the concept
You will be contacted by our Events Director to discuss your concept. Together, you will determine the best fit for your needs, including space, accommodations, and other amenities or partnership opportunities.
1. Hallway allows extended space for setting up presentations, cocktail tables, & more. 2. The Vault is adorned with 1920s decor evoking a beautiful ambiance reflective of the building’s deco history. 3. Guest bathroom conveniently located right next to the vault. 4. Movable furniture allows the space versatility accommodating any unique gathering.