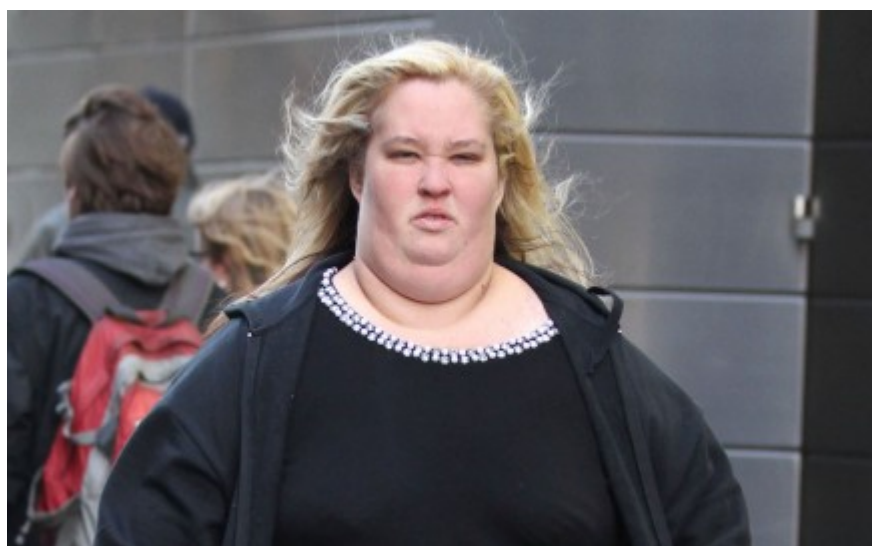


# Celebrity News: 'Honey Boo Boo' Stars Mama June and Sugar Bear Exchange Vows and Celebrate with BBQ



By Andrea Surujnauth

Mama June and Sugar Bear, stars of *Honey Boo Boo*, exchanged vows in an extremely unique wedding ceremony that was all their own. Wearing a camouflage wedding gown, the pair marched down the aisle in the backyard of their Georgia home. According to [People](#), the low key ceremony was followed by a family barbecue. "The day was very special mostly because my girls were able to take part in it," says June. "I felt like it was important for them to see this moment and celebrate my love for Sugar Bear." June also spoke about how she managed to keep her big day within her budget. "My sister baked the cake, and we spent most of the money on barbecue," says June. "We stayed true to our roots and made the focus on the family and my commitment to Sugar Bear. You can definitely plan an event

on a budget!”

**What are some ways to tailor your wedding reception to your personality?**

**Cupids Advice:**

How can you make your wedding reception all your own? You want your personality to shine through for all your guests to see. Cupid is here to help:

**1. Spice up your invitations:** Put your own spin on your invitations. They don't have to be plain and formal. If you and your partner are more of a comical couple, go for some humor instead!

**2. Activities:** Your big day does not have to be traditional with just dancing and picture taking. Come up with some fun activities that they can do like writing notes in a guest book!

**3. Personal decorations:** Add your personal touch to your reception decorations. Ask yourself, if I was home throwing a party, how would I decorate?

**How did you personalize your wedding? Comment below and let us know!**

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**Celebrity News: ‘Honey Boo Boo’ Mom June Shannon Marries**

# Sugar Bear



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Reality show mom June Shannon and her longtime beau Mike “Sugar Bear” Thompson finally tied the knot on Sunday, May 5. The ceremony, which took place in McIntyre, Georgia, was a “taped event,” according to [UsMagazine.com](#). Shannon, known as “Mama” on the show, and Thompson are already parents to Alana “Honey Boo Boo” Thompson, 7, the feisty *Toddlers & Tiaras* pageant contestant with a penchant for outrageous one-liners.

**What are some advantages to getting married?**

## Cupid’s Advice:

You and your partner have been together for a while now and are contemplating marriage. With the divorce rate as high as it is, you are both a little skeptical. Have no fear—Cupid is here to touch on the advantages of getting married:

**1. Commitment:** After dating your man for so long, you start to feel like nothing is changing in the relationship. Marriage offers a lifetime of commitment to the person you love. The years you spend together will be ever changing, bringing you both closer together.

**2. Family:** With marriage comes the possibility of starting a family. You gain the opportunity to have children with the man you chose to spend the rest of your life with. Getting married lets you have the family you've always dreamed of.

**3. Life goals:** When thinking about the ideal life, you instantly think of a big house with a handsome husband and beautiful kids. Tying the knot to the person you love allows you to obtain all of your wishes for the future. Sharing and accomplishing life goals with your spouse make them even more special.

**What were some advantages you found throughout your marriage? Share below.**