

Dame Nellie Melba travelled the world as one of the greatest opera singers to have ever lived. Her heart remained here, at her home 'Coombe Cottage', named after her stay at Coombe House in London.

The seven acres of formal gardens at Coombe include the vegetable garden and orchard laid out at Melba's behest.

Coombe Yarra Valley's kitchen garden continues to grow seasonal produce used throughout our restaurant menu and available in the delicious preserves found at the Estate's Providore.

Our Chef Neil Cunningham has designed a menu to be enjoyed with friends; classic dishes that represent the very best of the season and region, with a renewed verve and quality. *Bon Appetit*.

RESTAURANT MENU

WEEKDAY Two Course \$75 | Three Course \$90 WEEKEND Two Course \$78 | Three Course \$93

SMALL **FNTRFF** ROMAN GNOCCHI VEG YARRA VALLEY SMOKED SALMON CAVIAR GF \$15 Taleggio | oyster mushroom | leek | soft herbs Creme fraiche | potato crisp Wine match - 2024 Estate Pinot Gris MT. ZERO OLIVES DF \$12 CURFD TROUT GE Herbs | olive oil Trout rillette | avocado | Yarra Valley caviar Yuzu sesame | seaweed FRESHLY SHUCKED OYSTERS GF | DF Ea ½ doz Wine match - 2023 Estate Chardonnay \$5.5 \$32 Red wine vinegar | shallot dressing CELERIAC VELOUTE GF Scallops | Yarra Valley caviar | dill | chervil Wine match - 2024 Estate Pinot Gris CHARCUTERIE AND CHEESE TERRINE OF HAM HOCK GELDE CHARCUTERIE BOARD \$38 Pork scotch fillet | pickled apple | watercress Chef's selection of cured meats Wine match - 2023 Estate Pinot Noir CHEF'S SELECTED CHEESE BOARD \$32 GRILLED CARROTS GF | VEGAN Selection of 3 local and artisan cheeses Hummus | harissa | pistachio dukkha | soft herbs served with traditional condiments Wine match - 2024 Estate Rose SINGLE CHEESE \$14 Artisan cheese served with traditional condiments - Choose your preference for soft,

Melba surrounded herself with the best of everything, from art to food to celebrity – none more famous than French chef Auguste Escoffier who created the dishes Peach Melba and Melba toast for her while she was in Paris in the 1890's. 'Good food is the foundation of genuine happiness' – Auguste Escoffier

hard or blue



MELBA'S GARDEN WALK

Take a guided tour of Dame Nellie Melba's seven acres of historic, formal gardens.

Designed by Guilfoyle in 1909, the gardens boast a French parterre rose garden, English herbaceous borders and an Italian Garden with Victoria's oldest swimming pool.

Follow in the footsteps of Melba's famous visitors and enjoy an hour of tranquillity and enlightenment.

"I look upon the pleasure we take in a garden as one of the most innocent delights in human life."

- Marcus Tullius Cicero

MAIN

shallot

SHORT RIB OF BEEF GF
Pomme puree | bourguignon | parsley | capers

Wine match - 2023 Tribute Shiraz

ROASTED DUCK BREAST

Pomme Dauphine | Jerusalem artichoke Gai Lan | cherry jus Wine match - 2023 Tribute Pinot Noir

BARRAMUNDI GF

Spanner crab | white beans | smoked paprika roasted red pepper sauce
Wine match - 2024 Tribute Chardonnay

MISO ROASTED KOHLRABI VEGAN I GF

Parsnip | yuzu sesame | watercress | radish Wine match - 2023 Estate Chardonnay

LAMB SHOULDER [for 2] GF Add
Grilled gem lettuce | pea and mint dressing \$9
ricotta salata
Wine match - 2023 Tribute Cab Say

SIDES

ROYAL BLUE POTATOES VEGAN | GF
Rosemary salt

ROASTED CAULIFLOWER VEGAN | GF
Pine nuts | radish | mint | coriander

MIXED LEAVES VEGAN | GF
House vinaigrette

GEM LETTUCE
Pangrattato | Reggiano | buttermilk dressing

DESSERT

PARIS BREST

Winter fruits | mulled wine jelly | hazelnut Wine match - NV Sparkling Shiraz

CHOC CARDAMOM PANNACOTTA GF Orange | fennel | puffed rice Wine match - NV Sparkling

PEACH MELBA

Raspberries | vanilla ice cream | almonds Wine match – 2020 Dame Nellie Melba Blanc De Blancs

BUTTERMILK SCONES

Peach Melba jam | double cream Wine match - Melba Bellini Cocktail

Celebrating a Special Occasion

Let us take care of your next celebration at Coombe Yarra Valley.

Ask about our group function packages for 12 or more guests.