

COOMBE YARRA VALLEY  
WEDDINGS







Coombe Cottage, the former home of Dame Nellie Melba, is set on seven acres of historic manicured gardens.

The provenance and elegance of the property makes Coombe one of the most sought after wedding venues in Australia. We offer exquisite seasonal and predominantly estate grown produce, Coombe wines and a stunning setting for your reception.

At Coombe your experience will be nothing less than exceptional.







# CEREMONIES AT COOMBE

SAY 'I DO' SURROUNDED BY THOSE  
MOST IMPORTANT TO YOU.

OUR GARDENS OFFER STUNNING LOCATIONS  
TO HOLD YOUR CEREMONY AND CONDUCT  
PHOTOGRAPHS TO REFLECT YOUR STYLE, THE  
SEASON, AND THE SIZE OF YOUR WEDDING.



CEREMONY LOCATIONS

With seven acres of manicured gardens our ceremony locations are all breathtaking.

OAK TREE

Our majestic Oak Tree is believed to be over 180 years old. Its sprawling branches provide a unique canopy of greenery for your special day. Spend your day beneath its branches and make your celebration one to remember.

ITALIAN GARDEN

The Italian Garden is a beautiful and unique setting for your special day. From the moment guests arrive, they will be surrounded by lush greenery and vibrant colours. The garden is filled with a variety of trees, shrubs, and flowers.

THE LAVENDER GARDEN

Wander down the herbaceous border to find the hidden lavender garden with our stunning hedge as your backdrop.

CLOCK TOWER

Perfect for the unpredictable Melbourne weather, the Clock tower offers protection from the elements within our restaurant space



CEREMONY PACKAGE

Inclusive of seating for 40 guests, a registry table and chairs, white market umbrellas and a water station.

Your ceremony start time is 4:30pm during daylight savings time with a maximum duration of 30 minutes. Please speak to your coordinator regarding ceremony start times during non daylight savings.

Any additional items hired are to be covered by the client in addition to the set fee.

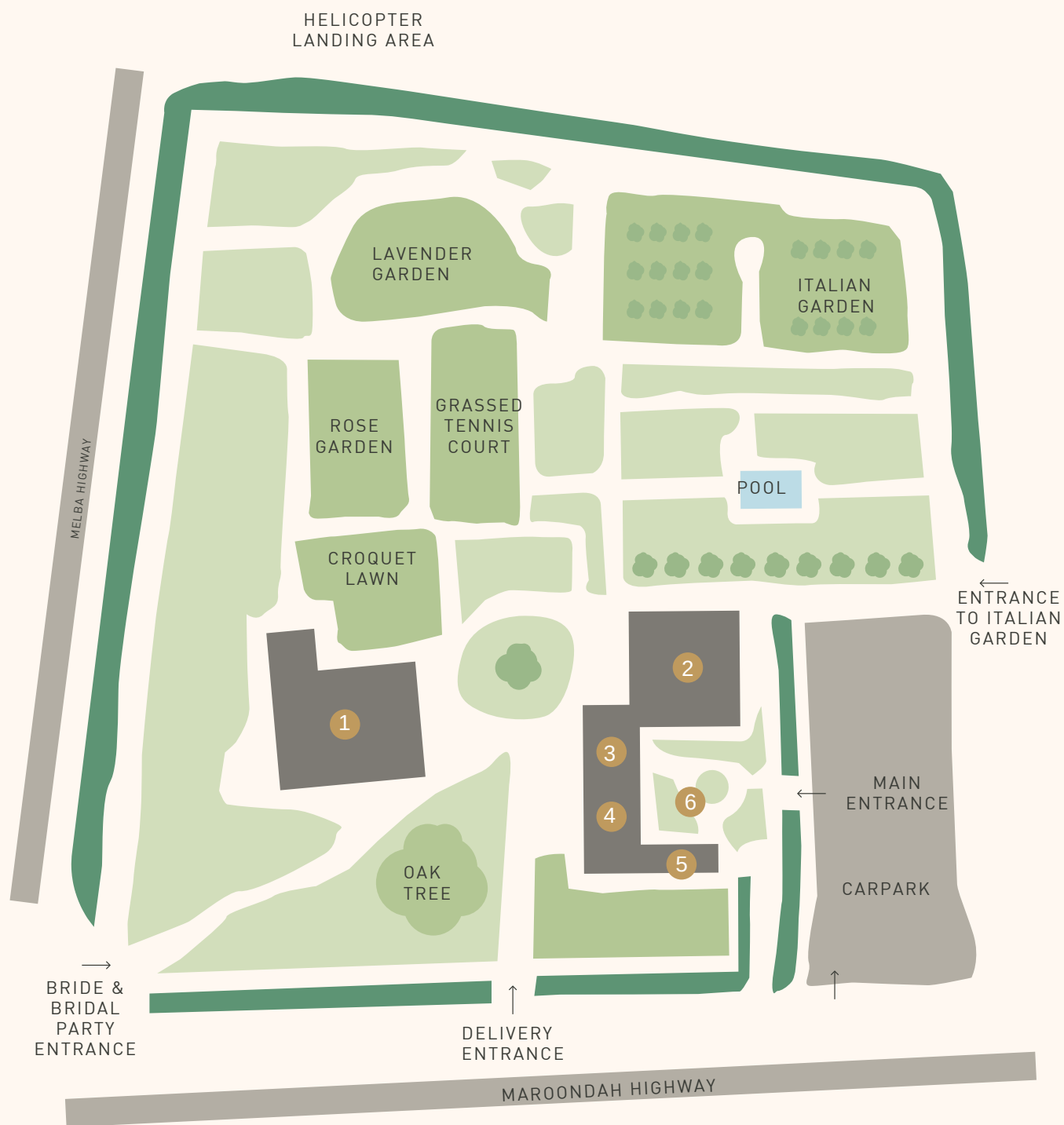
In the event of extreme weather conditions (heat or rain), we are able to move your ceremony inside to our Clock tower.

Wedding ceremony's have a set fee of \$3,000.00

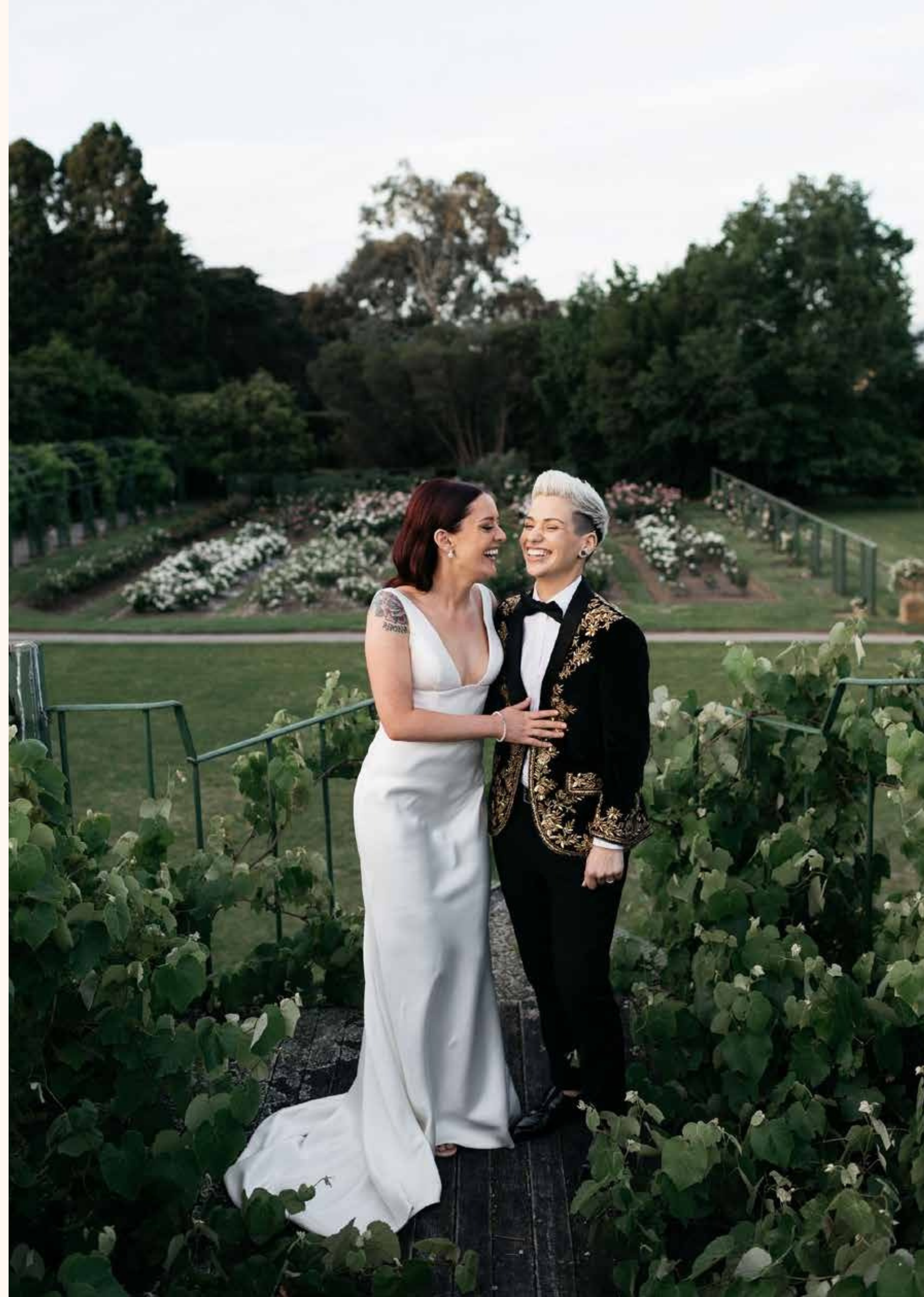
Please note all ceremonies are held in conjunction with a reception held at Coombe.



# THE MELBA ESTATE



1 — Coombe Cottage, 2 — Restaurant, 3 — Gallery 4 — Providore 5 — Cellar Door and Garden Terrace, 6 — Courtyard







# RECEPTION PACKAGES

WE PRIDE OURSELVES ON  
OFFERING OUR WEDDING COUPLES  
A MEMORABLE AND STRESS FREE DAY.  
FROM THE MOMENT YOU ARRIVE,  
THROUGH TO THE CEREMONY AND ONTO  
AN UNFORGETTABLE CELEBRATION.

THE HISTORIC CLOCK TOWER RESTAURANT  
HAS SEATING FOR UP TO 150 PEOPLE AND  
OFFERS EXQUISITE SEASONAL, GOURMET  
AND PREDOMINATELY ESTATE-GROWN  
PRODUCE IN A STUNNING SETTING.



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EVENING WEDDING PACKAGES

Held in the main dining room.

Evening reception packages can accommodate a maximum of 150 guests.

5 1/2 hour package, starting with Pre dinner drinks.

DELUXE SEATED PACKAGE

Inclusive of 3 canapés (Chef’s selection), plated alternating entrée, alternating main, selection of 2 sides, and 4 roaming desserts.

PRICE

\$283 per person up to 30th June 2025  
\$295 per person up to 30th June 2026

FEASTING SEATED PACKAGE

Inclusive of 3 canapés (Chef’s selection), 2 shared entrée, 2 shared main course, selection of 2 sides and 4 roving desserts.

PRICE

\$283 per person up to 30th June 2025  
\$295 per person up to 30th June 2026

PREMIUM SEATED PACKAGE

Inclusive of 3 canapés (Chef’s selection), entrée, main course, selection of 2 sides, 4 roving dessert — guests may select from 2 items for each course.

PRICE

\$313 per person up to 30th June 2025  
\$328 per person up to 30th June 2026

ADDITIONS

- Freshly shucked oysters \$5.75pp
- Canapés \$5.55 per piece
- Substantial canape items \$11.00 per item
- Charcuterie & crudites to begin \$10.00 per person
- 3 choices per course (Premium seated package only) \$47.25 per person
- Plated dessert \$11.00 per person

WINTER EVENING PACKAGES

Available June — August Thursday, Friday & Saturday

Please contact a member of the Events Team to discuss Winter package inclusions.







## BEVERAGE PACKAGE INCLUSIONS

Coombe Non-Vintage Sparkling Wine  
Coombe Estate Rose  
Coombe Estate Chardonnay  
Coombe Estate Pinot Noir  
Coombe Estate Shiraz

Watts River Brewery Beer (Blonde, IPA and Nipper Light)

St. Ronans Apple Cider  
Soft drinks, sparkling water, tea and coffee

## BEVERAGE PACKAGE UPGRADE

Coombe Tribute Dame Nellie Melba Blanc de Blancs Sparkling Wine  
Coombe Tribute Lady Pamela Chardonnay  
Coombe Tribute Lady Celia Pinot Noir  
Coombe Tribute Mr. Mark Shiraz  
\$30 per person

## SPARKLING UPGRADE

Upgrade your sparkling to our Tribute Dame Nellie Melba Blanc de Blancs  
\$11.00 per person.

## COCKTAILS

Begin pre dinner drinks with a choice of two cocktails for you and your guests please ask your coordinator for the cocktail list. 1 Hour service  
\$22.00 per person.

## CHAMPAGNE TOWERS

If you have hired a champagne tower from one of our preferred suppliers please note all the required sparkling is included in your beverage package.



“IT’S GOT  
TO BE

PERFECTION  
FOR ME”

— DAME NELLIE MELBA



WEDDING MENU

You are welcome to join us in our restaurant for lunch to sample dishes from our seasonal menu. Please be aware bookings are charged as per restaurant pricing, as we do not have the capacity to offer a personalised tasting.

FUNCTION TIMES

Commencement time of your ceremony is no earlier than 4.30pm. (during daylight savings). Reception packages are based on five and a half hours of beverage service, with canapé & pre dinner drinks service commencing no earlier than 5.15pm followed by your reception starting at 6pm. Functions must conclude and guests must depart by 11.00pm. Function extensions until midnight are available — \$1500 per hour for venue hire, from \$22.00 per person depending on original beverage package selection. Function extensions to allow for an earlier ceremony time of 3.30pm are available for dates outside of daylight savings only. No venue hire extension fee is applicable, however a food and beverage extension fee is applicable

VENUE CAPACITY

Coombe has a maximum capacity of 150 guests, including you & your bridal party. An outdoor dance floor is allowed on the terrace area, all costs associated are to be covered by the client. Only available on Friday and Saturday evenings without a midnight extension.

VENUE ACCESS

The venue is exclusively yours from 4pm on your wedding day. Our gardens are private and can only be accessed by a prearranged site visit Wednesday through Saturday. Suppliers will have access earlier for bump in.

VENUE INCLUSIONS

- The following items are included in all evening weddings reception packages at Coombe:
- Highly experienced wedding co-ordinator and event supervisors
  - Liason with external suppliers in the lease up and on the day
  - Exclusive use of the Coombe Gardens, Restaurant and Courtyard from 4pm
  - Access to the cottage external areas and rooftop for photography
  - White Table linen
  - White Linen napkins
  - Welcome sign in the courtyard to direct your guests
  - Printed menus for each guest
  - Wishing Well
  - Inbuilt sound system including wireless microphone
  - Use of the workbench for your cake or champagne tower
  - Your cake cut and served on shared platters during coffee and tea service
  - Cake cutting knife
  - Gift table
  - Use of bridal retreat
  - Dedicated bridal waiter to look after your bridal party.

WEATHER IMPACTS

A garden wedding is exposed to unforeseeable weather impacts. The safety and enjoyment of you and your guests is of paramount importance. The decision to move your wedding ceremony inside due to poor weather is made by Coombe management. We will advise you 24 hours prior regarding the need to move your wedding inside to the wet weather alternative. We are unable to allow the wedding couples to make the decision due to public liability and patron safety.

PREFERRED SUPPLIERS

Coombe has developed an outstanding list of suppliers, including florists, photographers, musicians, videographers, cakemakers, transport options and accommodation providers.

We recognise the success of your Wedding has much to do with the selection of your suppliers. We have a preferred list of suppliers who we have created from real and ongoing interaction and professionalism. The list will be forwarded to you upon confirmation of your bookings. Please note that should you choose to serve cake, you must choose from our list of quality cake suppliers. Cheese Wheel towers must be provided by Coombe. We reserve the right to deny access to the Estate to any supplier contractor or service provider.

STYLING ITEMS

Coombe staff can assist with the setup of your place cards, menus, bonbonnières, seating chart and personalised welcome sign as well other small items.





BOOKING INFORMATION

DEPOSIT

A Deposit of \$5,000 is required to secure your bookings date, accompanied by a signed copy of our the wedding contract. Please note that your bookings is not confirmed until payment has been received.

PAYMENTS

You are required to make the following payments to Coombe Yarra Valley under this Agreement (such payments which are referred to collectively as Amounts Paid):

INITIAL DEPOSIT

The Initial Deposit is \$5,000 (five thousand dollars), which is payable pursuant to clause 1. The Initial Deposit is non-refundable and non-transferrable.

PROGRESS PAYMENT ONE

25% of the minimum spend is due six months prior to the wedding date

PROGRESS PAYMENT TWO

50% of the minimum spend is due three months prior to the wedding date

FINAL PAYMENT

The Final Payment is the balance of the outstanding amount that is due and payable to Coombe Yarra Valley under this Agreement. The Final Payment is payable at least twenty one (21) business days prior to your wedding function. Your package inclusions must be confirmed and paid for no less than 21 working days prior to your wedding date. No refunds or reallocation of funds will be made for any guests reductions after this date. No changes or alterations can be made within 4 days prior to your wedding date. Payments can be made by electronic funds transfer, or credit card. No cash payments. (Please note there is a 1% Visa and Mastercard and a 2% Amex surcharge on credit card purchases).

CANCELLATION, DATE CHANGE, POSTPONEMENT

In the unfortunate event of cancellation Coombe Yarra Valley must receive written notification. The following cancellation policy applies:

1. If a Cancelled Wedding is within six months (180 days) of the booking date and after progress payment one (1), you will be liable to pay 25%(twenty five per cent) of the total quoted cost of your wedding function.
2. If a Cancelled Wedding is within ninety days (90 days) of the booked date and after progress payment two (2), you will be liable to pay 75% (seventy five per cent) of the total quoted cost of your wedding function.
3. If a Cancelled Wedding is less than fourteen (14) days prior to the booked date, you will be liable to pay 100% (one hundred per cent) of the total quoted cost of your wedding function.

Coombe Yarra Valley will apply any Amounts Paid by you as at the date of cancellation towards the applicable cancellation fees that are stated above.

PRICES

All prices are current at the time of quotation and are an indication of the cost of the event only at the time of booking. Prices are subject to change. Food and beverage package items are subject to product and vintage availability

LABOUR CHARGES

A labour charge of \$1,000 applies to any out the ordinary moving of furniture that you require Coombe to remove/set up.

MINIMUM GUESTS

80 Adult Guests Wednesday - Thursday  
100 Adult Guests Fridays  
120 Adult Guests Saturdays and days prior to public holidays

Weddings held between May — September have a minimum 80 adult guest numbers required regardless of the day of the week.

CREW MEALS

Crew meals for all suppliers such as band, photographer, videographer etc are charged at \$82.70 per person and include a main meal, sides & beverages noted in your package.

CHILDRENS MEALS (UNDER 16)

Childrens meals are charged at \$82.70 per child however if you wish for the child to have the full adult menu the cost is \$198. There is no charge for infants not requiring catering



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