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2027 WEDDING PACKAGES





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Ben Ean offers a timeless and enchanting slice of Hunter Valley history, making it the perfect setting to celebrate the beginning of your forever. Nestled amidst breathtaking vineyards and picturesque landscapes, Ben Ean provides a romantic backdrop for your dream wedding.

We understand that your wedding day is a reflection of your unique love story. Our team takes pride in tailoring every detail to bring your vision to life. From intimate ceremonies to grand celebrations, we offer exclusive access to our stunning grounds, ensuring endless opportunities for capturing unforgettable moments.

At Ben Ean, our dedicated events team is passionate about making your day extraordinary. From the first consultation to the final farewell, we are here to ensure every moment is filled with joy, love, and cherished memories that will last a lifetime.



Ceremonies



THE GARDEN TERRACE LAWN – \$1800

Adjacent to our incredible Garden Terrace which will be used for your pre- dinner drinks, this flat parcel of land has stunning views in all directions, giving you various options for your ceremony location! The Broken Back ranges or the vineyard views are sure to wow your guests. In case of wet weather, an alternative ceremony option is available in the room opposite to your reception area.

Inclusions

Timber Arbour, 12 Timber Bench Seats, Signing Table & Chairs, One Hour Venue Hire, Water bottles for your guests, A rehearsal can be arranged upon request, subject to availability, Access to the entire property for photographs



Ceremonies

INDOOR CEREMONIES – \$1500

For couples seeking an indoor ceremony, Ben Ean offers the Courtyard and Laraghy Room—both rich in charm with heritage sandstone and warm lighting. Adjacent to our incredible Garden Terrace, these spaces provide a seamless flow into your reception while ensuring a beautiful setting, rain or shine. Whether you choose the rustic elegance of the Courtyard or the inviting ambience of the Laraghy Room, your ceremony will be nothing short of unforgettable.

Inclusions

Hexagon & Triangle arbour, 32 Bentwood chairs, Signing table & chairs, Two wine barrels for the aisle, One hour venue hire, Water bottles for your guests, A rehearsal can be arranged upon request (subject to availability) Access to the entire property for photographs



Receptions

THE STEVENS LARAGHY ROOM

Just across the hall, the Laraghy Room offers a modern and sophisticated ambiance, blending edgy architectural design with refined elegance. This beautifully appointed space features a private balcony overlooking the Garden Terrace, creating a picturesque setting for your special day. With the capacity to accommodate 110 seated guests or 150 for a cocktail-style reception, it is perfect for intimate yet stylish weddings.

The breathtaking triangular windows behind the bridal table provide a striking backdrop, ensuring your wedding photos capture every magical moment.



THE HERITAGE LISTED COURTYARD

Our Heritage listed Courtyard has the perfect amount of rustic charm. From the barrel wall to the blinds in the roof that open up, allowing you to dance under the stars. The Courtyard provides an ideal setting for larger weddings, maintaining the enchanting atmosphere necessary for your unforgettable evening.

With a capacity of 300 seated, 450 cocktail, this room includes festoon lighting and green walls for the perfect photo backdrop, and moody lighting to set the atmosphere!

Packages



MID-WEEK SPECIAL

\$145 PP

**Available Monday - Thursday only*

Beverages & cheeseboard supplied for bridal party during photos.

Charcuterie and cheese grazing board with pre-dinner drinks.

One course seated dinner, served alternately or as shared platters
5 hour standard beverage package.

5.5 hour venue hire.

Wedding cake cut and served to a plank.

Tea and coffee station.

WINTER PRICE | \$135 PP



STREET EATS EXPERIENCE

\$175 PP

Beverages & cheeseboard supplied for bridal party during photos.

Charcuterie and cheese grazing board served with pre - dinner drinks.

2 hour themed menu to be served roving or on a station with a choice between 3 menus.

5 hour standard beverage package

5.5 hour venue hire.

Wedding cake cut and served to a plank

Tea and coffee station.

WINTER PRICE | \$165 PP



THE COMPLETE EXTRAVAGANZA \$235 PP

Beverages & cheeseboard supplied for bridal party during photos.

Frozen Cocktail Hour served with Canapes during pre - dinner drinks.

Two course seated dinner, served alternate or as shared platters.

Dessert Bar.

5 hour standard beverage package.

5.5 hour venue hire.

Wedding cake cut and served to a plank.

Tea and coffee station.

WINTER PRICE | \$225 PP

We are more than happy to be flexible and create a package that suits your needs.

If you need your package customized, reach out to us with your preferences on 02 4903 3700.

Sample Menu

**Menu subject to change seasonally*

CANAPES:

Mexican-Spiced Salmon Tostadas with pico de gallo, avocado, and lime aioli

Truffled Mushroom Tartlets with whipped ricotta and fresh basil

Crispy Peking Duck Spring Rolls served with ginger-plum dipping sauce

Handmade Pork & Chive Dumplings with toasted sesame and soy dipping sauce

Miso-Glazed Pumpkin Tartlets with whipped feta and a hint of chilli

Rare Roast Beef Crostini with horseradish cream, rocket pesto, and toasted focaccia

Goat's Cheese & Artichoke Bruschetta finished with a balsamic reduction

Prosciutto-Wrapped Roasted Pear with whipped feta and toasted pine nuts

Oysters – Two Ways Natural or Indonesian

ENTRÉE: (CHOOSE 2)

Sticky Pork Belly Bites with bean shoot salad and crispy shallots

Tomato & Parmesan Arancini with rocket and basil aioli

Beetroot-Cured Salmon with rye croutons, caper-olive salsa, and lemon oil

Lamb Backstrap Carpaccio served with smoked eggplant purée, herb yoghurt, and roasted pistachios

Burrata & Heirloom Tomato with crispy prosciutto, grapes, and a balsamic reduction

Seared Tuna Crudo with avocado, shaved radish, fennel, and a citrus-soy emulsion

MAIN: (CHOOSE 2)

Braised Lamb Shoulder served with a savory Parmesan and herb bread & butter pudding

Prosciutto-Wrapped Chicken Supreme stuffed with sun-dried tomato and feta

Slow-Braised Beef Brisket with Parmesan herb-crushed potatoes and rosemary red wine jus

Crisp Pork Belly on a white bean and chorizo cassoulet

Red Wine Braised Beef Cheek with creamy rosemary mash

Pan-Seared Barramundi with warm potato, fennel & caper salad, finished with a lemon cream sauce

Roast Salmon Fillet with citrus herb butter and spring onion mash

Confit Duck Maryland served with crushed sweet potato and a citrus reduction

Add plated dessert - \$35 pp

Dessert Bar - \$25 pp

Gelato Cart - \$10 pp

Childrens' meals 2 - 12 years - \$30 pp

Teenager's meals 13 - 18 - \$80 pp

Vendors' meals - \$50 pp



Beverages

**Beverages subject to change without notice*



Our cellar door experts have meticulously curated our wide selection of wines, featuring our most popular choices in white, red, and sparkling, including our latest addition, the Still House range, which is crafted from grapes cultivated on the Ben Ean property.

SPARKLING

Peterson's Sparkling Cuvee
Savannah Estate Sparkling Moscato

WHITES

Still House Semillon
Still House Chardonnay
Still House Arneis

REDS

Still House Tempranillo
Still House Shiraz
Peterson Mudgee Cabernet Sauvignon

BEERS & CIDER

Peroni
Carlton Dry
Great Northern
Stone & Wood Pale Ale
Pokolbin Cider House Cider

SOFT DRINKS, JUICE, TEA & COFFEE

Spirits are available upon request through our cash bar or option of a bar tab.
Please note that we strictly adhere to RSA regulations and licensing hours, and certain restrictions may apply.

EXTRAS

Beverage Extension (including room hire) \$20pp per hour

Recommended Vendor List

While you are free to choose any vendors for your big day, here are some of the best in the business whom we love working with.



CAKES

Ben Ean Pastry Chef
Sweet Custom Cakes
Melrose Cakes
Cakedbybeck

MUSIC

Luke Marlin Music
Brandon Duff Events
The Bow Tie DJ Guy
Harpist - Freddy Aguilera
With Love Weddings and Events

PHOTOBOOTHS

OMG Booths
Creative Booth
Film 360 Booth
Huntermvalley Mirror Booth

STYLISTS

Affections Wedding
& Event Hire
Isn't it Lovely
The Event Artists
Simply Seated
Miss Mays Events



CELEBRANTS

Helena Duckworth
Marry Me Mel
Jeff Hindmarsh
Married by Meredith

FLORISTS

WOW Flowers
Floral Affects
Noah & the Fox
Will & Wild

VIDEOGRAPHY

Hunter Valley Video
LoveReel
GMTMT Films

HAIR & MAKE UP

Ivory State
Glossgirl
White H&MU

STATIONARY/SIGNAGE

Pink Swann
Paper & Stuff



PHOTOGRAPHY

JPCreative
Crottison
3L Photography
Luna Wilde

ACCOMMODATION

Weekenda
Oaks Cypress Lakes
Rydgcs
Voco Kirkton Park

TRANSPORT

Classic Carriages
Rover Coaches
Dollface Garage

EXTRAS

Love Glows
Wedding Chats
Bring the Noise Fireworks
Wedding Paws
Champagne Tower Specialist
The Arches Cocktail Bar
The Brew Bike
Mr Tipsy Mobile Bartending



Secure my date !

Partner 1: _____ Phone Number: _____

Partner 2: _____ Phone Number: _____

Day & Date of Wedding: _____

Email Address to be used for correspondence: _____

Postal Address: _____

Suburb: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

Estimated number of guests: _____

Wedding Ceremony Location: **Garden Terrace / Indoor**

Wedding Package: **Extravaganza / Street Eats / Mid - Week**

Wedding Reception Location: **Heritage Listed Courtyard / Laraghy Room**

How did you hear about Ben Ean Weddings: _____

Would you like us to pass your details onto Weekenda for accomodation recommendations? **Yes / No**

**All events are required to pay for 1 Security Guard per 50 guests, supplied by Ben Ean*

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