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Wedding Information Pack

Larcomb Vineyard





A Message from Tom

Congratulations on your upcoming wedding! Your wedding is a very important and special day, and we have the skills and experience to ensure that it's a day to remember. Our team at Larcomb Vineyard are passionate professionals, who are dedicated to making your wedding a stress-free affair. Larcomb Vineyard is a beautiful rural venue and is located 15 minutes from Christchurch. With a selection of both historic and rustic buildings onsite, old vines and a manicured garden, Larcomb Vineyard is an ideal venue for your special day. Enjoy a complete and personalised service right from the start with the dedicated team at Larcomb Vineyard, with flexible options for your arrangements. Make stunning memories with ceremony, photographs, reception and dancing, all able to be accommodated on site. Chat soon, Tom Lawson.



VENUES

Larcomb Vineyard has three venue spaces available for exclusive use. Each space has its own unique features, but all comes with the same special service.

SMALL BARN

This building is the original winery and restaurant of the premises. Boasting fantastic natural light and a brick open fire place, this space is perfect for an intimate reception for up to 60 guests.

The exposed timber ceiling, and crisp white walls, give a sense of elegance, while the french doors open onto a beautiful sunny grassed area and lavender hedge through the summer months. This space can also be used as a back-up ceremony option for inclement weather.

THE STABLES

A delightful historic building at Larcomb, the Stables are a proud part of the history of the Canterbury region. This undercover area is only able to accommodate up to 20 guests seated, or 60 guests standing. This space is widely utilised as an outdoor bar for post ceremony drinks and canapé hour, or an intimate space for small group photos.



BIG BARN

A fantastic addition to the Larcomb site in 2011, the Big Barn features a high wooden ceiling with exposed beams.

A stunning space with seating for 50-250 guests, there is ample room to include our dance floor alongside your guests, to ensure everyone can kick their heels off and dance the night away.

Large doors at the rear of the building allow for seamless set ups and the ability for large theming pieces or photo booth vehicles.

Rest rooms and a rustic bar are also a part of this space, meaning that everything needed for your reception is in the same room.



WEDDING COORDINATION

From the moment you confirm your booking, we provide complimentary assistance with planning all aspects of your wedding including direction and advice on some of the best vendors Canterbury has to offer in the industry, to planning your special day with us from your guest arrival, to dancing on into the night.

We provide coordination services in advance of your wedding, as well as on-the-day, liaising with vendors and ensuring that everything runs smoothly so you can fully enjoy your day without worrying about any logistics.



CEREMONY LOCATIONS



FRONT LAWN

The lush lawns, with rustic country garden backdrop are an ideal setting to express your commitment to one another. The rose gardens add beautiful colour throughout the year, complimenting your floral arrangements.

IN THE VINES

An intimate and private ceremony spot amongst the grape vines adds an elegant touch to your 'I do's'. Boasting natural greenery as the backdrop for photos of 'the kiss' that seals the deal and an aisle lined with white and lavender alyssum, this will be a ceremony your guests won't forget.

This space was a fabulous addition to the venue in the summer of 2023.



INDOOR OPTIONS

The small barn provides a fantastic alternative in the event of unfavourable weather.

Ceremonies are available to be held from 2pm, or earlier by arrangement.





PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES

Larcomb Vineyard provides three acres of endless photo opportunities which enables you to not leave your guests for too long.

The vines, the surrounding paddocks, the driveway, and rustic barns create perfect options to capture the special moments of bridal portraits and group shots.

It makes all the difference being able to have your entire wedding based in one location, meaning you and your guests can relax and enjoy the special day without having to worry about travel logistics.

RECEPTION

The reception is a very important part of your special day. Right from the start of the day, our professional and attentive team will take care of all the details, from assisting with set up, to ensuring all your guests receive a delicious meal with attentive service.

Our chef's love to create dishes specific to your day, using local and seasonal produce and home grown herbs, our food is bound to wow your guests.

We include a full suite of tables, chairs, linen napkins, cutlery, crockery and glassware within our pricing.



ENTERTAINMENT

Canterbury has a fantastic selection of entertainers able to look after various aspects of your day. We can happily recommend a number of these, or arrange them for you.

Please note – all music must cease at midnight as a courtesy to our neighbours.





IN-HOUSE CATERING

G&T Catering is the sole caterer at Larcomb Vineyard and they provide a customised experience, tailored to your food preferences, style of service, and budget. We appreciate dietary requirements, fussy eaters and just the need to serve a generous amount of food to keep your guests happy. There is no one size fits all menu for any of our wedding clients.

We offer a range of service style options but are open to additional styles. The following estimated pricing includes all food throughout the day (canapés, entree, mains, desserts and occasionally supper).

- Buffet: \$85 - \$95+ pp
- Platter-Style: \$90 - \$100+ pp
- Walk & Fork: \$90 - \$100+ pp
- Plated: \$100+ pp

Price ranges are indicative only and based upon current 2024/25 season pricing. Prices are subject to change.



SAMPLE MENU

Canapés:

Rare peppered beef, horseradish crème, potato and herb rosti
 Herbed lamb, minted pea puree, blini
 Bang bang chicken, iceberg cigar
 Hoisin pulled pork, ginger, tortilla
 American Cheeseburger Slider
 Kai pono bites

Entrée – Platter Style:

Breads and Dips

Mains – Platter Style:

Slow roasted beef, garlic, rosemary and thyme marinade, red wine jus
 Chicken breast wrapped in bacon with mushroom sauce
 Smashed potatoes, coconut oil, herbs
 Balsamic roast vegetable salad with spinach, feta, pumpkin seeds
 Broccoli, bacon, sunflower seed, cranberry salad with raspberry mayo
 Fresh green garden salad with all the trimmings and citrus vinaigrette

Desserts - Sweet Treats Sideboard:

Summer fruit macaroon
 Jaffa chocolate cups
 Mango crème and white chocolate profiterole
 Wedding cake with cream and yoghurt
 Tea and coffee



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BEVERAGES

Larcomb Vineyard is a fully licenced venue; however, we do allow BYO wine (corkage charge of \$17 per bottle applies). We have a range of options to ensure your event is a success, or we can tailor something to suit your requirements. A specific beverage selection or package can be made available for children if required.

Beverage options can include the following:

- Cash bar for all guests
- Bar tab with all options available
- Bar tab with BYO wine only
- Beverage package for guests over 18 years old and non-alcoholic package for guests under 18 years old.

Regular Beverage Package with BYO wine: \$52pp

- Full beer range, cider, and non-alcoholic options for a maximum of an 8-hour duration. This also includes corkage for BYO wine on a per guest basis.

Regular Beverage Package: \$65pp

- Standard wine range, full beer range, cider and non-alcoholic options for a maximum of an 8-hour duration.

Premium Beverage Package: \$80pp

- Regular beverage package plus premium wines and RTDs.

Non-Alcoholic Package: \$27pp

- Non-alcoholic options for a maximum of an 8-hour duration.

Add RTD's to your beverage package: an extra \$15pp

Larcomb Vineyard is licenced until 12 midnight and all packages will conclude at this point, regardless of their start point. Due to liquor licencing laws, guests must depart the premises within 30 minutes of the bar closing. Beverage selection, package options and pricing are subject to change and are reviewed annually. Prices valid until July 2025.

VENUE HIRE

SUMMER:

1 Sept 2024 – 30 April 2025

Small Barn: \$3200

Big Barn: \$3800

1 Sept 2025 – 30 April 2026

Small Barn: \$3400

Big Barn: \$4100

1 Sept 2026 - 30 April 2027

Small Barn: \$3800

Big Barn: \$4500

WINTER:

1 May 2024 – 31 August 2024

Small Barn: \$2800

Big Barn: \$3200

1 May 2025 – 31 August 2025

Small Barn: \$2900

Big Barn: \$3300

1 May 2026 – 31 August 2026

Small Barn: \$3100

Big Barn: \$3500

1 May 2027 - 31 August 2027

Small Barn: \$3200

Big Barn: \$3800





INCLUSIONS

We like to keep things simple for you and include the following in our pricing for up to 250 guests:

- Venue access from 8am the day of your event (or earlier by prior arrangement)
- Exclusive use of the premises from 2pm - midnight with all guests to have departed by 12.30am
- All cutlery, crockery and glassware associated to your requirements
- All associated staff costs for your agreed requirements
- Wooden oblong guest tables (6 or 8 seater), oblong head table, and wooden cross-back chairs. Round tables (8-10 people) are available upon request at an additional cost.
- White linen table cloths for the head table and napkins as required
- Wooden cross back chairs for the ceremony (indoor or outdoor)
- Signing table and gift table
- Cakeage including serviettes/side plates
- A mobile PA system for your ceremony and outdoor entertainment
- Full sound system with wireless mic is included with the big barn
- Onsite free car parking
- Full venue cleaning
- Assistance with planning from the day you visit us and on the day coordination

Bookings

We will happily hold a pencil booking for you for two weeks. Please confirm your plans with us within this period. Once you confirm your booking and return a signed copy of our Terms and Conditions, an invoice for the deposit will be sent which is payable within 7 days to confirm your booking.

Payments

Payments can be made via electronic banking, cash or with Visa/MasterCard online (merchant fees apply).

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