

Your Goldston House High Tea Reception

The Goldston House High Tea Wedding Reception is a sit down, elegant, reception for a minimum of 40 guests and a maximum of 90. Treat your guests to the most sumptuous combination of homemade and specially sourced gourmet food that will have your guests talking long after your perfect day. If you are looking to accommodate more guests please look at our Cocktail Reception Options or discuss your exact number requirements with Goldston House.

When taken in conjunction with our Garden Wedding your guests can enjoy the relaxed atmosphere that flows effortlessly from ceremony to celebration. Our white wedding marquee, draped in soft white silk lining and, complete with fairy lights and chandeliers is the fairytale venue you have been searching for.

Looking for the convenience of your whole day in the one location? We also have ceremony and accommodation packages available in the beautiful Goldston House.



High Tea Reception

Available in conjunction with our Garden Wedding **Ceremony only this 2.5 hour package** is just \$55 per person.

Included in your high tea reception is...

- **Our Classic High Tea Setting and Décor...**
 - Round tables and 'Americana' folding chairs with a coloured sash of your choice
 - 'Silk' marquee lining and fairy lights
 - Linen napkins and full length tablecloths adorn round tables that can seat 8-11 people depending on your preferred arrangement
 - Delightful table setting with real silver cutlery, teapots and coffee pots and delicate wine glasses.
 - Personalised menu cards
 - White skirted bridal table and a skirted cake table with silver cutting knife
 - Lectern and wireless microphone
 - Table centre for each table (from our collection with your collaboration)
 - Gifts table and Glass Wishing Well
 - Use of I-pod compatible PA system (a great music alternative)
 - Every child receives a complimentary wedding activity pack
 - The gardens remain at your disposal for the duration of your reception and toilets will be available for your guests.
- **Goldston House Fine Fare**
 - A delicious high tea served with tea and brewed coffee
 - Special children's plates can be prepared for under 5's (just \$5) and 5-12 year olds (\$15). (All children must be counted as part of your total number of guests for the purposes of seating)
 - Complimentary slicing of your wedding cake (to be placed back on the cake table for guests to retrieve or we can place a plate on each table for you).

Venue Hire is \$350

This package caters for a minimum of 40 people.

For additional theming and wedding assistance may we suggest Red Carpet Events



Optional Extra's

- If you wish to have the wedding cake placed into bags or boxes for guests to take away with them there will be a charge of \$1 per bag/box to cover the time required to do this.
- Add Non-alcoholic punch to your menu for just \$2.50 per head
- Floral 'crazy tea set' setting can be supplied for an extra \$2 per head
- Professional Bar and Bar Staff
 - Only tea, coffee and water is included in the package. If you would like to provide toasting wine we ask that you limit this to three bottles per table. If you would like a complete bar set up this can be arranged for you, please ask us.
 - Alcohol is not included in the price per head.



High Tea Menu

(All served at table)

Savoury Finger Foods

- Caramel red onion feta and thyme tartlets (Veg)
 - (caramelized red onion and crumbled feta cheese tarts baked in a quiche custard)
- Savoury tartlet Chicken Mornay
 - (Roasted chicken in white sauce with Spanish onion and cheddar cheese)
- Mini Baked Ricotta (GF)
 - (Sundried tomatoes, Spanish onion, roast capsicum, chopped coriander baked in a hot smoked paprika spiced ricotta)
- Vegetable Pizzette (Veg)
 - (A vegan feast of pumpkin, carrot, celery, sweet potato, celery, sweet potato in a mild curry atop a thick pizza base- garnished with cheese and coriander)

Tea Sandwiches (Various fillings, 4 sandwiches per guest)

- Traditional cucumber
- Turkey, cranberry and brie
- Chicken and walnut
- Honeyed Ham and mustard

House made traditional favourites-

Homemade fresh warm scones (2 per guest) with cream and homemade mixed berry jam

Mini Lemon Meringue Tartlets

Petit Sweets

- Macaroons
- A selection of small tartlets, caramel, chocolate etc
- Chocolate Dainty
- Baby Cupcake- a traditional favourite, freshly made and decorated to match your wedding colours!
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Served with Twinings Traditional Afternoon Tea and Freshly Brewed Coffee

If you have any special requests or dietary requirements please let us know as soon as possible so that we can work to tailor the menu for you.

Please use this as a guide only for your consideration, we are happy to discuss your personal wishes for the day...

- 2.30 pm A Garden Ceremony
- 3 - 4pm Photo's for the Bridal Party (You may choose to leave to have photos taken elsewhere, or make use of Goldston House and Gardens). The optional Canapé package could be served now or your guests could begin Afternoon Tea a little earlier. (Reception start time must be arranged at least one week prior to your wedding day).
- 4 pm The Bridal Party makes their entrance in the Marquee
- 4.15pm Cut the Wedding Cake (we will then slice this for serving as part of your High Tea and has the added advantage of allowing you to take a shorter package with your photographer if you wish)
- 4.30pm Your High Tea is served
- 5.15pm Time for the toasts
- 5.45pm The Bridal Waltz is followed by dancing and more mingling with your guests
- 6.15pm The Bride and Groom depart (If this planned as a separate 'event')
- 6.30pm Guests leave the reception.

We would be delighted to discuss a programme for your day and answer any questions you have about this and the rest of the package. The Bridesmaids Sleepover, Garden Ceremony and Honeymoon Night elements also operate as stand-alone packages and their inclusions and conditions are explained in detail in the rest of our literature. If you do not have a copy of these please contact us and we will endeavour to get them to you immediately.

All the information above is to assist you in planning your wedding at Goldston House with a minimum of stress, so if there is something you would like to vary we would be delighted to make your dreams come true.

Our aim is to make your day run as smoothly and stress free as possible so please contact us to discuss how we can make your whole day beautiful.



Goldston House High Tea Reception Package

Terms and Conditions

Because we want your Big Day to go off without a hitch, we have laid out a few simple conditions that will help to ensure that the day is everything you ever dreamed it could be.

- We require a 25% deposit to secure your wedding date. Without a deposit, we regret that we cannot guarantee that your date will be held for you.
- A total of 50% of the overall account must be paid within 2 months of your date.
- Payment needs to be finalized two weeks prior to your wedding date. We accept a number of forms of payment and welcome you to make a number of smaller payments over time if you prefer this to a large sum.
- Final arrangements need to be discussed with Goldston House no later than four weeks before your date this includes but is not restricted to informing us of arrangements regarding menu selection, centerpieces and other decoration, music and approximate guest numbers. (Please note that Goldston House reserves the right to alter the menu at any point including on the day if, for whatever reason, the discussed menu is unable to be provided, we promise to maintain the same standards of taste and display if last minute alterations are required)
- Final numbers are required one week prior to the wedding date.
- All prices include GST.
- Advertised prices are subject to change. Please confirm the price when making your booking.
- We ask that you do not bring confetti, silk petals and rice as they are not environmentally friendly but real rose petals and bubbles are delightful alternatives.
- We only allow booked guests inside Goldston House (other than by arrangement) and do not permit parties.
- Time limits and maximum guest numbers are fixed and any deviation must be discussed with Goldston House. The reception must be finished and the property vacated by 6.30pm and must start no later than an hour and a half after the scheduled start of the ceremony.
- Any breakages or damage are the responsibility of the client and charges will apply.
- It is implied in the hiring of facilities that the onus is on the hirer to ensure that their function is conducted in a safe and orderly manner.
- In the event of a cancellation the following conditions apply:
 - Notice of more than 60 days: All monies will be refunded with the exception of a \$150 administration fee.
 - Notice of less than 60 days: Only if another booking can be found to replace the cancellation will all monies be refunded with the exception of a \$150 administration fee.

I acknowledge that I have read and understood the above terms and conditions and agree to abide by them.

Client Name:

Signed:

Date:

