

## WEDDINGS START WITH PEOPLE

Dear You,

I'm El, the Owner and Venue Manager at Leonards Hill Estate. I seriously can't tell you how happy I am to welcome you to Leonards Hill Estate. I know planning your wedding is a big deal, and honestly—I just want you to feel at home here and truly enjoy every second of it.

Think of me as your behind-the-scenes friend who's just as excited about your big day as you are! I love making spaces look amazing and keeping all the little details in order, so you don't have to stress about a thing. If you ever need advice, need a hand picking suppliers, or just want to talk through an idea, I'm always here to help.

This place was designed for celebrations just like yours—full of warmth, great vibes, and lots of happy memories. I can't wait to show you around and see if it feels right for you, because above all, I want your wedding to feel like the best day ever!

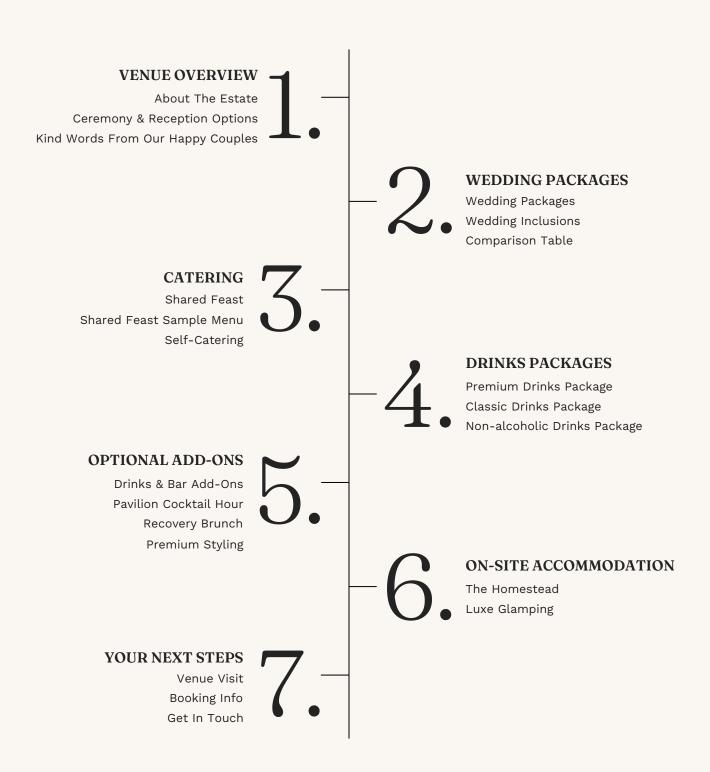
Warmly, *El* 



## WHAT'S INSIDE

We've designed this brochure to make planning your wedding as easy as possible.

Each section includes everything you need to know—from capacities and inclusions to menus and pricing. Below is a clear outline of each section, so you can quickly jump to the parts that matter most.





# ABOUT THE ESTATE

## ALL-WEATHER CEREMONY AND RECEPTION AREAS

Our venue can accommodate your wedding no matter the weather. We have indoor and outdoor ceremony and reception areas, so you can choose the perfect setting for your special day.

#### FLEXIBLE PACKAGES

We know every wedding is different, that's why we offer flexible packages to fit every style and budget. From just the venue to a complete, all-inclusive celebration, we can tailor a package perfect for you.

#### ACCOMMODATION ON-SITE

We have a Homestead that can accommodate up to 6 guests, so you can stay close to the action on your wedding day.

#### BACKDROPS FOR WEDDING PHOTOS

Our venue has multiple photo opportunities, including a beautiful garden, a picturesque field, and a stunning view of the sunset.

#### PET-FRIENDLY & ACCESSIBLE VENUE

We are a pet-friendly venue, so you can bring your furry friends to celebrate your special day. We are also an accessible venue, so guests of all abilities can enjoy your wedding.

#### SUSTAINABLE VENUE

We are committed to being environmentally conscious. Our entire estate runs on solar energy, making us completely sustainable.





## CEREMONY & RECEPTION OPTIONS

#### THE SHED

Picture your special day in our spacious shed, where country charm meets modern style. Your guests will love the high black metal beams and natural light streaming through big windows with gorgeous countryside views. The smooth concrete floors and half-tinned walls create cosy spots while keeping everything open for up to 130 people to celebrate, dance, and make memories.

#### THE GRAND TREE

Get married under our big eucalyptus tree! It's right in the heart of our venue and keeps everyone nice and cool, even on those hot summer days. There's something really special about saying your vows beneath those beautiful branches with everyone you love gathered around.

#### THE COURTYARD

Say your vows in our beautiful courtyard, with your family and friends gathered around you and stunning farmlands stretching out beyond. The plants, wooden arches, vintage lights, and weathered timber in our portico create a truly special atmosphere. It's also the perfect spot for family photos right after your ceremony, with The Shed as your backdrop.

#### THE PAVILION

Our Pavilion (also known as the marquee) is truly a special place for your wedding ceremony and celebration—and it's a great backup plan if the weather doesn't cooperate! The clear walls give amazing views and let in lots of natural light, making it perfect for saying "I do" and then enjoying drinks with your guests afterwards. We've got an outdoor bar, a lounge area, cocktail tables, and wine barrels with umbrellas and stools – everything you need to relax and celebrate.

### KIND WORDS FROM OUR HAPPY COUPLES

#### Samantha & James, March 2025

"From start to finish we can't thank El and the team enough. From providing any and all information regarding wedding packages to setting up and organisation on the day. We found El to be very well organised, providing plenty of time and following up to see how we were going with making decisions and providing thorough answers to any questions or queries we had. The food, photographer and all the staff on the day were simply magnificent. They couldn't have provided a better experience for our day. From the accommodation to the function space and the spacious new gazebo, nothing was out of place. A spectacular venue for a wedding of any size."s.

#### Hayley & Nathan, January 2025

"Our wedding was the perfect day and El and Keith at Leonards Hill Estate were a significant contribution to our success. We wanted somewhere with a beautiful outlook and everything in the one place. Leonards Hill Estate was perfect. Our photos have the most beautiful background and views. El is brilliant to coordinate with and couldn't do enough for us. The cottage on site is the added bonus which made our night of the wedding so much more comfortable. Parents with young babies could utilise it and be comfortable as well as bride and groom staying there overnight. We wish we could do it all over again.

#### Jacinta & Andrew, October 2024

"We recently got married out at Leonards Hill Estate and it could not have been more perfect. From the first enquiry right up until the last dance, El and her team out at the estate were absolutely phenomenal. El really puts her absolute heart and soul into her work and it truly shows. They have a range of packages to choose from and she was happy to tweak them to suit our budget but still fulfill our visions of the day. One of the highlights of the estate was that we could have everyone we loved there to share our day with us even our dog!"





### WEDDING PACKAGES

50 to 130 guests

## 1. EVER AFTER PACKAGE

## ✓ Exclusive Use of The Estate (11am–11pm)

It's all yours to relax, explore, and celebrate with your guests.

## ✓ Ceremony And Reception Spaces, Beautifully Set

Choose your perfect ceremony spot and enjoy a reception setup with elegant furniture ready for your personal styling touch.

#### √ 6-Hour Classic Drinks Package

Raise a glass with a generous selection of wines, beers, and soft drinks served throughout your celebration.

#### ✓ Professional Bar Staff

Experienced, friendly staff to keep the drinks flowing.

#### ✓ Homestead Stay For The Night

Wrap up your wedding day with an overnight stay for up to six guests in our cosy on-site Homestead.

#### Weekend Premium:

2026 / 15995 2027 / 16495 (Saturday, up to 50 guests)

#### Weekend Value:

2026 / 13995 2027 / 14495 (Friday & Sunday, up to 50 guests)

Extra guests: 75 adults | 35 children





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50 to 130 guests

## 2. COUNTRY LUXE PACKAGE

Everything in the Ever After package, plus:

#### ✓ Full Catering Included

Canapés and a shared feast of mains, sides and salads, freshly prepared and professionally served.

#### ✓ Dedicated On-the-Day Coordinator

From two months out, they'll help finalise all details. On the day, they'll run the show so you can relax and enjoy.

#### √ 6-Hour Classic Drinks Package

Raise a glass with a generous selection of wines, beers, and soft drinks served throughout your celebration.

#### ✓ Pavilion Cocktail Hour

A beautifully styled marquee space where your guests can relax and mingle post-ceremony, creating the perfect transition from "I do" to reception.

#### ✓ Premium Styling and Tableware

Professionally styled with premium linens, tableware and curated décor, all set and guest-ready when you arrive.

#### Weekend Premium:

2026 / 27995 2027 / 28495 (Saturday, up to 50 guests)

#### Weekend Value:

2026 / 25995 2027 / 26495 (Friday & Sunday, up to 50 guests)

Extra guests: 245 adults | 175 children

### WEDDING PACKAGES

50 to 130 guests

#### 3. ESTATE WEEKEND TAKEOVER PACKAGE

#### ✓ Exclusive Access from Friday to Sunday

Full access to the property from 2pm Friday to 12pm Sunday

#### ✓ Two-Night Homestead Stay

Up to six guests across two nights. Ideal for getting ready and winding down.

#### ✓ Full Catering

Canapés and a shared-style feast of mains, sides and salads, all freshly prepared and professionally served.

#### √ 6-Hour Classic Drinks Package

Generous selection of wines, beers and soft drinks served throughout your celebration.

#### ✓ Professional Bar Staff

Experienced team serving with warmth and care to keep the good vibes flowing.

#### ✓ Pavilion Cocktail Hour

A styled marquee space where guests can relax postceremony before the reception begins.

#### ✓ Dedicated On-the-Day Coordinator

Involved from two months out and by your side on the day to manage every detail.

#### ✓ Premium Styling and Tableware

Your spaces beautifully styled with premium linens, tableware and décor — all professionally set up.

#### ✓ Florals to Match Your Style

Flowers for you both and table flowers to suit your style.

#### All Inclusive Package:

2026 / 34995 2027 / 35495 (Up to 50 guests)

Extra guests: 245 adults | 175 children



#### WEDDING INCLUSIONS

All of our wedding packages include the following:

#### **FURNITURE & STYLING**

- Up to 130 black cross-back chairs (seated reception)
- Up to 16 handmade trestle tables (seated reception)
  - Up to 50 white cross-back chairs (ceremony)
  - Signing table with 2 classic chairs (ceremony)
    - · Gift table and cake table
    - · Choice of cake stands and cake knife
    - Complimentary use of our <u>styling items</u>
      - Complimentary use of <u>lawn games</u>

#### PLANNING & SUPPORT

- Wedding ceremony rehearsal before your big day
- on-site Venue Manager on the day to support your vendors and your wedding planner/coordinator
  - · Custom timeline guide and floor plan
  - · List of our trusted, recommended vendors
- Vendor support leading up to your day we'll provide them with floor plans, run sheets and all key venue info
- Assistance with vendor pack-down the next morning (8 am-10 am)
- · Set up and pack down of furniture and styling items provided by us

#### **BAR & AMENITIES**

- · Custom-built bar with experienced bar staff
  - · Premium glassware and ice included
  - Prep kitchen available for your caterers
- Walk-in cool room to keep drinks chilled throughout the day
  - · Solar-powered area for food trucks
  - 5 on-site toilets, including accessible facilities
- Cleaning and recycling removal after your event (non-vendor items)

#### LIGHTING, SOUND & TECH

- Wireless microphones and sound system
  - Portable speaker available
  - Festoon lighting inside the Shed
    - Gas heating in the Pavilion
- · Split system heating and cooling in the Shed
  - · Power access across all key locations
    - · Contactless phone charging station
    - · High-speed WiFi across the venue

#### PARKING & PROPERTY ACCESS

- Private parking area (up to 30 cars)
- Access to 4 acres of the estate for wedding day photography



# FULL WEDDING PACKAGE COMPARISON

Use the table below to quickly compare what's included in each package and see what works best for your vision.

INCLUSIONS	EVER AFTER PACKAGE	COUNTRY LUXE PACKAGE	ESTATE WEEKEND TAKEOVER PACKAGE
Venue Access	Full Day (11am-11pm)	Full Day (11am-11pm)	Full Weekend (Friday 2pm - Sunday 12pm)
Classic Drinks Package (6hrs)	✓	✓	✓
Catering	x	✓	✓
Accommodation (6 guests)	One-Night Stay	One-Night Stay	Two-Night Stay
Premium Styling & Tableware	x	<b>√</b>	✓
On-the-Day Coordinator	х	<b>√</b>	✓
Pavilion Cocktail Hour	х	<b>√</b>	✓
Florals	x	x	✓



#### CATERING OPTION 01

## SHARED FEAST

For Country Luxe and The Weekend Takeover Packages

### WE PROUDLY USE LOCAL CATERERS

Choosing local is important to us, and it's a key part of our commitment to sustainability. By partnering with local caterers, we can offer you delicious food made with fresh, seasonal ingredients while supporting our community and reducing our environmental impact.

### FLEXIBILITY TO FIT YOUR VISION

Your wedding feast should be as special as your day. Our local catering experts will collaborate with you to create a menu that's uniquely yours, reflecting your personal style and dietary needs.

#### SEAMLESS SETUP

We know wedding planning can be stressful, so we make things easy. Our team and our trusted catering partners work together seamlessly. This means effortless setup and breakdown for your reception, so you can relax and enjoy every moment of your special day.







## SHARED FEAST SAMPLE MENU

There's something special about sharing a meal. Our family-style feast brings everyone together with seasonal, locally inspired dishes—think elegant canapés, hearty mains, and vibrant sides. Here's a taste of what your wedding feast could look like.

#### CANAPÉS

- Little beef pies, some vegan tartlets
- Pea risotto cakes, flower stock, beet salsa (v, gf)
- Asparagus and goats cheese brioche, grilled spears (v, some gf)
- Panko nori roll and dipping sauce (some gf, v)
- Cauliflower fritters (v, gf)

#### MAINS

- Spring chicken (gf)
- · Grilled ocean trout fillets
- Mt Beckworth free range porchetta (gf)
- Veggie terrine with smoked tofu (gf, v)

#### SIDES

- Potato wedges roasted with fennel (gf, v)
- Pumpkin tossed with spicy glazed lentils (gf, v)
- Broccoli, spinach and balsamic reduction (gf, v)

#### SALADS

 Root vegetable salad, Persian cress, strawberry vinegar (gf, v)

#### CATERING OPTION 02

## **SELF-CATERING**

For The Ever After Package

## WHY CHOOSE A SELF-CATERING PACKAGE?

With our self-catering approach, you get to choose your vendors that fits your vibe and budget, from casual food trucks to sophisticated plated dinners.

## VENDORS & SUPPLIERS DIRECTORY

Our team is happy to chat with you about your food vision, budget, and recommend vendors who are the perfect fit for your special day.

### LOGISTICS? COVERED!

We provide a preparation area for your caterers, solar-powered area for your food trucks and a cool room on-site for them to work their magic.











### **DRINKS PACKAGES**

All wedding packages include our classic drinks selection, with options to upgrade to premium beverages or switch to our non-alcoholic package at no extra cost.

#### 1. PREMIUM

Variety of the finest beers and wines, which celebrates the unique flavours our local suppliers have to offer.

#### Sparkling

· Swan Bay Cuvee Brut

#### Wines (Choose 5)

- Swan Bay Moscato
- · Swan Bay Pinos Gris
- · Swan Bay Rose'
- · Swan Bay Pinot Noir
- Swan Bay Shiraz
- · Swan Bay Sauvignon Blanc

#### Beers (Choose 2)

- · Holgate Love All (0%Alcohol)
- · Holgate Draught Lager
- · Holgate Mount Macedon Pale

#### Non-Alcoholic

Daylesford & Hepburn Mineral Springs Co Sodas:

- · Lemon, Lime and Bitter
- Lemonade
- · Cola

Additional 20 per adult

#### 2. CLASSIC

Our favourite beers and wines, ensuring there's something for everyone to enjoy during the celebrations.

#### Sparkling

· St Anne's Sparkling Brut

#### Wines (Choose 3)

- St Anne's Moscato
- · St Anne's Sauvignon Blanc
- St Anne's Chardonnay
- · St Anne's Grenache
- St Anne's Bendigo Shiraz

#### Beers (Choose 2)

- Asahi
- Great Northern
- · Carlton Draught

\*All drink packages include a selection of soft drinks, juices, teas, and coffee.

#### 3. NON-ALCOHOLIC

Ensuring all your guests can join in on the fun without compromising on taste or style.

#### Sparkling

· Tread Softly Zero Prosecco

#### Wines

- · Tread Softly Zero Pinot Grigio
- · Tread Softly Pinot Noir

#### Beers

· Holgate Love All (0%Alcohol)

#### Mocktails

- Apple Mojito
- · Passionfruit Mojito

\*All drink packages include a selection of soft drinks, juices, teas, and coffee.





## **DRINKS ADD-ONS**

## TO MAKE YOUR BIG DAY THAT LITTLE BIT EXTRA SPECIAL

#### COCKTAIL HOUR

We take great care in crafting our cocktails using only the freshest and highest quality ingredients. They will definitely add that extra touch of excitement to your reception!

- The Hill Spritz (Signature Cocktail)
- · Grapefruit Lychee Martini
- Passionfruit White Chocolate Martini
- · Chilli Grapefruit Margarita
- · Pomegranate Sour
- Espresso Martini

19 per cocktail / guest

\*Extra Cocktail Hour can be arranged. Please note that cocktail requests and variations are not currently available.

#### CIDERS

Elevate your wedding beverage selection with our cider add-on! Choose from refreshing classics and a local favourite to complement your meal.

#### Local:

Daylesford Session Cider 10 per cider / guest

#### Classic:

Strongbow/Somersby Apple Cider 5 per cider / guest

#### **SPIRITS**

We provide a diverse selection of spirits, each paired with fresh garnishes to elevate the drinking experience for your guests. Choose three of your favourites from our selection:

- · Tanqueray Gin
- · Absolute Vodka
- · Johnnie Walker Red
- · Captain Morgan Rum
- · Canadian Club Whisky

15 per guest (3 hours)

#### CHAMPAGNE TOWER

Our champagne tower is a glamorous and stunning work of art. We stack coupe glasses in an elegant structure and provide you with two bottles of Prosecco for you to pour and have fun!

Big (30 glasses) 450

Small (14 glasses) 200

## PAVILION COCKTAIL HOUR

#### ELEVATE YOUR POST-CEREMONY CELEBRATION

Our Pavilion Cocktail Hour is the perfect way to ease from ceremony into celebration. Picture a stunning outdoor bar in the marquee with chic cocktail tables, comfortable seating, and an inviting lounge area. We'll add umbrellas, charming barrels, and extra seating to create that relaxed-meets-elegant vibe your guests will love.

Add-on: 1995

(Already included in our Country Luxe and The Weekend Takeover Packages)





### RECOVERY BRUNCH

#### BECAUSE THE BEST WEEKENDS END SLOWLY

Keep the celebration going the next morning with a relaxed brunch at the Estate. Gather your closest friends and family for one last toast, share stories from the night before, and farewell the weekend on a high note.

#### What's included

- Beautifully styled tables with linens, crockery, glassware and décor
- Seasonal brunch menu a mix of hot and cold dishes, pastries, fruit, juices, coffee and tea
  - Professional staff for set-up, service and clean-up
- Up to 2 hours of exclusive venue use for a relaxed, unrushed farewell

1495 for 20 guests 65 per additional guest | Minimum 20



## PREMIUM STYLING

Take your wedding styling to the next level with our premium options. Whether your package already includes these beautiful touches or you want to add them on, we've got plenty of choices to match exactly what you're envisioning for your day.

#### **Inclusions:**

- Dinner + Entree Plate per person
- 4p Cutlery set per person
- · Cloth Napkin per person
- Centrepiece styling per table (table runners, tealight holders, 9-hour burn white tealight candles)
- 2 extra table runners and candles to use on the guest book/gift table or cake table/plinth

#### Choose from:

- · Various plate options
- · Silver, Black or Brushed Gold Cutlery
- 40 Muslin Cotton Napkin colours options
- 15 Muslin Cotton Table Runner colour options
- White (ceramic), Gold (Metal), Black (metal) or various Glass colours and shaped candle holder options
- 45+ x 25cm Taper Candle colours (can choose up to two colours









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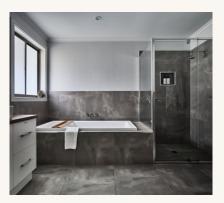
## THE HOMESTEAD

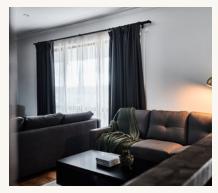
Included in every package, our charming Homestead makes it easy to settle in, get ready, and unwind in comfort. Sleeping up to six guests, it features three bedrooms, two bathrooms, a full kitchen, dining area, lounge, and outdoor space — everything you need to feel right at home.

- Ever After & Country Luxe: One-night stay (Wedding Night)
- Estate Weekend Takeover: Two-night stay (Friday to Sunday)













## **EVENING EASE ADD-ON**

Want to take the pressure off your big day? Add Evening Ease — an optional extra night before your wedding that includes:

- An extra night in the Homestead (up to 6 guests)
- · Early access to the Shed for styling and decorating

1495 per night

\*Evening Ease is subject to availability and not offered for Sunday weddings.

# UPGRADE YOUR WEDDING WITH LUXE GLAMPING

After the last dance, your guests can wander straight into their own stylish bell tents. Swell Shelter makes it simple to add a touch of magic to your wedding — an overnight experience they'll never forget.

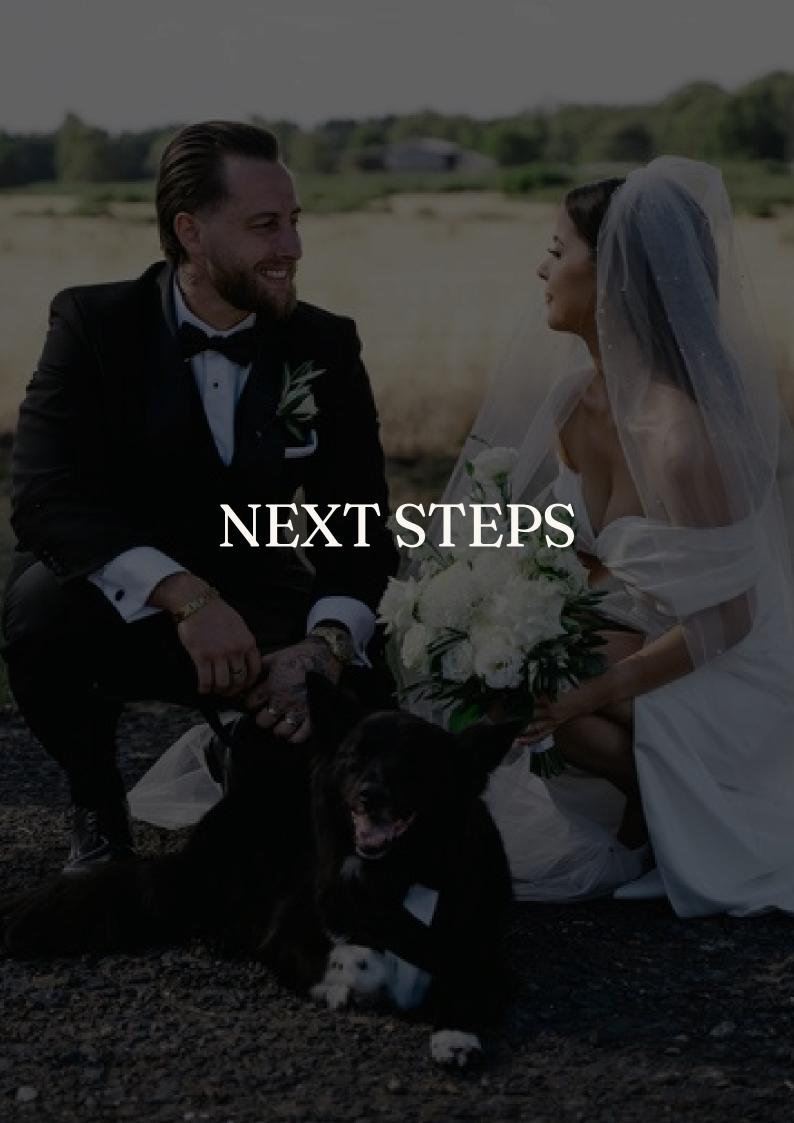








For more information visit: www.swellshelter.com







## **VENUE VISIT**

#### DISCOVER OUR VENUE IN PERSON!

#### **BOOK A TOUR**

Your wedding day is one of the most special moments of your life — and seeing our beautiful estate firsthand is the best way to imagine your celebration here.

We warmly invite you to book a personalised, no-pressure tour of Leonards Hill Estate.

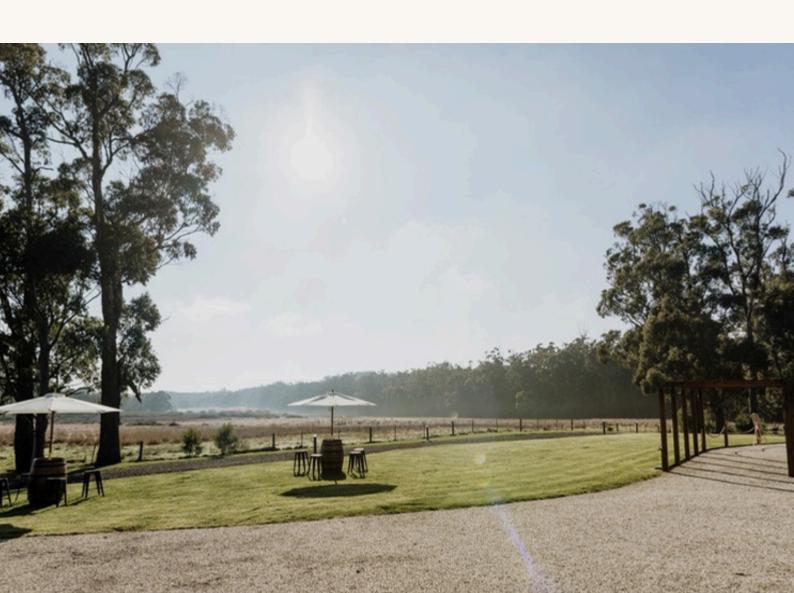
During your visit, you'll be able to:

- Explore our stunning ceremony and reception spaces
- Ask any questions and receive tailored advice from our experienced team

Whether you're just starting your planning journey or ready to book, we're here to support you every step of the way.

## **BOOKING INFO**

- All per-guest prices include professional service staff
  - Minimum of 50 adult guests required
- A non-refundable deposit of 5000 is required to secure your date
- A 1000 security bond is payable (additional 500 for pets) and refundable post-event (subject to terms)
- Final confirmed guest numbers are required at least 5 weeks prior to your wedding date
  - Cancellation policies are outlined in your Contract
  - All prices listed on this brochure are subject to change without notice.
- We can provide trusted supplier recommendations for floral arrangements, styling, entertainment, photography, and other special wedding services



## **GET IN TOUCH**

Have questions? We're here to help. Reach out anytime—we'd love to hear about your wedding vision and how we can bring it to life at Leonards Hill Estate.

Call or text El directly at 0411 081 200 Email at weddings@leonardshillestate.com.au

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