

A photograph of a dark blue corrugated metal building, likely a wedding venue. The building features a wooden door with a diagonal brace and two vintage-style brass light fixtures mounted on the wall. A small window with a wooden frame is visible on the upper left. The background shows bare trees and a clear blue sky.

Gentle Annie

Wedding Packages



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Nestled within the rolling landscapes of the Pennyroyal Valley, where the Otway Ranges provides a lush backdrop and the Great Ocean Road is within a stones throw, lies a gem of a wedding venue known as 'Gentle Annie'

This premium barn style venue offers you an idyllic setting for your special day, marrying rustic charm with elegant sophistication.

The venue boasts sprawling acres of lush greenery, orchards, berry rows, dam, windmill and creek frontage, providing a perfect backdrop for photographs, while the interior of the barn is spacious, elegant and intimate.

We pride ourselves on delivering a seamless blend of personalised touches and enchanting ambiance, tailored to ensure your dream day is as special as you had imagined.

Exclusive Venue Hire *

Stand up: Min 40. Max 100.

Sit Down: Min 40. Max 60.

** For an intimate gathering of fewer than 40 guests, a \$2500 venue hire fee ensures exclusive access to our stunning venue & private farm, creating a truly special & personalised experience.*

Venue Available: (6hr service)

From 12pm-11pm Saturdays.
12pm-9pm Sundays.

Interior

Our venue's interior blends rustic charm with elegant comfort, creating an ideal setting for your wedding.

Stone feature walls and exposed timber beams exude warmth and timeless beauty, while a cozy fireplace adds an intimate glow for vows or toasts.

A stylish bar with leather stools invites guests to mingle, and a flexible floor plan made up of rustic timber tables and chairs will ensure your vision comes to life.

Beautiful double glazed windows frame the external views ensuring that the picturesque valley is on display at all times.



External

Gentle Annie has a 30 year history as a functioning berry farm. The orchard, berry rows, sprawling lawns and market garden offer something for each season.

Our outdoor area offers a relaxed rustic charm for your wedding day. Picture wine barrels and straw bales artfully arranged, inviting guests to unwind on cozy picnic blankets under the soft glow of festoon lights.

As the evening unfolds, gather around the warm fire pit.

This serene space blends a natural beauty with a laid back atmosphere, creating an unforgettable setting for your celebration.

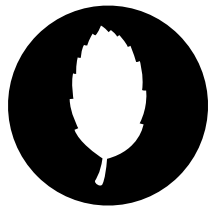


Package Options

To meet your individual needs



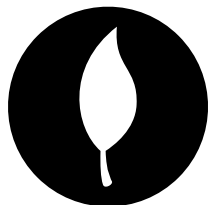
Food can be self catered, you can bring in your favourite caterer, or allow us to showcase one of our unique buffet style offerings.



Flexible drinks packages from 3-6hrs



Assistance in coordinating with our network of local accomodation providers to ensure you and your guests have a nearby place to stay.



6 Hour Service



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Catering Options

Option 1- Self catering

Option 2- Bring in your favourite caterer or food truck.

Option 3-Gentle Annie Banquet

Indulge your guests with a stunning grazing table, overflowing with soft and hard cheeses, cured meats, olives, dips and artisan breads. Followed up by generous servings of two main meats and three seasonal sides. Finished off with a serve of award winning Dooley's Ice cream.

Option 4- "Flame Feast"

Our banquet style menu, lovingly prepared entirely over an open fire, is guaranteed to give your guests a truly memorable experience.

The smokey allure of melted cheeses, tender slow cooked meats, caramelised slow roasted vegetables and vibrant seasonal fruits.

This option is cooked entirely on our purpose built fire pit and showcases; 3 slow cooked Meats, 3 Seasonal Sides, A melted cheese platter, seasonal fruit and award winning Dooley's Ice cream. If you want theatre and a sense of community around your banquet, then this is for you.





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Drinks Packages

Our Drinks list comprises of:

Blackman's Pivot City Lager
Blackman's Local Pacific Ale (mid strength)
Guinness Draught

A selection of wines and bubbles from Australian vineyards and winemakers.

1x Sparkling
1x white wine
1x red wine

Soft Drinks & Non Alcoholic beverages available.

Drinks packages are divided into 3hr & 6hr options. Whilst your day here at Gentle Annie is 6 hours, we give you the option to cover your guests drinks in 2 ways.

Package 1 (3 Hour service) you pay for the first 3hrs and your guests pay for their individual drinks in the remaining 3 hrs.

Package 2 (6 Hour service) you pay for the complete drinks package for your guests.



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Package Price list

Self catered or external catering	
3 hour drinks	\$105 pp
6 hour drinks	\$149 pp

Gentle Annie Buffet & Drinks Package	
3 hour drinks	\$169 pp
6 hour drinks	\$199 pp

Gentle Annie ‘Flame Feast’ & Drinks Package	
3 hour drinks	\$199 pp
6 hour drinks	\$229 pp

All prices are inclusive of staffing requirements, grounds preparation, exclusive venue hire and cleaning.

3 Hour drinks package reverts to bar prices paid by guests for the remainder of the service.

Fire cooking will not be available on extreme fire danger days.

We’re thrilled you’re considering Gentle Annie for your special day; please reach out with any questions, as we’re excited to help you craft a truly magical wedding experience!

CATERERS GEELONG & OTWAYS

FORREST CATERING SERVICES

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THE RK GROUP

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FOOD TRUCKS

We are flexible to ensure that your day is exactly how you imagine it.
Perhaps you envisage a food truck for your catering needs.....?

If so.....Here are a few links to get you started:

GEELONG

<https://projectparty.com.au/best-food-trucks-geelong>

SURF COAST

<https://www.surfcoastevents.com.au/mobile-food-vendors/>

MELBOURNE

<https://bestfoodtrucksinmelbourne.com.au/>

STYLISTS & PARTY HIRE

If you wish to reimagine our beautiful barn and reconfigure the space for your individual needs, be it for music, extra guests, inclement weather or simply your favourite tables and chairs, then we can put you in contact with our team that know how to bring your vision to life.

EMMA LESSEN
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DRESS MY WEDDING
<https://www.dressmywedding.com.au/contact.html>

PEPPER SPROUT HIRE
<https://peppersprouthire.com.au/>

SURF COAST PARTY HIRE
<https://www.surfcoastpartyhire.com.au/wedding-hire/>

CAKES

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THE KNAVE

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Great Ocean Road Live Entertainment

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0434 412 825

FICTION ENTERTAINMENT

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www.fictioncoverband.com.au

THE BILLY TEA BUSH BAND

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(Phil is also a French Gypsy Jazz band violinist)

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TIMELESS EVENTS BY SARAH

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Sarah is a celebrant and offers an on the day event coordination as well.

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(variety of vehicles available from chauffeur driven to maxi-cabs). Must pre book
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