



Gentle Annie

Private Booking Packages



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Nestled within the rolling landscapes of the Pennyroyal Valley, lies a gem of a 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 120.
Sit Down:	Min 40.	Max 100.

** For an intimate gathering of fewer than 40 guests, a \$5000 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 Venue offers generous, open spaces designed to bring your vision to life.

Ample room for long banquet tables, elegant marquee installations and bespoke styling elements. You'll have the freedom to create a layout that perfectly suits your celebration.

Whether you're planning an intimate gathering or a grand reception, our expansive grounds and adaptable indoor areas ensure your guests can dine, mingle and celebrate comfortably.



Package Options

To meet your individual needs



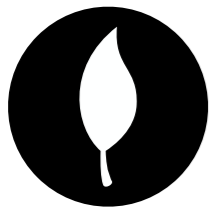
Food can be self catered, you can bring in your favourite caterer, or allow us to showcase one of our unique banquet and buffet style offerings.



Flexible drinks packages.



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



Catering Options

Option 1- Self catering or bring in your favourite caterer/ food truck.



Catering Options

Option 2- 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.

Your choice of cocktail, self serve buffet style or share plate banquet style.

Options include:

Greek inspired Banquet: Coal roasted marinated lamb, marinated chicken, Cypriot grain salad, Greek Salad, garden Salad.

Mexican Inspired Banquet: Slow cooked pork, beef or marinated BBQ Barramundi tacos. Served with all the fillings.

Italian inspired Banquet: Choose from a selection of lasagna, eggplant parmigiana, crumbed chicken, garden salad, orange & fennel Salad.



Catering Options

Option 3- "Flame Feast"

This option is cooked entirely on our purpose built fire pit and showcases; A melted cheese platter with seasonal fruit, your choice of two slow cooked Meats, three Seasonal Sides, and one dessert. If you want theatre and a sense of community around your banquet, then this is for you.

Meat options include: (select 2)

Barongarook Pork Porchetta,
Locally sourced hung and smoked lamb leg,
Nordic Style kingfish smoked on hardwood,
Reverse seared rib eye.

Side options include: (select 3)

Roasted Pumpkin & Feta Salad,
Raddiccio and beetroot salad,
Cypriot grain salad,
Mixed baby leaf garden salad.

Dessert Options include: (select 1)

Burnt oranges with whipped cream,
Salt encrusted pears with caramel sauce,
Hung and smoked pineapple with cinnamon crumble.

Fire cooking will not be available on extreme fire danger days, will revert to banquet offering and partial refund if this occurs.



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 included.

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.

Welcome Cocktail on arrival for an additional \$15pp



Package Price list

Drinks packages (self catered food option)

3 hour drinks	\$105 pp
6 hour drinks	\$149 pp

Gentle Annie Buffet including 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 cleaning and rubbish disposal.

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

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!

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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.

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PEPPER SPROUT HIRE
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FICTION ENTERTAINMENT

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(variety of vehicles available from chauffeur driven to maxi-cabs). Must pre book to ensure cab in area and available

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