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**love.**

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YOU'RE  
GETTING  
*married!*



# *Congratulations on your recent engagement.*

## **THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERING RYDGES SOUTHBANK TOWNSVILLE FOR YOUR WEDDING CELEBRATION**

This is a very exciting time, and our passionate, dedicated team are here to work over every detail to create your perfect day. Rydges offer a diverse range of function rooms and event spaces, with endless possibilities for transforming and styling into your personal vision. Our wedding packages have all the inclusions you could ever want, delivering amazing value with superb food and wine. We invite you to meet with us to view our venue space, hotel facilities and discuss your dream day.

The Weddings & Events Team.



# PACKAGE AGE

*inclusions*





## *Silver Package*

*From \$80 mid-week and from \$90 on weekends*

### FOOD & BEVERAGE INCLUSIONS

- Chef's selection of hot and cold Canapés served with pre-dinner drinks for 30 minutes
- Two course menu (two alternate selections) OR Buffet menu
- Bar tab (minimum bar spend required \$1,500)

### DECOR

- Decorative centrepiece chosen from the available selection for each guest table
- White chair covers for all guest tables and the bridal table with choice of sash
- White linen table cloths and napkins
- Dance area
- Cake table & cake knife
- Gift table

### RYDGES SOUTHBANK TOWNSVILLE WEDDING SERVICE

- Cutting of the wedding cake and served on platters
- Recommendation and assistance in related wedding services
- Reserved parking for bridal cars

### SPECIAL COMPLIMENTARY INCLUSIONS

- Overnight accommodation including breakfast for the bride & groom with late check out and complimentary car parking
- Complimentary menu tasting for two people on payment of 50% deposit
- Discounted accommodation for all wedding guests with a late checkout (on availability)
- Room hire and full banquet set up

### OPTIONAL UPGRADES

- Ceremony including 12 chairs covered, signing table and red carpet at \$350
- Premium beverage package at \$10 pp
- Bridal cake served at \$5 pp (individually served with coulis and cream)
- Table Runners at \$8 per table
- Portable PA system at \$75 each
- Data Projector and Screen at \$210 each

*Minimum of 60 adults for mid-week events, and 80 adults for weekends events. \*Kids Meals – Chicken Nuggets & Chips and Ice Cream Sundae, Free for children aged 0 to 3, \$29.50 for children aged 4 to 12. Teenagers – 3 course alternate set menu served with soft drinks @ \$70.00 per teenager aged 13yrs to 17yrs. The meals for suppliers are main and soft drink @ 29.50pp valid for wedding receptions held from 1st July 2017 – 31st December 2018.*



## Gold Package

*From \$99 mid-week and from \$119 on weekends*

### FOOD & BEVERAGE INCLUSIONS

- Chef's selection of hot and cold Canapés served with pre-dinner drinks for 30 minutes
- Three course menu (two alternate selections) OR Buffet menu
- Australian draught, bottled house wines, sparkling wine, soft drinks and orange juice for 4 hours (inclusive of pre-dinner drinks)

### DECOR

- Decorative centrepiece chosen from the available selection for each guest table
- White chair covers for all guest tables and the bridal table with choice of sash
- White linen table cloths and napkins
- Dance area
- Cake table & cake knife
- Gift table

### RYDGES SOUTHBANK TOWNSVILLE WEDDING SERVICE

- Cutting of the wedding cake and served on platters
- Recommendation and assistance in related wedding services
- Reserved parking for bridal cars

### SPECIAL COMPLIMENTARY INCLUSIONS

- Overnight accommodation including breakfast for the bride & groom with late check out and complimentary car parking
- Complimentary menu tasting for two people on payment of 50% deposit
- Discounted accommodation for all wedding guests with a late checkout (on availability)
- Room hire and full banquet set up

### OPTIONAL UPGRADES

- Ceremony including 12 chairs covered, signing table and red carpet at \$350
- Premium beverage package at \$10 pp
- Bridal cake served at \$5 pp (individually served with coulis and cream)
- Table Runners at \$8 per table
- Portable PA system at \$75 each
- Data Projector and Screen at \$210 each



## Platinum Package

From \$125 mid-week and from \$135 on weekends

### FOOD & BEVERAGE INCLUSIONS

- Chef's selection of hot and cold Canapés served with pre-dinner drinks for 30 minutes
- Three course menu (two alternate selections) OR Buffet menu
- Premium beverage upgrade: Rydges premium sparkling served on arrival, during the main course and for the wedding toast, as well as a selection of premium full strength and light beer, bottled house wines, soft drinks and orange juice for 5 hours

### DECOR

- Decorative centrepiece chosen from the available selection for each guest table
- White chair covers for all guest tables and the bridal table with choice of sash
- White linen table cloths and napkins
- Dance area
- Cake table & cake knife
- Gift table

### RYDGES SOUTHBANK TOWNSVILLE WEDDING SERVICE

- Cutting of the wedding cake and served on platters
- Recommendation and assistance in related wedding services
- Reserved parking for bridal cars

### SPECIAL COMPLIMENTARY INCLUSIONS

- Complimentary 5 hour Ultimate Photobooth Package, includes unlimited prints, prop box, guest book and personalised logo
- Overnight accommodation including room service breakfast for the bride & groom with late check out and complimentary car parking
- Complimentary menu tasting for two people on payment of 50% deposit
- Discounted accommodation for all wedding guests with a late checkout (on availability)
- Room hire and full banquet set up

### OPTIONAL UPGRADES

- Ceremony including 12 chairs covered, signing table and red carpet at \$350
- Premium beverage package at \$10 pp
- Bridal cake served at \$5 pp (individually served with coulis and cream)
- Table Runners at \$8 per table
- Portable PA system at \$75 each
- Data Projector and Screen at \$210 each

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# WED DING

*Special Offer*

## JUST MARRIED SPECIAL OFFER

*Book your wedding at Rydges Southbank Townsville and celebrate romance with us again on your first wedding anniversary with complimentary accommodation and dinner on us*

Overnight accommodation in a beautifully appointed Rydges Queen Deluxe room, Friday to Monday.

Sumptuous 3-course dinner in the Southbank Grill Restaurant

Bottle of Australian Sparkling Wine

Complete buffet breakfast for two in the Southbank Grill Restaurant

*\*Terms and conditions applicable.  
Offer applicable when a Platinum or Gold package booked, minimum 80 adult guests.  
Subject to availability.  
Valid for new wedding bookings made from 1st November 2017\**





# MENU

*sample*

## *Set Menu – Served Alternatively*

### STARTERS

Fresh local prawns, cos lettuce, marie rose sauce (gf)

Rare roast beef, Mediterranean salad, red wine vinaigrette (gf)

Confit pork belly, red cabbage and apple salad, ginger cider glaze (gf)

Roast tomato, bocconcini and parmesan tart, mixed greens, lemon myrtle olive oil (v)

Poached chicken, baby cos, parmesan, streaky bacon, free range egg, creamy garlic sauce (gf)

Smoked salmon, horseradish infused potato salad, snow pea tendrils (gf)

### MAINS

Braised pork shank, creamy mash, honeyed parsnip

Salmon fillet, green beans, truffle butter chat potato (gf)

Eye fillet (180g), garlic mash, brocolini, red wine jus (cooked medium) (gf)

Baked barramundi, mash potato, cauliflower puree, blue cheese and pancetta butter (gf)

Chicken breast, smoked tomato risotto and basil pesto cream (gf)

### DESSERTS

Vanilla pannacotta, poached rhubarb

Lemon lime cheesecake, raspberry compote, chantilly cream (gf)

Rum and raisin chocolate ganache, chocolate shortbread, chocolate fudge (gf)

Sticky date pudding, salted caramel butterscotch, vanilla cream

Strawberry cheesecake tart with white chocolate curls and bailey chocolate sauce

Cheese board, quince paste, dried fruits (add \$5pp)



## Buffet Menu

Chef's selection of hot and cold canapés served for 30 minutes during pre dinner drinks

Mini bread rolls served with butter on each side plate

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*sample*

### SALADS

Chef's selection of 3 garden fresh salads

### SIGNATURE HOT DISHES

*Three hot dishes from the choices below*

Braised lamb shanks (gf)

Pork belly with barbeque sauce & fresh chilli (gf)

Baked barramundi on tomato, mango and coriander salsa (gf)

Spinach & fetta tortellini, caramelised pumpkin, baby spinach (v)

Salt and pepper baby squid with chick peas, olive and lemon butter (gf)

Thai chicken satay with peanut sauce (gf)

### SIGNATURE SIDES

Aromatic jasmine rice

Roasted chat potatoes

### DESSERTS

Chef's selection of desserts

Freshly brewed tea and coffee

### UPGRADE OPTIONS

Additional hot item available at \$10 pp



## Buffet Menu

Chef's selection of hot and cold canapés served for 30 minutes during pre-dinner drinks

Mini bread rolls served with butter on each side plate

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### HOT ROAST BUFFET

*Two hot dishes from the choices below*

Roast sirloin beef (gf)

Roast chicken (gf)

Roast leg of Victorian lamb (gf)

Roast loin of pork (gf)

### SIDES

Roasted vegetables & potatoes (v)

Steamed green vegetables (v)

Hot gravy

### DESSERT

Chef's selection of desserts

Freshly brewed tea and coffee



# RAISE *your glass*

## JUST MARRIED BEVERAGE SELECTION

### *Wine*

- Rydges select sparkling wine served on arrival and for the wedding toast.
- A selection of house white and red wine.

### *Beer*

- A selection of house full strength and light beer.

### *Something Soft*

- A selection of soft drinks, bottled water and juice.

## PREMIUM BEVERAGE SELECTION – UPGRADE FOR \$10 PER GUEST\*

### *Wine*

- Rydges premium sparkling served on arrival, during the main course and for the wedding toast.
- A selection of house white and red wine.

### *Beer*

- A selection of premium full strength and light beer.

### *Something Soft*

- A selection of soft drinks, bottled water and juice.

*\*Per adult guest.*



## FOOD & BEVERAGE INCLUSIONS

2 hour canapé service –  
2 hot & 2 cold selections

House beer, bottled house  
wines, sparkling wine, soft drinks  
and orange juice for 3 hours

## DECOR

Decorative centrepiece  
chosen from the available  
selection for each cocktail  
table

Cocktail tables

Dance area

Cake table & cake knife

Gift table

## SPECIAL COMPLIMENTARY INCLUSIONS

Cutting of the wedding  
cake and served on platters

Recommendation and  
assistance in related  
wedding services

Reserved parking for  
bridal cars

Overnight accommodation  
including breakfast for  
the bride & groom  
with late check out and  
complimentary car parking

Discounted  
accommodation for all  
wedding guests with a late  
checkout (on availability)

## OPTIONAL UPGRADES

Substantial canapé  
\$6 per item per person

Sweet canapé  
\$5 per item per person

Additional hour  
of canapé service  
\$10 per hour per person

Additional hour  
of beverage package  
\$25 per hour per person

Cheese Station  
\$10 per person

Antipasto Station  
\$10 per person

Dessert Station  
\$10 per person

# WEDDING *cocktail* PACKAGES FROM \$89

*Valid for wedding receptions held from 1st July 2017 – 31st December 2018.*



# COCKTAIL MENU sample

## COLD SELECTION

Smoked salmon, buttermilk crepe, sour cream

Wild mushroom & goats cheese tart (v)

Rare beef, horseradish cream, cress, garlic croute

Peking duck pancake

Vegetarian rice paper rolls, citrus dressing (v)

Freshly shucked oyster, wakame and coconut chilli (gf)

Thai beef, served on cucumber

Selection of fresh sushi, pickled ginger, wasabi, soy sauce (gf)

## HOT SELECTION

Basil pesto and bocconcini arancini (v)

Stuffed jalapeno pepper (v)

Chicken empanadas

Coconut prawn on sugar cane, sweet chilli dipping sauce

Fried chicken, blue cheese sauce

Spiced pumpkin samosa with minted yoghurt (v)

Salt and pepper squid, shallot, chilli & lime mayo

Chorizo sausage roll

## SUBSTANTIAL SELECTION

Poached chicken, baby cos, parmesan, streaky bacon, free range egg, creamy garlic sauce (gf)

Spinach & fetta tortellini, caramelised pumpkin, baby spinach (v)

Thai chicken satay with peanut sauce (gf)

Salt and pepper squid, jasmine rice, shallot, chilli & lime mayo

Lamb cutlet, red pepper coulis

## SWEET SELECTION

Petit chocolate crème éclairs

Selection of macarons

Petit four selection

Cherry slice

Assorted mini doughnuts

Cupcakes

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YOUR WEDDING DAY IS THE BEST DAY OF YOUR LIFE!  
YOU AND YOUR GUESTS WILL REMEMBER THIS DAY LONG  
AFTER THE EVENT WITH UNLIMITED LAB-QUALITY INSTANT  
PRINTS TO TREASURE FOREVER MORE.

# PHOTO TO *booth*

## STANDARD \$550

- 3 hours rental
- Unlimited prints
- Duplicate strips
- Booth attendant
- Rydges logo
- \*Add prop box \$50
- \*Add guest book \$100
- \*Change to personalised logo \$100

## SUPER \$750

- 4 hours rental
- Unlimited prints
- Duplicate strips
- Booth attendant
- Rydges logo
- Prop box
- Guest book
- \*Change to personalised logo \$100

## ULTIMATE \$950

- 5 hours rental
- Unlimited prints
- Duplicate strips
- Booth attendant
- Prop box
- Guest book
- Personalised logo



# SPACE *for everyone*





*From intimate gatherings to grand celebrations our venue provides a variety of stylish and flexible spaces for you and your guests to enjoy.*

	<b>Cocktail Guests</b>	<b>Dinner Guests</b>
Grand Ballroom	400	300
Raffles	150	80
Kingston	80	50
Savoy	60	40
Raffles + Kingston	200	180
Savoy + Kingston	150	120
Raffles Balcony	50	30
Savoy Balcony	50	30
Portside	50	40
Southbank Bar & Grill	80	40



## Wedding Vendors

### COMPANY

#### *Decorating*

Townsville Wedding & Events

#### *Flowers*

Malpara Florist

#### *Entertainment*

Atmosphere

#### *Lighting, Staging & AV*

Pure AV

Wild Gravity

#### *Beauty*

Urban Miss

#### *Photography & Video*

John de Rooy Photography

Rob Bagnall Photography

Red Oak Films

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## Wedding Vendors

### COMPANY

#### *Transport*

Acacia Limousines  
Townsville Limousines

#### *Cakes*

Janine's Cake Art  
Anja's Designer cakes

#### *Invitations*

Yippee Event Invitations

#### *Bridal Gowns*

White House Bridal Boutique

#### *Jewellers*

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## TERMS + CONDITIONS

*Your booking with Rydges Hotels Ltd (Rydges) is subject to the following terms and conditions:*

### TENTATIVE BOOKINGS

Will be held for a period of seven days only, after which time the booking can be released by Rydges and the room made available to other interested parties.

### CONFIRMATIONS

All bookings must be confirmed in writing with a minimum deposit of \$1,000.00. Please note that your booking is not confirmed until the terms and conditions are signed and returned to the Rydges Southbank Townsville.

### CANCELLATION

In the event of cancellation by the client, all monies paid will be forfeited to Rydges. If Rydges is unable to proceed with your booking due to any reason beyond Rydges' reasonable control (eg: fire or flooding), then Rydges has the right to cancel your booking and Rydges will return your deposit. Rydges will have no further liability for such cancellation.

### SURCHARGES

Should your function extend past five hours, a room hire surcharge minimum of \$250.00 per hour or part thereof may apply. To extend your beverage package, please contact the Banquets Department.

### FINAL NUMBERS

Final numbers are required seven working days prior to the function and charges will be based on

these, minimum numbers or on final head count, whichever is greater.

### MINIMUM NUMBERS

Please note that minimum numbers will apply to our packages. Should your numbers fall below our minimum, a room hire fee may apply. Minimum numbers are based on full paying adults only. Children and teenagers are additional to this.

### PAYMENT

50% of the estimated function cost is to be settled six months prior to the reception date (otherwise Rydges can cancel your booking and your deposit will be forfeited). Once payment is made, this amount is non-refundable. The balance of the account is to be paid in full one week prior to the event when final numbers are confirmed. A credit card number is required to settle any additional charges associated with the event. Any damage to Rydges property will be charged to this credit card.

### SECURITY

Rydges will not accept responsibility for the loss or damage to any equipment or property left on the premises prior to, during, or after the function.

### COMPLIANCE

Clients will be responsible to ensure the orderly behaviour of their guests and Rydges reserves the right to intervene where it sees fit. To ensure compliance with its Responsible Service of Alcohol obligations, Rydges reserves the right to refuse service to anyone suspected of being intoxicated. In addition, Rydges will not serve alcohol to

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any external contractors hired by the Bride and Groom e.g. photographers or band members. No food or beverage may be brought into the Hotel/Convention Centre premises for consumption during an event unless otherwise arranged by management. No food or beverages are to be removed from the function area.

#### **APPROVALS**

Clients must ensure that all external contractors hired (e.g. photographers or band members) have all necessary licences and approvals to undertake the relevant activity. Clients must also obtain Rydges' written consent before any third party goods, equipment or food/beverage items are brought onto the hotel premises.

#### **MENU TASTING**

A menu tasting is provided free of charge for the Bride and Groom upon payment of 50% deposit. The Bride and Groom can choose two entrees, two main courses and two desserts (three courses per person). Please note that the meals presented for your menu tasting and those served on the day of the reception may differ slightly in presentation only due to the quantity being served. All ingredients, quality and quantity remain the same.

#### **DAMAGES**

You agree to indemnify Rydges for all loss, harm, cost or expense resulting from any damage to any Rydges property or injury to any Rydges staff during the function, caused by any guests or other persons attending the function. Rydges' maximum total liability in connection with any claims relating to the function will not exceed the total fees paid to Rydges for the function.

#### **OTHER FUNCTIONS**

Rydges reserves the right to book other functions in the same function room up to two hours before the scheduled function commencement time and one hour after the scheduled

function finishing time. Additionally, Rydges reserves the right to book other functions in adjoining rooms at any time.

#### **FIRE, LIGHT & SAFETY**

Rydges reserves the right to adjust any set-up to ensure fire, light and safety codes are met.

#### **EXTERNAL CONTRACTORS**

Rydges is not responsible in any way for the behaviour or co-ordination of any external service provider hired by the Bride and Groom, i.e. photographers or entertainers. You hereby agree to release and indemnify Rydges from all such claims.

#### **DELIVERY AND COLLECTION OF GOODS**

Any delivery or collection of goods must be prearranged with the Banquet Operations Manager or Wedding Co-ordinator. Any goods left on the premises must be collected after the function.

#### **INSURANCE**

It is the client's responsibility to take out their own insurance for all items belonging to them for the period those items are in the Hotel.

**we do,**  
*your day, your way.*



**WEDDINGS BY RYDGES**

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