

Castello's

FORESTERS ARMS HOTEL

Events Package 2026



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Welcome

Located in the heart of Oakleigh, Castello's Foresters Arms Hotel offers a warm, versatile setting for events of all sizes and styles. With a mix of character-filled interiors and adaptable spaces, the venue is well suited to everything from relaxed social gatherings to more formal occasions.

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Features

The hotel features a versatile function space that can be configured to suit your event, whether you are planning a conference, birthday celebration, engagement, wake, or private dining experience. Each space has its own atmosphere, allowing events to feel intimate, lively, or polished depending on the brief.

From seated dinners and cocktail-style celebrations to presentations, milestone birthdays and community events, Castello's Foresters Arms Hotel is designed to accommodate a wide variety of occasions. Our experienced team works closely with you to tailor food, beverage, and room set-ups to ensure your event runs smoothly from start to finish.



Husqvarna staff training day.

Events Menu

A sit-down style plated menu can be customised to suit your event. Please ask our management team upon enquiry

Savoury Cold Platters

Vietnamese rice paper rolls	\$60
Choose from either vegan, or chicken filling, w/ peanut hoisin dipping sauce (AGF, N) /20p	
Caprese salad skewers	\$60
Cherry tomatoes, bocconcini, basil, w/ balsamic drizzle (V) /20p	
Bruschetta	\$65
Tomato, Spanish onion, basil & fetta on crostini w/ balsamic glaze (V) /25p	
Assorted fresh sandwiches	\$60
/ 30 points	
Chilled prawn & avocado cocktail	\$80
In a baby lettuce cup (AGF) /20p	
Cheese platter	\$90
3 assorted cheeses, mixed nuts, dried fruit & quince paste w/ crackers (AGF, N)	
Sichuan chicken salad	\$65
In a baby lettuce cup (AGF, N) /20p	

Savoury Hot Platters

Traditional beef pies /24p.....	\$70
Traditional sausage rolls /24p.....	\$70
Asian favourites platter	\$70
Spring rolls (V), samosa (V) & beef dim sims, w/ sweet chili & sweet soy /60p	
Chef's arancini /25p.....	\$65
Lamb kofta skewers	\$75
w/ yoghurt dipping sauce /25p	
Seafood platter	\$80
Crumbed fish goujons & lime pepper calamari, w/ tartare & lemon	
Coconut crumbed prawns	\$80
W/ lime, ginger, & coriander dipping sauce /30p	
Crispy fried rolled taco	\$70
Vegetable & Mexican bean filled, w/ guacamole (VGN, AGF) /25p	
Cocktail vegetable curry puffs	\$65
w/ tamarind yoghurt (V) /30p	
Sweet potato croquettes	\$75
w/ Indian tomato relish (VGN, AGF) /30p	
Cheese burger sliders	\$90
Beef pattie, cheddar, pickle & relish /20p	

Dessert Platters

Fruit platter	\$80
Fresh seasonal fruit (VGN, AGF)	
Mini custard filled cream puffs	\$75
w/ chocolate coating (V) /25p	
Macarons	\$95
w/ assorted flavours (V, N) /30p	
Cake platter	\$80
Chef's selection of bite size cakes (V) /40p	

Kids Platters

(Able to cater for up to 10 children)

Nuggets & chips	\$50
Mini beef pies & chips	\$50
Mini sausage rolls & chips	\$50
Crumbed fish bites & chips	\$50
Fairy bread	\$25



Terms and Conditions

Confirmation/Deposit

In order to secure a function date, a minimum payment of the room hire cost and a signed Booking Form will be required (this will in turn accept these Terms & Conditions listed on this document). Tentative bookings will only be held for a period of 7 days

Cancellation

A minimum of thirty days notice must be received in the event of a cancellation to be entitled to a full refund of deposit. If cancellation occurs 14-30 days out from scheduled function date, 50% of refund will be retained. If cancelled within 14 days, 100% of the deposit will be retained. If cancelled within 7 days 50% of food bill and 100% of hire costs will be retained. In the event of mandatory government restrictions, a refund or rescheduling can be discussed.

Duration

All functions are based on a five hour duration. The allocation of this five hour time frame will be confirmed upon liaison with Management. The function room can only be hired until 12:00am. Additional hours incur a charge of \$150 per hour, or part thereof. Additional hours must be pre arranged with Management prior to the event date. Should the host wish to book on, or the weekend of a public holiday, higher room hire rates will apply.

Room Hire

The room hire fee will cover the cost of set-up, staffing, and general cleaning.

Monday–Friday	\$250
Saturday	\$300
Sunday	\$350

Security

In accordance with our liquor licence, security is a compulsory requirement and will be provided by Castello contracted personnel. Guards will be on charged at a rate of \$55 per hour per guard (minimum 5 hours per guard) and at a ratio of 50:1

Room Access

Room access outside allocated function start and finishing times is dependant and only permitted on prior agreement with Management. For security reasons, guests and hosts are not permitted in the function room at any time without the supervision of a staff member.

Décor and Entertainment

All entertainment and décor prices are quoted from external providers and are subject to change. Should any Hotel décor be borrowed by the Host for their function a \$100 bond will be required. The bond will be returned at the end of the function once all décor has been accounted for. If any décor is missing or damaged the \$100 bond will be retained by the venue.

Catering and Guest Confirmation

Confirmation of menu selections must be given no later than 14 days prior to the function date. Confirmation of final guest numbers must be given no later than 7 days prior to the function date and any reduction in number of guests within 7 days, 50% of guest costings will be retained.

Whilst all care is taken and respect is given to dietary requirements that you bring to our attention, The venue cannot be held accountable for any traces of ingredients that may be found in our dishes.

Payment

Full payment is required no later than seven days prior to the function date. Full payment does not apply to bar options unless the host has selected to have a beverage pack. Bar Tabs must be paid in full on the day of the function. We accept all major credit cards, except American express.

Public Holidays

A surcharge of 15% will be added to the food and beverage total for any event booked on a public holiday

Responsible Service of Alcohol

The venue practices the responsible service of alcohol, as specified in the *Liquor Control Reform Act 1988*. Hotel management authorises staff to cease the service of alcohol to any individual showing signs of intoxication. I.D will be required, "no proof-no service". Underage drinking will not be permitted, nor will unacceptable behaviour be tolerated. Guests who fail to adhere to this will be asked to leave the premises. Shots are not permitted in the function room. Management reserves the right to refuse entry and/or service. Bar service closes thirty minutes before the end of the function.

Beverage Packages (where applicable)

All attendees of a function with a beverage package need to be in the final numbers and paid for 7 days prior to the function. If there is more guests than have been paid for, the host will be given the option to pay the variance immediately. If this does not occur the attendee/s will be asked to leave.

Food and Beverage

Under no circumstance is food or beverage allowed to be brought into the venue or taken home for consumption; with the only exceptions being bonbonnières, lollies, potato chips and the celebration cake. Complimentary cake cutting applies for one cake; each additional cake will incur a \$50 cake cutting fee. Price does not include individual plating.

Damage & Insurance

The organiser of the function will be held responsible and charged for any damages caused to property during the course of the function by the attendees. There will be additional cleaning charges if there is an unreasonable amount of cleaning required following the function. The venue accepts no responsibility or liability for any lost or damaged property left in the function room and/ or bridal room prior to, during or after the function. Reasonable care is taken at all times.

Outside Contractors

Any products or services arranged externally to the Hotel are the sole responsibility of the Host. Any outside contractors must liaise with management in all matters such as delivery, set up and pack downs and will adhere to any direction given by the venue. Set up and pack down of such items also remain the sole responsibility of the host.

Linen

Will be quoted and charged according to your function room setup & requirements. Costing is subject to external provider rates and are subject to change.