

Your Wedding Day at Awapuni Function Centre

Congratulations

Congratulations on your engagement and thank you for thinking of the Awapuni Function Centre when planning your wedding. Set in park like surroundings and with spectacular views over to the Tararuas and wind farms, the Awapuni Function Centre offers a unique venue for your wedding.

We are here to make your wedding day everything you ever dreamed of and the planning process stress-free. We understand every wedding is unique so our dedicated Wedding Consultant will work with you to tailor a menu to fit your style, taste and budget and create a reception space that reflects your wedding theme and personalities.

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Wedding Ceremony

Holding your wedding ceremony at the same location as your wedding reception will help make your wedding day run smoothly. Following your ceremony your guests can mix and mingle while you are at photos and then move through to the wedding reception venue once you are ready for your entrance as a married couple.

The views, old trees and buildings make a wonderful backdrop for your wedding ceremony and photos. You can hold your ceremony in the birdcage, in front of the fountain, under the large oak trees, in front of the palms or any other spot that you like! And if we have inclement weather you are guaranteed a venue inside.

The **\$350.00** wedding ceremony fee includes: Clothed registration table and chair Portable PA system for music Handheld and lapel microphone 36 white plastic chairs



Silks Lounge

The Silks Lounge is the premier venue that can hold 80-450 guests banquet style and is situated on the second floor. The beauty of this venue is it divides using ceiling to floor curtains so the lounge can be as large or small as you like.

With an expansive balcony overlooking the racecourse, the Silks Lounge is ideal for pre-dinner drinks and canapés as well as the wedding reception. The room is fully air-conditioned, has a dance floor, bar and wonderful natural light.

Venue Hire

\$650.00 for a Sunday- Thursday wedding
\$850.00 for a Friday wedding
\$1,500.00 for a Saturday wedding

June-August Friday or Saturday wedding special \$650.00



Terrace Lounge

The Terrace Lounge is situated on the ground floor and is perfect for weddings of up to 100 guests.

The Terrace Lounge has a view of the racecourse with a fantastic outdoor area that can be used for pre-dinner drinks. The room is fully air-conditioned, has a dance floor, bar and wonderful natural light.

Venue Hire

\$400.00 for a Sunday- Thursday wedding\$500.00 for a Friday wedding\$600.00 for a Saturday wedding

June-August Friday or Saturday wedding special \$400.00



Wedding Package Inclusions

All wedding prices are inclusive of GST and packages include:

White or black skirts and cloths for the head table
White square cloths for guest tables
White or black linen napkins
Crockery, cutlery and glassware
Cake table, cloth and knife
Table stands and numbers
Lectern and microphone
Easel

Connection to in-house PA system to play your background music Set up, staffing, clean up

Please note menu prices are confirmed 6 months prior to the wedding Children 0-3 years are free of charge when eating from the buffet Children 4-12 years are half the adult price when eating from the buffet Alternative children's meals are available on request

Menus can be tailored to fit your style, taste and dietary needs and menu items are subject to availability and seasonality

Additional Extras

Lycra chair cover with sash or band **\$6.00 per chair** Lycra chair cover **\$5.00 per chair** Black square tablecloths **\$12.00 per cloth** Projector and pull up screen **\$250.00** Small fishbowl vases **\$2.50 each** Lighting (price on application)



Bridal Hampers

Bridal Hamper for Six People Cheese platter Selection of gourmet finger food Gourmet chocolate Sparkling wine Serviettes \$150.00

Executive Bridal Hamper for Six People Packaged in a cane basket with a luxurious blanket & flowers to take home Cheese platter Selection of gourmet finger food Gourmet chocolate Champagne Serviettes \$260.00



Canapes

Miso pork ribs with chilli-honey glaze (GF, DF) Smoked kahawai croquettes with preserved lemon aioli Pork belly sliders with pineapple slaw & dijonnaise mustard Miniature beef wellington with mushroom pate Caponata topped bruschetta with parmesan crumble (V) Pulled lamb & kumara galette with minted pea purée (GF) Confit salmon, lemon caper potato hash with horseradish cream (GF) Apricot glazed grilled chicken skewers (GF) Roast pumpkin & feta wontons with red currant jelly & walnuts (V) Tempura battered NZ green-lip mussel with ponzu sauce Rosemary & parmesan polenta chip with chipotle aioli (V) Antipasto skewer with grilled halloumi (V) Crispy falafel bites with cumin yoghurt (V)

> Choice of 4 canapes: **\$15.00 per person** Extra item **\$3.50 each**

Image: Caponata topped bruschetta with parmesan crumble

Gourmet Platters

These can be tray served to guests or set on a grazing table

Meat Lovers Tasting Platter

Meatballs with dipping sauce, BBQ chicken wings, miso pork ribs with chilli-honey glaze, grilled chipolatas & venison pigs in blankets

Seafood Odyssey

Showcase of NZ's freshest seafood with accompaniments

Southern Savour

Crispy-buttermilk-fried-chicken, pulled lamb & Kumara croquettes with mint pea puree, grilled halloumi, pepper & cherry tomato skewers & dry rubbed baby back ribs

Cheese Board

NZ cheeses, with rustic bread selection, fruit, nuts & relishes

Butchers Spoils

Sticky pork spareribs, BBQ chicken poppers, venison sausages with plum Sauce and Pulled Beef Croquettes

Selection of 3 for \$20.00 pp

Minimum of 30 pax Image: Seafood Odyssey

BBQ Menu

HOT FROM THE BBQ:

Rosemary, garlic & olive oil marinated chicken breast (GF) Sticky glazed beef short ribs (GF) Malaysian chicken satay kebabs (GF) Char Siu pork belly (GF) Homemade gourmet hamburger patties (GF) Lamb & rosemary gourmet sausages with caramelised onions Marinated scotch fillet minute steaks (125gm) Lemongrass scented mussels (GF)

SALADS:

Caesar salad Bacon, egg & potato salad (GF) Pasta salad with a creamy sun-dried tomato dressing (V) Mediterranean roasted vegetable salad with fresh basil pesto (V)

Menu continues of the next page

Image: Sticky glazed beef short ribs

BBQ Menu Continued

Roasted beetroot & pumpkin salad with spinach, feta & candied balsamic almonds (GF, V) Israeli couscous & roasted vegetable salad with cumin, yoghurt & preserved lemon (V) Greek salad (GF, V) Green leaf salad with sweet balsamic dressing (GF, V) Southern creamy Coleslaw (GF, V)

DESSERT

Wedding cake provided by the client Ebony roastery coffee, herbal infusions and a selection of tea

~ Desert options can be added on if requested ~

All BBQ buffets are inclusive of bread selection with butter & condiments Choice of 3 BBQ Hots and 3 salads \$45.00 per person Choice of 4 BBQ Hots and 4 salads \$55.00 per person Image: Roasted beetroot & pumpkin salad



Food Stations

Food Stations are a fun way to bring food truck style catering inside! Your guests collect a dish served in disposable serveware from a station to enjoy either at their table or while mixing & mingling. We cater for all guests to have a least one of each item so there is plenty to go around.



Skewered

Halloumi, tomato and basil with balsamic glaze Lamb kofta with mint jelly Ham, cheese and pineapple with mustard and apple relish Fresh seasonal fruit with honeyed yoghurt Tandoori chicken with raita

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Image: Halloumi, tomato and basil with balsamic glaze

Food Stations Continued

Bamboo Boats

Beer battered fish bites, tartare and Lemon BBQ pork spareribs Chicken Caesar salad Orzo Greek salad Beef Nachos, sour cream, tomato salsa and guacamole

> Sweets platter (pick three options) Chocolate strawberry mousse cups Miniature boysenberry cupcakes Red velvet truffles Chocolate dipped stemmed strawberries Caramel chocolate brownie Macarons

\$45.00 per person:

Selection of 4 main items Plus 3 options from the sweet platter list.

Image: Sweet selection



Table Banquet 1

Food served on platters delivered to your table, whereby everyone can choose to their own personal tastes and can help serve each other.

To start

Deli Delight: Beetroot, haloumi & mint skewers, mushroom pate with walnut crackers, rosemary & chili polenta chips with aioli, kumara & coconut hummus bruschetta with sweet & sour peppers, black bean & corn quesadillas

Main

Herbed chicken roast with sautéed garlic mushrooms & onion gravy Roast pork scotch with prune & apple stuffing Tossed garden salad with balsamic vinaigrette Tuscan gourmet potatoes with confit garlic Seasonal mixed vegetable selection topped with herb butter

Dessert

Sweet Salver: selection of miniature sweet slices, dessert cups, macarons, & an assortment of fudge Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$59.00 per person

Image: Herbed chicken roast

Table Banquet 2

Food served on platters delivered to your table, whereby everyone can choose to their own personal tastes and can help serve each other.

To start

Mediterranean Medley: Deli style antipasto platter with various cured meats, cheeses, dips, marinated vegetables & nuts

Main

Herb & garlic marinated beef fillet with red wine Jus Hazelnut crusted pork fillet with Apple Elderflower syrup Red gourmet potato salad with seeded mustard dressing Honey glazed roasted root vegetables Seasonal mixed vegetable selection topped with herb butter **Dessert**

Sweet Salver: selection of miniature sweet slices, dessert cups, macarons, and an assortment of fudge Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$69.00 per person

Image: Hazelnut crusted pork fillet

Buffet Menu 1

Selection of bread rolls with butter

Carvery Station

Apricot glazed champagne ham with roast gravy & seeded mustard

Hot Station

Moroccan lamb tagine with eggplant & dates Orange glazed roast kumara & carrot Baby gourmet roasted potatoes in lemon EVO oil Seasonal mixed vegetable selection topped with herb butter

Salads

Roast nut couscous salad with preserved lemon Roasted pepper, chickpea & feta salad Tossed garden salad with balsamic vinaigrette

Desserts

Pecan caramel cheesecake with creme Anglaise Pavlova with cream & strawberry compote Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$55.00 per person

Image: Moroccan lamb tagine with eggplant & dates



Buffet Menu 2

Selection of bread rolls with butter **Carvery Station** Garlic & mustard crusted scotch fillet of beef with a Pinot Noir jus & horseradish cream **Hot Station** Chicken & ham roulade with sauce chasseur Halloumi & Mediterranean vegetable traybake with salsa Verde

Root vegetable gratin with herb & parmesan cheese Seasonal mixed vegetable selection topped with herb butter

Salads

New potato, apple & watercress salad with caperberries Tossed garden salad with balsamic vinaigrette Orzo pasta salad with cherry tomatoes, broad beans, feta & lemon vinaigrette

Desserts

Mocha cheesecake with creme Anglaise Pavlova with cream & strawberry compote Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$65.00 per person

Image: Chicken & ham roulade

Buffet Menu 3

Selection of bread rolls with butter

Carvery Station

Garlic studded leg of lamb with redcurrant jus & mint jelly

Hot Station

Cajun salmon fillet with salsa Verde Paprika spiked roast potato with chorizo & aioli Vegetable moussaka with gremolata Seasonal mixed vegetable selection topped with herb butter Salads

Salad of baby spinach, confit baby onions, roast beetroot & fried halloumi Greek salad with tomato, capsicum, feta, cucumber, red onion & olives Gourmet mixed bean salad with mustard emulsion

Desserts

Chocolate cherry cheesecake with crème anglaise Pavlova with cream & strawberry compote Fresh seasonal mixed fruit salad Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$75.00 per person

Image: Leg of lamb

Plated Menu 1

 To start

 Selection of artisan bread rolls with hummus, butter & EVO Oil

 Set Entrée

 Gravlax salmon & marinated prawn salad with a horseradish & lime

 vinaigrette (GF)

 Set Main

 Dukkha crusted lamb rump with gnocchi romaine, spiced eggplant &

 date chutney

 Set Dessert

 Raspberry & chocolate tart, with cream chantilly & raspberry jelly

 Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$65.00 per person

Image: Dukkha crusted lamp

Plated Menu 2

Preset starter

Charcuterie board of meats, cheeses, dried fruit, assorted vegetable preparations, chutneys, olive oil, dips along with lavosh & breads

Main – (alternative drop)

Angus beef eye fillet, roasted field mushroom, confit baby onions, watercress & red wine reduction

or

Roast chicken breast, bean cassoulet, fried chorizo & roquette pesto

Table sides

Roasted herbed gourmet potatoes

Medley of seasonal vegetables

Dessert

Sweet Salver: selection of miniature sweet slices, dessert cups, macarons & an assortment of fudge Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$75.00 per person

Image: Roast chicken breast, bean cassoulet, fried chorizo & roquette pesto

Plated Menu 3

Alternative drop menu

To start

Assorted breads with a trio of dips, EVO oil & dukkha

Entree

Cajun Salmon pavé on Thai cucumber salsa & pickled radish Dry rubbed lamb cutlets with roasted fennel, baby carrots & mint drizzle

Main

Roasted fillet of beef, rosemary & garlic polenta & mushroom ragout Katsu chicken breast, kumara miso puree, pickled slaw & soy mayonnaise

Table sides

Roasted herbed gourmet potatoes

Medley of seasonal vegetables

Dessert

Glazed lemon tart with yuzu & passionfruit cream Raspberry & Chocolate Tart, with cream Chantilly & raspberry jelly Selection of teas, herbal infusions & Ebony roastery coffee

\$85.00 per person

Image: Lamb cutlet



Supper Menu

Mediterranean Medley

Deli style antipasto platter with various cured meats, cheeses, dips, marinated vegetables & nuts

Oriental Offerings

Prawn dumplings, vegetable spring rolls, Thai fish cakes, Malaysian chicken, satay & pork wontons with nam jim & roasted sesame dipping

Deli Delight

Beetroot, haloumi & mint skewers, Mushroom pate & Chicken pate with walnut crackers, kumara & coconut hummus bruschetta with sweet & sour peppers Black bean & corn quesadillas

> **Bakers Craft** Savoury selection of mini pies, sausage rolls & quiches with tomato sauce

Sweet Salver Selection of miniature sweet slices, dessert cups & macarons

Selection of 3 for \$15.00 per person

Image: Oriental offering



Beverages

Sparkling Wine

Willowglen Brut \$7.00 Glass Henkell Trocken Dry Sec \$7.50 Glass Henkell Trocken Rose NV \$7.50 Glass Allan Scott Cecilia Brut NV Piper Heidsieck Cuvee Brut

Chardonnay

Yealands / Chalice The Nest Baby Doll / Allan Scott

Sauvignon Blanc

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Pinot Gris

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\$40.00 Bottle \$40.00 Bottle \$55.00 Bottle \$80.00 Bottle

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Rose

Smirnoff Ice

Scapergrace

Iim Beam & Cola

L	ake Chalice Nest	\$8.00 Glass		
А	llan Scott	\$8.50 Glass		
M	ſerlot			
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P	inot Noir			
L	ake Chalice Nest	\$8.00 Glass		
А	llan Scott	\$8.50 Glass		
Spirits (served in a tall glass)				
Si	ingle nip	\$6.50		
D	ouble nip	\$9.50		
RTD				
Ja	ick Daniels & Cola	\$10.00		

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Beverages

Standard Beer	\$7.50 Bottle			
Export Gold, Tui, Export Low Carb, Heineken Zero, Heineken light				
Premium Beer	\$9.00 Bottle			
Heineken, Export 33,				
Cider	\$9.00 Bottle			
Monteith's Crushed Apple				
Fizz & Orange Juice				
Small glass	\$2.50			
Can Fizz				
Large glass	\$4.00			
1 Litre carafe	\$10.00			
Other				
Punch bowl	\$50.00			
Ginger beer	\$5.20 Bottle			
Lemon lime and bitters	\$5.20 Bottle			
Live +	\$4.50 Can			
Water Kiwi Blue	\$3.00 Bottle			
Water 750ml Pump	\$4.50 Bottle			
Sparkling grape juice	\$6.50 Glass	\$22.50 Bottle		

