

Meeting/Conference

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Select from our carefully crafted all day meeting options. Includes: freshly brewed coffee & tea, fruit juice served with lunch, iced water on tables, table mints, notepads & pens, whiteboard & flip chart, set up of venue & complimentary Zoo admission.

Half Day - Five hours

Morning tea or afternoon tea
& lunch \$65 pp

Full Day - Eight hours

Morning tea, lunch
& afternoon tea \$75 pp

Post Meeting

1 hour \$32 pp
3 canapes plus standard
beverage package

Morning Tea

Complimentary whole fruit available throughout your event

Choose 1 (additional items \$4 pp)

Zoo Bakery selection of freshly baked mini Danish V

Individual yoghurt & granola pots topped with fresh fruit HC V

Hot porridge served with warm honey & chopped banana HC V

Zoo Bakery mini veg quiches V

Zoo Bakery spinach & ricotta rolls V

Seasonal fruit platter HC V

Zoo Bakery freshly baked scones served with Hank's jam & cream V

An assortment of freshly prepared finger sandwiches

Lunch

Choose 2 sandwiches & 2 salads

Sandwiches

Pulled beef brisket roll with BBQ sauce & charred corn salsa

Chargrilled chicken baguette with zucchini, mozzarella, & romesco HC

Pastrami Turkish pide with house slaw, grain mustard mayo, Swiss cheese & cornichons

Tuna mayo baguette with rocket, capers and lemon

Poached chicken, pesto, roast capsicum & spinach in a brioche roll

Brie & cranberry brioche roll with mixed leaf V

Western Plains roast pork ciabatta with apple chutney, lettuce & caramelised red onion

Bacon & egg on Turkish pide with mayo, tomato, lettuce & avocado

All sandwiches are available on gluten free bread - \$2.50 pp

\$4.50 for an additional sandwich selection

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Salads

Superfood salad with avocado, radish, alfalfa, sugar snap peas, carrot, apple, nuts & seeds **V LG HC**

Roasted sweet potato & pearl barley with lemon myrtle & dill crème fraiche **V LG HC**

Pear & fennel salad with caraway & pecorino, with baby rocket leaves **V LG**

Roast pumpkin & red onion with tahini & za'atar **V LG HC**

Panzanella salad with ripe salted tomatoes, ciabatta bread & fresh basil with a lemon olive oil dressing **V**

Red cabbage & sultana slaw with toasted pumpkin seeds, yoghurt & dill **V LG**

Farro & roasted red pepper salad with cumin & harissa oil **V LG HC**

Classic Caesar salad with chargrilled chicken breast & anchovy

\$5.50 for an additional salad selection

Afternoon Tea

Choose 1 (additional items \$5 pp)

Zoo Bakery spinach & ricotta rolls **V**

Zoo Bakery coconut biscuits **V**

Zoo Bakery scones served with Hank's jam & cream **V**

Sushi platter **HC**

Additional Hot Items

\$6.50 per selection per person

Mauritian inspired vegetable coconut curry served with kaffir lime leaf rice **V LG**

Cider & thyme braised Western Plains pork belly with a celeriac & pomme puree **LG**

Our signature Japanese fried chicken with a Sriracha dipping sauce & pickled root veg

Roasted pumpkin gnocchi with a spinach & pecorino cream sauce **V**

Individual veal cottage pie with honey roasted carrots

Fennel & leek poached Australian salmon with sumac roasted cauliflower

British inspired beer battered whiting & chips served with house made tartare sauce & edible sand

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Food For Thought

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Set Meeting/Conference Menu

A healthier alternative to the normal Conference menu - Food For Thought is specifically designed to optimise concentration levels during conferences. Contains all items listed.

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3 canapes plus standard beverage package



Morning Tea

Complimentary whole fruit available throughout your event

Scandinavian muesli with low fat yoghurt V HC

Mini blueberry & carrot muffins V

Lunch

A Scandinavian inspired 'lunch box' containing the following items

Asparagus & egg on rye open sandwich V HC

Smoked salmon & avocado with pumpkin seed on rye open sandwich HC

Dill pesto potato salad V HC

Beetroot & apple salad V HC

Dried fruits with honey V HC

Banana & currant bread V HC

Afternoon Tea

Mini cream & raspberry waffles V

Family Day

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Suitable for a minimum of 50 adults

\$55 adults

\$40 child (2-12yrs)

Soft drinks, juice & water served throughout the lunch

Entertainment can be arranged, please enquire

Hot Items

100% Australian beef burgers

Chicken kebabs - chargrilled served with a yoghurt & mint dressing

Thin BBQ snags (Halal)

Zoo Bakery breads/buns/wraps will be served to complement your choice of hot items

Seasonal Salad Selection

Mixed garden salad with tomato, cucumber & red onion V LG HC

Classic house made coleslaw bound with mayo & fresh herbs V LG

Potato salad with freshly chopped chives V LG

Also Included

Aioli, mustards, tomato & BBQ sauce

Bio-degradable cutlery, crockery & napkins

Ice-creams

Optional Extras - \$5 pp

Chargrilled sweetcorn with chipotle butter V

Falafel nuggets V LG

Piri Piri marinated chicken drumettes (3 per portion)

Zoo Bakery party pies (beef), mini sausage rolls, mini spinach & ricotta pie, mini chicken & leek pies (select 1 of the above)

Option of a vegetarian substitute on request.

...Family Day



Drink

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Package Option	Standard	Premium	Best of Victoria	Non-Alcoholic
1hr	\$23.50	\$28.00	\$32.50	\$11.00
1.5hrs	\$27.50	\$31.50	\$36.50	\$13.00
2hrs	\$31.50	\$36.00	\$40.50	\$15.00
2.5hrs	\$35.00	\$40.00	\$44.50	\$17.00
3hrs	\$38.50	\$43.50	\$48.00	\$19.00
3.5hrs	\$41.50	\$47.00	\$51.00	\$21.00
4hrs	\$44.00	\$48.00	\$54.00	\$23.00
4.5hrs	\$47.00	\$51.50	\$57.00	\$25.00
5hrs	\$50.00	\$55.00	\$60.00	\$27.00
5.5hrs	\$52.50	\$58.00	\$66.00	\$29.00

Standard

Morgan's Bay Sparkling Cuvee

Morgan's Bay Chardonnay or
Semillon Sauvignon Blanc

Morgan's Bay Shiraz Cabernet or
Cabernet Merlot

Carlton Draught

Carlton Light

Selection of Schweppes soft drinks

Orange juice

Premium

Seppelt Fleur de Lys Chardonnay Pinot Noir

821 South Sauvignon Blanc

Truvee Pinot Gris

T'Gallant Juliet Pinot Noir

Seppelt The Drives Shiraz

Crown Lager

Carlton Light

Selection of Schweppes soft drinks

Orange juice

Beer Upgrades - \$6 pp

Corona

Crown Lager

Little Green Apple Cider

Best of Victoria

Shadowfax 2013 Shiraz

Shadowfax 2016 Geelong Chardonnay

Shadowfax 2016 Geelong Pinot Gris

Shadowfax 2017 Minnow Rose

King Valley Prosecco

Crown Lager

Carlton Light

Selection of Schweppes soft drinks

Orange juice

Non-Alcoholic

Selection of Schweppes soft drinks

Orange juice

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Event Spaces

Please see our function rooms with room capacities. We have many more event spaces available across both Zoos. Please enquire for more information.

Werribee Open Range Zoo



Meerkat Room

Seated 200
Cocktail 300

The Meerkat Room features floor to ceiling windows looking onto the playful meerkat exhibit giving you a truly unique backdrop to your event. With a deck overlooking Lakeside Cove and the gorilla exhibit in the distance, this venue is sure to impress. Seating 160 comfortably for dinner with a dance floor, or 300 guests for standing cocktails and canapés. Available for evening functions only.



Slumber Dining Hut

Seated 34

Escape within our unique wildlife habitat and into our Slumber Dining Hut for a seriously exclusive conference setting. This room features picturesque views of the safari with the capacity to seat 34 guests comfortably.



Chongola Hut

Seated 60
Cocktail 120

Take advantage of a private setting for your team with family and friends in our Chongola Hut. With space for up to 60 guests, the venue creates a relaxed atmosphere under cover with picnic tables and seating included.



African Kia

Seated 800
Cocktail 1500

The African Kia provides an outdoor option with a large manicured lawn surrounded by authentic African styled huts. The four huts can be hired individually for a more intimate gathering with catering for up to 20 guests, or alternatively the entire African Kia can hold up to 1,500 guests. This is perfect for family days with an ideal space for children to play, hold fun team building games and we can arrange a variety of entertainment for all ages.

Melbourne Zoo



Rainforest Room

Seated 80
Cocktail 130

With its very own private animal exhibit, greenroom and cathedral ceilings filling the space with natural light, the Rainforest Room is the perfect location for your event. Let your guests be truly immersed in the beauty and atmosphere of the Melbourne Zoo as they appreciate the tamarin monkeys in their natural habitat.



Bong Su Room

Seated 120
Cocktail 200

Your guests will embark on a wonderful journey twisting through the lush bamboo forest to reach the South East Asian inspired venue. Located in the heart of the Elephant Trail the area also allows for pre-dinner drinks on the Mek Kapah Terrace on warm nights. The Bong Su Room is serene, elegant and ideal for animal lovers with guests being able to enjoy their own private animal exhibit of tree kangaroos during your function.



Leopard Lodge

Seated 240
Cocktail 500

The Leopard Lodge is an exciting custom built structure with the ability to cater for up to 500 guests. It is conveniently located at the rear rail gate entrance of the Zoo with public transport close by. Looking out onto the beautiful gardens and lower lawns it is closest to the brand new Carnivore's Trail and guests may even hear the lions roaring on occasion.



Lakeside Room

Seated 80
Cocktail 120

Overlooking the award winning Japanese Garden and Lake, the Lakeside Room and Terrace offer a unique and beautiful space within the Zoo. Pre-dinner drinks, cocktails and canapés can be enjoyed on the Terrace before guests move inside for dining and entertainment.



Lawns & Pavillions

50 -100 per section

The gardens and pavilions scattered throughout the Zoo grounds are just right for organised get-together with a casual feel – from corporate family days and club gatherings to celebrations with the family. We have a total of twelve lawns and six pavilion sections. Plenty of entertainment and outdoor furniture can be hired for use in this open space and customised to your event style.

Get in Touch

If you are considering hosting an event with us at Melbourne or Werribee Open Range Zoo, or wish to discuss sponsorship opportunities, feel free to get in touch and book a spaces tour.

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