

BlackBarn River Room – Tuki Tuki Valley

Wedding package



The River Room is a beautiful stand-alone venue perched over the Tukituki River under the dramatic eastern face of Te Mata Peak.

Another all-inclusive venue making your wedding planning slightly more bearable. Perfect for intimate weddings with specular views of the Tukituki and Te Mata Peak.

An easy walk in walk out venue with 4 luxurious Black Barn retreats (riverside lodges) within walking distance.



Venue hire



Venue hire \$5,000.00 wedding ceremony + reception hire +\$350.00 (incl.gst) setup/pack down fee.

Capacity – up to 60-65 guest seated or up to 80 guests cocktail style

The venue hire includes:

exclusive use of the river room for 1 day

ongoing consultation with in-house wedding planner on all aspects of your wedding

access to the black barn vineyard grounds for photo opportunities

two toilets - attended throughout the night

fully equipped kitchen

tables, chairs (metal/black), 2 x stripe black/cream single sofa seats, black tongue and groove bar, four single timber cape cod chairs, three wine barrels, cutlery, crockery and glassware for 65 people set up, pack down and clean-up of the wedding ceremony and reception

servicing of the venue before and after your wedding

interior stereo with aux cord

interior and outdoor fireplaces (wood and matches)

rehearsal (1 hour) the day prior (unless another event is booked)

Reserve your date

To secure your preferred wedding date, we require the full venue hire amount to be paid.



Food





We require our caterers to be used at all River Room weddings. They will provide staff to serve the food and their vast knowledge of the venue allows them to be on hand to offer other professional help on the day.

- Ben from 'Little Black Bird'
- Jackson Smith
- Orton's
- Mitzi & Twinn

Please ask us for their current menus and pricing.



Beverage

All of our venues share a seasonal Beverage List of Black Barn wines, a selection of beers, cider and non-alcoholic beverages. Spirits and any wines or beverages outside of our list can be sourced with ample notice. All beverages must be sourced and supplied by Black Barn Vineyards. No cash bar. Beverage will be charged on consumption. \$3,500.00 minimum spend.

Sparkling Wine & Champagne. (Please choose two)
BLACK BARN BRUT NV - \$ 50.00
BLACK BARN SPARKLING ROSE - \$ 50.00
BOLLINGER SPECIAL CUVEE NV - \$ 145.00

Whites. (Please choose a maximum of two)
BLACK BARN CHARDONNAY - \$ 45.00
BLACK BARN BARREL FERMENTED CHARDONNAY - \$ 60.00
BLACK BARN PINOT GRIS - \$ 45.00
TOHU SAUVIGNON BLANC - \$ 45.00

Reds. (Please choose a maximum of two)
BLACK BARN ROSE (BOTTLE)- \$ 45.00
BLACK BARN SYRAH - \$ 54.00
BLACK BARN MERLOT CABERNET - \$ 54.00
BLACK BARN CONCETTA 2020 - \$ 200.00

Beer & Cider. (Please choose a maximum of two)
HEINEKEN (330ML BTL) - \$ 10.00
PERONI (330ML BTL) - \$ 10.00
EXPORT GOLD (330ML BTL) - \$ 10.00
CHIPPER HAZY PALE ALE (330ML CAN) - \$ 10.00
MONTEITH'S CIDER (330ML BTL) - \$ 10.00
STEINLAGER LIGHT (330ML BTL) - \$ 10.00
HEINEKEN 0% (330ML BTL) - \$ 10.00

Cocktails. (Please choose a maximum of one cocktail)
BATCHED ESPRESSO MARTINIS (SOLD PER GLASS) - \$ 16.00 (Martini glasses will need to be hired in separately)
GIN AND TONIC (SOLD PER GLASS) - \$ 15.00 PER GLASS
APEROL SPRITZ (SOLD PER GLASS) - \$ 15.00 PER GLASS

Non-Alcoholic.

ANTIPODES MINERAL WATER SPARKLING OR STILL (500ML BTL) - \$ 6.50 ORANGE JUICE 1L - \$ 25.00 COCA COLA, SPRITE (SOLD PER CAN) - \$ 6.50

Notes.

TAP WATER, FREE OF CHARGE.
ICE-\$5.50 PER BAG.
TEA AND HAWTHORNE PLUNGER COFFEE SELF SERVICE STATION - \$80.00.

Other beverages off this list can be sourced in some instances, please talk to us for further information. We are a small winery and occasionally we do sell out of vintages and varieties.

* Black Barn reserves the right to update pricing on future vintages. Final pricing will be confirmed a minimum of 30 days prior to your function.



Curfew and liquor licensing

Our liquor licences and therefore curfew of 11.00pm applies for all weddings.

Staffing

We do require our BBV staff to serve the beverages and are charged out at \$38.50 per hour for bar staff and \$45.50 per hour for the duty manager. Minimum 12 hours per staff. Their vast knowledge of the venue allows them to be on hand to offer any other professional help on the day.

Suppliers

Black barn vineyards are to provide the venue, facilities, AV, bar staff and beverage and also assist you with any other requirements to ensure the success of your wedding.

It will be at your discretion to source the celebrant, photographer, entertainment, florist, decor and styling, cake and any other additional vendors you wish to utilise.

Should you require any assistant with any of these suppliers, please let us know as we have an amazing team of preferred suppliers that we're happy to recommend.

Transport

The River Room is located at 1308 Tuki Tuki Road, 15 minutes from Havelock North. There is limited parking at the venue however, we strongly recommend using a local shuttle or bus service to transport guest to and from the venue to make everything a lot easier on the day.

Event planning and management

All venue hire fee include event planning. We take the stress out of planning your wedding. We cover being there from initial point of contact and answering any questions you may have, to on-going consultation, the organisation of food and beverage, liaising with suppliers, and any special request you may have.

A word on the weather

Hawke's Bay's weather is typically stable during the summer months, you can almost bank on sunshine and forecasting 7 days out is quite reliable. However, can we also say right here that bad weather does not equal a bad function - even in a marquee! We understand everyone wants a sunny day for their function but please be assured some of the best functions we have held have been in average weather and even heavy rain. Our strong recommendation with this site is to work with us on an agreed 'wet weather backup plan' and then as the day gets closer and if the weather is not looking good we can give this plan much more attention. As good event planners always say - hope for the best and plan for the worst.

Accommodation

Black barn vineyards has some of New Zealand's most spectacular accommodation. There are 16 luxury retreats within our portfolio. Whether you want to be nestled amongst the vines, beside the river or by the beach we have an array of options for you to consider. The Riverside Lodges are your closest retreat and are a short stroll to or from the River Room. The Poplars are a short drive up the River.



Additional furniture that can be hired from our suppliers













