



Whalers...weddings

join us at Whalers and
let us organise the wedding
of your dreams.....

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Weddings at Whalers...

Ceremony

Why not hold your ceremony on our Private Lawn area* with amazing ocean views. The lawn is set up with 12 covered chairs and a clothed signing table. Simply stunning set against the back drop of beautiful Encounter Bay. Hire Fee: \$240. Additional items such as rose petal aisle, red carpet & Bali flags can be arranged (fees apply). (*Subject to availability due to proposed development) Due to impending development we do have alternative locations.

Champagne & Canapes

Toast your marriage in style with champagne & canapes at the conclusion of your ceremony. (30 minutes) Let your guests mingle on the lawn and take in the breathtaking ocean views. \$17.50 per person

Function Room

Our Investigator Function Room seats up to 110 people and has its own bar, dance floor and large private balcony. With sweeping views across the bay what better backdrop for your wedding. The room will be set with round tables (seats up to 10), white linen tablecloths & napkins. Your bridal table can be set on a round table or a long table. There is a hire fee for the Investigator Room. Alternatively our Restaurant seats 130 guests, with a sunken bar and outside Decking. Weddings in the Restaurant require a minimum spend to guarantee exclusive use.

Decorations

Let us take the hassle out of decorating the function room. Leave time to relax before your wedding and leave the decorations to the experts!

Our decoration professionals can organise the full range of elegantly themed decorations including stunning candles & candelabras, centrepieces, chair covers & sashes.

See our preferred Suppliers List for more details on our recommended supplier, please contact them directly to organise a quote and view their range.

Whalers Wedding Menu...

Enjoy the best regional produce prepared by our team of talented chefs. We are more than happy to accommodate any special dietary requirements.

\$55 per head

Set Entrée, 2 choice Main Course

2 Choice Main Course, Set Dessert or Wedding Cake

\$60 per head

Set Entrée, 2 Choice Main Course, Set Dessert or
Wedding Cake

Additional Entrée or Dessert Selection - \$5 per selection

Additional Main Course Selection - \$7 per selection

All Meals include bread rolls, bowls of gourmet garden salad & steamed seasonal vegetables for the table and include tea & coffee served after dessert



Whalers Sample Wedding Menu

The wedding menu will vary regularly to allow us to take full advantage of the freshest seasonal produce, this menu is an example prepared by our creative team of chef's, please ask for our current menu.

Entrees

- **Soup** of the Day
- **Mushroom Salad** ½ roasted camembert served with pan fried swiss brown mushrooms, watercress and sticky balsamic

- **Thai Marinated Prawn Skewers** served with Asian Salad & Soy Chilli Dressing
- **Dukkah crusted Chicken Tenderloins** on rocket, parmesan & Bacon Salad
- **Soft Shell Crab** coated in Szechuan pepper and crisp fried, served with an Asian mixed greens with wasabi aioli
- **Lamb, Walnut & Rosemary Sausage** served on roasted ratatouille with crispy onion flakes
- **Seared Scallops** served on cauliflower risotto with spinach cream
- **½ dozen natural oysters** natural oysters served on ice with citrus segments
- **½ dozen plum patrick oysters** baked oysters topped with bacon and whalers rich sauce

Main Course

- **Red Snapper** served on baked potato and spinach quenelles with a Chardonnay cream reduction
- **Amelia Park Lamb Rack** lamb marinated in green harissa roasted to medium rare and served on a lemon and pinenut cous cous
- **Salt & Pepper Soft Shell Crab** Lightly floured with sea salt and cracked pepper, crisp fried served with tartare sauce and salad
- **Pork Fillet** marinated in a honey soy and rolled with sesame seeds, roasted and served on Bok Choy and baby corn with a chilli ginger glaze
- **Chicken Breast** filled with spinach & pinenuts served with cocktail potatoes & pernod cream sauce
- **Duck Maryland** Twice cooked Duck Maryland served with crab spring rolls, salted baby potatoes and jus
- **Beef Cheeks** braised beef cheeks served on mash potato with a red cabbage jam
- **Salmon Steak** oven baked salmon served on leek risotto with Champagne sabayon
- **1824 Porterhouse** cooked to medium topped with tiger prawns, hollandaise and asparagus spears
- **250g MSA Fillet Steak** served with a cherry tomato gnocchi and red wine glaze

All main courses are served with Gourmet Garden Salad & Steam Seasonal Vegetables

Wedding Menu continued...

Desserts

- **Mocha Brulle** served with chocolate coated coffee beans and passionfruit glaze
- **Vanilla bean Pannacotta** served with drunken strawberries and almond tulle
- **Sticky Date Pudding** serve with caramel sauce and double cream
- **Pavlova Roulade** filled with cinnamon and honey cream served with berry compote and sugar bark
- **Cheese plate** a selection of 3 cheeses served lavosh, dried fruit, quince paste
- **Parfait** Apricot and toffee flavoured parfait
- **Fruit Plate** seasonal fresh fruit
- **Wedding Cake** (Supplied by you) cut & served with berry coulis & pure cream

All desserts are followed with tea & coffee

Whalers Cocktail Weddings...

Let your guests mingle in style and take in the ocean views while nibbling on sumptuous canapés using the best local and regional produce.

Our recommendations per person are as follows:

Pre Dinner Drinks ½ hour – 2 options

Light Cocktail Party 1 hour – 4 options

Full Cocktail Lunch or Dinner 1 ½-2 hours – 8-10 options

Select Canapés options from below:

Cold Items \$ 3.50 per person

Hot Items \$4.50 per person

- Oyster shots assorted flavours:
Ginger & Lime, Thai, Bloody Mary
- Coriander Lavosh with Smoked Salmon & Dill Aioli
- Cold Rolls with Pork, Chicken & Vegetarian
- Roast Beef (Rare) on Crostinis with Dijon & Caramelised Onion
- Spinach, Fetta & Sundried Tomato Pastries
- Coconut King Prawns with lime & chilli dipping sauce
- Three cheese & Roast Leek Tartlets
- Sesame crusted Chicken Tenderloins with Mango Sauce
- Vegetarian Spring Rolls
- Pork & Chicken Wontons
- Gourmet Pies & Quiches
- Moroccan Chicken with Tomato chilli Relish
- Lamb Koftas with minted yoghurt
- Spicy Chicken Wings

Cocktail Menu continued...

Platters for the table:

- Dips & crudities platter \$3.50 per person
- Antipasto platter \$4.50 per person
- Cheese platters \$4.50 per person
- Fruit platters \$3.50 per person

Other Finger Food platters available upon request

Whalers Beverages

Choose from one of our Beverage Packages* or pay on consumption, the choice is up to you! It's all about being flexible and making your day.

Bronze

Whalers Sparkling
Whalers Semillon Sauvignon Blanc
Whalers Shiraz

Coopers Pale Ale
Tooheys Extra Dry
James Boags Premium Light

Soft Drink
Fruit Juices

2 Hour - \$25 per person
4 Hour - \$44 per person

Silver

Fleur de Les Sparkling Brut
Hawkes Bay Sauvignon Blanc
Shottesbrooke Chardonnay
Karanto 7A Shiraz
Shottesbrooke Merlot

Coopers Pale Ale
Tooheys Extra Dry
James Boags Premium Light

Soft Drink
Fruit Juices
2 Hour - \$32 per person
4 Hour - \$48 per person

Gold

Johnston Christina Sparkling
Shaw & Smith Sauvignon Blanc
Woodstock Chardonnay
Woodstock Shiraz or
Mitchell Peppertree Shiraz
Simon Hackett Cabernet Sauvignon

Coopers Pale Ale
James Boags Premium
Tooheys Extra Dry
Pure Blonde
James Boags Premium Light

Soft Drink
Fruit Juices

2 Hour - \$39 per person
4 Hour - \$54 per person

Prefer a longer drink package?

5 Hour Bronze, Silver and Gold
Beverage Package Prices (with or without
Base spirits
included) available upon request.

**Please note: Prices are subject to change

With our compliments to help make your day even more special.....

Complimentary breakfast for the bride and groom in our Restaurant on the morning after the Wedding

Accommodation Packages

Upon selection of Whalers Inn Resort, Victor Harbor as the venue to celebrate your special day, your family and friends are invited to experience our unique luxury accommodation and personalised service.

The Resort features luxuriously appointed self-contained apartments, Studios & Suites, set in the picturesque gardens. All Apartments and Studios offer double spa baths and private balconies with panoramic ocean views.

Wedding Guest Rates

Valid from January 1st 2009 to July 1st 2009 (prices may increase after this date)

(Subject to availability)

Long Weekends and Summer Holidays (December 20th- February 1st) require all guests to adhere to a 2 night minimum stay.

Deposits for all rooms must be received in order to confirm the reservation.

- Apartment (3 bedrooms) \$350.00 per room per night
- Upper Level Studio
- Suite (No view)

Suggested Operators

Decorations

All Occasions Covered- Julie Evers Ph: 0439 751 964
8552 1050 (after Hours)

Can organise full Reception and Ceremony Decorations including
Rose Petal isle, Bali Flags, Red Carpet, etc.
<http://www.alloccasionscovered.com.au/welcome.htm>
info@alloccasionscovered.com.au

Bella Events – Samantha or Shayle Ph: 0433 457 348
Event Styling and Consulting
Marquee Hire, ceremony decor
<http://www.bellaeventsadelaide.com.au>
bella-sammy@hotmail.com

Floral Arrangements

Allira Florists – Shirley Bell: Ph: 8552 3954
Shop 1 Central Shopping Centre Victor Harbor SA 5211

Petite Fleur- Jill: Ph: 8554 1881
38 North Tce Port Elliot 5212 0422 181 478

Sinclair Flowers- Dianne Sinclair: Ph: 8552 1261
17- 21 Ocean St Victor Harbor SA 5211
www.sinclairflorist.com.au

Photographers

Alice Bell Photographics: Ph: 0409 670 209
<http://www.alicebell.com.au>

NOFX Photography: Ph: 0410 618 438
<http://www.nofxphotography.com>

Kate Elms Photography: Ph: 0400 267 128

Zing Photography- Paquita & Stephen Wise Ph: 0438 600 295
<http://www.zingphotography.com.au> Ph: 0407 979 853

Photographers continued:

Merryn Gomez Photography: Ph: 0412 754 114
<http://merrynomezphotography.smugmug.com/Weddings>

Coastal Images: Ph: 0432 082 431
<http://www.coastalimages.org/wed.html>

Elska Studios: Ph: 8381 1042
<http://www.elska.com.au>

Nu Image by Hill: Ph: 8391 1988
<http://www.nuimage.com.au/>

Luke Simon Photography: Ph: 0439 890 198
<http://www.lukesimonphotography.com/home.html>

Stationery

Image by Paper: Ph: 8536 4883
<http://www.imagebypaper.com.au/>

Invitations by Alysia: Ph: 0423 036 637

Clothing – ‘one off pieces’, Jewellery & Accessories Ph: 8552 3044
Sassy Girl
13 Ocean Street, Victor Harbor

Jewellery

JaRae Jewellers- Caroline Waye Ph: 8552 5440
Shop 1B Victor Central Shopping Centre
Torrens Street, Victor Harbor

Make-up artists, Hair & Beauty

Jads Hairdressers- Fleur: Ph: 8552 1225
57 Torrens Road Victor Harbor

Elska Studios: Ph: 8381 1042
<http://www.elska.com.au>

Pure Elegance Beauty –Sarah: Ph: 8554 3793
Shop 1/ 27 Goolwa Rd Middleton

Suppliers continued.....

Your Beauty Spot: Ph: 8552 7855
2/ 23 Victoria St Victor Harbor

Pretty Palace Nails & Beauty: Ph: 8555 5870
www.prettypalace.com.au 0414 514 226

Ceremony Music

Solo Violinist- Rebecca
(Can arrange a trio or quartet on request)

Ph: 8554 5262

Solo Violinist- Kim

Ph: 0431 384 877

Celebrants

Helen McCann:
www.helenmccann.com.au
ceremonies@chariot.net.au

Ph: 8327 3463
0403 259 605

Dorrie Mac Nider:
dorrie@adam.com.au

Ph: 8552 9138
0414 434 301

Heather Masters:
www.heathermasters.net
Heathermasters@adam.com.au

Ph: 0411 141 581

Colin Creek:
lucol@esc.net.au

Ph: 8552 3157
0421 325 848

Tony Nolan
www.civilmarriagecelebrant.net
tonynolan@vee.net

Ph: 8367 9443
0413 564 602

Equipment Hire

A1 Hire
26 Adelaide Road Victor Harbor

Ph: 8552 7744

Wedding Cakes & Fountains

Goolwa Heritage Bakery- Vicki

Ph: 8555 0000
0409 554 266

Suppliers continued.....

Jessica's Creative Cakes- Jessica Leslie
61 Ferguson Road
Goolwa Beach 5214

Ph: 8555 5069

Wickedly Good Chocolate Fountains
www.wickedlygood.net.au

Ph: 8387 7855

Reception Music

Victor Harbor Entertainment Funky DJ's- Corey:
corker15@hotmail.com
www.victorharborentertainment.com

Ph: 0439 500 386

Pro DJz

Ph: 0404 231 141

Juke Box Hire- Arc Amusements

Ph: 8552 5171

Roxy's Music – Greg Rossiter

roxymusic@sa.chariot.net.au

Ph: 8552 3450

0414 470 519

Transport

Dru's Taxi / Limo / Mini Bus:

Ph: 8536 8336

0419 814 743

Southern Spirit Limousine & Bus Hire:

Ph: 0407 223 361

<http://www.southernlimos.com.au/weddings.htm>

Whalers Terms & Conditions.....

Confirmation

A tentative booking is only confirmed when a signed copy of the Terms & Conditions is returned with the requested deposit within the designated period. If this is not the case, the Management of Whalers reserves the right to cancel the booking and allocate the space to another client.

Deposit & Payment of Account

1. Tentative bookings are confirmed when a deposit of \$500.00 is received by the resort. The deposit is non-refundable and non-transferable and will be deducted from the balance of your account.
2. Upon payment of the deposit, the date, time and approximate number of guests is required.
3. A second working deposit of \$1500 is required 6 months before the function.
4. A third working deposit of \$2000 (if applicable) is required 2 months before the function.
5. The balance of the final account must be paid 7 days before the function.
6. Payment can be made by cash/credit card/bank cheque or direct debit. American Express and Diners Club cards attract a 3% surcharge.

Cancellations

If your function is cancelled the deposits are non-refundable. The resort reserves the right to cancel or relocate your function due to major works, in such an instance, deposits may be refunded.

If your function is cancelled less than 7 days before the event, the resort reserves the right to charge the full amount of the function.

Package Selection

The package selections should be finalised 4 weeks prior to your function date.

Contractors & Subcontractors

Contractors & Sub-contractors appointed by the client or indeed by Whalers, on behalf of the client, must at all times abide by Resort Regulations and any instructions given by the Resort's management, whilst on the premises.

Damage

The Client's are financially liable for any damage sustained to Hotel property, whether through their own action or through the action of their guests. Nothing is to be nailed, screwed or stapled to any wall etc. of the Resort.

The Client's will incur an automatic charge for spoilage relating excessive food or beverage spillage or any other soiling of carpets & upholstery.

Loss & Insurance

Although the Whalers will take all necessary care, it can accept no responsibility for loss or damage to the property of the client or their contractors. Therefore, the clients should arrange their own insurance.

Price Variations

You will be notified of any unavoidable price changes no later than 30-days prior to your wedding. While we endeavour to maintain prices as originally quoted, they may be subject to change. Wedding menus booked twelve months or more in advance will be charged at the current comparable menu price.

Advertising

Prior permission is required to use the Whalers name and/or logo in print and/or audiovisual display.

Government Charges

All quoted prices include Goods & Services Tax (GST). Any further government charges introduced after the time of quotation will be passed onto the client.

Outside Catering

Please note that outside catering for the event is not permitted on the premises. The Wedding Cake is the only item omitted from this clause.

Responsible Service of Alcohol

The Whalers Inn Resort upholds the principles of responsible service of alcohol. It is an offence to supply liquor to persons under the age of eighteen (18) years. Clients are asked to ensure that underage persons amongst their guests are not supplied with liquor. The Whalers Inn Resort staff will refuse to serve liquor in any cases where the person is suspected of being underage and will require that person to present photographic identification. Service will be refused to any person who shows signs of intoxication.

Due to our license requirements, we are unable to allow any liquor to be brought onto or removed from the premises.

Final Numbers

Final numbers must be given to the Whalers Inn Resort Function Coordinator no later than one week (8 days) prior to the day of the function. This will be the minimum number charged. In the event that no minimum number is received at the time, the original number of guests indicated or the actual number of guests (whichever is greater) will be charged for.

Guest Accommodation

Whalers can hold accommodation for your wedding guests, if this service is required please arrange at time of confirmation – the following conditions do apply

1. Please advise your guests to contact our Reservations Department directly to make accommodation bookings.

2. Please ensure that when your guests contact the Resort to make reservations they advise our staff that they're guests of your wedding.
3. At the time of booking your guests will be asked to confirm their reservation by paying a deposit equivalent to 1 x nights accommodation charge. The deposit needs to be received by Whalers within a month of booking.
4. 4 months prior to your wedding date, any accommodation not allocated will be released for general sale.
5. The check in time at the Resort is 2.00pm. Check out time is 10.30am

Cleaning Fee

A cleaning fee of \$55.00 per hour will apply if excessive cleaning is required. Please be advised that confetti and rice are not permitted on site.

Weather

The Whalers will not give refunds for any undesirable weather that may cause the cancellation of the ceremony held outside on the lawn area or the banqueting room.

Entertainment & Music

If speeches and/or amplified music is required for your booking, it must be inside the facilities glass doors, and must cease no later than midnight (12am). The size of the band needs to be authorised prior to the event.

Whalers – Terms and Conditions continued...

I/We have read and fully understand and accept the above conditions and hereby confirm our booking.

Name: _____

Date of Event: _____

Signature: _____

Current Date: _____

This original copy must be completed and returned with payment of your deposit.

A copy of these conditions will be forwarded to you for your own files.

