

Functions, Events & Conferences Club Sapphire Merimbula

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WELCOME

Nestled on the breathtaking Sapphire Coast of New South Wales, Club Sapphire Merimbula is an exceptional event destination—ideal for local, national, and international delegates seeking a memorable conference or celebration.

Conveniently located in the heart of Merimbula, our contemporary, state-of-the-art venue offers versatile event and conference spaces designed to impress and inspire.

Club Sapphire proudly provides spacious, flexible facilities tailored to suit a wide range of events—from conferences, workshops, and seminars to weddings, gala dinners, expos, graduations, and more. With the capacity to host up to 400 guests (depending on your preferred seating arrangement), we can adapt to meet your specific needs.

Situated on Merimbula's Main Street, the venue is just a short stroll from accommodation, restaurants, cafes, and boutique shopping. Merimbula Regional Airport is only a 7-minute drive away, with public transport and car hire options readily available.

At Club Sapphire, the success of your event is our priority. Our experienced and dedicated team is committed to delivering outstanding service, seamless coordination, and personalised support every step of the way.

We invite you to connect with our friendly staff to discuss how we can bring your event vision to life.



ACCESSIBILITY AND PARKING

Club Sapphire has its own public parking with 223 total spaces including 6 disabled car parks and 95 undercover parking spaces.

AIR CONDITIONING

Air conditioning is located in all conference rooms.

VEHICLE ACCESS

Loading Dock Access (Auditorium):

The Auditorium features a dedicated loading dock with ramp access, conveniently designed to accommodate vehicles of all sizes—there are no height restrictions. Entry is available via the main carpark entrance on Main Street, with access permitted between 7:30am and 10:00pm. To schedule use of the loading dock, please contact the Functions Coordinator in advance. Additional vehicle access information can be found at the end of this document.

FAQ

Can we provide our own catering?

Club Sapphire is a fully serviced venue, all catering is prepared on site by our experienced chefs and catering team. Our menus suit most events and can be altered to suit if required. No catering is to be brought onto the premises, exceptions are wedding/birthday cakes.

Can we provide our own alcohol?

The venue is fully licenced, and BYO is strictly prohibited. Our beverage staff are friendly, efficient and practice responsible service of alcohol.

Please note: we are a flexible venue, floorplans can be modified and we will do our best to accomodate where possible.



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THE AUDITORIUM

<u>Room Hire</u>

Mon-Fri: \$350 (half room) Sat-Sun: \$400 (half room) Room hire by negotiation (full room)

Possible room configurations for whole room as follows: Standing: **700 pax (no furniture)** Theatre style: **400 pax** Cabaret style (tables of 6-7): **180 pax** Banquet (tables of 10): **300 pax Half room suited to 30-80pax depending on room configuration**

The Auditorium, or Audi is the perfect venue for large conferences, expos, dinner functions and special events seating up to 300 people for dinner, 400 theatre style.

This room has direct access to Club Sapphire's main kitchen. The Audi has its own bar, direct access to toilets, a stage (with an accessibility lift) and green room.

The Audi is best suited for functions of about 200 (with dance floor) to 300 people (without dance floor).

The room can also be separated into two separate areas with a curtain, suitable for smaller groups.

It has two large screens, one at the rear of the stage (3.6m wide x 2.9m high), and the other in front of the stage (6m wide x 3.3m high). Microphones and lecterns are also available for use.

The Audi has direct driveway access with its own loading bay doorway.

Floorplan available toward the back of this booklet.









THE TASMAN ROOM

Room Hire

Mon-Fri: \$250 (full day), \$150 (half day - 4 hours or less) Sat-Sun: \$300 (full day), \$200 (half day - 4 hours or less)

Possible room configurations as follows (with absolute maximum capacities in brackets): Standing: **70 pax** (120 pax) Theatre style: **50 pax** (60 pax) Classroom style: **30 pax** (55 pax) Board room style: **30 pax** (40 pax) U-shape: **25 pax** (40 pax sitting inside & outside the U Dining (scattered groups of tables): **50 pax** (70 pax)

The Tasman Room offers you the perfect venue for private dinners, meetings, workshops and seminars for up to 50 people (theatre style), but is best suited up to about 30 people.

The Tasman Room's close proximity to the Pacific Bistro also allows for meals to be ordered directly off the Bistro menu if preferred.

Approximately 15m x 6m

Due to it's vicinity to our main Bistro area, this room is not available during NSW, ACT and VIC School Holidays.



THE DOLPHIN ROOM

<u>Room Hire</u>

Mon-Fri: \$150 (full day), \$100 (half day - 4 hours or less) Sat-Sun: \$200 (full day), \$150 (half day - 4 hours or less)

Possible room configurations as follows (with absolute maximum capacities in brackets): Standing: **40 pax** (70 pax) Theatre style: **30 pax** (50 pax) Classroom style: **12 pax** (20 pax) Board room style: **16 pax** (20 pax) U-shape: **16 pax** (24 pax sitting inside and outside the U)

The Dolphin Room is the smallest room available for hire. The room will fit up to 40 people maximum theatre style, or a maximum of 20 people in a U-shape.

Please note: The Dolphin Room has only a curtain separating it from the main Bistro.

The curtain is heavy duty floor to ceiling which muffles noise. The Bistro is open 12pm to 2pm and 5.30pm to 8.30pm daily.

The Dolphin Room may also be suited for small group training and meetings, but usually not during Bistro service times.

This room has direct access to the front foyer and the Pacific Bistro, allowing for meals to be ordered directly from the Bistro menu if required.

Approximately 6m x 8m

Due to it's vicinity to our main Bistro area, this room is not available during NSW, ACT and VIC School Holidays.





THE MEETING ROOM

Room Hire

\$35 per hour or part thereof, includes bump-in and bump-out time.

Maximum capacity of the room is 36 people.

The Meeting Room is suited for small group training and meetings.

It is self-contained with a large tv (with HDMI cord), DVD player and whiteboard available for use. You are required to provide your own laptop.

Furniture may be moved, but please return it to the position that it was found when you first arrived.

There is a total of 9 bench tables, (including the presentation table) available for use, and 28 chairs, as well as a low level shelf suitable for display of brochures etc.

Catering is not provided to the Meeting Room, however individuals are welcome to make purchases from our Coffee Shop and/or Pacific Bistro to take to the room.

Approximately 14m x 8m









Kitty's bar + restaurant located within Club Sapphire.

We invite you to experience this playful space that brings the local community and visitors together. Satisfy your tastebuds with modern Asian cuisine and sip on cocktails in a sophisticated setting.

Inspired by our name sake, the inaugural Lady President of the Merimbula Imlay Women's Bowling Club Kitty Travers, sit back in a friendly atmosphere where live music can be heard throughout - the ideal way to spend time on the New South Wales coastline.

Private functions by arrangement. For enquiries, please email hello@kittysbar.com.au or visit kittysbar.com.au for further informtion







LIGHT REFRESHMENTS

Bar facilities are by arrangement in Auditorium

Note: we do not offer beverage packages. Speak to our functions & events coordinator directly to organise a bar tab with your choice of included alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages.

DRINKS

Tea & coffee station (minimum charge 10ppl) \$4p.p. up to 4 hours, or \$5.50p.p. all day

Jugs of juice (Orange, Pineapple or Apple) Jugs of soft drink (Coke, Creaming Soda, Lift or Sprite)

SWEET & SAVOURY

Minimum charge 10 serves. Each item \$6 per serve Cream biscuits (x3) Scones served with jam & cream (GFA) Fruit scones, buttered (GFA) Gourmet biscuits (GFA) Cakes: please select from coffee & walnut, chocolate and orange & poppyseed (GF) Chef's selection of slices House made mini muffins Fruit platter Savoury muffins Pumpkin scones (GFA)







LIGHT LUNCH

Sandwiches Please advise of any dietary requirements. Suggested serving size 1.5 sandwiches per person **Platter of mixed sandwiches \$7 per sandwich**

Deli Platter Chef's assorted dips, marinated olives, chef's selection of deli meats, vintage cheddar cheese served with gluten free crackers. (Serves 20-30 people) \$90

HOT FINGER FOOD PLATTERS

Sapphire Selection **50 pieces \$85** 15 party pies, 10 roasted chicken wings, 15 spring rolls (V, DF) & 10 cocktail frankfurts

Asian Selection **50 pieces \$85** 13 mini dim sims (DF), 13 spring rolls (V), 12 samosas (DF, V), 12 ginger prawn dumplings (DF)

Seafood Selection **60 pieces \$110** 15 prawn cutlets (DF), 15 salt & pepper squid, 15 battered fish pieces (DF), 15 calamari rings

Vegetarian Platter **40 pieces \$85** 10 Mini spring rolls (DF, V), 10 x feta & spinach pastizzi (V), 10 curry samosas (DF, V), 10 roasted vegetable arancini balls (Vegan A)

Gluten Free Platter **10 pieces \$30** Selection of gluten free items



CANAPES

Pricing based on minimum 30 serves per item.

Ham & cheese croquettes with sweet chilli sauce (2) **\$4 per serve** Mozzarella & parmesan arancini balls with aioli (2) (V) **\$4 per serve** Caramelised onion and brie cheese quiche (V) **\$4 per serve** Vegetarian spring rolls with dipping sauce (V) **\$4 per serve** Crunchy chicken tenders with herby yoghurt dip (2) **\$4 per serve** Panko crumbed squid pieces with lemon aioli (2) (DF) **\$4 per serve** BBQ prawn skewer (GF, DF) **\$5 per serve** Lamb kofta skewer with mint yoghurt dip (GF) **\$5 per serve** Tempura battered flathead tails (x2) (DF) **\$5 per serve** Local Merimbula oyster served natural, **\$4 each** or Kilpatrick



\$4.50 each





ENTREES

Your choice of any two selections, served alternately \$17p.p. Pricing based on minimum 50 people in attendance.

Mozzarella & parmesan arancini balls with oven roasted vegetables and aioli (V, GFA)

Thai chicken and crispy noodle salad—Asian inspired salad with peanuts, crispy shallots, soft herbs and crunchy noodles (DF, GFA) **add \$3**

Pork belly –crispy pork belly dusted in 5 spice, chilli caramel glaze, apple slaw (GF, DF) **add \$3**

Panko crumbed calamari with lemon aioli and salad

Vegan Filo Parcel - homemade Samosa style filo parcel, spiced potato, pea filling with mango chutney and side garden salad



MAINS

Your choice of any two selections, served alternately. **Based on minimum 50 people in attendance.**

Vegetable filo with roasted mushroom, Spanish onion, sweet potato, cauliflower, capsicum and camembert (V) **\$28**

Grilled Atlantic salmon with seasonal greens, broccolini, potato rosti, citrus slaw and hollandaise sauce (GF) **\$34.50**

Lobster and prawn, chicken Kiev with seasonal greens and roasted spuds **\$32.50**

Spanish BBQ grilled chicken stack with sweet potato mash, crispy bacon and guacamole **\$32**

½ Lobster Mornay \$46.50

Grilled porterhouse with caramelised greens and jus (GF) \$35

Grilled Humpty Doo barramundi fillet, wombok slaw, crispy shallots, Asian herbs, jasmine rice, chilli and lemongrass (GF) **\$36.50**

Lamb shank, slow cooked in garlic, rosemary and tomato atop mashed potato and seasonal vegetables (GF, DFA) **\$32**

Wagyu Burger - Grilled Wagyu beef pattie, onion jam, bacon, cheese, tomato, lettuce, smokey chipotle aioli served on a milk bun with chips **\$26.50**

Twice cooked crispy pork belly with sticky apple jus and seasonal greens (GF) **\$32**







DESSERTS

Your choice of any two selections, served alternately. **\$13p.p. Pricing based on minimum 50 people in attendance.**

Banoffee Cheesecake with caramelised banana, vanilla bean ice cream with spiced chocolate sauce

Individual pavlova with whipped cream, seasonal fruits and passionfruit coulis

Black Forest sponge with berry coulis and soft whipped cream

Raspberry ginger fluff with mixed berry coulis

Sticky date pudding with butterscotch sauce and ice cream

Whole orange and poppyseed cake with coconut yoghurt and strawberries (DF, GF)

CELEBRATORY CAKES

Bring your own celebratory cake and have our staff cut and individually plate each piece, served with strawberries, cream and coulis **\$5p.p.**

Celebratory cakes not provided, must bring your own



ADDITIONAL ITEMS

PLEASE NOTE: No flame lit candles, glitter, scatters or sprinkles permitted.

Chair covers, chair sashes & table runners not available to hire in house, you will need to provide your own if required.

Decorations/center pieces not provided.

Please speak to our functions coordinator if professional AV setup is required. (additional charge at customers own expense).

Bands & DJs <u>MUST</u> provide their own equipment & setup including speakers.

Photographer available on request (at customers own expense).

OTHER ITEMS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST, NO CHARGE

Registration/Gift table Cake table Bridle/Head table Lectern Microphones Projector screen Whiteboards Television Small portable P.A. system Bluetooth speeker Portable speakers Data Projectors (laptop not provided) HDMI Cords & Adapters

ROOM INCLUSIONS

Rectangular tables seating up to 8 per table. Large round banquet tables seating up to 10 per table. Linen tablecloths provided, black or white of your choice. (note: tablecloths only included for catered events)



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Toilets

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AUDI BANQUET 300PAX



AUDI CABARET 180PAX



CLUB SAPPHIRE ACCESS



FRONT ENTRANCE BACK ENTRANCE





Entry before 10.00am via back entrance only

FUNCTIONS & EVENTS ROOM HIRE, CATERING & BOOKING AGREEMENTS

Please fill out the following forms by scanning the QR codes or click the links below.

Our functions coordinator will contact you to confirm your booking. If catering is required, please also fill out the Functions Catering Agreement form below.





If viewing online:

Click here to open the Functions & Events Booking Agreement

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Deposits & Account Payments:

Payment may be made by cheque (payable to Merimbula-Imlay Bowling Club Ltd.), credit card or by direct deposit into the following National Australia Bank account:-A/C Name: Merimbula-Imlay Bowling Club Ltd BSB: 082-439 Account No.: 718 015 308 If payment is made by direct deposit, please quote the Billing Name when making the deposit and forward a copy of the bank receipt to: Accounts Payable Club Sapphire PO Box 52, MERIMBULA NSW 2548 accounts@clubsapphire.com.au

TERMS & CONDITIONS

BOOKING POLICY

Tentative bookings will be held for a maximum of 28 working days. The Club reserves the right to cancel any tentative bookings not confirmed and will release the booking date.

DEPOSITS

Functions requiring the use of the Sapphire Room or Auditorium require a deposit of \$500.00 within 28 days of the booking being made, indicating confirmation of the booking.

FUNCTION FINAL REQUIREMENTS

Final confirmation of menus, close approximation of numbers, beverage requirements, entertainment, audio / visual requirements, room set ups & starting times must be confirmed at least 3 weeks prior to the event, to ensure the smooth running of your function.

GUARANTEED NUMBERS

Guaranteed numbers for bookings requiring catering are required no later than 10 days prior to the event.

PRICING

All pricing will be as outlined unless previous arrangements have been made with the Catering Department. **Members discounts do not apply to functions.**

PAYMENT

Bar accounts are to be settled at the completion of the function on the day/evening. 80% of your final bill will be invoiced & must be paid at least 5 working days prior to your function. All function accounts are to be paid in full no later than 7 days after the issue of your invoice unless previous arrangements have been made with the Club.

CANCELLATIONS

In the event of a cancellation of a booking, the following policy applies: Cancellations received before six months of the function date will receive a full refund of deposits paid; Cancellation received before three months of the function date will forfeit 50% of the deposit paid; Cancellations received one month prior to the function date will be retained as a cancellation fee.

SURCHARGES

Sunday & Public Holidays: A surcharge of 20% of the total food & beverage accounts & room hire may be subject to functions held on a Sunday or Public Holiday.

SECURITY

Club Sapphire will not accept responsibility for the loss or damage to any equipment or merchandise left on the premises prior to, during, or at the conclusion of the function.

COMPLIANCE

Clients will assume responsibility for any & all damages caused during the function, including that to tablecloths.

FIRE / SAFETY

Club Sapphire retains the right to adjust any room or equipment set up to ensure that any Fire and Safety codes are not breached.

GENERAL

No foodstuffs or alcohol are to be brought onto or taken from the club premises under any circumstances excluding celebratory cakes.

No flames (lit candles), glitter, sparkles or scatters permitted under any circumstance.

DJ & BANDS

All bands & DJs must provide their own equipment, including speakers & any other setup they may require.

All guests are bound to adhere to the regulations & guidelines as per the Registered Clubs Act & the Club's constitution and by-laws whilst on the premises at all times.

WE DO NOT HOST 18TH, 21ST, BUCKS OR HENS PARTIES

VENUE HIRE RATES - 2025/2026

Auditorium (Level 3)	All day - Full room	\$2,000 or by negotiation
Auditorium (Level 3)	Half room	Monday to Friday \$350
Auditorium (Level 3)	Half room	Saturday to Sunday \$400
Tasman Room (Level 3)	Full day	Monday to Friday \$250
Tasman Room (Level 3)	Half day (4 hours or less)	Monday to Friday \$150
Tasman Room (Level 3)	Full day	Saturday to Sunday \$300
Tasman Room (Level 3)	Half day (4 hours or less)	Saturday to Sunday \$200
Dolphin Room (Level 3)	Full day	Monday to Friday \$150
Dolphin Room (Level 3)	Half day (4 hours or less)	Monday to Friday \$100
Dolphin Room (Level 3)	Full day	Saturday to Sunday \$200
Dolphin Room (Level 3)	Half day (4 hours or less)	Saturday to Sunday \$150
Meeting Room (Level 1)		\$35 per hour



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