

About Us



THE LITTLE GEM IN THE BUSHVELD

We make wedding dreams come true at the most affordable rates. We are a family owned venue and it is our passion to make each and every wedding or function special with the best food, a good atmosphere, great service and give your guests something to remember for years to come!

We have more than 30 years experience in the industry.

Why us?

- One exclusive function per weekend!
- All trusted vendors can be provided or referred
- We offer in-house decor and are a full service venue
- No hidden fees
- Package is customisable according to your budget
- We are great at event planning and organising
- Minimum guest count 45pax, max 100 pax



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Meraki Function Venue



 **Your Wedding stress just got a whole lot less!**

Buffet Menu

Meat: (1) Roast Beef with garlic and rosemary in gravy and BBQ chicken portions

(2) BBQ chicken breast in a creamy mushroom sauce

Spicy beef meatballs with gravy

(3) Lamb roast with mediterranean chicken zucchini bake

Choose 3 side dishes:

Savory rice

Roasted baby potato's

Garlic herb roasted veggies

Pumpkin fritters in caramel sauce

Baked spinach parmesan potatoes pie

Cottage cheese and veggie bake

Apple cranberry coleslaw

Asparagus, tomato and feta salad with balsamic vinaigrette (seasonal Sept to Feb)

Roasted butternut and feta salad

Watermelon cucumber feta salad with mint

Caesar pasta salad (contains bacon)

Garden salad with feta and olives

Traditional potato salad

Vegan options: Vegan Quinoa salad with lemon and herb dressing

pineapple cucumber salad with maple syrup mushroom and halumi skewers

BUILD A BURGER

Delicious beef and prego chicken patties served on large buns, with spiced potato wedges and a green salad.

Extra toppings includes:

Bacon bits

Cheese slices

Tomato slices

pickled jalapeno's

balsamic onions

Fresh onions

lettuce

pineapple slices

Sauces:

Tomato, mustard and BBQ sauce

Cheese sauce

Creamy pepper sauce

Creamy mushroom sauce

SPITBRAAI:

Pork or lamb and BBQ chicken

Baby potatoes

Green salad with feta and olives

Curry noodle salad with peaches

Garlic bread

Dessert

:Choose 1

Malva pudding and custard

Koeksisters and mini milktarts

Chocolate brownies

Fixed Menu

Package 3

BBQ chicken breast in a creamy mushroom sauce

Spicy beef meatballs with gravy

Savory rice

Roasted baby potato's

Garlic herb roasted veggies or apple cranberry coleslaw

Malva pudding with custard

Breakfast Menu

(Package 3)

Scrambled eggs

savory muffins

creamy chicken livers

baked beans

tomato wedges

boerewors

savory waffles

bite size hash browns

boerewors in gravy

cocktail breakfast rolls

fresh in season fruit

Yogurt

Juice

Coffee and tea



Package 1

Full choice menu and dessert
Bread table canape's
Welcome sherry and juice station n reception hall
Sparkling wine 1 per table
Wedding cake for cutting
In-house decor, incl table runner, napkins, underplates, candle holders and vases
2 dinner and 2 tealight candles per table
Guest name cards and 1 table menu per table - standard black on white
Fairy lights in reception hall
Standard non-personalised welcome bord
Table greenery
Wedding flowers - bridal bouquet and 2 bridesmaids bouquets, 3 boutonnieres, standard bridal table flowers and guest table flowers, limited to in season flowers
Confetti
Bridal hair and make-up including trail plus two bridesmaids on the day
Bridal dressing cottage and mancave with snack platters
Covered chapel and standard set-up
Boma area with wood
Wedding co-ordinator, 2 barmen, waiters for clearing, Safe parking with guards
Full set-up and cleaning before and after function
1x free mock-up session
Photographer 8 hours
DJ for duration

50 pax - R74 500
60 pax- R82 500
70 pax - R90 500
80 pax - R95 500
100 pax -R100 000

Package 2

Buffet choice menu and dessert (Excl spitbraai)
Bread table canape
Welcome sherry
Sparkling wine 1 per table
Wedding cake for cutting
In-house decor, incl table runner, napkins, underplates, candle holders and vases
2 dinner and 2 tealight candles per table
Fairy lights in reception hall
Standard non-personalised welcome bord
Confetti
Bridal dressing cottage and mancave
Covered chapel and standard set-up
Boma area with wood
Wedding co-ordinator, 2 barmen, waiters for clearing, Safe parking with guards
Full set-up and cleaning before and after function
1x free mock-up session
Photographer 6 hours
DJ for duration

2027!



50 pax - R57 000
60 pax- R62 000
70 pax - R70 000
80 pax - R76 000
100 pax -R85 000

Package 3

Fixed buffet menu
Sparkling wine 1 per table
Wedding cake for cutting
In-house decor, incl table runner, napkins, underplates, candle holders and vases (black and white only)
2 dinner and 2 tealight candles per table
Fairy lights in reception hall
Confetti
Bridal dressing cottage and mancave - from 11h00
Covered chapel and standard set-up
Boma area with wood
Wedding co-ordinator, 2 barmen, waiters for clearing, Safe parking with guards
Full set-up and cleaning before and after function
1x free mock up session
Photographer 4 hours
DJ for duration

50 pax - R50 500
60 pax- R56 500
70 pax - R65 000
80 pax - R71 000
100 pax -R77 000

Added extra's

The Bride:

Hair and make-up:

Bride and 2 persons R4800 incl bride trail and lashes

Extra persons R990 hair and make-up

Snack platter for 3 in the cottage R195-00

Extra person in the cottage including snack platter R175pp

Sparkling wine for the cottage R130-00

The groom:

Snack platter for mancave for 3 persons R195-00

Extra person in the groom's area including snack platter R175-00

Sparkling wine for the groom's area R130-00

Beer six pack for the groom: R170-00

Reception:

Smoke (FOG) machine for walk in songs and opening dance R300-00

Projector and screen R600-00

Fairy lights per table R150

Greenery per table R350

Memorial station set-up R80

Additional tables with decor from R400

Extra small tables for other activities R100

Guest name cards R3 each

Menu's R10 each

Extra set-up fee's outside the specs of the package - PTBD

The Menu

Add on dishes

Large Canape R85pp

Any side dish R25pp

Any menu meat R45pp

Dinner rolls R10pp

Wedding Cake: standard 1 Tier R1100

Cake upgrade per tier R850

Spitbraai surcharge of R55pp for package 2 and 3

Cupcakes R18 each

Cinnamon donuts R15 each

Coffee station R35pp

Juice station in reception area R700

Sparkling wine R130 per bottle

Red wine R150 per bottle

White wine R120 per bottle

Special preparation for vegan/diabetic or Vegetarian R150 per plate with a minimum of 3 plates per request

NB - We are not Halaal or Kosher certified



The Photographer

Extra Two hours R2800

2nd photographer R4000 6 hours

Highlight video 2 to 3 minutes R2800

Ceremony video R1700 Lightly edited

Wedding flowers:

Half package

1x bridal bouquet, 2 x bridesmaids bouquets, 3 x boutonnieres, 1x bridal table arrangement R4500-00

Full package:

1x bridal bouquet, 2 x bridesmaids bouquets, 3 x boutonnieres, 1x bridal table arrangement, 2 x reception flower arrangements, 6 x chapel chair tie-backs, 5 x guest tables, extra confetti for flower girl 50 pax R1000 (5 tables)

add R800 per table

Corner arch arrangement R900-00

We have trusted references for the following:

Wedding Officiant

Live streaming

Videographer

wedding dresses

CONTRACT, PAYMENT AND CANCELLATION TERMS: MERAKI FUNCTION VENUE

Meraki is a full service Venue with a liquor license. No self catering or own liquor allowed.

10% non-refundable booking fee to secure booking. Amounts you agree to forfeit upon cancellation: within 6 months of wedding date 10%, 60%, within 4 months of wedding date and 80% within 60 days or less of function.

Should your function be moved due to national or natural disaster, you would not be penalised, but all expenses already occurred would be deducted. Available dates will be discussed between you and the venue should your function be unable to proceed due to natural disaster or illness. You may move the function date in extreme circumstances, with proof to the venue, if it falls more than 4 months from your function date. If the alternative date is not available, the venue will nominate available dates to accommodate you. If no agreement is reached, you may lose your deposit or you may opt for the next year, in which case the current quotation will not be valid and a new quotation will be given.

R2000 breakage deposit for every 30 guests. All items replaced by current replacement cost. Breakage deposit is refundable within 5 working days of function if there were no breakages or losses. Breakage can also be described as a loss, or any item lost during the function, any plants taken during the function by guests or any item broken by children during the function. We also reserve the right to retain breakages for excess cleaning fee's should guests not adhere to the venue rules with regard to smoking/cigarette butts/ people being sick (cleaning of bodily fluids) or use the cottage for any purpose other than a bridal dressing cottage.

Venue (bridal cottage) available from 08:00 the day of the function in the case of a wedding, depending on your package.. The venue will be closed on the Saturday at 24H00 until 09H00 the Sunday. All functions to stop at 23H45 and all guests to exit the venue at 24H00. We will levy an overtime fee for the staff if this curfew is not adhered to. All ceremony's to start only from 15h30 and guests are only allowed to arrive from 15h00. Any changes to the function must be specified in writing and no changes accepted 21 days before the Function.

The number of guests on the day must not exceed the number of guests booked. The guest fee and a fine of R500pp will be deducted from the breakage deposit... In such an instance, the venue reserves the right to stop the function. If any guests did not attend for whatever reason, the cost will not be refunded. Please ensure that you calculate your photographer/pastor etc, if you invited them to stay and they are not provided by the venue, or any other person that you may need to provide a meal for, as a guest. The venue will provide meals for venue staff.

We will not accommodate any vendors that arrives at our premises without prior arrangement with us, whether you have paid them or not

The Venue does not take responsibility for any private décor used and in the event that any private décor is used it must be **removed immediately after the function**, or no later than the following day at 09h00. Please pre-arrange if you choose to come and collect the next day. The Venue does not take responsibility for any loss, damage or injury that you or any of your guests may suffer, privately or to their property during your visit and you do so at your own risk. It remains your responsibility to inform your guests of this clause in our agreement.

We do not allow any spray, glue spray, glitter spray or other confetti at our venue. Sparklers and smokebombs are strictly limited to outside use under controlled circumstances, with pre-approval from us.

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A Full function program/itinerary must be sent to the Venue at least three weeks before the function including a list of all the special songs/music that is requested, to ensure that the catering is on time and that all is provided on time. Any changes in the three week time period right before the function will result in costs, and no changes to final guest count will be allowed. No stationary will be printed if we do not receive your lists in time. We take no responsibility of the spelling of names provided.

No guests are allowed in the kitchen.

You are not allowed to bring your own staff to the venue for any reason, unless as a wedding guest.

We request each user to preserve the garden and premises for the next guests. Do not walk in the flower beds, throw cigarette butts, allow children to play with the gravel walkways or with the outside fairy lights. Please also do not climb on to the boma or any of our features for pictures. It is not designed for that purpose. No guests are allowed to roam outside of the Venue area into the bushes.

Right of admission is reserved and the venue retains the right to ask any guest to vacate the property immediately should they do not adhere to the rules, or threaten our safety at any given time. We do not take responsibility for rain/hail/veldfire or any act of nature should your day not go as planned. We would do anything possible to make your experience as joyfull as possible.

I understand that the venue does not offer any take-aways on food served during the evening and that only the wedding cake may be taken home. Children MUST be minded at all times and we request that parents be informed that we will not look after their children or be held responsible for any injuries that their children may suffer. You will be held responsible for any damages caused by children. Please note that we do not allow colouring pens, crayons, bicycles, skatebords or balls.

The Venue will offer one free mock up and consultation where you can then also practice your walk-in at the chapel on the same day. Other consultations are charged R250 per hour, even if the full hour was not utilised. All Mock-ups will be done in the period four to three months before the wedding. At the mock-up date 60% of your quotation amount must be paid.

It is the Venue's responsibility to provide any service provider as stipulated in the package/quotations or to find a substitute, should such service provider not be available due to any un-foreseen circumstance, to ensure that the wedding continue with the best possible service to the client.

The Venue will provide back-up power in the form of a generator should there be any power failure on the day, for the duration of the function only.

The first two hours of generator use will be free, but you will be responsible for all other costs there-after. Note that function time does not include bride-getting ready time. (average running costs amounts to R350 per 2 hr cession, depending on fuel price)

No own liquor or drinks are allowed. We have a liquor license and we will charge a corkage fee of R50pp on your total pax if someone is found with own liquor on our premises. We will not serve liquor to any underage person or persons who appear heavily intoxicated.

Banking Details M Braak ABSA BANK Savings account: 9262533545 Code: 632005 Yes, I have read, understand and agree. I want my function at Meraki Function Venue and all e-mail correspondence between us will further serve as communication and an extension to this agreement.

Name.....Place..... date..... signed.....

FUNCTION date:.....



Bread Canape

Breads, crackers, cheese and spreads

Fresh fruit



Large Canape

Smoked salmon and cream cheese french loaf,

Smoked chicken buns, cheese sticks

Sausage rolls, Salami and ham roll-ups, biltong and dry wors, crackers, mini savory muffins, cheese grillers, biltong cheese balls, cucumber sandwiches, fresh fruit, cheese and spreads, meatballs, pretzels, nuts/dried fruit



Spitraai

Pork or lamb, BBQ chicken, baby potato's

Green salad, noodle salad, garlic bread



Buffet Menu

See options above



Build a Burger

