

COVID-19 WEDDING SUMMARY AS AT 27.7.20

Hi lovely couples,

We understand that at the moment, weddings are looking slightly different, to our traditional weddings?! And our normal in life, is becoming a different normal. Life changes and we need to be adaptable and be able to change to. And, I guess that reflects our vibe here at Midginbil, we are a relaxed country style wedding! 😊

And remember, most of these guidelines are managed by us, the venue. We just ask that you please work with us & follow the regulations for weddings and you will have a wonderful, memorable wedding!

We have our COVID-19 Safety plans in place for accommodation, restaurant/café & weddings. We cover all three sectors, so we have a plan for each category, and they cross over in a number of sections.

You can visit our website for our updated COVID-19 policy at <http://www.midginbilecoresort.com.au/media/COVID-19-FAQ.pdf>

It can all get a bit confusing & overwhelming, so I wanted to summarise some key points for our 3 day weddings and the NSW regulations we need to comply with.

We are a COVID-19 safe registered business.

We are required to get a list of all names of guests attending the wedding & their contact mobile numbers. We are required to have a digital record, accessible by government regulations if required.

WEDDING CEREMONIES & RECEPTIONS IN BARN

- The 1 person/4smtr rule must be adhered to
- A structure such as a marquee or tent style structure, anything with a roof, is considered indoors
- The barn can have 44 persons, plus the wedding couple and staff & vendors, anyone you need to assist with the wedding
- We are currently looking at options to increase the barn size with a roofed structure, we will keep you updated on what we decide. We are looking at marquees and stretch tents to extend off the barn. We are investigating the best and most affordable option. Of course, it must look aesthetically pleasing as well.
- Tables & chairs can be put outside
- Tables must be spaced 1.5mtrs apart, with no more than 10 on a table.

SUPPLEMENTARY MEALS IN THE LODGE DINING ROOM

- With social distancing and the 4sqmtr rule, we can have 50 persons in the dining room, deck and bridal room. If your wedding is more than 50, we will have staggered meal times, so 2 seating times
- Depending on the size of your wedding, we will either provide table service and serverly style, where our staff will serve the food onto your plate. If this is the case, we would ask that only a handful of people queue 1.5mtrs apart to be served
- Tables of 10 persons
- Alcohol can only be consumed by seated persons
- We will assign one staff member as a COVID-19 Safe Hygiene Marshal who will be in distinctive clothing (eg shirt or badge) and responsible for ensuring all aspects of the COVID-19 Safety Plan are being adhered to including overseeing social distancing, cleaning and ensuring the accuracy of record keeping.
- We will clean and sanitise all hard surfaces between patrons and ensure there is hand sanitiser available for use and hand soap & paper towel in the communal amenities
- All our staff are trained in the correct cleaning and sanitising procedures and our chemicals are diluted through the correct manufacturer recommendations as we use a chemical dispenser system, that has configured dilutions to refill our spray bottles.

ACCOMMODATION

- Social distancing must be adhered to in the accommodation, unless the guests are all from the same household
- Our lodge rooms can sleep 5 with the 1 person/4sqr mtr rule
- Our bunkhouse rooms can sleep 6 with the 1 person/4sqr mtr rule
- Guests must sleep 1.5mtrs apart from each other
- There is handwash pump bottles in rooms in place of soap bars & body wash instead of soap bars for showering
- Our housekeeping team will ensure your rooms are cleaned and sanitised prior to your arrival and upon your departure

Please remember these restrictions are constantly changing, and you can view our latest [COVID-19 policy](#) on our website. As restrictions change, we will certainly keep you informed & up to date with the latest regulations. And if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Much love,

Mel, Russ & the team

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