

Weddings at
Bangarra Dance Theatre

Welcome to the perfect wedding venue –the home of Bangarra Dance Theatre.

Celebrate your love in a space surrounded by Bangarra's four decades of history, built on the foundations of 65,000 years of Indigenous Culture and history.

Located in the heart of Walsh Bay, our venue is conveniently situated right next to the CBD. Once inside, you'll be transported to a unique light-filled waterfront space that can be tailored to your every need. From the layout to the design, you have complete flexibility in creating your dream wedding. Contact us today to learn how we can help you create the wedding of your dreams.



The Space

Surrounded by natural beauty and elements exposed along the heritage-listed Wharves, Dangarra O Badu (Dharug/Eora language for “Dancing on Water”) is a one-of-a-kind space with an outdoor patio facing the beautiful waters of Warrane (Sydney Harbour).

It’s the picture-perfect setting for a couple who wants a wedding that’s as unique as they are. Our newly renovated, state-of-the-art facility will provide you and your guests with all the modern amenities you need to make your special day unforgettable. Plus, an experienced Venue Manager who is here to help you every step of the way.

Capacity

Seated (ceremony)	100
Banquet	80
Cocktail	120
Outdoor area	55



Inclusions

- Indoor & outdoor space – access to harbour-front patio (up to 4m from bollards at edge of building)
- Furniture – cocktail tables & stools, café tables, trestle tables, Bentwood chairs (see furniture breakdown for more information)
- Commercial kitchen
- AV system with AUX & lightning connection and a microphone
- Event signage

Exclusions

- Venue Manager/s
- Security
- Cleaning
- Public Liability Insurance

** Exclusions will be quoted on application*

*Our Venue Hire Team is here to guide you every step of the way.
Please get in touch to discuss your event needs.*



Suppliers

You may choose from the following caterers:

PLATE EVENTS

Supply Nation Certified, Indigenous Owned & Operated

Plateevents.com.au

[Sample Menu \(Cocktail\)](#) [Sample Menu \(Sit-Down\)](#)

THE FRESH COLLECTIVE

thefreshcollective.com.au

BELLA CATERING

bellacatering.com.au/events

LAISSEZ FAIRE CATERING

laissez.com.au [SampleMenu](#)

Floral Partner (preferred)

PROSPECTOR STUDIO

hello@prospectorstudio.com.au

AV Supplier (preferred)

DPLR

dplr.com.au



Things To Know

EVENT TIMES

The glass doors to the patio must be closed by 10pm. Events must finish by 11pm with bump-out finished and all persons off-site by 11:30pm.

BUMP IN & BUMP OUT

Quotes include bump-in and bump-out time. Please provide these times to the Venue Manager when making arrangements for your event.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Your booking is only confirmed when you have paid a deposit and signed the contract.

SECURITY

Receptions serving alcohol for over 50 guests require 1 x security guard per 50 people.



As a heritage listed building of great historical and cultural importance, there are several key considerations when hosting your event at Bangarra Dance Theatre. Please ensure your event team and guests are aware of the following;



There is no smoking or vaping permitted anywhere on the wharf



Sound decibel limit is 87 inside, 65 outside



There is no open flame permitted on the wharf (including candles)



No rice, confetti, or equivalent small particles are permitted to be thrown



Alcohol is permitted outside of the venue ONLY in the designated bollarded area on the North side of the Wharf



Nothing may be taped, tacked, or rigged to the walls or flooring of the venue. Any décor must be free-standing

Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is the deposit required to book the venue and when is it due?

A bond payment of \$1000 is due upon quote approval in order to confirm your booking.

2. What are the payment options available?

Payment can be made via EFTPOS or Bank Transfer.

3. What is the cancellation policy?

Cancellation fees will be payable according to the following schedule:

More than 6 months

Full refund of payment received

Between 6 - 3 months

50% of deposit retained by Bangarra

Between 3 months - 2 weeks

Full deposit retained by Bangarra

Less than 2 weeks

Full hire fee retained by Bangarra

4. Is there a minimum number of hours required to book the venue?

Bookings must be made for a minimum of 4 hours.

5. What is the venue's policy on outside vendors and catering?

Food & beverage must be supplied by one of our approved caterers. All other service vendors are welcome to be as your preference.

6. Is there a designated area for the bridal party to get ready?

We do not have space for a bridal party to get ready on site.

7. Is there parking available?

Street parking is available on Hickson Road (metred) or Barangaroo Point Car Park, Barangaroo Reserve Car Park, and Bond One Car Park are all within 5 minutes walking distance.

8. Is the venue wheelchair accessible?

The venue is wheelchair accessible, though you may wish to visit the venue ahead of time to ensure the floors are appropriate for any guests with accessibility requirements. There is an accessible ramp outside Sydney Dance Company leading to our entrance on Wharf 4/5.

Our entrance, Function Space and facilities are all on ground level with level access. There is an accessible bathroom on the ground floor.

9. What is the policy on alcohol and music?

Alcohol is permitted via arrangement with any of our catering suppliers. This includes requests for BYO alcohol (corkage fees apply). Music is permitted at a maximum of 85 dB inside and 67 dB outside. This limit is monitored during events.

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10. Are there any restrictions on decor or decorations?

There is no open flame permitted on the Wharf. Norice, confetti, or equivalent small particles are permitted to be thrown. Nothing may be taped, tacked, or rigged to the walls or flooring of the venue, any décor must be freestanding.

11. Can I bump in before the wedding day and bump out after?

Bump-in and bump-out is subject to the availability of the Function Space and must be arranged in advance with your Venue Manager, for a fee.

12. Can I visit the venue in person before booking?

Yes, we encourage visiting the venue in person before booking, by prior arrangement with our Venue Manager.

