



Zenders Cafe and Venue Wedding Packages 2025

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1. Introduction: It all started with a story

Zenders Cafe and Venue is a relatively new venture, a young business that opened its doors in December 2018 and that has many aspirations for the future.

Yet, albeit young, its story is rich.

Zenders was inspired by a family's story, growing through generations from the last 100 years. A story of experiences, of travel, of family and opportunity.

And now, this story continues. A new generation, bringing together more people for more experiences and more occasions, living to its core purpose of 'making every visit an experience'.

2. Choosing Zenders as your wedding venue

Ceremony, reception, or both! At Zenders we are totally flexible. Our wedding coordinator is on hand to discuss and assist you with making decisions every step of the way. Share your ideas and dreams, and together we can create a memorable day for you with your desired [space](#), the [food](#) you like, and the beverages you fancy. We'll do the rest!

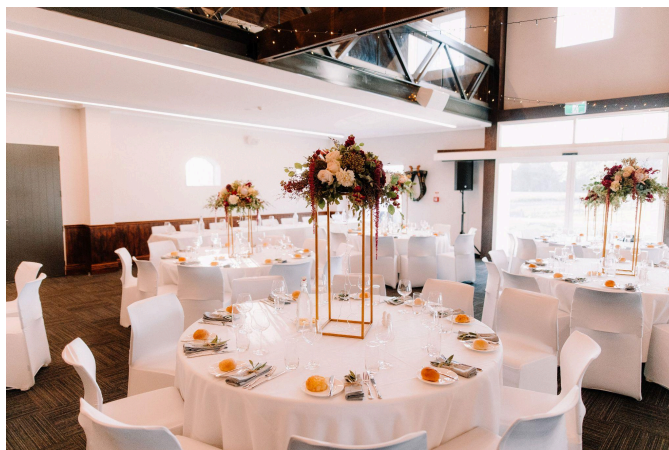
Our venue hire guarantees you exclusive access to your preferred spaces and includes professional staff throughout the day, as well as in-house furniture, ceremony backdrops, standard linen, crockery, cutlery and glassware. We can even host your ceremony on our Willow Lawn.

3. Location

Zenders Cafe and Venue is located at 44 Hopkins Road, Newstead 3286, on the outskirts of Hamilton city. We are within easy access of the Waikato Expressway.

[Google map - how to get here](#)

[View our 3D walkthrough here](#)



4. The Packages

2025 (valid until 31 Dec 2025)	Intimate (up to 3 hours)	Cocktail (up to 6 hours)	Banquet (up to 8 hours)
Includes:	Ceremony and reception, 2 canapes, plated meal	Ceremony and reception, 3 canapes or grazing table (post ceremony), 3 substantial canapes served 'Walk 'n' fork' style, choice of sweet platter or cheese platter	Ceremony and reception, 3 canapes, choice of two mains served as alternate drop
10-25 guests	\$ 1,750	N/A	N/A
26-50 guests	\$ 4,100	\$ 5,625	\$ 6,750
51-80 guests	\$ 6,200	\$ 8,950	\$10,495
81-120 guests	Please enquire	\$13,400	\$14,995
120+	Please enquire		
Additional options	Drinks packages available Bridal basket Bridal suite (pre-ceremony)		

All packages include :

- Use of the venue allocated spaces
- Your supplied wedding cake
- Cake table and cake knife
- Glass of Zenders punch / non-alcoholic bubbles
- Selection of herbal tea and freshly brewed coffee
- Wait & bar staff for the entire event
- Set up and pack down of spaces as per package offering
- Free car parking for 60 cars and 3 buses
- Welcome sign in foyer
- Outdoor space for ceremony on the Willow Lawn (indoor space available if weather is inclement)
- Table settings, (choice of round or trestle tables, bridal table), crockery, glassware & cutlery
- Choice of table cloths (black or white lycra, linen cloths are available at an additional charge)
- Cloth napkins - choice of white or grey linen (Other colours available to hire at additional charge) *not included in cocktail package
- Sound system including microphone
- Outdoor seating including outdoor umbrellas

5. Planning and consultation

Time with professional wedding coordinator - (2 sessions of up to an hour each) - on enquiry or confirmation of date, and 6 weeks prior to your wedding date.

Includes seating plans, menu options, run sheets with timelines, other vendor details, styling and decorations.

Our event coordinator will be your point of contact on the day, who will liaise with all staff, kitchen, vendors and your bridal party.

6. Ceremony

Included wedding rehearsal/practice up to 48 hours prior

Ceremony set up (white benches if outside)

Roving microphone and outdoor speaker

Table and chair for registry signing

Seating for guests as arranged



7. Food and beverage

Zenders is fully licenced and fully catered, so all of your needs are catered for by our professional catering team

Menu options will be discussed at the planning meeting.

Additional charges apply for guests with dietary restrictions/requirements.

Strictly no food, beverages or alcohol can be brought onto the premises.

Beverages

Celebration bubbles after ceremony @ \$12 per person

Fully licenced bar facilities - Cash bar / Bar tab / Subsidised drinks

Iced water



8. Extras

We are happy to recommend vendors for:

Entertainment - DJ, band,

Photography, videography, florist, Wedding cakes

Willowbrook - photo venue, decorations - Carlton party hire

9. The fine print / T's and C's

Deposit - 30% within 7 days of confirming your wedding date

Remaining balance 14 days prior to the wedding date on confirmation of numbers

All beverages including the bar tab to be paid on the day

Additional charges apply for guests with dietary restrictions/requirements.

Strictly no food, beverages or alcohol can be brought onto the premises.

Smoking and vaping are only allowed in outdoor areas and away from doors.

Cancellation - the 30% deposit will be forfeited if the booking is cancelled

All prices are inclusive of GST

Valid until 31 December 2025. Please inquire about prices for 2026 and beyond.

Discount of \$500 for bookings in June - August 2025

(Cocktail and Banquet options only)

Discount of \$500 discount for weekday booking (Mondays - Thursdays)

(Cocktail and Banquet options only)

These discounts can be used together, e.g. a Tuesday in July has a \$1000 discount.

10% surcharge if the date is on a public holiday weekend.