

## **2024 GROUP BOOKING REQUIREMENTS**

## **Bookings and Inquiries**

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## **Group Booking Conditions:**

- A minimum of 15 paid adults is required to place a group booking for <u>Admission Only</u> into the gardens and must be booked a minimum of 24hrs prior to visit.
- A minimum of 20 paid adults is required to add a group <u>Catered Package</u> and the costs of the catering are additional to admission fees. Catering packages must be booked a minimum of 72hrs prior to visit.
- Group bookings and catered packages are <u>NOT</u> available on public holidays or Sundays and subject to availability.
- Group catered packages must be finalized a minimum of 72 hours prior to visit including any catering choices or dietary requirements.
- A cancellation fee will apply to cover the cost of catering if a catering package is reduced or cancelled less than 72 hours prior to visit.
- Payment for a group booking must be made in one transaction for entire group on or before the day of visit.
- Group admission and catered package prices are subject to change and expire on the 14th April 2024.
- Tour guides, bus drivers and professional carers have free admission when accompanying a group as part of their work. If the group has booked a catered package and the accompanying tour guides, drivers or carers require catering. The cost of the catering is payable and will be charged at the gardens cost price.
- All visitors are subject to our terms and conditions of entry.

**General Facilities:** Dozens of picnic shelters with seating spread throughout the gardens, Lily Pond Café offering dine in and takeaway options, disabled toilets and parking, retail plant nursery and garden shop, giftshop, free car & bus parking, drinking water bubblers, park BBQs, free wheelchair hire, courtesy umbrellas.

**Group Pavilions:** We have three large shelters that can accommodate up to 80 people. For groups booking a catering package, an area will be reserved in our Lily Pavilion which features café style seating, great views of the garden and is close to all amenities. For groups wishing to have a picnic or BBQ, an area can be reserved in one of our large picnic shelters subject to availability.

**2024 Seasonal Open Dates:** 26<sup>th</sup> December 2023 until 14<sup>th</sup> April 2024. Between these dates, the gardens are open to the public 7 days a week including public holidays from 10am-5pm daily.

**Our Location:** The Blue Lotus Water Garden is located in the Yarra Valley approximately 1.5 hours travel time from Melbourne. Our address is 2628 Warburton Highway, Yarra Junction, Victoria





