



**Hilton**

LAKE TAUPO

*Weddings*

July 2013 ~ July 2014





## **HILTON LAKE TAUPO**

Welcome to Hilton Lake Taupo. With its magnificent views over New Zealand's largest lake and beyond, Hilton Lake Taupo is a place for relaxation, romance and creating cherished memories that will last forever.

A central North Island landmark, Hilton Lake Taupo is conveniently located midway between Auckland and Wellington. It has a local airport for guests arriving via plane and for direct arrival to the hotel there is a suitable helicopter landing area.

The Hilton Lake Taupo is a tasteful joining of the old and the new. The Heritage Wing of the hotel adds a touch of old world charm and has been an iconic landmark since 1889. The Heritage wing accommodation comprises 10 Deluxe Rooms and 3 Relaxation Suites which are styled with a classic yet contemporary feel and provide stunning views over Lake Taupo or the Thermal Valley. Built in 2008 the Mountain Wing of the hotel compliments its sister wing with an additional 100 rooms ranging from our high standard Guest Rooms through to our spacious 1 and 3 Bedroom Apartments and of course our expansive and contemporary Presidential Suite. Today, this distinguished hotel combines Victorian grandeur with the contemporary comfort and amenities Hilton is renowned for.

Be prepared for an extraordinary experience: an outstanding location, breathtaking panoramic views, exceptional service, intimate ambience and contemporary luxury of the highest standard.

***Hilton's experience and expertise in delivering events is your guarantee of a successful, memorable & hassle-free event.***





## YOUR SPECIAL DAY... LIVE IT AT HILTON LAKE TAUPO

### Your Ceremony at Hilton Lake Taupo

If an outside ceremony is your preference our beautifully landscaped gardens are the perfect location for this very special event. With manicured lawns, hedges and topiary trees it is a very picturesque and private area to welcome your family and friends. Should the weather turn unfavourable, our Thermal Valley View Portico will create a stunning alternative setting for your vows.



*Hilton Lake Taupo's secluded garden*



*Thermal Valley View Portico*

### Your Reception at Hilton Lake Taupo

The historic Cellar Ballroom has warm native wooden floorboards, beautiful high vaulted ornate ceilings, large vintage sash windows and is suitable for up to 120 guests for a formal dinner or 250 for a casual cocktail style reception. The Cellar Ballroom opens into our sunlit portico with floor to ceiling glass sliding doors that open to the serene landscaped gardens. The Portico is suitable for pre dinner drinks and for your evening entertainment and dancing.



*The historic Cellar Ballroom*



*Thermal Valley View Portico opens up to the garden*



## HERITAGE WEDDING PACKAGE

When you book your wedding with Hilton Lake Taupo, you reserve the Cellar Ballroom, Cellar Lounge, Thermal Valley View Portico and 10 Heritage Wing accommodation rooms, for your special day.

The heritage wedding package includes:

- ✧ Use of private function areas, including the Portico Thermal Valley View Room, Cellar Ballroom & the Cellar Cocktail Lounge
- ✧ Table settings: chairs, round tables and long head table (*as required*) dressed with white linen (*black available on request*), cutlery, crockery, glassware, three tealight candles per table and table number holders. (*seating for a maximum of 120 people*)
- ✧ Complimentary Honeymoon Suite (*1 Bedroom Apt*) for the bride & groom on their wedding night
- ✧ Celebration hamper for the bride & groom
- ✧ Dedicated event manager to assist with planning & preparation
- ✧ Experienced function manager onsite to assist with the operational side of your wedding
- ✧ Use of PA system & microphone in the Cellar Ballroom, Portico and Cellar Cocktail Lounge
- ✧ Personalised menus (*3 per table*)
- ✧ Cake table including white tablecloth & cake knife  
*Please note there is an additional cakeage fee of \$50, if you would like your cake cut up, and served after your meal.*

### THE HERITAGE WEDDING PACKAGE IS PRICED NZ\$3,000.00 GST INCLUSIVE

***For the Heritage Wedding Package Hilton Lake Taupo requires a minimum of 40-80 people to dine (as outlined below) and a minimum of 10 Heritage Wing accommodation rooms to be booked.***

- ✧ ***Friday to Saturday - minimum 80 people***
- ✧ ***Sunday to Thursday - minimum 40 people***

## HERITAGE WEDDING CEREMONY PACKAGE

If you would like to hold your ceremony at Hilton Lake Taupo, our private landscaped gardens offer you a stunningly romantic setting. The Hilton Lake Taupo Wedding Ceremony Package includes:

- ✧ Exclusive use of the private Hilton Lake Taupo garden
- ✧ 40 white chairs for your guests
- ✧ A dressed table and chair for the signing of the register

### THE HERITAGE WEDDING CEREMONY PACKAGE IS PRICED NZ\$700.00 GST INCLUSIVE

## ACCOMMODATION

Ten of the Heritage Wing rooms are required to be booked as part of your wedding package and include ambient deluxe rooms and well appointed relaxation suites.



*Relaxation Suite*

For members of your party not staying in the Heritage Wing, we have a large selection of room types in our Mountain Wing from stylish Guest Rooms, through to deluxe 1 & 3 bedroom apartments and of course our prestigious Presidential suite.



*Guest Room Plus*



*One Bedroom Apartment*

## SPECIAL OFFERS

### Summer Special (1<sup>st</sup> October – 30<sup>th</sup> April)

#### Planning your wedding on a Friday or Saturday?

Enjoy reduced Heritage Accommodation Room rates

#### Planning your wedding on a Sunday?

Receive reduced Ballroom, Garden and Heritage Accommodation Room rates

### Winter Special (1<sup>st</sup> May – 30<sup>th</sup> September)

Enjoy reduced rates for the Ballroom, Heritage Accommodation Rooms and Garden

***Call us on +64 (0)7 376 2313 – we look forward to discussing all your wedding requirements.***

## CATERING

### Boast of flavours from Bistro Lago's Kitchen

Bistro Lago the flagship restaurant and bar in the hotel complex, offers full catering on your wedding day. The superb dining experience at Bistro Lago is centred on an inspired menu created by Master Chef Simon Gault. With the addition of an intelligent, delightful wine list and attentive, intuitive service, it's easy to see why this is one of Taupo's premier dining destinations.

As menus change seasonally we will be able to supply the exact menu for the 2013-2014 wedding season from the July 2013. If you would like samples of our current menus, please ask your Event Manager.

### Wedding Set Menu July 2013- July 2014

Our menu lets you tailor-make the menu to suit your requirements. You are able to choose from a list of canapés, entrées, mains and desserts choosing which courses you would like, how many of each course will be available and if you would like alternate drop or guests choice. Pricing starts at just \$80.00 per person

Some examples of menus are:

#### Option One

One entrée / two alternate drop mains / one dessert

#### Option Two

Two canapés / one entrée / two alternate drop mains / one side / one dessert

#### Option Three

Three canapés / two alternate drop entrées / two alternate drop mains / two sides / two alternate drop desserts

#### Option Four

Three canapés / two guest choice entrées / two guest choice mains / two sides / two guest choice desserts or dessert tasting buffet

#### Option Five

Three canapés / two guest choice entrées / three guest choice mains / three sides / two guest choice desserts or dessert tasting buffet

*Alternate Drop Menus include two dishes served alternatively around the table. Guests don't actually order their choice of dish, but the idea is that they are free to swap with their neighbour if they wish. It's a way of maximising the time you have with your guests and also gives your guests some flexibility without going to the expense of a full course choice.*

