# Acknowledgement of country

We acknowledge and pay our respects to the Dja Dja Wurrung as the traditional owners of the land we live and work on. Here the Djaara have performed age-old ceremonies of celebration, initiation, and renewal. We acknowledge their living culture and the unique role they play in the life of this region.

## Wine bars & cellar doors

#### Bar Merenda **\$5**

117 Vincent Street, Daylesford Fri – Mon

#### www.barmerenda.com.au

Bar Merenda serves a large selection of wines by the bottle, as well as aperitives, cocktails, and spirits. The dining menu features tapas dishes and charcuterie.

## Grain, Daylesford Brewing Co 95

97 Vincent Street, Daylesford Fri – Tue (03) 7037 5015

#### www.daylesfordbrewingco.com.au

The decor and all-day dining menu at this relaxed venue have recently had a makeover. Whatever the time of day, you're guaranteed of a warm welcome and a great meal.

## Daylesford Cider Company §§

155 Dairy Flat Road, Musk Open 7 days (03) 5348 2275

#### www.daylesfordcider.com.au

The Daylesford Cider Company is open for lunch daily and serves cheese/charcuterie boards, share plates, desserts, and weekly specials.

# **Hepburn Springs Brewing Co 95**

12 Forest Avenue, Hepburn Springs Fri – Mon 0458 151 061

#### www.hepburnspringsbrewingco.com.au

This taproom is the perfect space for casual indoor and outdoor dining. It offers a range of flavour-packedsome share plates.

## Winespeake Cellar + Deli **\$5**

4/26 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days 0480 286 838

#### www.winespeake.com.au

Winespeake is a boutique wine shop/deli offering deli platters and light bites accompanied by wines by the glass. Take a seat along the window bench and watch the world go by.

## Wombat Forest Winery **99**

189 Springhill Road, Denver 0427 239 334

Weekends & public holidays

#### www.wombatforestwines.com

This cellar door offers extensive forest views, wines by the glass, and seasonal platters of local produce. Relax on the deck or by the open fire.

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Daylesford & Hepburn Springs



Daylesford and Hepburn Springs offer a wealth of delectable dining options. From fine fare and multicultural cuisines to cafe classics and hearty pub meals, there's something to suit every palate and budget. Enjoy your culinary journey of discovery in our beautiful region.

Check with each venue directly for the latest information on opening hours.

Daylesford Regional Visitor Information Centre 98 Vincent Street, Daylesford Phone: 1800 454 891 Open 7 days 10am to 4pm www.visithepburnshire.com.au





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# **Argus Dining Room \$\$\$**

Mineral Springs Hotel, 124 Mineral Springs Crescent, Hepburn Springs Tue – Sat

(03) 5348 2202

## www.theargusdiningroom.com.au

Located in Hepburn Springs (three kilometres from Daylesford), The Argus Dining Room serves European-inspired cuisine in a grand Art Deco-era dining room.

# Betel Boy **\$5**

59 Vincent Street, Daylesford Fri – Mon (03) 5348 4555

#### www.betelboy.com.au

Betel Boy offers pan-Asian inspired dishes in a contemporary and energetic venue on the main street of Daylesford.

## Bistro Terroir **\$95**

6-8 Howe Street, Daylesford www.bistroterroir.com.au Wed – Sun

info@bistroterroir.com.au

#### www.bistroterroir.com.au

This stylish bistro serves beautiful French food, together with a carefully curated range of beverages.



## **Boathouse Restaurant 999**

2 Leggatt Street, Daylesford Wed – Sun (03) 5348 2199

#### www.boathousedaylesford.com.au

Located on the banks of Lake Daylesford with exquisite water views, the Boathouse offers a sophisticated lunch and dinner menu.

## Daylesford Bowling Club **55**

8 Camp Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 2130

#### www.daylesfordbowlingclub.com.au

Daylesford Bowling Club offers good value meals in a friendly and relaxing atmosphere.

## Daylesford Hotel **\$\$**

2 Burke Square, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 2335

#### www.daylesfordhotel.com.au

The Daylesford Hotel's upscale bistro operates from Thursday to Sunday and reservations are recommended. Enjoy casual dining in the public bar or on the balcony seven days a week.

## Eureka Pizza & Bistro 36

5/22-24 Howe Street, Daylesford Wed – Mon (03) 7047 6676

#### www.eurekabistro.com.au

Whether you crave a classic Margherita or a hearty Meat Lovers, Eureka's diverse menu offers something for everyone!

## Farmers Arms Hotel **\$6**

Farmers Arms Hotel 1 East Street, Daylesford Open 7 days {03) 5348 2091

#### www.farmersarmsdaylesford.com.au

This atmospheric venue offers a dining experience dedicated to showcasing the region's best produce. You'll need to book well in advance for lunch and dinner on weekends.

# Hepburn Harvest Vietnamese Kitchen §§

Daylesford RSL, 20 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days / Takeaway available

# 0456 250 132 www.facebook.com/VietnameseDaylesford

Popular Hepburn Harvest is run by a Vietnamese family who share the tastes and flavours of their country of origin with diners.

## Wombat Hill House **⑤€**

Wombat Hill Botanical Gardens, Central Springs Road, Daylesford Fri – Tue (03) 7017 5999

#### www.wombathillhouse.com.au

Operated by The lake House, Wombat Hill House is a beautiful cafe situated on top of Wombat Hill.

# **Bakeries & Takeaways**

## **Boltons Takeaway**

31 East Street, Daylesford Mon – Fri 0497 369 802

#### www.facebook.com/botlonstakeaway

Boltons offers lunch specials, fish and chips, steak sandwiches, and all your T/A staples.

## Daylesford Bakery §

69-71 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 3787

## www.facebook.com/daylesfordbakery

This classic country bakery serves a wide range of baked goods, cakes, and light meals.

# **Daylesford Chargrilled Chicken §** 70 Vincent Street, Daylesford

Wed – Mon (03) 5348 1020 Serving high-quality chargrilled free-range BBQ chicken, fried chicken, and crispy chips.

# Daylesford Seafood Bar §

62 Vincent Street, Daylesford Tues – Sun (03) 5348 2327

# www.facebook.com/DaylesfordSeafood

Tuck into freshly cooked Australian seafood, burgers, and other takeaway faves.

# Fresh Orange Life **3**

20 Howe Street, Daylesford Open 7 days 0456 000 100

#### www.facebook.com/freshorangelife

Need to fuel up for a day of exploring? Fresh Orange Life offers light bites and fresh juices.

# Himalaya Bakery §

73 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 1267

#### www.himalayacafe.au

This busy venue bakes organic sourdough bread and serves a large range of vegetarian and vegan snacks. Some meat options are also available.

# Pastry King Cafe and Bakery §

60 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 1356

#### www.pastry-bakery.edan.io

Award-winning Pastry King offers an enormous range of cakes, pies, and filled rolls.

## Pizzeria la Luna **5**€

24 Albert Street Daylesford Thu – Mon (03) 5348 4123

#### www.pizzerialaluna.com.au

Enjoy epic pizzas with generous gourmet toppings at this popular pizzeria. Delivery and takeaway are available.



# Cafes & Casual Dining

# **Hepburn General Store 5**

102 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Open 7 days (03) 5348 1274

# www.hepburngeneralstore.com.au

An old-fashioned store with modern attitude offering a fabulous take away menu.

## Hepburn Hamper Co 56

Shop 5/116 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Tue – Sun

#### www.hepburnhamperco.com

Tim Bone Toasties are now available in Hepburn Springs! Which of the famous flavours will you choose?

# Hepburn Pavilion Cafe §

Mineral Springs Reserve, Hepburn Springs Open 7 days (03) 8727 8901

#### www.hepburnbathhouse.com

This iconic cafe in Hepburn's Mineral Springs Reserve dates back to 1895 and originally housed the Hepburn Bathhouse.

## Jubilee Lake Cafe §

Jubilee Lake foreshore, 151 Lake Road, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 2186

## www.jubileelake.com.au

This is the perfect lakeside location for a casual bite to eat. Walk around the lake afterwards and say hi to the peacocks!

## Larder SE

57A Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 4700

## www.larderdaylesford.com.au

Single-origin coffee and modern cafe meals are served in this lively hangout with a reclaimed timber decor.

## Maze Cafe & Larder **⑤€**

The Amazing Mill Markets, 105 Central Springs Road, Daylesford Open 7 days 0427 522 951

#### www.facebook.com/mazecafedaylesford

Maze is super family friendly and has a yummy kid's menu, retro highchairs, and complimentary colouring-in sheets.

## Muffins & More §

26-28 Albert Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 9034 6485

This casual cafe is very popular with the Daylesford community and offers good value light meals.

# Overwrought Sculpture Garden and Gallery §

3409 Midland Highway, Blampied Open 7 days 0403 675 170

#### www.overwrought.com.au

Go for a wander through this extensive sculpture gallery and garden, then enjoy a coffee, hot chocolate, or other beverage from the coffee cart

## Sweet Decadence at Locantro

87 Vincent St Daylesford Thu – Mon

(03) 5348 3202

#### www.sweetdecadence.com.au

This boutique chocolaterie in the main Street of Daylesford draws on more than 30 years of experience in chocolate making. Light meals are served

## **Walters 3460 ⑤**

1 Leggatt Street, Daylesford

Thu – Tue

Start or finish your walk around pretty Lake Daylesford with a toastie, ice cream, or coffee from this characterful cafe and kiosk.

## Restaurants & Pubs

## Hepburn Pizza 99

116 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Thu – Sun / Takeaway available 0468 916 683

#### www.hepburnpizza.com.au

Hepburn Pizza offers eat-in and takeaway wood-fired pizzas crafted from the best quality ingredients.

## Jackie's On Vincent §§

1/123 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days / Takeaway available (03) 5348 4946

#### www.jackiesonvincent.com.au

Jackie's on Vincent serves an array of dishes reflective of Chef Jackie's Chinese heritage.

## Kadota Restaurant \$\$\$

1 Camp Street, Daylesford Mon, Tue, Fri & Sat (bookings essential) 0448 605 277

#### www.kadotarestaurant.com.au

Savour a curated menu of beautifully presented Japanese dishes, served in a unique space.



## Koukla 99

Hotel Frangos, 82 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (03) 5348 2363

#### www.hotelfrangos.com.au

Occupying a mid 1800s building in the heart of Daylesford, Hotel Frangos is a boutique hotel, cafe, restaurant, and wine bar.

## Los Fridays Cocina \$\$

4/27 Albert Street, Daylesford Open 7 days / Takeaway available (03) 5348 3888

#### www.losfridayscocina.com.au

Enjoy fresh and feisty Mexican food and cocktails in a relaxed environment.

## Maria's Trattoria \$5

Lavandula Farm, 350 Hepburn-Newstead Road, Hepburn Springs Fri – Tue

mail@lavandula.com.au (no pre-booking)

#### www.lavandula.com.au

Maria's is only accessible on a visit to Lavandula Farm and offers exceptional pizzas.



# Passing Clouds Winery Dining Room \$95

30 Roddas Lane, Musk Fri – Mon (tasting room open 7 days) (03) 5384 5550

#### www.passingclouds.com.au

Passing Cloud's set-price lunch menu consists of a selection of shared starters, meat from the fire pit, seasonal sides, and something sweet to finish.

## Red Ginger Thai **99**

31 Albert Street, Daylesford Wed – Sun / Takeaway available (03) 5348 1163

#### www.redgingerthai.com.au

Red Ginger Thai prides itself on serving authentic Thai cuisine (dine-in or take-away).

# Royal Hotel Daylesford \$5

4/27 Vincent Street, Daylesford Open 7 days 03 5348 2205

#### www.daylesfordroyalhotel.com.au

The Royal Daylesford offers premium accommodation, a sports bar, delicious food, and a relaxed ambience.

## Rubens 99

70 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Open 7 days / Takeaway available (03) 5348 2843

#### www.rubensrestaurant.com

Rubens is a fully licensed restaurant offering Mediterranean-style cuisine (including pizzas) in a friendly atmosphere.

#### Sault Restaurant 999

2349 Ballan-Daylesford Road, Sailors Falls Wed – Sun (03) 5348 6555

#### www.sault.com.au

Upscale eatery Sault serves seasonal Modern Australian dishes in an idyllic rural setting framed by rows of lavender.

## Savoia Hotel 99

69 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Open 7 days 0422 852 548

#### www.savoiahotel.au

Located in the heart of Victoria's spa country, the newly reopened Savoia Hotel offers a mouthwatering menu of pub favourites.

## Shizuko Ryokan **55**

7 Lakeside Drive, Hepburn Springs Open 7 days (bookings only) (03) 5348 2030

#### www.shizuka.com.au

Shizuka Ryokan is renowned for its washoku (authentic Japanese seasonal cuisine).

## Spice of India Restaurant **\$5**

2891 Ballan-Daylesford Road, Daylesford Wed – Mon / Takeaway available 03) 5348 2994

#### www.spiceofindiarestaurant.online

Located in a Swiss chalet-style building, Spice of India serves tasty Indian food.

## Swiss Mountain Hotel **99**

3454 Midland Highway, Blampied Wed – Sun (03) 5345 7006

#### www.swissmountainhotel.com.au

This historic pub dishes up a menu of traditional comfort food with a modern twist.

# Taj Mahal Authentic Indian Restaurant **96**

51 Raglan Street, Daylesford Tues – Sun / Takeaway available (03) 5348 4183

#### www.tajmahalrestaurant.com.au

The Taj serves authentic Indian cuisine, which will draw you back time and time again.

## Lake House \$55

4 King Street, Daylesford Open 7 days (bookings essential) (03) 5348 3329

#### www.lakehouse.com.au

The Lake House's dining room holds two Chefs Hats from the national Good Food Guide and has won multiple awards for its wine cellar and service.

## The Surly Goat **999**

3 Tenth Street, Hepburn Springs Thu – Sat (03) 5348 4628

#### www.thesurlygoat.com.au

Sit down to a set 'prix fixe' multi-course menu, which reflects the kitchen team's passion for seasonality and sustainability.

## The Virgin Kitchen 95

Hotel Bellinzona, 77 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Open 7 days

(03) 5348 2271

#### www.bellinzona.com.au

The Virgin Kitchen's magnificent menu and extensive wine list champion the finest food growers and producers across the region.

# Cafes & Casual Dining

## Bad Habits Cafe **\$6**

The Convent Gallery, 7 Daly Street, Daylesford Thu – Mon (03) 5348 3211

#### www.conventgallery.com.au

Bad Habits Cafe at The Convent serves breakfast, lunch, and afternoon tea. Explore the onsite art gallery afterwards.

## Cafe Lotte 96

97 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Thu – Mon 0456 382 054

#### www.cafelotte.com.au

It may only have been open a few months, but this cute coffee, breakfast, and brunch spot already has a loyal local following and won't fail to impress!

## Chocolate Mill Cafe §

5451 Midland Hwy, Mount Franklin Thu – Tue (03) 5476 4208

#### www.chocmill.com.au

Light bites and hot drinks (including hot chocolate made with 100% Fair Trade Belgian couverture chocolate) are offered at this bushland chocolaterie.



## Cliffy's Emporium **9**€

30 Raglan Street, Daylesford www.cliffysemporium.com.au Open 7 days (03) 5348 3279

#### www.cliffysemporium.com.au

Local produce (including cheese, meat, eggs, oil, honey, and preserves) star on the menu at this local dining institution.

# Daylesford Hot Chocolate Company §

22 Raglan Street, Daylesford Thu – Mon

#### www.daylesfordhotchocolate.com

Settle in for the hot chocolate of a lifetime! They're mixed, melted, and poured using beautiful single origin chocolate.

# Glenlyon General Store **⑤€**

63 Barkly Street, Glenlyon Wed – Mon (03) 5301 8252

#### www.glenlyongeneralstore.com.au

Glenlyon General Store has a long history, as illustrated by the photographs lining the walls. The menu of breaky and brunch faves is tops.

## Harvest Cafe **9**€

29 Albert Street, Daylesford Mon – Sat (03) 5348 1502

## www.facebook.com/daylesfordhealthfood

Harvest Cafe brings you a seasonal and organic menu, with a focus on locally sourced ingredients.

# Hepburn Cafe **S**(

115 Main Road, Hepburn Springs Open 7 days 0422 852 548

## www.hepburncafe.com.au

Enjoy indoor or courtyard dining at this newly opened cafe in the heart of stunning Hepburn Springs.