

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 \$\$\$

3/22-24 Howe 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.

Daylesford Brewing Co \$\$\$

97 Vincent Street, Daylesford

Fri – Tue

(03) 7037 5015

www.daylesfordbrewingco.com.au

The dining menu at this relaxed venue has been designed to complement their range of beers. The quickly-becoming-infamous lamb ribs are must-try.

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 \$\$\$

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-packed share plates.

Winespeake Cellar + Deli \$\$\$

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 \$\$\$

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

Dining & Takeaway Guide



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



@visithepburnshire

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Restaurants & Pubs

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 \$\$

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 \$\$\$

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.



Bistro Terroir

Boathouse Restaurant \$\$\$

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

www.boathousedaylesford.com.au

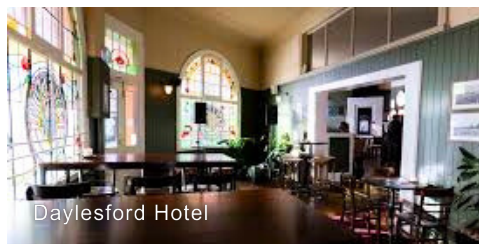
Located on the banks of Lake Daylesford with exquisite water views, the Boathouse offers a sophisticated lunch and dinner menu.

Daylesford Bowling Club \$\$

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.



Daylesford Hotel

Farmers Arms Hotel \$\$

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.

Cafes & Casual Dining

Wombat Hill House \$€

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/boltonstakeaway
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.

Bakeries & Takeaways

Fresh Orange Life \$

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 \$

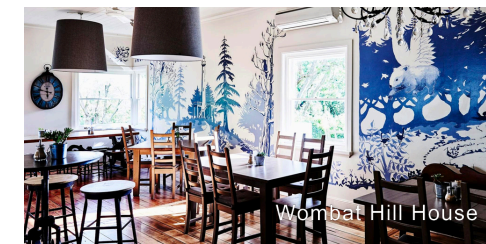
73 Vincent Street, Daylesford
Open 7 days
(03) 5348 1267
www.himalayacafe.au
This busy venue bakes organic sourdough bread and serves a large range of vegetarian and vegan snacks. Some meat options are also available.

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 \$€

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.



Wombat Hill House

Cafes & Casual Dining

Hepburn General Store \$

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 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 \$\$

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 \$€

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 \$

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 \$\$

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

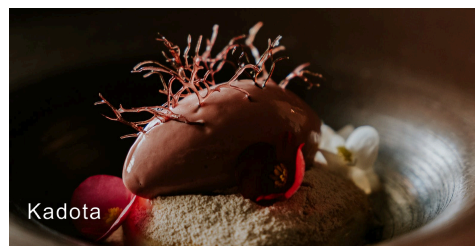
Jackie's on Vincent serves an array of dishes reflective of Chef Jackie's Chinese heritage.

Kadota Restaurant \$\$\$

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

www.kadotareastaurant.com.au

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



Koukla \$\$

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.

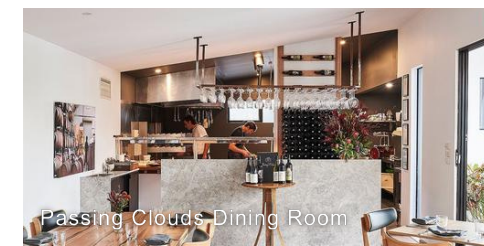
Maria's Trattoria \$\$

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 \$\$\$

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 \$\$

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).

Restaurants & Pubs

Royal Hotel Daylesford \$\$

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 \$\$

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 \$\$\$

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 \$\$

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 mouth-watering menu of pub favourites.

Shizuko Ryokan \$\$

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 \$\$

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 \$\$

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 \$\$

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 \$\$\$

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 \$\$\$

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.

Restaurants & Pubs

The Virgin Kitchen \$\$

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 €€

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.

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 €€

30 Raglan Street, Daylesford
www.cliffysemposium.com.au
Open 7 days
(03) 5348 3279
www.cliffysemposium.com.au
Local produce (including cheese, meat, eggs, oil, honey, and preserves) star on the menu at this local dining institution.



Cliffy's Emporium

Cafes & Casual Dining

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.

Enki Apothecary €

77 Vincent Street, Daylesford
Wed – Mon
0490 182 318
www.enki.au
Drop into this popular elixir bar for fine and certified organic coffee, ceremonial cacao, and teas.

Glenlyon General Store €€

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 €€

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 €€

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.