
MEETINGS & EVENTS
Meet. Play. Stay.
SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS
Local Vineyards | Paddock to Plate Dining | Unique Experiences

Welcome to
Our Backyard
SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS



Easily accessible within a **90-minute drive from Sydney or Canberra**, the Southern Highlands is equipped with modern business facilities to host small to medium conferences, exclusive events, and executive retreats. With seamless connectivity, exceptional venues, and bespoke experiences, is the ultimate destination for inspiration, motivation, education, and relaxation.

The region is a destination offering the perfect blend of sophistication and countryside tranquillity for corporate events, conferences, and meetings. With a range of exceptional venues, the region combines modern amenities with authentic Australian charm, creating an unparalleled environment for productivity and connection.

Trade conventional meeting spaces for unique and inspiring locations: rustic barns, boutique wineries, historic manor estates or manicured English gardens. Enhance your agenda with team-building activities such as golf, canoeing, wine and spirit crafting, gourmet cooking schools, truffle hunting, mushroom foraging, and native animal encounters. Enjoy fireside gatherings, farm-to-table dining, high teas, or even a touch of indulgence with canapés and bubbles.

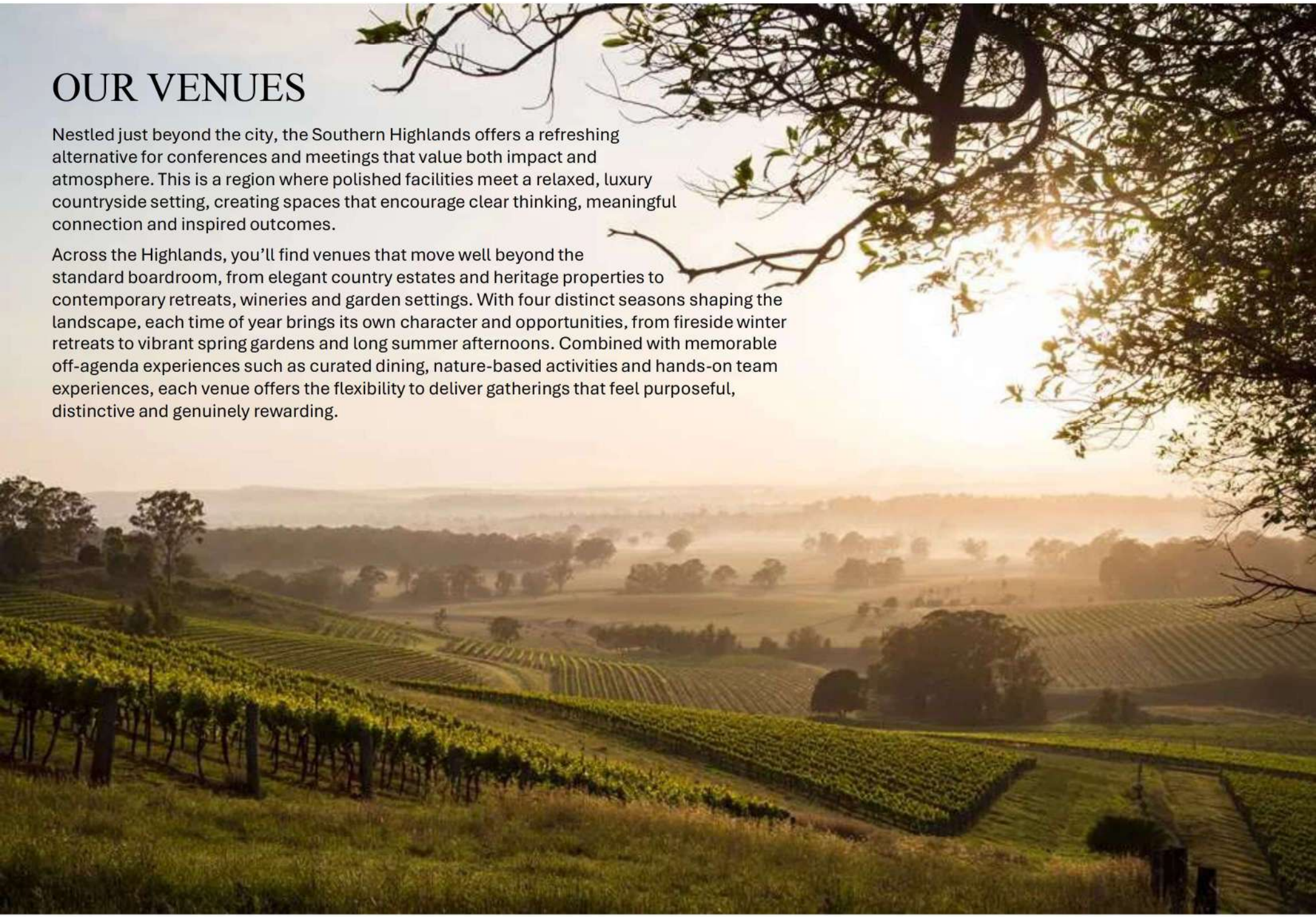
Boasting four distinct seasons, the region offers a stunning backdrop year-round. Revel in the vibrant blossoms of spring, verdant summer pastures and cascading waterfalls, the fiery hues of autumn foliage, or the cozy warmth of winter fireplaces.



OUR VENUES

Nestled just beyond the city, the Southern Highlands offers a refreshing alternative for conferences and meetings that value both impact and atmosphere. This is a region where polished facilities meet a relaxed, luxury countryside setting, creating spaces that encourage clear thinking, meaningful connection and inspired outcomes.

Across the Highlands, you'll find venues that move well beyond the standard boardroom, from elegant country estates and heritage properties to contemporary retreats, wineries and garden settings. With four distinct seasons shaping the landscape, each time of year brings its own character and opportunities, from fireside winter retreats to vibrant spring gardens and long summer afternoons. Combined with memorable off-agenda experiences such as curated dining, nature-based activities and hands-on team experiences, each venue offers the flexibility to deliver gatherings that feel purposeful, distinctive and genuinely rewarding.








OVERVIEW

An elegant country estate positioned in the most tranquil country setting, Peppers Manor House offers simple pleasures and an escape from city life.

A distinguished conferencing destination, Peppers Manor House provides a charming setting in the Southern Highlands with sprawling countryside, home grown produce and decadent dining. Delegates will have the tranquillity and space for concentrated focus in a warm and captivating environment, perfect for your next business conference or corporate event.

Providing total immersion in the country way of life, our historic retreat has been carefully restored and preserved in a timeless fashion, reminiscent of a bygone era. Your delegates will experience the feeling of nostalgia as they're transported to a time when High Tea in the Great Hall and croquet in the gardens was a popular pastime.

Look no further for an authentic Australian country house experience, with all of the modern comforts you require along with outstanding business facilities, providing the ideal conference venue.

Number of Accommodation Rooms: 43

PEPPERS MANOR HOUSE SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS

Celebrated | Charming | Impressive

Hotel Accommodation and Conference Facilities

Restaurant | Golf Course | Pool | Helipad

PROPERTY FEATURES

Accessibility Facilities
AV Equipment (projector, speakers)
Equipment Hire
On-site Catering

EVENT TYPES

Function / Dinner
Multi-Day Conference
Product Launch
Single Day Meeting
Incentive Travel Reward Program
Exhibition / Trade Show

CONFERENCE ROOMS: 5

Banquet	250
Cocktail	300
Theatre	200

YOUR Southern Highlands EXPERIENCE

We understand the importance of strengthening both work and social relationships. It's the 1-2 punch that if fostered correctly, produces cohesiveness, teamwork, efficiency and a sense of belonging - all of which are integral aspects to a high functioning & productive team. With the many events held in the Southern Highlands over the years here's just some of the amazing experiences and teambuilding activities our delegates have loved.















Offsite

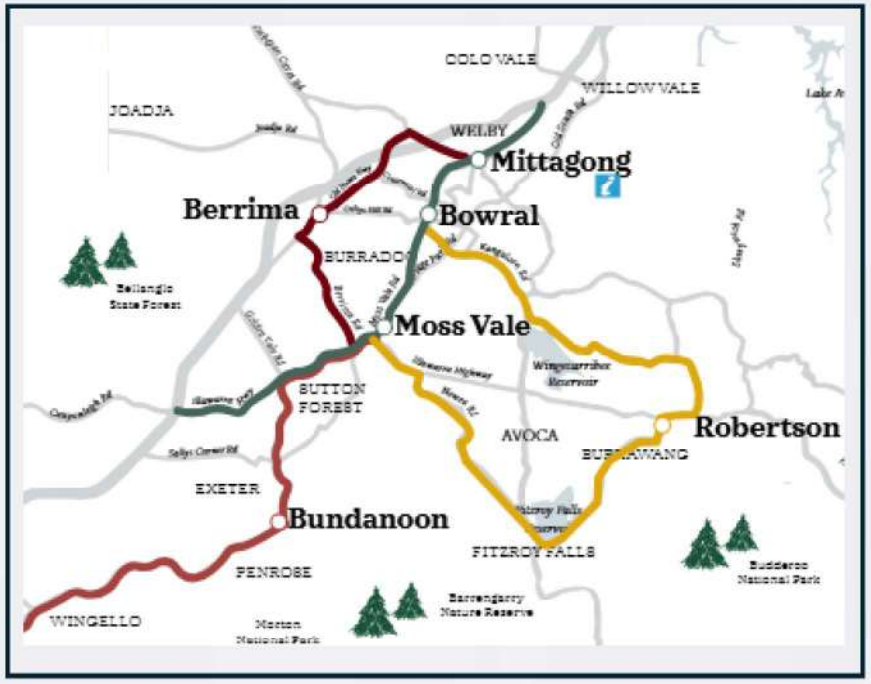
12 Cellar Door Experiences
8 Golf Courses
Illawarra Fly
Bowral Honey Farm
Mushroom Tunnel & Foraging
Millsheds Distillery Gin Blending
Bradman Cricket Museum
Chocolate on Purpose
Moonacres Cooking School
Flower Farms
Highland Cow Experiences
Truffle Hunts
Dark Sky Experiences
Outdoor Fire Feasts
Canoeing & Fly Fishing
Regen Farm Tours & Produce
Guided Bushwalking & Foraging
Canoes & Canapes
Forest Bathing
Indigenous Outdoor Experiences
Day on the Green Outdoor Concerts

Onsite

Celebrity Chef cooking classes
Honey Tastings
Local Wine Tasting
Local Food Immersions
Gin Blending & Tastings
Food, Wine & Spirit Experiences
Native Animal Encounters
Local Cheese & Produce Tastings
Hand Poured Candle Making

On your plate

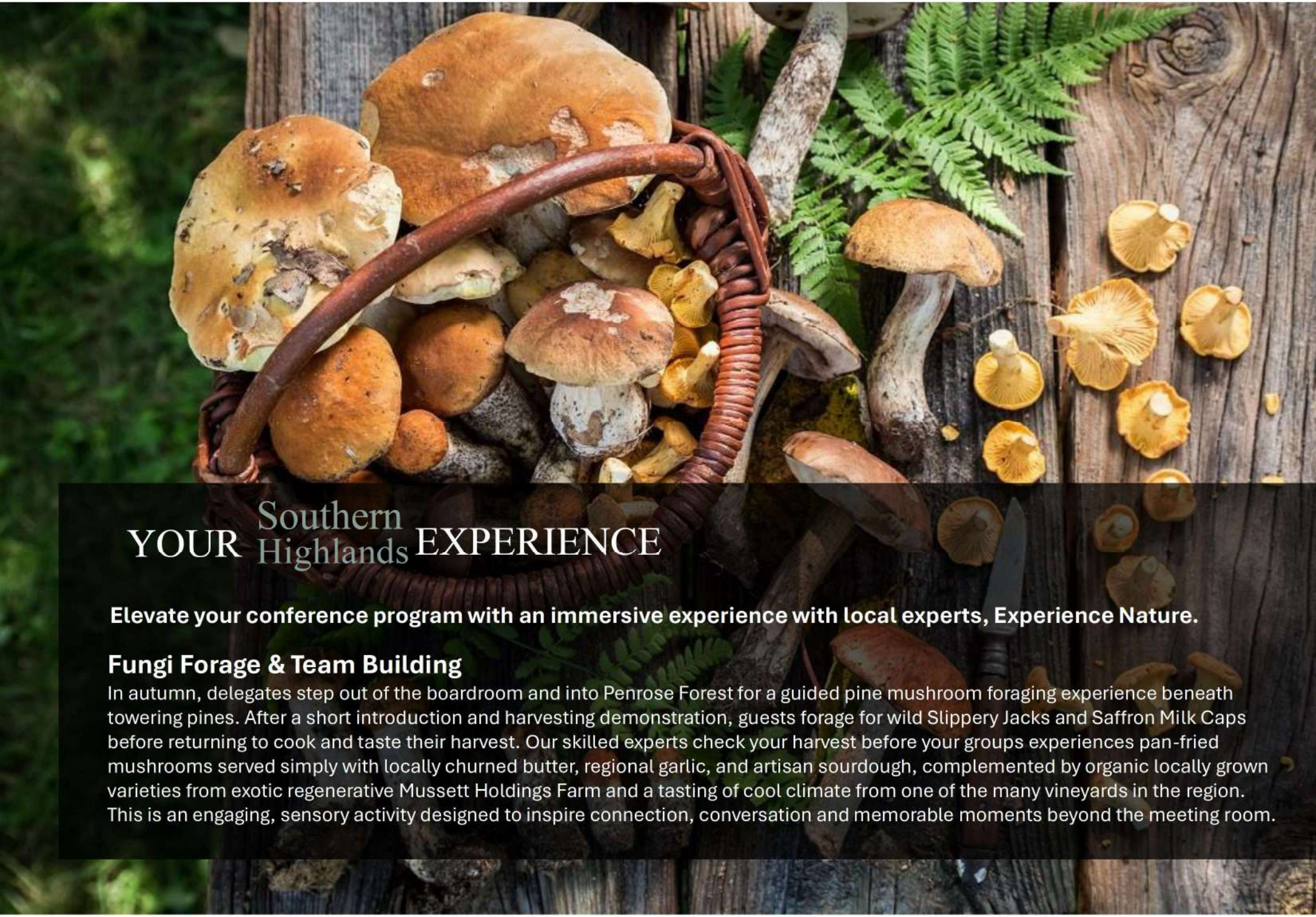
The Southern Highlands is a foodies' smorgasbord. From paddock to plate and fine fare to great pub grub served in front of a roaring winter fireplace, in an atmospheric contemporary restaurant or outside in a barn with sweeping paddock views, our region is rich and abundant with fresh seasonal produce, so we like to keep things local. Our venues source from local businesses to bring the Southern Highlands's finest produce right to your table. Be it wine, honey, spirits, grass fed meats, organic vegetables, cheese, chocolate, truffles or our locally baked breads and pastries, we gather the best local flavours to provide a unique local experience.











YOUR Southern Highlands EXPERIENCE

Elevate your conference program with an immersive experience with local experts, Experience Nature.

Fungi Forage & Team Building

In autumn, delegates step out of the boardroom and into Penrose Forest for a guided pine mushroom foraging experience beneath towering pines. After a short introduction and harvesting demonstration, guests forage for wild Slippery Jacks and Saffron Milk Caps before returning to cook and taste their harvest. Our skilled experts check your harvest before your groups experiences pan-fried mushrooms served simply with locally churned butter, regional garlic, and artisan sourdough, complemented by organic locally grown varieties from exotic regenerative Mussett Holdings Farm and a tasting of cool climate from one of the many vineyards in the region. This is an engaging, sensory activity designed to inspire connection, conversation and memorable moments beyond the meeting room.

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Nature Walk with Wine Tasting with local experts, Experience Nature.

Designed as a seamless off-site experience for conference programs, this guided nature walk offers delegates a restorative break in the Southern Highlands' most scenic landscapes in Morton
National Park mixing nature, food and wine together. Participants explore easy-grade walking tracks with escarpment views, waterfalls, native wildlife and pristine bushland, led by knowledgeable local guides. After the walk, guests unwind with a curated grazing table showcasing the best of the Southern Highlands and wine tasting whilst taking ion the view over the valley. Enjoy artisan sourdough, local cheeses and olives, fresh fruit, nuts, free-range cured meats and locally made sweet treats, paired with a tasting of two to three cool-climate regional wines.—an engaging, low-impact activity that encourages connection, informal networking and a strong sense of place beyond the conference venue. Breathe in the fresh air.



YOUR Southern Highlands EXPERIENCE

Canoes, Cool-Climate Wines & Canapés carefully crafted by Experience Nature.

Set against the waterways of Berrima Village or Tallowa Dam in Kangaroo Valley, this relaxed outdoor experience invites delegates to connect beyond the meeting room. Guests paddle in stable, custom-built double canoes, offering effortless exploration and uninterrupted views of native birdlife and riverside landscapes. Along the way, enjoy curated canapés showcasing local Southern Highlands produce, paired with award-winning cool-climate wines from the region. Guided by experienced hosts, this immersive experience blends nature, regional flavour and gentle adventure—ideal for fostering conversation, connection and a lasting sense of place. Take in the waterways of the region.



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Immersive Nature & Dining Experiences Beyond the Ordinary hosted by Scribbly Farm

Set within native Australian bushland, expansive open spaces create a setting designed to break away from the ordinary, showcasing nature, starlit skies & premium comforts. In collaboration with local growers, winemakers & producers, we deliver engaging, high-impact immersive experiences that celebrate the Southern Highlands. From Farm-to-Fire regenerative dining, Indigenous chocolate tasting, cooking classes and wine blending, to stargazing, guided night walks, wellness experiences and traditional team building. Sustainability & wellbeing sit at the heart of everything we do, helping businesses meet modern delegate expectations. Full concierge support ensures seamless logistics & bespoke itinerary design.

Crafting boutique, money-can't-buy experiences is our specialty. If you're looking to create something truly memorable, talk to us.

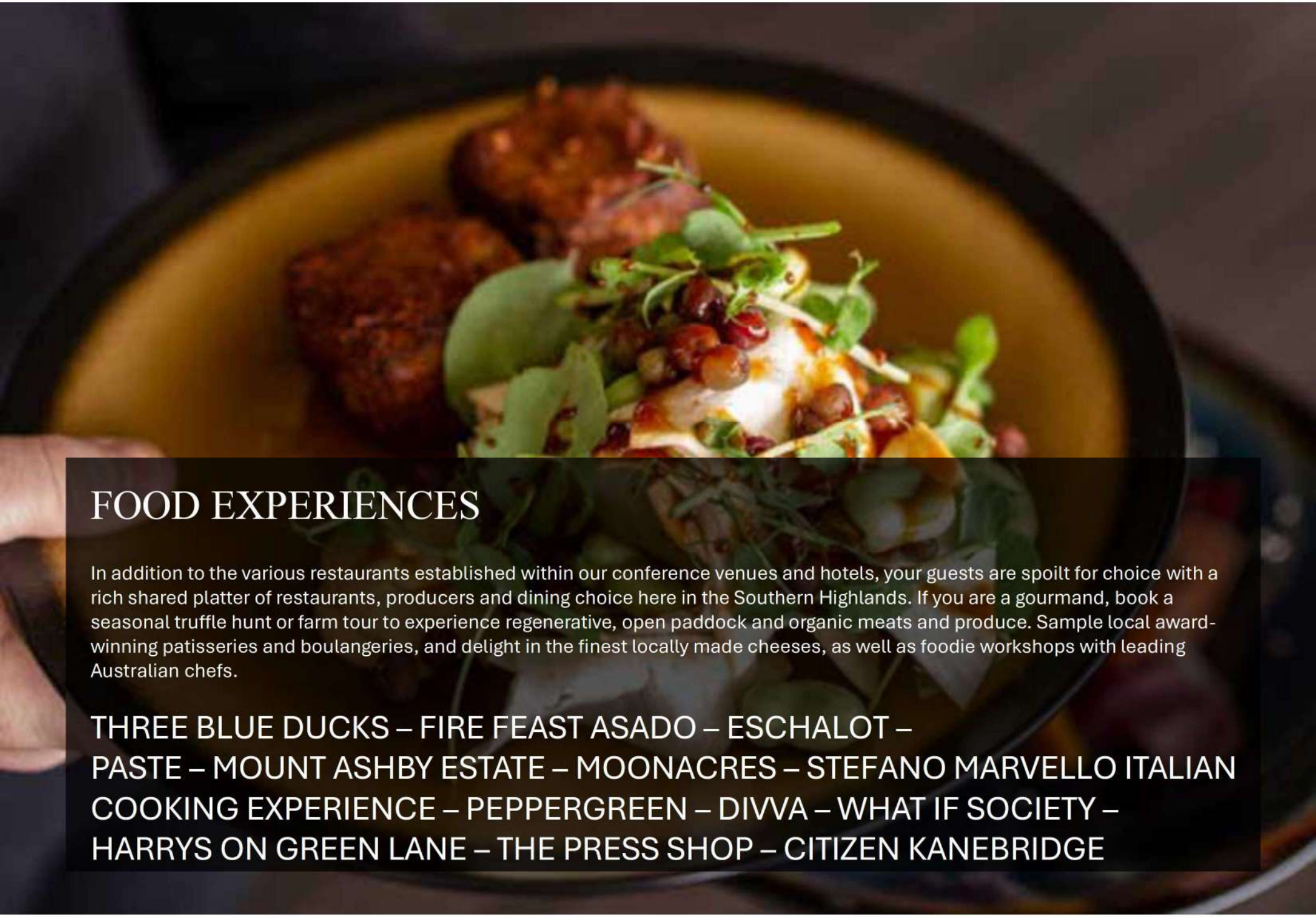




CELLAR DOOR EXPERIENCES

The Southern Highlands is the largest wine-growing and spirit distillery region with the closest proximity to Sydney or Canberra. Our cellar doors offer bespoke experiences delivered on-site or at your conference venue.

ARTEMIS VINEYARDS – BENDOOLEY ESTATE – CENTENNIAL VINEYARDS – DAWNING DAY WINES – PEPPERGREEN ESTATE – ST MAUR WINES – CHERRY TREE HILL VINEYARD – SONDARA ESTATE – TRACTORLESS VINEYARDS - JOADJA DISTILLERY – SOHI DISTILLERY – MILLSHEDS DISTILLERY – EDEN BREWERY



FOOD EXPERIENCES

In addition to the various restaurants established within our conference venues and hotels, your guests are spoilt for choice with a rich shared platter of restaurants, producers and dining choice here in the Southern Highlands. If you are a gourmand, book a seasonal truffle hunt or farm tour to experience regenerative, open paddock and organic meats and produce. Sample local award-winning patisseries and boulangeries, and delight in the finest locally made cheeses, as well as foodie workshops with leading Australian chefs.

THREE BLUE DUCKS – FIRE FEAST ASADO – ESCHALOT – PASTE – MOUNT ASHBY ESTATE – MOONACRES – STEFANO MARVELLO ITALIAN COOKING EXPERIENCE – PEPPERGREEN – DIVVA – WHAT IF SOCIETY – HARRYS ON GREEN LANE – THE PRESS SHOP – CITIZEN KANEBRIDGE

YOUR Southern Highlands EVENT

The Southern Highlands is truly a year-round venue with each season offering something special for everyone. From crisp winter nights encouraging guests to get cosy next to a roaring fire to the colourful backdrops of Spring and Autumn through those balmy Summer days where blue skies offer a perfect backdrop.



SPRING

Vibrant Colours & Blooms

September – October – November

Average temperatures
Sept 6-13°c, Oct 6-19°c, Nov 10-19°c



SUMMER

Warm Days & Longer Nights

December – January - February

Average temperatures
Dec 11-24°c, Jan 13-26°c, Feb 14-39°c



AUTUMN

Stunning backdrops of reds, golds and orange trees

March – April - May

Average temperatures
Mar 13-25°c, Apr 10-20°c, May 7-16°c



WINTER

Warm Fires & Crisp Days

June – July - August

Average temperatures
Jun 3-12°c, Jul 2-11°c, Aug 6-12°c


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