

COCKATOO ISLAND NYE 2019 — CAMPING

Dear Campers,

Congratulations on securing your Cockatoo Island campsite for NYE 2019. **Please read the following information carefully** — it's your go-to guide with everything you need to know about NYE on Cockatoo Island. The celebrations will continue rain, hail or shine.

BRING YOUR TICKET AND ID

On 31 December, the island will be closed to the general public, so you will need your ticket to gain entry. Wrist bands will be issued on your arrival and must be worn while you're on Cockatoo Island.

Have you booked your parking and shuttle transfer? Please contact Outix on 1800 068 849 to purchase.



CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES

31 December check-in is from **9.00am-4:00pm**. All sites must be set up by **6.00pm**.

All sites must be checked-out and vacated by **12.00pm** on New Year's Day.

Inclusions	CAMPING PACKAGE (WOOLWICH VIEW)	DELUXE PACKAGE (WOOLWICH VIEW)	DELUXE PACKAGE (CITY VIEW)	DELUXE WATERFRONT PACKAGE (WOOLWICH VIEW)	DELUXE WATERFRONT TWO BEDROOM PACKAGE (WOOLWICH VIEW)
Dome tent	✓ 2.4m x 2.4m tent	✓ 2.4m x 2.4m tent	✓ 2.4m x 2.4m tent	✓ 3m x 3m tent	✓ Two 3m x 3m tents with covered communal area
Bedding	✓ Two sleeping mats	✓ Two raised single beds	✓ Two raised single beds	✓ Two raised single beds	✓ Four raised single beds
Seating	✓ Two camping chairs	✓ Two camping chairs	✓ Two camping chairs	✓ Two sun lounges	✓ Four sun lounges
Linen, quilts, pillows and towels	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓
Esky and lantern	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓
Side table	✗	✓	✗	✓	✓
Toiletries	✗	✓	✗	✓	✓
Max number of guests	3 Adults or 2 adults and 2 small children (extra mats can be hired)	2 people	2 people	2 people (3 max)*	4 people (6 max)*

***Note:** The Deluxe Waterfront Package (Woolwich View) can accommodate up to 1 additional person and the Deluxe Waterfront Two Bedroom Package (Woolwich View) can accommodate up to 2 additional people. We will provide additional guests with sleeping mats, pillows and towels; however, they must supply their own sleeping bags.

HIRE EQUIPMENT

Camp chairs, sleeping mats and pillows are available for hire subject to availability.

CAMP SITE ALLOCATION

BYO tents

- Sites for BYO tents will be allocated **sequentially**, as people arrive. If you're part of a bigger group booked under different names, please plan to arrive together so you can be sited together (provided all tickets are presented).

Pre-erected camping and glamping tents

- Our pre-erected camping and glamping tents will be allocated before you arrive. If you have booked more than one tent under one name, you will automatically be placed together. If you'd like to be with friends or family booked under a different name please email us at stay@cockatooisland.gov.au by 22 December with your ticket details.
- When checking out, please clean out your tents, and remember to take all rubbish with you. Place all equipment back as you found it, and zip up doors and windows. Don't forget to return anything you've hired to the Visitor Centre.

CATCHING THE FERRY TO COCKATOO ISLAND

If you haven't pre-purchased car parking tickets, using public transport is your best option to get to a ferry, as parking around wharves may be congested. Please check with the local council regarding NYE clearway restrictions around your preferred departure point.

- Please check the latest timetable information at **transportnsw.info**
- Plan your travel remembering that 31 December will be very busy, and ferries will be running to a Saturday schedule. Ferry access to the island will be limited after 4:00pm (and sometimes earlier) on NYE, due to harbour exclusion zones.
- To ensure a smooth ferry transfer, it is advised that campers pack light as the ferry will not wait for late comers.

PRE-PURCHASED PARKING AND SHUTTLE TRANSFER VOUCHER

The chartered ferry service is only available to campers with pre-purchased car parking tickets.

Each voucher entitles the holder to:

- One car spot in our Horse Paddock parking area in Woolwich (Google Maps); and
- Return ferry shuttle service for **up to six people** between the parking area and Cockatoo Island.

Police will be blocking off the streets around Hunters Hill from Burns Bay Road off-ramp and Church Street from 1pm.

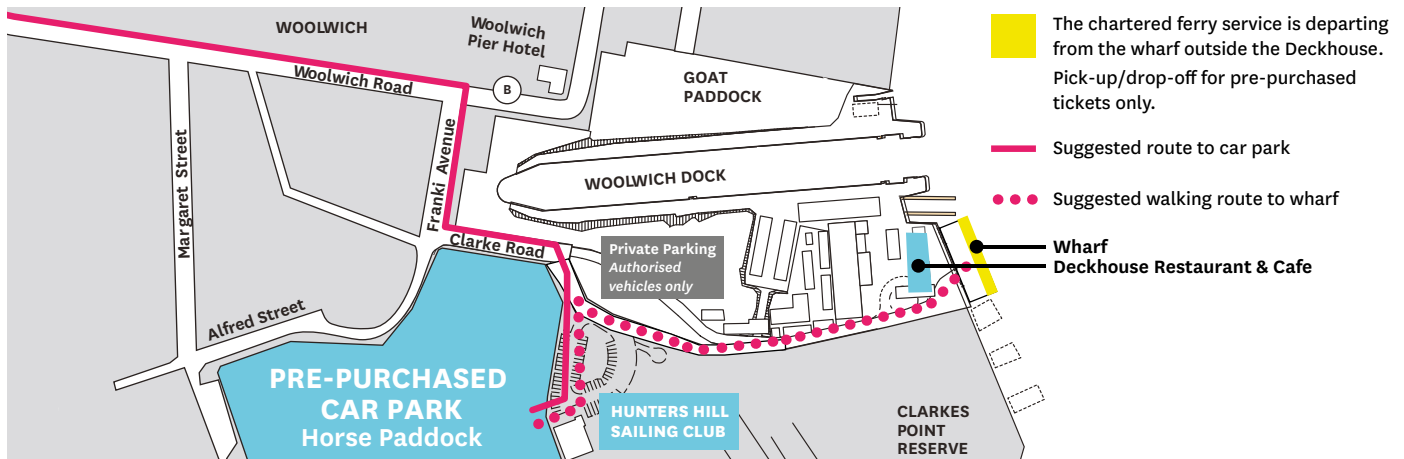
You will need to show your car parking ticket to gain entry.

Please ensure you have your parking voucher displayed on your dashboard, as road access will be restricted and only parking ticket holders will be allowed entry.

The chartered ferry service will be operating from the wharf located in front of the Deckhouse Restaurant & Cafe at Woolwich Dock — just a short walk from the car parking area (during these times only):

31 December: 9am – 3pm

1 January: 7am – 12pm (only from Cockatoo Island back to Woolwich parking area)



! THINGS TO REMEMBER

Ticketing and Identification

- Print out your ticket and bring it with you to be scanned for entry.
- The ticket holder (the person whose name on the campsite ticket) must show ID on arrival. No ticket and ID — no entry.
- All guests must have a general admission ticket to access the island. A campsite ticket is not a general admission ticket. No ticket and ID — no entry.
- ID will be required if you wish to purchase alcohol. You'll be able to enjoy a drink by your tent, or at the picnic areas on the Eastern Apron.
- The event will continue in all weather conditions except in the case of extreme weather. Refunds due to poor weather or cancellations of fireworks are not possible.
- Bushfire smoke continues to affect greater Sydney and as a consequence air quality has been deteriorating. For most people, smoke causes mild symptoms like sore eyes, nose and throat. The Harbour Trust wishes to advise that participating in the New Year's Eve program on Cockatoo Island may not be suitable for people with existing lung and heart conditions like asthma, emphysema and angina. People with such conditions should follow their medical action plans and seek medical advice if they are concerned.

Campers Amenities

- You'll need to supply all your own cooking utensils, cutlery and plates if you're planning to use our camp kitchen.
- There are showers located in the City View, Woolwich View & Slipway Precincts.
- There is a limited supply of stretchers, chairs and camping mats for hire.

Prohibited Items

- No alcohol can be brought to the island. Bag searches will be conducted at the check-in point (penalties apply) and alcohol confiscated.
- Just a reminder amplified music, naked flames, fireworks, portable BBQs, compressed liquid or gas containers, beach umbrellas (as well as any other structures such as gazebos) pets, skateboards, drones, fishing lines or roller blades are not permitted on the island.

Amenities & Services

- Bring cash — there is no ATM on Cockatoo Island and no 'cash outs'. Limited EFTPOS is available at food vendors.
- A limited number of coin-operated lockers are available at the Muster Station with 3-point plugs.
- For campers bring your own lock to secure your tent.
- Bring hats and sunscreen. There is a limited supply of toiletries, ponchos and biodegradable kitchenware packs for sale.
- Ice is available — \$7 per 5kg bag from the Visitor Centre.
- The Upper Island will be closed to campers at 7pm or as directed by security.

THINGS TO SEE AND DO

9 am
10 am
11 am
12 pm
1 pm
2 pm
3 pm
4 pm
5 pm
6 pm
7 pm
8 pm
9 pm
10 pm
11 pm
12 am
1 am





Escape Attempts
11 am – 12 pm
TOUR

Convict Precinct
12:15 – 1:15 pm
TOUR

Crooked Characters
1 – 2 pm
HISTORY PROGRAM

Crooked Characters
3 – 4 pm
HISTORY PROGRAM




Escape Attempts
3:45 – 4:45 pm
TOUR

Convict Precinct
5 – 6 pm
TOUR

Steam Crane Demonstrations
11 am – 4 pm
TOUR

Sandstone to Steel
2 – 3:30 pm
TOUR

Photo Booth on Eastern Apron
4 – 8 pm
ALL AGES ACTIVITY

Kate Wadey
1 – 2 pm
MUSIC

Dumby (PG)
12 – 2 pm
MOVIE

Darryl Beaton
2:15 – 3:15 pm
MUSIC

Kiddo Disco
3:30 – 4:15 pm
MUSIC

Aladdin (PG)
2 – 4 pm
MOVIE

The Lion King (PG)
4 – 6 pm
MOVIE

The Greatest Showman (PG)
6 – 8 pm
MOVIE

Toy Story 4 (G)
8 – 10 pm
MOVIE

Evie J Willie
4:30 – 6:30 pm
MUSIC

Kate Monroe
7 pm – 1 am
MUSIC

Party hat and mask decorating and colouring in sheets
CRAFT ACTIVITY

Table Tennis and Handball
ALL AGES ACTIVITY

Face Painting and Glitter Tattoo
CRAFT ACTIVITY



HISTORICAL TOURS

Convict Escape Attempts

In this 60 minute tour your guide will give you insight into what it would have been like to be a convict on Cockatoo Island. Discover the stories of failed and successful escape attempts by the convicts that lived on the island in the 1800's.

Convict Precinct Tour

During the Convict Precinct Tour, your guide will lead you through the turbulent history of the island's former penal establishment, stopping at iconic landmarks including the Mess Hall, Barracks, Guardhouse, Military Officers Quarters and Solitary Confinement Cells. You'll also hear about the history of the island's former shipbuilding yard, industrial school for girls and reformatory.

From Sandstone to Steel

This general history tour charts the changing face of Cockatoo Island. As you visit key landmarks, our guide will reveal how they fit into the island's historical narrative. They will also share anecdotes about a colourful cast of real-life characters.

Crooked Characters (fun for kids)

This 60-minute guided tour, will take you and your family on a hilarious and fascinating journey through the island's colonial history. Our guides – master storytellers that they are – will tell tales and sing songs that vividly bring to life a colourful cast of real-life characters, from petty criminals through to notorious bushrangers and true-blue ruffians.

LIVE MUSIC

Kate Wadey

Kate Wadey is one of Australia's best kept Jazz secrets but not for long. She has a wonderfully rich and warm voice, coupled with a vocal range, sophistication and innate swing that belie her youth. Imbued with emotion, yet technically masterful, these interpretations are destined to hold their own among the greats.

Darryl Beaton

Darryl Beaton is a multi-instrumentalist who has lent his talents to the likes of Kanye West and Katie Noonan – will explore an eclectic range of musical disciplines from funk, jazz, reggae and gospel through to Latin, rock, hip hop, and soul.

Evie J Willie

Evie J Willie will sing her way through a roots, reggae, blues and acoustic soul set that showcases her warm nature, powerful resonance, and Aboriginal & NiVanuatu roots.

Kate Monroe

The celebrated 'First Lady of House' DJ Kate Monroe will help usher in 2020 with a beat-fuelled set that'll have you dancing against the backdrop of Sydney Harbour's iconic NYE fireworks.

STILL HAVE QUESTIONS?

Please contact us at stay@cockatooisland.gov.au or visit cockatooisland.gov.au

Book historical
tours at the
Visitors Centre
on NYE



VISITOR CENTRE

- Equipment hire
- General information
- Free tour information (bookings and meeting point)

1 Children's Precinct Convict Workshops

2 Bar Naval Store

3 Historic steam crane demonstrations Docks Precinct (3a and 3b)

4 Wolverine Cinema Industrial Precinct

5 Entertainment Precinct Eastern Apron

6 Shipyard Stories exhibition Biloela House

7 Fireworks viewing

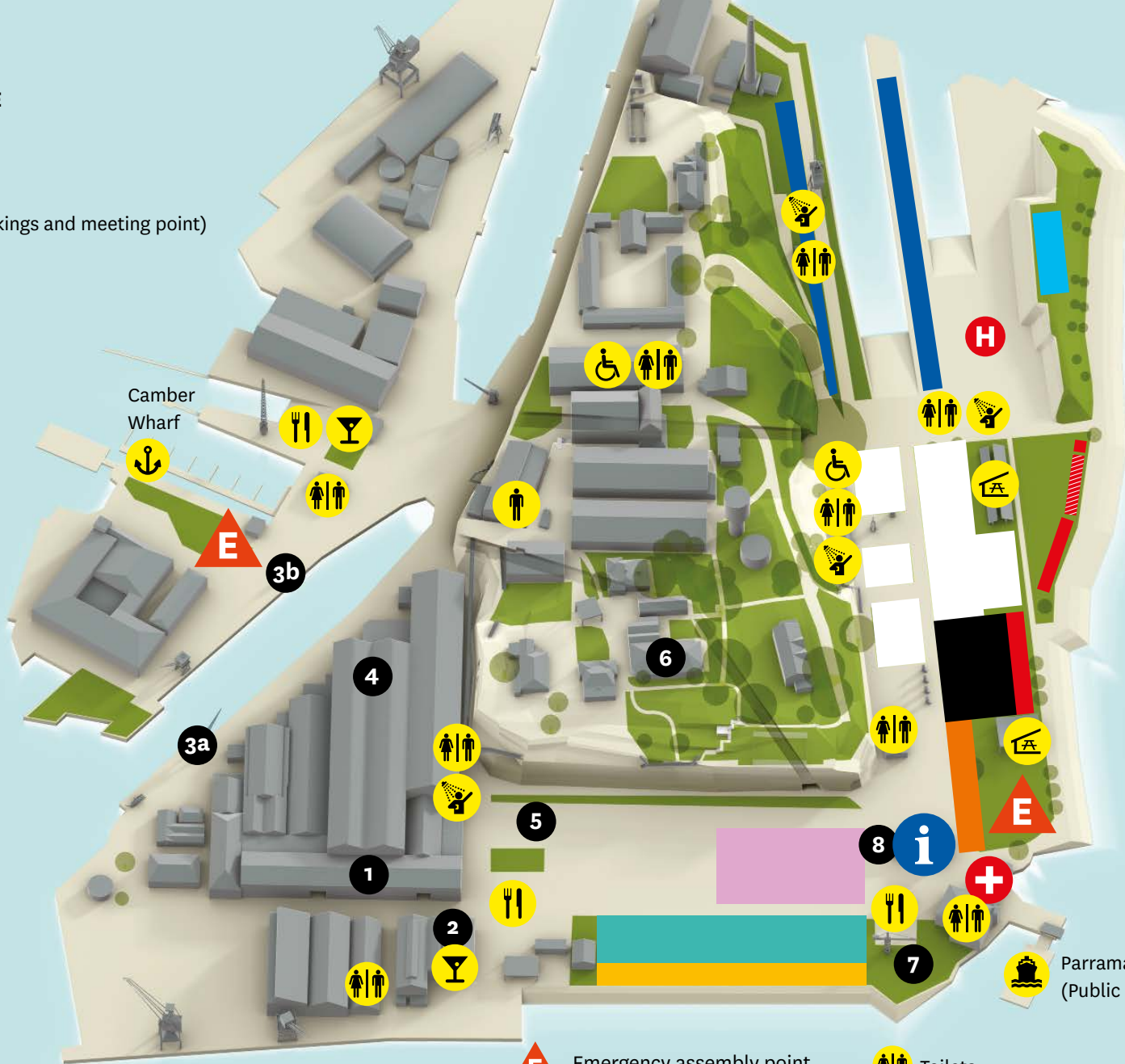
8 Historical tours meeting point

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY





Call 000, indicating you are on Cockatoo Island in Sydney Harbour & inform the operator of the nature of the incident.

Inform a Ranger or Security of the incident:




Ranger 0434 652 153 (8 am – 4 pm) | **Security** 0433 632 791 (4 pm – 8 am)





Woolwich View

-  Deluxe Camping
-  Camping Package
-  Waterfront Deluxe Camping
-  Waterfront Deluxe Camping (2 bedrooms)


City View


-  Deluxe Camping
-  BYO Waterfront (4 and 6 persons)
-  BYO (4 and 6 persons)


Slipway Precinct

-  BYO
-  BYO (6 persons)

Memorial Park


-  BYO Camping (6 persons)

 Emergency assembly point


 First Aid

 Heli pad


 Toilets

 Accessible toilets

 Showers

 Food and beverage outlets

 Bar

 Campground Kitchen/BBQs

Please note: Access to the upper island will be locked down at 7 pm on 31 December.

Please note: If there is a total fire ban the steam cranes will not be in operation.

FOOD AND BEVERAGE OPTIONS

Marina Café & Bar and Societé Overboard will have a wonderful section of food and beverage options. Here is a sample of what will be on offer.



MARINA CAFÉ & BAR

EST. 2013

Beer Garden

Wood Fired Pizza by Charlie's Traditional Wood fire Pizza from \$15

BBQ

Skewers and Salad

\$15

Flame grilled **chicken** or **beef** skewers (3) marinated with lemon and pepper, served with 2 salads of your choice.

Salad Bowl (Vegetarian)

\$15

Your choice of **any** salads combination

- Creamy Coleslaw (Gluten Free).
- Black rice salad with coconut and cranberry (Vegan, Dairy Free).
- Rocket salad Spanish onion, white wine vinegar and herbed olive oil (Vegan, Gluten Free).
- Potato Salad with sour cream and herbs.

Snack Bar

Ice Creams

Drumstick

\$4

Vanilla or Chocolate.

Life Saver or Frosty Fruit

\$4

Milo Cups

\$5

Premium Connoisseur Ice Creams

\$6

Vanilla and Almond with Himalayan Salted Chocolate, Tasmanian Strawberries with Cream, Wattleseed and Hazelnut.

Popcorn

\$5

Medium bag.

Soft Drink

\$4

Coke, Coke Zero, Solo or Lemonade.

Water

\$4

Still – 300mls bottle.

Capi Sparkling Mineral Water.

Wine & Oyster Bar

Sparkling

Bottle

Glass

Yarra Burn Prosecco, VIC

\$38

\$10

Arras Brut Elite NV, TAS

\$65

\$16

Wine on tap

Bottle

Glass

Days of Rose, SA

\$38

\$10

Dusky Sounds, Sauvignon Blanc, NZ

\$38

\$10

St Hallett's Garden of Eden, Shiraz

\$45

\$12

Tatachilla Wines,

Bottle

Glass

South Eastern Australia

\$38

\$10

NV Brut (Sparkling)

Chardonnay

Sauvignon Blanc

Shiraz Cabernet

Aperol Spritz

Glass

Yarra Burn Prosecco, Aperol, Soda Water over ice with a slice of orange

\$12

Frozen Margarita

Glass

Strawberry or Lemon

\$14

Oysters — \$4 each | \$22 for ½ dozen (6) | \$40 for 1 dozen (12)

Add your own condiments at the Oyster Bar — choose from:

1. Fresh Lemon
2. Tabasco
3. Red wine and Spanish onion vinaigrette
4. Salsa Verde

Gourmet Cheese Grazing Box

\$28

Willow Grove Double Blue, Creamy Brie and Vintage Cheddar, Fresh and Dried Fruit, Maggie Beer Quince Paste, Marinated Olives, Sour Pickles, Walnuts, Spicy Salami, with Dried Cracker box.

SOCIÉTÉ OVERBOARD



THE FOOD HUT

Angus Beef Burger \$15
Angus beef patty, lettuce, cheese, grilled onion with smoky BBQ aioli.

Chicken Burger \$15
BBQ Chicken breast, avocado, lettuce, cheese, tomato with aioli.

Cheeseburger \$15
Beef patty, pickles, cheese, raw onion with mustard and tomato sauce.

Asian Vermicelli Salad \$15
Vegan / gluten free / dairy free.

Thai Beef Salad \$15
Gluten free / dairy free.

Shredded Chicken and Noodle Salad \$15
Gluten free / dairy free.

Soft Tacos \$15
With meat or vegetarian fillings (build your own) 10 inch tortilla.

Nachos \$15
With meat or vegetarian fillings.

CAFÉ

Hot Chips \$7.50

Fish and Chips \$17.50
Tempura battered fish served with chips, tartare and lemon.

Tenders and Chips (childs serve) \$10.50
Crumbed chicken tenderloins served with chips.

Seafood Basket \$17.50
Tempura Fish, Crumbed Squid Rings, Crumbed Prawn Cutlets, Tempura Surimi Bites, Crumbed Surimi Scallop, served with chips and lemon and Tartare Sauce.

THE BAR

Rosé and Red	Bottle	Glass
Rhythm & Rhyme Rosé	\$40	\$10
Estandon Heritage Rosé	\$45	NA
Stonegate Cabernet Sauvignon	\$25	\$8
Mondiale McLaren Vale Shiraz	\$30	\$8
Tulloch Pokolbin Dry Red Shiraz		\$10

White	Bottle	Glass
Stonegate Sauvignon Blanc	\$25	\$8
Koonowla Ringmaster Riesling	\$38	NA
Studio Series Pinot Grigio	\$40	\$10
Rhythm & Rhyme Chardonnay	\$35	\$8
All Piccolo Bottles	\$10	NA

Sparkling	Bottle	Glass
Chalk Hill Blue bubbles	\$35	NA
Vila Yolanda Prosecco	\$45	NA

Cocktails	Jug	Glass
Pina Colada	\$45	\$15
Midori Illusion	\$45	\$15
Sangria	\$45	\$15
The Cosmopolitan	\$45	\$15
Coffee Martini	\$45	\$15

On Tap	Glass
Yenda Pale Ale	\$8
Yenda Lager	\$8
Pressman's Cider	\$9
CC & Dry	\$11

BREAKFAST MENU

Brekkie Roll \$9.50

Euro Bruschetta \$15.50

Authentic Greek Spanakopita \$6.50 (per slice)

The breakfast menu will not be available after 11.30 am.