

Cultural Precinct Venue Booking Form School Term

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Date:

EVENT ORGANISER DETAILS

Name(s):	
Organisation Name:	
Mailing Address:	
Telephone:	. Mobile:
Email:	

EVENT DETAILS

Event Name(s):

Estimated Number of P	People Attending the Event,	/Function:	
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Event Type: Commercial Event Community Event (Not for Profit, documentation may be required)

	HIRING D	ATE(S)
🗆 Term 1	🗆 Mon 🗆 Tue 🗆 Wed 🗆 Thu 🗆 Fri	🗆 am/🗆 pm TO 🗆 am/🗆 pm
□ Term 2	□ Mon □ Tue □ Wed □ Thu □ Fri	🗆 am/🗆 pm TO 🗆 am/🗆 pm
🗆 Term 3	□ Mon □ Tue □ Wed □ Thu □ Fri	🗆 am/🗆 pm TO 🗆 am/🗆 pm
🗆 Term 4	□ Mon □ Tue □ Wed □ Thu □ Fri	🗆 am/🗆 pm TO 🗆 am/🗆 pm

Do you Require a Key to Access/Close the Venue: 🛛 Yes 🖓 No

VENUE(S) REQUIRED

Town Hall:	🗆 Hall		
Smithurst Thea	tre: [□ Theatre □ Stage	
Civic Theatre:	□ Aud	litorium	
Creative Arts C	entre:	□ Meeting Room	Studio Room

Respective Venue will be Provided Empty/Vacant for the Duration of your Booking.



AVAILABLE SERVICES

EQUIPMENT	NO. OF ITEMS	COST PER ITEM	TOTAL COST
Whiteboard and Markers		Inc. with venue hire	No Cost
Rectangle Tables (seats 6 – 8 people)		No Cost	No Cost
Chairs		No Cost	No Cost

VENUE FEES & CHARGES – 2021/2022

COMMERCIAL – HIRE OF ALL VENUES	HIRE COST	SELECT
Commercial (Meetings, Training & Workshops) Per Venue		
Regular Hire Tuition Space (<10 Hours Per Week) Per Hour	\$25.50	
Regular Hire Tuition Space (>10 Hours Per Week) Per Hour	\$50.00	

COMMUNITY (NOT FOR PROFIT ORGANISATIONS)	Hire Cost	Select
The Civic & Town Hall (Performances, Meetings, Workshops, Training & Conferen	ces)	
Per Hour	\$15.80	
Per Half Day (<5 Hours)	\$62.50	
Per Full Day (>5 Hours)	\$104.50	
Smithurst Theatre (Performances, Meetings, Workshops, Training & Conferences)		
Per Hour	\$13.00	
Per Half Day (<5 Hours)	\$41.50	
Per Full Day (>5 Hours)	\$73.00	

COMMUNITY (NOT FOR PROFIT ORGANISATIONS)	HIRE COST	SELECT
Community Groups Subsidised, as Per Council Agreement (Monthly Fee)	\$22.00	

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS & OTHER COMMENTS



TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF VENUE HIRE

- 1. The Hirer shall pay the hire fee specified, as per invoice from Gunnedah Shire Council by the due date/or finalised variance to quote.
- 2. The Cultural Precinct expressly reserves the right to revise its fees and charges. However, no revision to fees will occur unless the conditions of hire are altered or unless the contract has been breached.
- 3. The Cultural Precinct shall not be liable in any way for loss or damage incurred due to the exercise of its rights under clause 2 (above). Whilst no compensation is applicable, the Cultural Precinct may at its own discretion refund any portion of amounts paid on account of fees.
- 4. The Hirer agrees to comply with all requirements of the NSW Local Government Act and any other relevant act, by-laws, rules or regulations, made hereunder and shall be liable for any breach of any such acts, by-laws, rules or regulations.
- 5. The Hirer shall be responsible for the cost of making good any damage or loss caused to the objects, buildings, furniture, fittings and equipment arising out of and/or in the course of the Hirer's function.
- 6. The Hirer shall vacate the premises by the agreed time set out in our written confirmation. Specific arrangements to extend must be confirmed by the Venue Manager or Supervisor on duty. Any extension of time or failure to vacate the premises at the agreed time shall incur an additional fee (as per Fees and Charges Schedule).
- 7. All hirers must have made all necessary provisions to ensure that the premises are secure during and after venue hire times.
- 8. The Hirer must leave the premises in a clean condition. Failure to do so will incur additional cleaning charges.
- **9.** Smoking, smoke machines, naked flame, animals etc. are not permitted within the Cultural Precinct buildings, walkways or breezeways. Smoking is not permitted outside of Designated Outdoor Smoking areas (DOSAs).
- **10.** Any goods, properties or materials brought in by or on behalf of the Hirer, are the responsibility of the client. The Cultural Precinct accepts no responsibility for damage or loss of goods or materials left at the premises prior to, during or after the event. All deliveries or collections for events must be arranged with and approved by Event Management prior to delivery or collection.
- **11.** Signs, banners and decorations connected with the event must be approved by the Venue Manager/Supervisor prior to the function. No nails, screws, adhesives or fastenings may be driven into or attached to the walls, doors, glass, floors, furniture, fittings and equipment without the express consent of the Venue Manager on duty.
- **12.** Sound, electrical and lighting equipment must be tagged and tested prior to being bought into the Precinct at the expense of the Hirer.
- **13.** The Hirer must not handle, cover or endanger the building plant or property.
- 14. The Venue Manager/Supervisor reserves the right to have a representative of the Cultural Precinct on-site for the duration of the event. Any instructions given by the Cultural Precinct's representative in relation to the conduct of the function must be followed immediately. The Cultural Precinct's representative has the authority to terminate the event should any instructions or contract conditions not be observed.
- 15. Either party reserves the right to terminate the contract. Should the hirer wish to cancel their booking, they may do so by notifying Council in writing at <u>council@infogunnedah.com.au</u> with thirty (30) days' notice. If less than thirty (30) days' notice is received then 50% of the venue hire fee is non-refundable and will be invoiced. If less than seven (7) days' notice is received then the hirer will forfeit 100% of the hire fee. If the Cultural Precinct terminates the contract through no fault or breach of the contract by the Hirer, the Cultural Precinct will refund all monies receipted from the Hirer for that event.
- **16.** The Cultural Precinct reserves the right to charge a refundable bond.
- **17.** All fees and charges referred to in this Agreement are exclusive of and net of any taxes, duties and/or levies imposed by any Local, State or Federal Government including, but not limited to, any value added goods and services and or transactions tax currently in force or introduced after execution of this agreement.
- 18. The Hirer is liable for themselves, their employees and any contractors whom they may engage in relation to the event. It is the responsibility of the Hirer to obtain and keep current insurance against such liability during the term of this contract and ensure that all contractors under their direction are similarly insured. Regular hirers are required to provide to Council a Certificate of Currency of their public liability and other insurances in place.
- **19.** The Cultural Precinct facilities are hired on the rules and conditions above mentioned, and the payment for such facilities and the issue of any receipt or confirmation of hire shall be deemed to be an acknowledgment and acceptance by such person of the conditions herein contained.



- **20.** Organisations eligible for discounted community hire rates as per Council's Cultural Precinct Venue Hire Policy (see 3.1) are defined as follows (documentation may be required): The organisation must be local to the Gunnedah Shire; it may also be a local chapter of a larger national or international organisation; and must be a not-for-profit community group or registered charity undertaking an activity that provides genuine community benefit or be a genuine charitable endeavour; or Council has determined by resolution to classify the group as being eligible for the discounted community rate on a one-off or ongoing basis.
- 21. An invoice will be issued at the end of the month, unless otherwise arranged.
- **22.** One (1) hour minimum venue hire fee.

AUTHORISATION/DECLARATION/SIGNATURE

As the signatory of this booking form, I am hereby authorised to enter into this agreement on behalf of the Hirer/Organisation. I have read the Cultural Precinct Venue Booking form and agree to abide by the Terms and Conditions as above.

oplicant Name (Print):

Signature: Date:

Your booking is not confirmed until this form is returned to Gunnedah Shire Council via email council@infogunnedah.com.au

Staff from the Cultural Precinct to be contacted at least one (1) week prior to confirm your event and requirements. Please phone 02 6740 2100.