

The Party



Our Ballroom or Gallery are both wooden floored, ideal for dancing to a DJ or a band. These two rooms open with five pairs of French doors onto the wooden verandahs and into the gorgeous gardens. The bar can be setup in whichever space suits your requirements. Additionally you can have candle lit tables in The Courtyard, with the surrounding fairy lights in the trees and on the house sparkling romantically.



Photographs



With so many beautiful spaces to choose from, Fairfield weddings are wonderful to photograph. Your photographer is welcome to use the Observational Tower and our upper verandahs to get the very best shots available. Other photography locations are: the Meadow, with its lower and upper terraced lawns and stone walls and steps; the Courtyard; the Verandahs, with their historic architectural features, the grounds featuring extensive gardens, walkways and large trees.



Pricing on request. Please contact us to arrange a viewing or to request further specific information on:

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48 Van Diemen St, Nelson



The beautiful wedding venue
in the heart of Nelson.



Welcome to Fairfield House

Nestled in seven acres of beautiful woodlands, Fairfield House is one of Nelson's most prestigious historic homes. Its spacious verandahs and unique observation tower have gracefully overlooked the city since 1872. Lovingly renovated, Fairfield House is, in so many ways, close to the heart of Nelson. Today, this unique heritage building is owned by all New Zealanders and can be hired as the perfect venue for any occasion. Its beauty, warmth and grandeur are yours to enjoy.



Weddings at Fairfield House



Fairfield House is a magical venue for any wedding. We specialise in working with couples to ensure that their day is perfect. The diversity of the spaces we can offer you, means you can tailor the day to completely suit your own taste and needs. The spaces lend themselves to whatever is your style: Formal or casual. There are no catering or alcohol restrictions and the venue is available from 7am on the day for preparation. We can also negotiate for you to come the previous day / evening to prepare and set up. Just mention this to us when you enquire. Our license and your hire of the premises is until midnight.



The Ceremony



There are several very special places where vows can be exchanged at Fairfield. The Courtyard on the west side is paved with a spiral brick pattern and surrounded by a perennial garden full of roses, all shaded by elegant elms. The bride and her attendants can make a spectacular entrance from the overlooking woodland grounds down the trail into the courtyard where her groom and guests await. The adjoining Gallery and verandahs are the ideal places from where to serve drinks and ensure contingency spaces should the weather become inclement.

The Meadow on the east side offers an open grassed area with terraces formed by rock walls and large stone steps leading to different levels, all with magnificent large old elms, oaks and redwoods as backdrops.



The Dinner

The wedding dinner at Fairfield is often held in our Ballroom. With its two working fireplaces, high ceilings and wooden floors, this room can seat up to 80 guests. Our Gallery can seat 30 at table. The kitchen is close at hand enabling easy service.



Another wonderful place to have the wedding dinner is al fresco in the courtyard (120 seated).



Marquees can be erected in the meadow to cater for a larger guest list.

