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WEDDING PACKAGE

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ABOUT THE *MARY VALLEY RATTLER*

The Mary Valley Rattler has a range of ceremony & reception opportunities, either at the Historic Gympie Station, Amamoor or Dagon Station or onboard our fleet of heritage locomotives and carriages.

The Historic Gympie Station on Tozer Street was originally built in 1881 but has stood in its current form since 1913. Featuring beautiful architecture, complete with stained glass windows, wrought iron finials, and timber construction, it stands proudly as part of the regions living railway history.

The Mary Valley Rattler has a fleet of locomotives & carriages, some over 100 years old. Our beautifully restored

Take your wedding guests on an unforgettable experience utilising the same route used by the early settlers, farmers and gold miners of the region while taking in the breath taking scenery of the magnificent Mary Valley.



Congratulations on _____ _____ your engagement!

At the Mary Valley Rattler we offer a unique experience that will never be forgotten by you or your wedding guests. Our wedding packages have been designed to complement our venue & heritage rolling stock.

Start the day with your guests arriving at the Historic Gympie Station. Your guests will hop on board your train of choice for a journey through the beautiful Mary Valley. You and your wedding party will have your own private carriage - complete with curtains to keep you hidden from your guests.

As you arrive to your ceremony location your ceremony will be set next to the train. Your Wedding Coordinator will guide your guests to the ceremony location before you disembark the train. After the ceremony, your guests can enjoy canapes while you take the opportunity for some beautiful photographs in a small rural township with a heritage train as your background. Your guests will then head back to the
Historic Gympie Station
via your chosen train.

On arrival back at the station - you will be greeted by our friendly team. You have a range of options when it comes to your reception. You can choose between cocktail/canape style, 3-course sit down meal, buffet or a mixture of these options.



Your wedding day is your special day and you want it to be unique to you. At the Mary Valley Rattler, we have a pets on board service which means your pooch will be able to join you on your wedding day! They will be allowed on the train of your choice and at the ceremony to escort you down the aisle.

Inclusions for your wedding!

WEDDING COORDINATOR

You will have a dedicated wedding coordinator from the first time you visit the venue all the way through to the end of big day. This includes unlimited meetings, emails & phone calls, and your on the day coordination. Your wedding coordinator will ensure the entire day runs smoothly and that every little detail is thought of.

STATION ENGAGEMENT PHOTOS

You can utilise the station for some amazing photos, with your wedding coordinator onsite for the photo shoot, you will be able to get exclusive access to the station and have the most unique and stunning photos.



COMPLIMENTARY HEADBOARD

A brilliant momento of your special day!

If you book your wedding reception & a heritage rail journey with us, we will include a handmade customised headboard for your locomotive. A unique momento of your day, this will be brought into your reception for your guests to sign after your train journey.

Applicable for the steam or diesel locomotive only.



LOCOMOTIVES

All private charters include traditional train tickets for each of your guests which are a great souvenir.



C17 CLASS STEAM LOCOMOTIVE & HERITAGE CARRIAGES

The C17 class of locomotives were first introduced in the 1920's by the Queensland Government Railways and proved so popular hauling all kinds of traffic that 227 were eventually built, the last in 1953.

Their name comes from the fact that they are fitted with 17 inch cylinders. These locomotives are ideal for the Mary Valley line and are capable of hauling up to 9 carriages.

*This train can cater to wheelchairs

Capacity: 200

PRICE: \$8800*

DEL 1632 LOCOMOTIVE & HERITAGE CARRIAGES

The 1620 class diesel electric locomotive was built by The English Electric Company at Rocklea. It was introduced into Queensland Rail in 1967 and then purchased by MVHR in 1996 and restored in the workshop.

*This train can cater to wheelchairs

Capacity: 200

PRICE: \$6600*



RM76 - THE RED ROCKET

RM style railmotors were common on the Mary Valley branchline, providing passenger services into Gympie from outlying towns connecting with mainline services to Brisbane. They were affectionately known as the 'Mary Valley Rattlers', a name now passed to all train services on the branchline

RM76 entered service with the Queensland Government Railways in 1934 and was retired in 1970.

RM76 is the only one still in operation.

*This train can cater to wheelchairs

Capacity: 40

PRICE: \$1650*



**All prices shown inclusive of GST*

CEREMONY

Choose between a rustic platform, using the train of your choice as a backdrop, or luscious green paddocks at our Amamoor or Dagun Stations. As the train is arriving at Amamoor or Dagun station, you will be greeted by a stunning ceremony set however you choose. The choice is all yours how you would like your ceremony orientated - either with the train as the backdrop or overlooking the greenery.

Ceremony pricing is only available with a Rattler locomotive & reception.

SILVER CEREMONY PACKAGE

- Choice of 24 white tiffany, 24 americana chairs or 8 bench seats
- White arbour with lace draping or timber arbour with macrame draping
 - Signing table & chairs
 - Water station
- Wedding Coordinator

PRICE: \$1100*



GOLD CEREMONY PACKAGE



- Choice of 24 white tiffany, 24 americana chairs or 8 bench seats
- White arbour with lace draping or timber arbour with macrame draping
- Signing table & chairs
- Water station
- Wedding Coordinator
- 4 Cheese & fruit platters for your guests for after the ceremony
- \$350 bar tab
- Fresh flowers on the arbour (colour of your choice)

PRICE: \$2100*

**All prices shown inclusive of GST*

RECEPTION

All private charters include traditional train tickets for each of your guests which are a great souvenir.

Booking your reception at the station means you have exclusive use of the station after 4pm. You can utilise the entire station and its magnificent architecture for your wedding photography, all inclusive of the venue hire.

There are three options to choose from however, we can customise these to suit any vision you may have.

**Venue hire is from 4pm*

The Gympie historic station is licensed until 12am, please enquire if you would like to extend your venue hire.

COCKTAIL RECEPTION PACKAGE

- Choice of 3 hot & 3 cold canapes
- Cake cut and served to guests with cream or served on a platter for guests to help themselves
- Wedding styling (table runners, tealights, lanterns)
- PA system with microphone for speeches
- Wishing well
- Venue hire until 10pm (includes furniture, staffing, cutlery, tableware, linen, etc.)

PRICE: \$125* PER PERSON



**All prices shown inclusive of GST*

SILVER RECEPTION PACKAGE

- 2 course alternate drop meal
- Cake cut and served to guests with cream or served on a platter for guests to help themselves
- Wedding styling (table runners, tealights, lanterns)
 - PA system with microphone for speeches
- Stationery (menus, place cards, seating plan, table numbers)
 - Wishing well
- Venue hire until 10pm (includes furniture, staffing, cutlery, tableware, linen, etc.)

PRICE: \$139* PER PERSON

**minimum 40 guests*



GOLD RECEPTION PACKAGE

- 3 course alternate drop meal
- Cake cut and served to guests with cream or served on a platter for guests to help themselves
- Wedding styling (table runners, tea-lights, lanterns)
 - Napkins with napkin tie
- PA system with microphone for speeches
- Stationery (menus, place cards, seating plan, table numbers)
- 3 hour beverage package
 - Wishing Well
- Fresh flowers on the tables (colour of your choice)
- Venue hire until 10pm (includes furniture, staffing, cutlery, tableware, etc.)



PRICE: \$169* PER PERSON

**minimum 40 guests*

**All prices shown inclusive of GST*

ADDITIONALS

Ceremony

Additional seats \$8 each

Additional catering - *cheese & fruit platter* \$110 each

Flower arrangements POA

Reception

Static Train Display

Steam train from \$500, Diesel from \$400, Railmotor from \$250

Additional Venue Hire

\$250/hr

CONTACT

Please contact us to arrange a site inspection of the historic Gympie station. You and your partner are welcome to travel on the Mary Valley Rattler for free if you confirm your wedding with us.

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SUPPLIERS

Sunshine Hire - Jeff & Michelle

Big Smiles Photography

Eeve Photography

Karinya Florist

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. Minimum spends apply, Monday - Thursday \$3000, Friday \$4000, Saturday, Sunday & public holidays \$5000.
2. On declared days of TOTAL FIRE BAN in the Gympie Regional Council area, in total fire ban RRC may replace steam with diesel based on advice from Queensland Fire and Emergency Services. In this case MVR will contact the client via email.
3. External suppliers must be approved by the Mary Valley Rattler. Any external suppliers, including but not limited to, florist, musicians, stylists, photographers, must be approved by the MVR to ensure all licensing and liability is sorted.
4. Pets require a pet handling or someone responsible for the pet and to take them offsite when the reception commences. There is a \$50 fee associated per pet applicable.
5. The Mary Valley Rattler locomotives can cater for wheelchairs.
6. Smoking is not permitted on the train, platforms or under any roofed areas
7. We practice the Responsible Service of Alcoholic Beverages. Accordingly, service and/or travel on the train, either at the commencement of or during the forward or return journey, may be refused to any person who shows signs of excessive intoxication. BYO strictly not permitted.