



WEDDING & FUNCTION KIT

Kia Orana !

We would be delighted to host your **Wedding & Reception** at **The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa** and we are please to present you with the following proposal for this event.

The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa offers the ideal South Seas experience for any Wedding and has proudly hosted a wide range of Weddings and Wedding Receptions.

Our experienced Wedding & Functions Team will be able to coordinate from the wedding ceremony to the night's proceedings in the Wedding Reception, combining great service with the friendly warmth and charm of the Cook Islands, making this destination truly memorable for you and your guests on your very special day.

At The Rarotongan we can offer you and your guests a unique experience: excellent reception facilities and function catering combined with the beauty and relaxation of an unsurpassed tropical paradise, making for a refreshingly different location for you wedding day.

'Lagoon of Love' Wedding Packages

At The Rarotongan, we can offer you the services of your own Personal Wedding Planner, and a range of Customised Options to help tailor your dream ceremony. The Rarotongan is the ideal venue for Wedding Groups as it offers the island's most comprehensive range of 4-star facilities and services, and is also **Rarotonga's premier wedding location as we are set on the island's best beach and lagoon, right on the sunset coast** for spectacular wedding photographs.

Aruru 'Haven of Love' Wedding Package NZ\$1999

This is a beautiful ceremony set right beside the Lagoon of Love, with the champagne sands of Aroa Beach (Lovers Beach) between your toes and the golden glow of the setting sun on your face. Includes:

Package features:

- Ceremony at the Resort Location of your choice
- Return Transfers to the Marriage Registry Office
- Marriage License
- Celebrant, Minister or Priest
- Witnesses *(if required)*
- Round Bouquet for the Bride (seasonal tropical blooms)
- Loose Flowers for the Bride's Hair (seasonal tropical blooms)
- Buttonhole for the Groom
- Ceremonial Planting of the Uto (baby coconut palm)
- Island Gift from The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa
- Bottle of Fine Methode Champenoise to Celebrate
- Scroll of your Personal Wedding Vows
- Room Turndown Service on your Wedding Night with Fresh Tropical Flowers
- His & Hers Island Pareus (sarongs)
- Your Personal Page on the Resort Website of your Wedding Day (optional)
- Services of your Personal Wedding Planner at the Resort

***** NEW! UPGRADE YOUR WEDDING PACKAGE FOR FREE!*****

Book 100 nights or more (e.g. 20 rooms for 5 nights) at **Sanctuary Rarotonga-on the beach, The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa, Aitutaki Lagoon Resort & Spa and Villas of the South Seas** and receive a **FREE UPGRADE** to the next Wedding Package:

- Pay for the Aruru Haven of Love Package and receive the Imene Heartsong of the Sea Package.
- Pay for the Imene Heartsong of the Sea Package and receive the Vare'au Royal Wedding Package.
- Not combinable with any other special offers.

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Imene 'Heartsong of the Sea' Wedding Package NZ\$2999

This is a delightful way to say 'I do' on the sun-kissed sands lapped by the Lagoon of Love, Aroa Lagoon.

Package features:

- The Services of your Personal Wedding & Function Planner
- FREE ROOM UPGRADE for the Bride & Groom
- Island Serenader on Ukulele
- Fresh Floral Archway with Petals in the Sand
- Deluxe Tropical Flower Bouquet for the Bride
- Tropical Blooms for the Bride's Hair
- Buttonhole for the Groom
- Decorated Aroa Beach Gazebo
- Wedding Cake
- Bottle of Fine New Zealand Champagne to Celebrate
- Transfers to Registrar of Marriages
- Marriage License
- Celebrant, Minister or Priest
- Witnesses
- Ceremonial Planting of the Uto (baby coconut palm)
- Island Gift from The Rarotongan
- Scroll of your Personal Wedding Vows
- Room Turndown Service on your Wedding Night with Fresh Tropical Flowers
- His & Hers Island Pareus (sarongs)
- Your Personal Page on the Resort Website of your Wedding Day (optional)

Vare'au Royal Wedding Package NZ\$3999

A uniquely sumptuous ceremony filled with spectacle and celebration ~ island dancers, island string band, Spa Ritual, exotic Cook Islands Black Pearl keepsake, Candlelit Dinner, Champagne Breakfast, Complimentary Room Upgrade and much more.

Package features:

- The Services of your Personal Wedding & Function Planner
- Leading up to the ceremony the couple are treated to a SPA RITUAL at SpaPolynesia with a nourishing Pawpaw Body Wrap for the Bride followed by an Aromatherapy Full-Body Massage for the Bride & Groom
- His & Hers Tropical Cocktails
- Island String Band
- Island Warrior & Island Maiden, dancers at the Ceremony
- Fresh Floral Archway with Petal Aisle
- Trailing Tropical Flower Bouquet for the Bride
- Tropical Blooms for the Bride's Hair
- Fresh Flower Ei (lei neck garland) for the Groom
- Decorated Aroa Beach Gazebo
- Wedding Cake
- Bottle of Fine Champagne to Celebrate
- 5-course Celebration Candlelit Dinner for Two under the Stars with your Personal Waiter
- Flame Torches
- Transfers to Registrar of Marriages
- Marriage License
- Celebrant, Minister or Priest
- Witnesses
- Ceremonial Planting of the Uto (baby coconut palm)
- Island Gift from The Rarotongan

- Scroll of your Personal Wedding Vows
- His & Hers Island Pareus (sarongs)
- FREE ROOM UPGRADE for the Bride & Groom
- Room Turndown Service on your Wedding Night with Fresh Tropical Flowers
- Honeymoon Champagne Breakfast in Bed on your first morning as Husband & Wife
- Exotic Cook Islands Black Pearl as a memento of your South Seas wedding day
- Your Personal Page on the Resort Website of your Wedding Day (optional)

All ceremonies include complimentary registration table and 2 chairs.

**ALL WEDDING PACKAGES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE AT
SANCTUARY RAROTONGA adults-only resort + AITUTAKI LAGOON RESORT & SPA**

Wedding Planner Forms & Quotes

Once you select your chosen Wedding Package, our Personal Wedding Co-ordinator will be pleased to send you the specific Wedding Planner Form for your package to assist with your wedding preparations. Once we receive the completed form, we will prepare an initial tailored quote for you, including additional options you may wish to include.

General Information

“When is the Best Time to get Married on Rarotonga?”

Any time is perfect for a paradise wedding at The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa.

November to April is our stunning Frangipani Season, and May through to October is our fragrant Gardenia Season.

Temperatures are pleasant all year-round with a balmy 21 to 30 degrees centigrade in ‘summer’ and 17 to 25 degrees centigrade in ‘winter’. Aitutaki is slightly closer to the Equator than Rarotonga, so tends to be a couple of degrees warmer overall than her sister island. As a result, some of the most beautiful varieties of frangipani in the world grow on Aitutaki in a riot of coral pinks, hot pinks, salmon pinks, butter yellows and blush reds, and the almost-atoll is also famous for her luscious aromatic mangoes.

All brides and grooms naturally want perfect weather for their big day, and for many the word ‘rain’ is indeed a 4-letter word! Whilst no one can guarantee a rain-free wedding day, we can guarantee a care-free wedding day as we take care of every detail so you can relax rest easy and enjoy each other’s company.

In the event of any tropical showers, these are generally passing through, and in addition, the canopies of our Aroa Beach or Tropical Garden Gazebo afford welcome protection from any ‘wet sunshine’, as it’s often called by the locals! If ‘wet sunshine’ does indeed come to pass on your wedding day (such as might happen around the time of the New Moon), then think as the locals do - that this is a very auspicious blessing from above on your special day!

So when planning your tropical beach wedding, think Plan A and Plan B. Plan A is when you are standing on the shore exchanging your vows under a clear South Seas sky, the lagoon a-sparking and the sun caressing your cheeks. Plan B is when you have wisely selected a beach location which has a fall-back position in the event that any ‘wet sunshine’ makes it tricky to proceed with Plan A – especially if you are part-way through your ceremony!

Very few Plan B locations exist on Aitutaki or Rarotonga. On Rarotonga we offer a selection of beautiful Plan B venues at The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa, including the Aroa Beach Gazebo, the Tropical Garden Gazebo and the Blue Lagoon Marquee – ask the bride who hastily changed her wedding location from Muri Beach to Aroa Beach recently when she realized that Plan B would be a very wise thing to have!

Having a Plan B fallback location means you can precede with your Plan A dream tropical beach wedding with confidence, knowing that, whatever happens, you’re covered!

“Where Can We Marry?”

aka Your Pick of Rarotongan Beach Wedding Locations

The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa is set directly on Rarotonga's best white sand beach offering a selection of breathtaking sites for your wedding ceremony.

Aroa Beach - Lovers Beach

Imagine saying 'I do' as the secluded white sands of Aroa Beach are gently lapped by the sparkling blue waters of Aroa Lagoon, the Lagoon of Love. Aroa Beach is located on Rarotonga's sunshine southwest coast, making it an ideal location for superb sunset photographs. Choose either the western or the eastern end of Aroa Beach as your perfect wedding location.

Aroa Beach Gazebo

A beautiful traditionally-thatched gazebo on the western end of Aroa Beach. A very photogenic location with cool shade from the tropical sun and protection from any passing tropical showers, and ideal for signing of the Marriage Register, Celebrating with a Toast or Cutting of the Wedding Cake.

Casuarina - The Love Tree

A great backdrop for photos with its wise, aged branches creating a stunning contrast to the smooth white sandy beach. Standing together in the dappled light under the Love Tree's strong, sheltering branches is a favourite setting for many of our wedding couples.

Tropical Garden Gazebo

Perfect for couples wanting a very private setting for their ceremony, surrounded by lush tropical gardens. A sandy aisle leads to the gazebo making it ideal for the bride's entrance, which can be further enhanced with a Fresh Floral Archway. Couples often then head down to Aroa Beach for some of their wedding photos.

Ceremony Times:

Can depend on the season, but you are able to select a morning, afternoon, or sunset ceremony eg 11am, 2pm, or 4pm

Suggested Special Additions for your ceremony

Loose Petal Aisle - from \$80

Loose Petals to throw - from \$30per bag

Fresh Floral Archway - from \$300

Floral Arrangement for Signing Table - from \$45

Island Stringband Serenaders (price on application)

Island Traditional Vaka Entrance and Warrior Escort (price on application) – *not suitable for tropical garden ceremonies*

Island Cultural Dance Troupe (price on application)

Island Choir (price on application)

Chairs for Guests - \$10 per chair - *some locations not suitable for chairs*

Wedding Photography & Videography Packages

Our Professional Photographer will capture the memories of your special day here with us in Paradise.

40 Shot Photography Package

from \$675

- *Includes 40 selected shots printed and mounted in an album along with a CD of the 40 printed shots.*
- *The photographer starts half an hour before the ceremony and shoots for 1hour.*

80 Shot Photography Package

from \$825

- *Includes 80 selected shots printed and mounted in an album along with a CD of the 80 printed shots.*
- *The photographer starts half an hour before the ceremony and shoots for 2hours.*

An extra fee is charged if you would like the photographer to shoot for longer than above. Please confirm that you would like to meet your photographer prior to your ceremony to discuss your preferences. You can then provide your photographer with a list of specific shots you would like included, if you wish. Any request for extra time can be discussed at this point.

Our photographer can also offer you a Round-the-Island Wedding Shoot or Honeymoon Portrait Shoot for the days following your wedding. Please advise if these services are of interest.

We also have Videography services on the island and can assist you in booking a videographer and setting up an appointment to meet them upon request. Please note that these services are not part of The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa and we therefore cannot take responsibility for their services or products.

VIDEOGRAPHY Silver Package from \$650
The Camera Operator will film preparations at the ceremony location, the ceremony, signing of documents and a brief portion of the photo shoot.

- *Includes Camera & Camera Operator, Lapel Microphone, DVD copy of the Event, Customized DVD menu with an intro clip of highlights from the day.*

VIDEOGRAPHY Gold Package from \$790
The Bride and Groom will have a camera person allocated to their preparation area who will capture key moments, and thereafter the ceremony, signing of documents and the photo shoot.

- *Includes 2 Cameras & Camera Operators, Lapel Microphone, DVD copy of the Event, Customized DVD menu with an intro clip of highlights from the day*

Tropical Island Flowers for your Wedding

The Cook Islands is known as the "Islands of Flowers" for the blooms in abundance during much of the year. Our florists specialize in creating gorgeous tropical arrangements for your special day, and are happy to create a special arrangement for you based on your preferences where possible (please bring a photo if possible as a reference).

Seasonal Island Floral Archway	from \$300
Grand Seasonal Trailing Bridal Bouquet	from \$125 each
<i>Upgrade from the standard round Bridal Bouquet</i>	<i>\$45</i>
Deluxe Seasonal Trailing Bridal Bouquet	from \$105 each
<i>Upgrade from the standard round Bridal Bouquet</i>	<i>\$25</i>
Seasonal Loose Flowers for Hair (10 blooms per packet)	from \$20 each
Seasonal Buttonhole	from \$15 each
Seasonal Corsage	from \$20 each
Seasonal Crown Garland	from \$37.50 each
Seasonal Neck Garland (ei or lei)	from \$30 each
Seasonal Loose Petals (per bag)	from \$30 each
Seasonal Floral Arrangements	from \$45 each

Selecting your Favourite Tropical Flowers ... what's in season during the year?

Even paradise has seasons, and the guide below is designed to assist you to set your wedding date for the time of year most likely to feature your preferred wedding flower:

November to March/April – frangipani

March to July – gardenias, lilies and hibiscus

August to February – orchid, heliconia & ginger

Please note that there is an extra fee for flowers which need to be imported. Please check with your wedding planner. Imported flowers include: roses, orchids and lilies.

SpaPolynesia and Salon

Let our professional spa therapists & hair and makeup artist assist you on your special day to help you look and feel your very best!

Hair & Makeup Services

Simple Hair Package for the Bride	from \$179 per person
Complex Hair Package for the Bride	from \$205 per person
Simple Hair & Makeup Package	from \$245 per person
Hair Package for the Bridesmaid	from \$159 per person
Makeup	from \$75 per person

Prices are a guideline only and may change with specific requirements. Price includes a consultation; you are welcome to provide the hair/makeup stylist with a picture or photo of ideal style.

Bride & Groom SpaPolynesia Services

Romantic Spa Packages for Couples in Love

'Inangaro' Romantic Rarotonga Spa Packages for Couples in Love

'Rererere' Bridal Package – allow 1 hour 15 minutes – **Manicure or Pedicure + Massage**
 'Rima' SpaManicure or 'Vaevae' SpaPedicure and a 'Maorooro' Aromatherapy Massage for a radiant Bride..... \$135

'Takave' His & Hers Pamper Package – allow 1 hour 30 minutes – **Body Scrub + Massage**
 Each receives a 'Tama' Coconut Creme Scrub followed by a one-hour 'Mirimiri' Aromatherapy Full Body Massage. Embrace the moment.....\$190 per person

'Inangaro' Couples Indulgence Package – allow 2 hours **Massage + Facial**
 Each receives a one-hour 'Mirimiri' Aromatherapy Full Body Massage followed by a 'Purotu' Facial & Massage of the Head & Scalp. Simply sensational for couples in love..... \$235 per person

Our popular spa also offers many other options - please ask for our SpaPolynesia brochure.

Wedding Details & Requirements

Deposit and Payment

Once you have settled on your preferred available date, you will need to please secure this date through an advance 50% deposit of the wedding package. Please note that we will hold a wedding date for 3 weeks without payment. We reserve the right to cancel a wedding date booking if payment of deposit has not been received. Full payment of the wedding package must be made 60 days or more prior to your arrival. Please note that we will refund deposit and release wedding date if your accommodation booking does not satisfy the requirements below.

Your Wedding Guests

We require at least 50% of your overseas wedding guests to also be staying with us for a minimum of 5 nights. Please check with your Wedding Planner for further details on this requirement.

Marriage License

The Cook Islands Registrar of Marriages requires the Bride and Groom to apply for the Marriage License, in person, at least 3 working days prior to their wedding date. When applying for the License, the couple will be required to have with them their current passports, birth certificates, divorce decree (if divorced) and death certificate (if widowed). If there has been a name change, they will also need to provide supporting documentation for this. All documents must be in English or have an official English translation.

Wedding Reception Details & Venues

The Rarotongan Beach Resort & Spa offers the ideal South Seas experience for any wedding couple and their special guests. Our experienced Weddings Team will be able to coordinate your wedding and reception from beginning to end, with great service blended with the friendly warmth and charm of the Cook Islands which will make this destination truly memorable for you and your guests. At The Rarotongan, we can offer your group a unique experience, excellent facilities and function catering combined with beauty and relaxation of an unsurpassed tropical paradise, making for a refreshingly different location for your wedding.

Our Venues...

Blue Lagoon Marquee

Our beautiful silk-lined marquee overlooks glittering Lagoon of Love and makes the perfect venue for a wedding reception with your guests dining as they watch the sunset.

Venue Hire Fee \$475

Seats up to 35 people

Treetops Verandah Room

This spacious and stunning room with its beautiful, grand high ceiling and flow-through of fresh island air is perfect for your reception whether it be a sit-down or cocktail event. As well as being fully air-conditioned, overlooking the pool and blue lagoon, Treetops has sliding glazed doors to ensure privacy.

Venue Hire Fee \$550

Seats up to 90 people

TE VAKA Restaurant

A magnificent restaurant with traditional carvings and decorations adorning the walls and grand high ceiling. The restaurant enjoys stunning lagoon views of Aroa Lagoon, the Lagoon of Love, and the lagoon deck takes you right up to the water's edge, with great views of our famous island sunsets. Ideal for larger parties.

Venue Hire Fee \$950

Seats up to 200 people

Tropical Garden Gazebo

We can also set up a beautiful private candlelit dinner in the Tropical Garden Gazebo for the ultimate intimate romantic setting.

Venue Hire Fee \$195

Seats from 2 to 16 people

Wedding Cake

Our Pastry Chefs create beautiful, elegant wedding cakes to suit your special occasion.

1-tier Wedding Cake	from \$75
2-tier Wedding Cake	from \$145
3-tier Wedding Cake	from \$175

You can choose from the following flavours: chocolate, banana, mango, papaya, coconut & carrot. If you have selected more than 1-tier, you are welcome to choose a different flavour for each tier. Your chosen wedding cake can have either a vanilla or chocolate 'royal' icing.

Each wedding cake comes with a small seasonal floral decoration.

If you have another style that you would prefer (eg a Profiterole Tower), please let us know. You can also supply us with a photo and our Chef will be pleased to provide you with a quote.

Your Wedding Reception Entertainment

Music is good for the soul and great for a party. Let us help you organize the best option for you...

- 3 member **Island String Band** – from NZ\$295 per hour
- **DJ** – 4 hours from NZ\$750
- **Live Band** – from NZ\$1200
- **Island Drummers with Two Dancers** (one Warrior + one Island Maiden) – from NZ\$295
- **Island Dancers:**
- 12 members performing for 20 mins – from NZ\$550
- Full Dance Troupe performing for 30 mins – from NZ\$750
- Fire Dance Troupe performing for 30 mins – from NZ\$750

Prices are a guideline only and are subject to change with the requirements of each wedding.

Pre-Dinner Drinks & Canapés

Why not offer your guests a chance to enjoy Pre-Dinner Drinks & Canapés in a great location while you're away having your wedding photos taken? This is a wonderful way for family and friends to mingle, get to know each other better or catch up. Our idyllic settings such as the Aroa Beach & Tropical Garden Gazebos or our beautiful, silk lined Blue Lagoon Marquee on the Lagoon Verandah are the perfect venues to host your guests.

Canapés

Cold Selection per dozen

Price per dozen

Sushi:

Tuna Sashimi with Wasabi & Soy	\$24
Sushi with Wasabi & Soy	\$24

Crostini:

Tender Beef & Onion Marmalade	\$18
Blue Cheese & Walnut	\$16
Basil Pesto & Roasted Capsicum	\$16
Ricotta & Candied Onion	\$16

Cocktail Sandwiches:

Chicken & Baby Lettuce with Mango Chutney	\$19
Smoked Gamefish with Young Spinach & Lime Mayo	\$19

Hot Selection per dozen

Gamefish Skewers with Wasabi Mayo	\$24
Salt & Pepper Calamari	\$22
Slowly braised Island Pork & chargrilled Pineapple	\$22
Chicken Satays with Peanut Satay	\$22
Beef Satays with fresh Coconut Relish	\$22
Finger Samosas with Pawpaw & Sweet Chilli	\$16
Spring Rolls with Sweet Chilli & Coriander	\$16

Sweet Selection per dozen

Chocolate-dipped Bananas	\$19
Chocolate Profiteroles	\$19
Lime & Tropical Fruit Tartlets	\$16
Tropical Petit Fours	\$16

Prices subject to change without notice

Wedding Reception Menus

Island BBQ Buffet Menu

Hot Selection from the BBQ

Succulent ginger and olive oil-marinated Prawns
Coriander & Lime marinated Fresh Local Gamefish
Marinated Prime New Zealand Beef with Cumin & Black Pepper Rub
Minted Prime New Zealand Lamb
Ginger & Soy-marinated Chicken
Char grilled Green Banana and Onion Rings
Baked Potatoes with Sour Cream & Green Herbs
Steamed Seasonal Vegetables & Steamed Rice

Selection of Salads & Appetizers

Potato Mayonnaise Salad
Pawpaw & Yoghurt Salad
Fresh Green Salad with Crisp Julienne Vegetables
Homemade Tropical Sauces, Chutneys & Relishes
Selection of Mustards, Tomato Sauce

Fresh Breads

French Garlic & Herb Bread
Fresh-baked Bread Rolls with New Zealand Butter

Sweet Treats from our Pastry Chef

Chocolate & Macadamia Nut Slice
Island Pavlova
Passionfruit Cheesecake
White Chocolate Mousse
Platters of Fresh Seasonal Tropical Fruits

\$79pp; min 20 guests. Children 3-11yrs - \$39.50. Under 3, Free of charge

Prices & menu items are subject to change without notice

Traditional Island 'UMU' (EarthOven) Buffet

From the Umu EarthOven Firepit:

Rarotongan Island Pork
 Rarotongan Chicken
 Prime New Zealand Beef and Lamb
 Rarotongan Taro, Kumara (Sweet Potato)

Accompanied by:

Fresh Gamefish 'Ika Mata'
 Rukau in Coconut Cream (Island Spinach / Taro Greens)
 Island Style Chicken Curry
 Chop Suey
 Steamed Vegetables
 Steamed Rice
 Pawpaw or Banana 'Poke' (Pawpaw & Arrowroot 'Pudding')

Selection of Salads & Appetizers:

Tuna & Bean Salad
 Curried Pawpaw Salad
 Potato Mayonnaise Salad
 Fresh Green Salad with Crisp Julienne Vegetables
 Pasta Seashells Salad
 Homemade Tropical Sauces, Chutneys & Relishes
 Selection of Mustards, Tomato Sauce
 Fresh Baked Buns with New Zealand Butter

Sweet Treats from our Pastry Chef:

Pineapple Upside Down Cake
 Chocolate & Macadamia Nut Slice
 Tropical Fruit Pavlova
 Passionfruit Cheesecake
 Apple & Pawpaw Crumble with Cream
 Platters of Fresh Seasonal Tropical Fruits
 Selection of Teas & Freshly-brewed Coffee

\$79pp; min 50 guests. Children 3-11yrs - \$39.50. Under 3, Free of charge

Prices & menu items are subject to change without notice.

Private Degustation Dinner

Upon arrival, enjoy a glass of aromatic
Park Estate Hawkes Bay Riesling, with our compliments

To begin

Creamy Scallop Soup

A light cream soup with scallops, potatoes and onion finished with crème fraiche & dill

Entree

Aroa Prawns

Sautéed in extra virgin olive oil with garlic, ginger and
roasted sweet chilli, served on cheddar polenta with a tomato coulis
accompanied by a glass of superb Trinity Hills HB Chardonnay

The Main Event

Macadamia Lamb Rack

Macadamia nut & Herb crusted prime New Zealand Lamb,
roasted to perfection and served with a Palm Honey, Ginger and Pawpaw Salsa,
presented on a bed of Herbed Mash
perfectly complemented by a glass of Park Estate HB Pinot Noir

or

Ika Taakari

Yellowfin Tuna simmered in coconut cream with fresh coriander,
sweet chilli and ginger, served with Basmati rice
paired with a glass of fine Trinity Hills HB Sauvignon Blanc

A sweet ending . . .

Grand Marnier Soufflé

chilled and served with a mandarin sauce anglaise & soused berries

Atiu Island Coffee, Mango or Vanilla Tea
with a Pawpaw, Pineapple & Mango Biscotti

We are delighted to present the above
Private Degustation Dinner for your consideration.
Depending on group size, this can be served in our Blue Lagoon Marquee
overlooking beautiful Aroa Lagoon at sunset.

*This Degustation Menu includes a glass of fine Riesling upon arrival followed by
Soup, Entrée with a glass of superb Chardonnay, Main Course with a glass of Pinot Noir
or Sauvignon Blanc, and rounded off with Dessert and Coffee or Tea with Biscotti.*

NZ\$99pp (min 25, max 100 guests)

SOUTH SEAS WEDDING RECEPTION

Champagne & Passionfruit Mimosa

*Amuse Bouche
with the compliments of the Chef*

*A Tasting plate of Rarotongan classics
'Ika Mata' ~ Curried 'Eke' ~ Roast Island Pork*

Creamy Lobster Bisque

Iced Pineapple & Green Lemon Gratinata

*Flame grilled Trio of King Prawns, Scallops and Gamefish
topped with a Lime Chilli & Pawpaw Salsa
rested on creamy Coconut Polenta*

or

Beef Rarotongan

*Tender Beef Filet coated in a Shitake Mushroom Duxelle
baked in a golden Puff Pastry Parcel rested on palm honey glazed kumara and finished with
a balsamic reduction*

*Atiu Coffee Tiramisu served on a Mango & Ginger Coulis
with Ice Cream Pralines*

Bon Appetit!

NZ\$99pp (min 25 guests, max 100 guests)

Romantic Celebration Candlelit Menu

Please select one dish from each course

Soup

Cream of rukau, fried bacon, croutons, cream
or
Seafood chowder of squid, prawn, game fish,
scallop, mussels, fresh parsley

Entrees

Potato gnocchi, prawns, raisins, pine nuts, zucchini, tomato broth
Baked goats feta tart, olive pate, watercress salad, walnut dressing

Mains

Fillet mignon of beef, baked egg plant, potato, béarnaise sauce
Roasted rack of New Zealand lamb, herb crust, creamed polenta,
compote of artichoke, garlic, tomato, pepper sauce
Fresh gamefish tuna braised in coconut juice, tamarind, coriander, lime juice, chili, ginger
steamed jasmine rice
Oven roasted breast of chicken, braised white beans, spinach, minestrone jus

Dessert

Coconut pannacotta, fresh fruit salad, almond wafer
Melting Chocolate Heart
Chocolate cake, soft rich chocolate centre, vanilla ice cream, macadamia nuts raspberry coulis

Atiu Island Coffee, Mango or Vanilla Tea
with a Pawpaw, Pineapple & Mango Biscotti

\$99pp; minimum 2, max 16 guests

***OTHER MENU OPTIONS ALSO AVAILABLE,
PLEASE INQUIRE***

BUFFET MENUS ~ Head Table Service

For special service to your Head Table you can choose to have it served to you from the Buffet by our waiting team (applies to wedding groups who have chosen a Buffet Menu).

The cost for the Head Table to be served is:

- \$18pp for standard service for up to 6 guests
- \$22pp for silver service for up to 6 guests
- \$26pp for standard service for 7 – 10 guests
- \$30pp for silver service for 7 -10 guests

* **Standard Service:** Platters are placed on the Head Table which have a selection of dishes on any one platter.

* **Silver Service:** Platters of each dish are carried around to each Head Table guest for them to make their personal selection.

Kia Manuia!

*Valid for sale to 31 December 2011 and travel to 31 March 2013. Subject to change without notice.
Bookings subject to terms & conditions as stated on invoice.*