

POODLE!







## AWARDS



**One Chef's Hat - 2023 Good Food Guide**



**Two Glasses - 2023 Wine List Of The Year Awards**

**Best Restaurant Design - High Commendation**

**Best Bar Design - High Commendation**

**2020 Eat Drink Design Awards**

**Best Hospitality Design - High Commendation**

**2021 IDEA Awards**

**Best Restaurant Design - Shortlist**

**2021 International Restaurant Design Awards**

“ Poodle Bar & Bistro is a place to be frequented regularly, a space to feel a sense of belonging anchored in the essence of old and new. Elements of light and shade place the patron at the centre of their experience, providing spaces to hideout or hangout, depending on one's mood. The ground floor is embedded in a romantic textural representation of the past whilst situating us delightfully in the present through the careful placement of contemporary art, wild flowers and greenery. The archways acting as a conduit to a different scene, likened to the experience of being in a gallery, eyes adjusting to the varying levels of light and shade as the rooms are traversed. Poodle Bar and Bistro is a place of impenetrable synergy that leaves one with the sense of wanting more. ”

- Bergman & Co









# PRIVATE DINING ROOM

Capacity - 20 Seated

Our intimate private dining room is hidden away from the hum of the main bar and is perfect for a smaller event. The long boardroom style table is customisable in length & the room has personal audio and video capabilities. Our private dining room also serves as the perfect retreat or bridal suite for larger events or weddings.

Min. Spend	Mar-Sep	Oct-Feb
Wed-Sun Lunch (excluding Sat)	\$1,700	\$2,500
Sat Lunch	\$2,000	\$2,500
Tue-Thu Dinner	\$2,000	\$2,500
Fri-Sun Dinner	\$2,500	\$3,000









# UPSTAIRS LOUNGE

Capacity - 30 Cocktail OR 30 Seated

The Upstairs Lounge has art-adorned walls, a cozy fireplace and views of Gertrude St. The space is separated with a retractable wall from the upstairs bar and is perfect for medium/ large-sized, canape and sit down events.

Min. Spend	Mar-Sep	Oct-Feb
Wed-Sun Lunch (excluding Sat)	\$2,800	\$3,500
Sat Lunch	\$2,800	\$3,500
Tue-Thu Dinner	\$3,500	\$4,500
Fri-Sun Dinner	\$4,000	\$5,000









# WHOLE UPSTAIRS

Capacity - 70 Cocktail OR 42 Seated

You simply don't feel as though you're in Fitzroy any longer when you reach Poodle Upstairs. Upstairs is flexible enough to accommodate any style of event, from the mellowest to the most boisterous.

Min. Spend	Mar-Sep	Oct-Feb
Wed-Sun Lunch (excluding Sat)	\$4,000	\$5,000
Sat Lunch	\$5,500	\$6,500
Tue-Thu Dinner	\$5,500	\$6,500
Fri-Sun Dinner	\$7,000	\$8,000









# THE COURTYARD

Capacity - 50 Cocktail OR 27 Seated

Located at the rear of Poodle is our spacious, sunny courtyard, ready for all of those long, spritzy lunches. The courtyard is heated and is armed with a large roll-out awning to make it suitable for all weather conditions.

Min. Spend	Mar-Sep	Oct-Feb
Wed-Sun Lunch (excluding Sat)	\$3,000	\$5,000
Sat Lunch	\$4,000	\$6,000
Tue-Thu Dinner	\$4,000	\$6,000
Fri-Sun Dinner	\$5,000	\$7,000









# THE WHOLE VENUE

Capacity - 200 Cocktail

Take over the entirety of Poodle Bar & Bistro for your special celebration! Host your guests across all our spaces, starting with drinks in our courtyard, followed by canapes both upstairs and down, grazing tables in our Bistro and an upstairs dance floor so you can keep the festivities going into the night.

Min. Spend	Mar-Sep	Oct-Feb
Wed-Sun Lunch (excluding Sat)	\$16,000	\$20,000
Sat Lunch	\$19,000	\$23,000
Tue-Thu Dinner	\$19,000	\$23,000
Fri-Sun Dinner	\$25,000	\$30,000







# SHARE-STYLE SET MENUS

\$90pp - 3 Snacks, 3 Entrees, 1 Main with Sides.

\$105pp - Oyster, 3 Snacks, 4 Entrees,  
1 Main with Sides.

\$125pp - 3 Snacks, Seafood Selection,  
2 Entrees, 1 Main with Sides.

\*We are dedicated to accommodating all dietary  
requirement.



## SAMPLE \$125pp MENU

House made sourdough, kefir butter, radish escabeche  
Freshly shucked oyster, finger lime mignonette

Scallops, white soy, caviar  
Poodle prawn cocktail  
Spring Bay mussels, 'nduja

Carpaccio of seared beef, caper, anchoïade  
Spanner crab & cod roe profiterole

Smoked salmon, cucumber, dill  
Burrata, verjus roasted grape, basil, lavosh  
Heirloom tomato, peach, curry leaf

Whole baked baby barramundi, beurre blanc, fennel

OR

Roasted striploin, Café de Poodle butter

Mixed leaves, tarragon vinaigrette  
Snake & flat beans, preserved lemon, mixed seeds  
French fries, buttermilk aioli

### ADDITIONAL

Yarra Valley Smoked Salmon Caviar \$11pp  
Terrine du jour \$5pp

Mixed mains \$10pp  
Filletted fish instead of whole fish \$12pp

Dessert course \$5pp  
Fromage du jour course \$15pp

\*Sample menus are subject to seasonal changes and  
may change without notice.







# CANAPE MENUS

\$55pp - 6 Canape

\$85pp - 7 Canape + 1 Substantial

\$100pp - 8 Canape + 2 Substantial

ADD:

Oyster Bar - \$12pp

Cheese Table \$15pp

Grazing Table \$20pp

Dessert Petit Fours \$10pp



## SAMPLE CANAPE MENU

### COLD

Freshly shucked oyster, finger lime mignonette, mandarin oil

Pickled mussel, 'nduja

Poodle prawn cocktail

Spanner crab & cod roe profiterole

Smoked salmon, kefir cream, cucumber

Devilled egg

Pea, mint & ricotta tart

Tahini, cucumber, nigella

Country terrine, sourdough, cornichons

### HOT

Fried quail, tamarind glaze

Parmesan & black pepper gougère

Gnoccho scroll, pickled cherry, saltbush

### SUBSTANTIAL

Rigatoni, heirloom zucchini, preserved lemon

Slow roasted Bundarra pork shoulder, green goddess, snow pea shoot

Roast beef dinner roll, pepper sauce, white onion

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Create your own custom drinks menu from our beverage list or select from one of our curated beverage packages. We can even create personalised cocktails for your celebration!

## BEVERAGE PACKAGES

**PACKAGE ONE** 2hrs/\$55pp, 3hrs/\$70pp,  
4hrs/\$85pp

**PACKAGE TWO** 2hrs/\$65pp, 3hrs/\$85pp,  
4hrs/\$105pp

**PACKAGE THREE** 2hrs/\$75pp,  
3hrs/\$105pp, 4hrs/\$130pp

**ALCOHOL FREE PACKAGE** 2hrs/\$35pp, 3hrs/\$40pp,  
4hrs/\$45pp

### ADD

‘Negroni’ cocktail on arrival - \$24pp,  
Select/Aperol Spritz on arrival - \$18pp  
Espresso Martini to finish - \$24pp

\*Beverage selections are subject to vintage changes  
and availability.

## PACKAGE ONE

Bodriggy ‘Speccy Juice’ Hazy SIPA  
NV Sparkle Hard Prosecco – Riverland SA  
Poodle Pinot Gris – Beechworth VIC  
2021 Jules Rose – Provence FR  
Poodle Cabernet Merlot – Beechworth VIC

## PACKAGE TWO

Seasonal Sopra Seltzer  
Bodriggy ‘Speccy Juice’ Hazy SIPA  
Stingray XPA  
San Pietro Brut Sparkling – Mornington Peninsula VIC  
2022 Longhop ‘Ravine’ Riesling – Adelaide Hills SA  
2022 Flametree ‘Embers’ Chardonnay – Margaret River WA  
2021 Gueissard Le Petit G – Provence FR  
2021 Bellvale Pinot Noir – Gippsland VIC

## PACKAGE THREE

Seasonal Sopra Seltzer  
Bodriggy ‘Speccy Juice’ Hazy SIPA  
Stingray XPA  
Estrella Lager  
Voyager Estate Sparkling Chenin Blanc, Margaret River WA  
2020 The Lost Plot Roussanne – Nagambie VIC  
2021 Quealy Pinot Noir – Mornington Peninsula VIC  
2022 Ministry of clouds shiraz – McLaren Vale SA

## ALCOHOL FREE PACKAGE

Maraschino Cherry Sour  
Ginger, Hibiscus Cranberry Fizz  
Seasonal Strangelove  
Heaps Normal Quiet XPA  
Molly Rose ‘Strawberry Sublime’ Strawberry Lime Gose  
NON 7 Sour Cherries, Coffee, Spice (150ml)  
Konpira Maru ‘Class M Planet’ non-alcoholic Dolcetto (750ml)

\*Selection of soft drinks & filtered still & sparkling water available  
with all packages.









We would love the opportunity to meet with you  
and show you through our spaces.

To book a walk-through please call our  
reservations team on (03) 9086 8971 or email  
us at [ciao@poodlefitzroy.com](mailto:ciao@poodlefitzroy.com).



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