

EVENTS BY THE SEA



DONOVANS
surf club
Restaurant & Bar

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ABOUT DONOVANS SURF CLUB RESTAURANT & BAR

DONOVANS Surf Club Restaurant is a beachfront cafe and restaurant in where Coffs Creek meets the Ocean, offering relaxed coastal dining with panoramic ocean views right on the sand.

Open daily for breakfast and lunch, and dinner Wednesday to Saturday, DONOVANS is known for fresh, locally sourced produce, barista-made coffee, and a modern Australian menu designed for relaxed seaside dining.

Located at the iconic Surf Club, it's one of the best spots in Coffs Harbour for breakfast with a view, long lunches by the beach, and casual sunset dinners.

Perfect for families, groups, weddings and events, DONOVANS combines unbeatable ocean views with friendly service and a laid-back coastal atmosphere loved by locals and visitors alike.

Executive Chef and Owner Matt Donovan creates fresh, simple dishes that make people happy – locally sourced, full of flavour, and always with just a little flair. For Matt, good food isn't about trying too hard; it's about letting great local produce speak for itself.

The bar is operated by the Coffs Harbour Surf Life Saving Club, supporting vital lifesaving efforts and water safety training.

CHOOSE YOUR **SETTING**

BEACHSIDE DECK

The Beachside Deck, enclosed entirely in glass, offers panoramic views of the ocean. This versatile area can serve as a dedicated space for children or as a mingling area separate from the seated dinner arrangements.

SOLITARY ISLAND MARQUEE DECK

The Solitary Island Marquee Deck offers an expansive open-air terrace boasting breathtaking vistas of the ocean, Solitary Islands, and Macauleys Headland.

EVENTS & DINING AREA

The Events & Dining area, conveniently situated near the bustling bar that's a hit among numerous guests, is indoors. This versatile space can be arranged for either seated gatherings or cocktail-style events. Additionally, it provides ample floor space that can accommodate a dancefloor, DJ setup, or live band performances.

YOUR SETUP

For sit-down dinners we include, linen table cloths, napkins and tealights included with your catering package.

For stand-up, mingling functions we include a cocktail set up with high and low seating sufficient for all your guests, and room for mingling.

THINGS TO NOTE

CHSLSC will co-ordinate with all of your decorations and table set up.



PARTIES & EVENTS

PRIVATE DINING ROOM -

Our Coastal Conference Room is available for private gatherings, conferences, meetings, wakes & small, private celebrations.

This space is separate from the rest of the restaurant and can be set up to suit the size and theme of your gathering, with long tables of ten, a U-shaped layout or smaller tables with mingling area. Our team will serve a set menu or design to suit

SPECIAL EVENTS IN THE RESTAURANT - DAYTIME ONLY

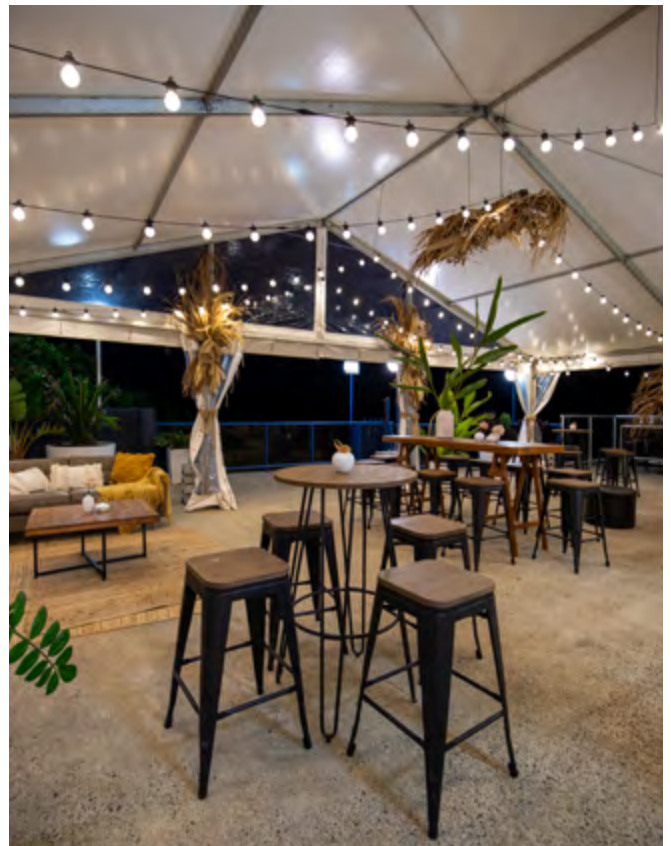
Available every day from 8am to 2:00pm

We love celebrations and encourage you to book a table of 2, 10, 20 or more to share our beautiful views and welcoming atmosphere with the people your love. You can book at any time, bring your own balloons or table décor. Order at the counter from our standard menu or daily specials and celebrate birthdays, engagements, reunions, anniversaries at our relaxed, seaside restaurant.

As well as our standard menu, we also offer special menus for parties of 20 or more.

EVENING & NIGHT TIME

From 5:30pm, Create a celebration, fundraiser, gala ball, media launch that is limited only by your imagination. Choose the space, set up, décor and menu to create a celebration or function that suits the size and theme of your gathering and your budget.



COCKTAIL

COCKTAIL PACKAGE

8 dishes served over 2 hours.

Bar is open for 4.5 hours.

\$45/head.

Tomato, Spanish onion & basil bruschetta

Arancini risotto balls – feta, sundried tomato, pumpkin, aioli dip (v)

Salt & pepper seafood with caper mayonnaise

Korean chicken slider with sweet, spicy sauce

Chicken skewers with peanut sauce

Pulled beef and mash, onion ring & horseradish aioli

Chocolate pistachio tarts

Lemon passionfruit tarts

PREMIUM COCKTAIL PACKAGE

10 dishes served over 2 hours.

Bar is open for 5.5 hours.

\$55/head.

ADD Grazing Table on arrival \$70/head.

Smoked salmon bruschetta with taramasalata & finger lime pearls

Prawn and chorizo skewers

Shucked natural oysters on ice with mignonette dressing

Salt & pepper calamari with aioli

Arancini risotto balls – feta, sundried tomato, pumpkin, aioli dip (v)

Crispy pork belly, Asian slaw, nam jim

Chermoula chicken, couscous & preserve lemon yoghurt

Tempura king prawn with lime aioli

Chocolate pistachio tarts

Lemon passionfruit tarts



DONOVANS SUPERIOR

SUPERIOR PACKAGE

For those looking to create a truly unforgettable dining experience, our **Superior Package** offers a personalised touch like no other. You'll have the exclusive opportunity to sit down with our **Owner & Executive Chef** to design a custom menu tailored to your vision. Whether you're dreaming of an elegant multi-course feast, a lavish family-style spread, or something completely unique, we'll design a menu that brings your vision to life.

Using the best seasonal ingredients and careful attention to detail, we'll craft an unforgettable meal, just the way you want it. Pricing is **POA (Price on Application)**, allowing for flexibility based on your choices.

Let us bring your dream dining experience to life—contact us to begin planning your bespoke menu today!



BUFFET

BUFFET WITH DESSERT PACKAGE

2 courses served over 1.5 hours.

Bar is open for 5.5 hours.

\$65/head.

Bread rolls, sourdough, french sticks, butter, olive oil

Mains: choose three

Moroccan chicken breast, sliced in harissa, herbs & lemon

Crispy skinned Atlantic salmon, lemon, dill, butter sauce

Beef ragu; slow cooked braised beef in tomatoes, olives, spinach

Roasted sirloin, horseradish mustard crust, sliced, red wine gravy

Sides to compliment: choose four

Turmeric pilaf rice

Penne pasta with basil pesto

Crispy fried tuscan potatoes

Roasted root vegetables

Greek style salad with feta and olives, lemon

Pumpkin, chickpea and feta, balsamic, cheese salad

Dessert

A selection of tarts, stacked chocolate brownie, pavlova passionfruit pots, cheesecake, cream, berries



SIT-DOWN

SIT-DOWN DINNER PACKAGE

Three courses served alternate drop to tables over 2-3 hours.

Bar is open for 5.5 hours.

\$69/head.

Entree: choose two

Arancini risotto balls with roast pumpkin, sundried tomato and feta, aioli, nourish greens (v)

Crispy pork belly, master stock, pomegranate molasses, fried shallot

Smoked salmon, dill sour cream bruschetta with house-pickled onions

Tempura king prawns, lemon mayo, micro herbs

Chicken Vietnamese salad of Asian slaw, vermicelli noodles, peanuts

Mains: choose two

Slow-cooked grass-fed beef, caramelized onions, creamy potato mash, seasonal greens

Crispy skin Atlantic salmon, lemon butter, crushed potatoes, seasonal greens

Chicken breast, pesto cream, crushed potatoes, seasonal greens

Potato gnocchi; artisan gnocchi, roasted pumpkin, baby spinach, cream, pesto, grana padano

Coconut curry, house ground spices, baby spinach, chickpeas, potatoes, basmati rice, pappadums (vegan option)

Roasted pork loin; cider braised apple, fennel slaw, radish, jus, caraway potatoes, beans, crackle

Rosemary lamb rump, potato, parsnip puree, greens, red wine jus

Dessert: choose two

(or we can serve your celebration cake for dessert plated with fruit and cream)

Sticky date pudding, roasted almonds, butterscotch cream

White chocolate and berry cheesecake, cream

Chocolate pistachio tart, praline, berries

Lemon passionfruit tart, toasted coconut shavings

Chocolate macadamia brownie, warm chocolate sauce, vanilla icecream



OPTIONS

PRE-PARTY ADD-ON

Available from 4:30pm on the Solitary Island Marquee Deck or from 5:30pm on our Beachside Deck.
Bar service available.

Canape options 1 - \$12/head

- Chef's Selection Bruschetta
- BBQ pork spring rolls with plum dip

Canape options 2 - \$15/head

- Smoked salmon blini
- Harissa chicken skewer
- Thai fish cake

Canape options 3 - \$20/head

- Prawn and chorizo skewer
- Lamb skewer with tzatziki
- Thai chicken coconut spoons (chilled)
- Peking duck crispy wonton, hoisin, cucumber

Grazing Table - \$20/head

A selection of Australian cheeses, deli meats, house dips, marinated Mediterranean vegetables, olives, breads, crackers



LATE NIGHT SNACK ADD-ON

Served at 9:30pm. Buffet style, no service.

Option 1 - \$10/head

Gourmet Turkish Pizza and loaded fries

Option 2 - \$15/head

Taco bar

Option 3 - \$12/head

Cheese table; Australian cheeses, dried fruits, nuts, crackers



OTHER

CHILDREN

Children under 3

No charge

Children 3 - 12 years old (kid's meal + ice cream)

\$25/head

Children over 12 or those having an adult meal

Full price

VENDORS

Main meal - \$30/head

COFFEE & TEA SERVICE

We offer barista coffees and a selection of fine teas.

After food has been served, guests are invited to order at the coffee bar and we will run a tab.

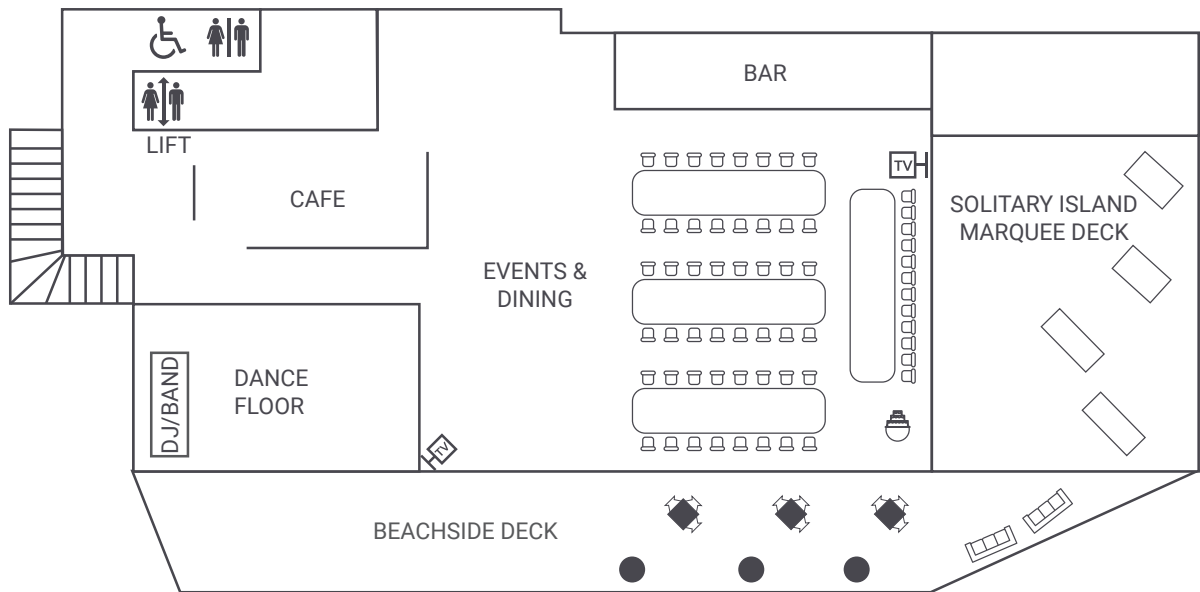
BAR SERVICE

The bar is operated by the Coffs Harbour Surf Life Saving Club and bar manager They will work with you to select wines and make all drink and bar arrangements.

The bar includes professional bar service from an extensive beverage menu.

All beverages/drinks are at Club prices – no expensive packages.





WHAT'S NEXT

VENUE HIRE

Please contact the CHSLSC for venue hire costs on 02 66523454

NOTES

Packages are subject to a minimum catering (food) spend.

\$3000 for Buffet and sit Down Options

\$1500 for Cocktail Options

TO BOOK

Request a tentative booking on your preferred date by email to info@coffsharboursurfclub.com.au or 02 66523454

The CHSLSC will confirm availability and ask you to pay the venue hire and security bond (payable to the Coffs Harbour Surf Life Saving Club) and catering deposit (payable to DONOVANS Surf Club Restaurant & Bar), payment details will be provided.

Once payment is confirmed the fun begins!

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DID YOU KNOW?

DONOVANS has another stunning Coffs Coast location—DONOVANS Link at 631 Hogbin Drive, Toormina. Set among award-winning landscaped gardens, it's another perfect venue for an event. Take a [look](#).

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