

Welcome to the Desert Lantern Restaurant, a training facility for hospitality and cookery students of all ages. We aim to provide our students with high-quality skills training that prepares them for the real world. The training gives our students the confidence to succeed and nationally recognised qualifications which provides them with essential employment credentials.

Our focus is on student outcomes, so our course lecturers may need to correct students as situations arise. We appreciate your patience and understanding and welcome any positive and supportive comments you may have on the comment cards provided on your table. Your feedback is valuable and helps us improve the confidence of our students.

We strive to provide a safe and welcoming environment for all our students and staff. To maintain this, we do not tolerate any form of inappropriate behaviour. We kindly request that you treat our students and staff courteously and respectfully.

Thank you for your support and patronage of the Desert Lantern Restaurant.



BOOKINGS & PAYMENT

All meals must be paid for in advance at the time of booking.

As a training restaurant, we require full occupancy.

Please note, the Desert Lantern is a Cashless Establishment and will no longer accept cash transactions. Patrons are requested to use EFTPOS.

We require 48 hours notice for booking refunds or rescheduling, subject to availability.

Patrons are responsible for their own booking dates and attending on the night, as courtesy reminder calls have been discontinued.

We will not be accepting bookings over the phone, please email the restaurant: desert.lantern@cdu.edu.au

PRICING

Degustation: \$95 per person (Over 18 only)
Time: arrive at 6.00pm for canape service
and seating starts at 6.30pm
6 Course Set Menu with Paired Wines
Seating Arrangement: Tables of 8 only
As our Degustation dinners are a set menu designed
around our curriculum, unfortunately we cannot
cater to dietary requirements at this event.
Children are not permitted for this event.

Three Course: \$45 per person (children \$25)
Time: 6.30pm to 9.00pm

Seating Arrangement: Table sizes between 2 and 6 guests

Dinner Buffet: \$65 (children \$45) Time: 6.30pm to 9.00pm

Seating Arrangement: Table sizes between 4 and 6 guests.

Tables of up to 10 are available but limited.

Brunch Buffet: \$25 Time: 10.00am to 11.30am

Seating Arrangement: Table sizes between 4 and 6 guests.
Tables of up to 10 are available but limited.

For bookings and more information, please email the Desert Lantern Restaurant E. desert.lantern@cdu.edu.au





DESERT LANTERN

RESTAURANT





DEGUSTATION

Semester 1, 2024

20th March Wednesday 21st March Thursday Semester 2, 2024

4th September Wednesday

5th September Thursday

THREE COURSE DINNER

Semester 1, 2024

26th March Tuesday
27th March Wednesday
14th May Tuesday
15th May Wednesday
16th May Thursday
21st May Tuesday
22nd May Wednesday
23rd May Thursday

Semester 2, 2024

18th September Wednesday
19th September Thursday
15th October Tuesday
16th October Wednesday
17th October Thursday
22nd October Tuesday
23rd October Wednesday
24th October Thursday

BRUNCH BUFFET

Semester 1, 2024 21st June Friday Semester 2, 2024 22nd November Friday

DINNER BUFFET

Semester 1, 2024

19th June Wednesday 20th June Thursday Semester 2, 2024

20th November Wednesday 21st November Thursday

2024 Dietary Restrictions: We can cater to most dietary requirements if prior notice is given. Please keep in mind that our Three Course Dinners will have gluten-free and vegetarian options as a standard; therefore, any other dietary requirements must be requested before booking. However, as a training restaurant, we may be unable to accommodate all requested dietary needs. Additionally, any last-minute changes or requests may not be catered to.

Thank you for your understanding.

We encourage patrons to share their experience at our training restaurant on Facebook & Instagram.





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