

First Meeting

Your getting married, what an exciting time for you and so it should be.

Marriage is the ultimate commitment a couple can make in their relationship, it's a commitment that lasts a life time.

So now there is the planning and preparation and part of that planning is choosing the right celebrant to solemnise your marriage.

This is your day, your special day, this is where I come in, as your celebrant it is my role to assist you in preparing your ceremony to suit your needs and dreams and making it as unique and individual as you are.

The purpose of this brochure is to give you an insight of what you can expect from me as your celebrant.

The day you marry your one and only will be a day filled with excitement, emotions and new beginnings.

I understand that choosing the celebrant is equally as important as you the bride choosing her wedding gown, it has to be just the right fit.



Your choice of a civil celebrant will be one of the most important decisions to make.

Your ceremony can be whatever you want it to be, be it a small private ceremony, casual, formal, traditional or contemporary or you may choose to have a theme wedding, the choice is yours, it's your day and you will want it to be special in every way.

My goal is to focus on your needs to make your day the most memorable day of your lives.

Should you decide to choose me as your celebrant, the next step is to make an appointment. During this first meeting, we will go through everything that is required for you to marry.

There are many things to consider before and after your married. The legal age for marriage in Australia is 18 years, if one person only is under 18 years, permission from the courts needs to be sought before the marriage can take place, if both people are under 18 years of age, the marriage will not be permitted.

Legal documents are required to be completed prior to the marriage, the first being the NOIM or Notice of Intended Marriage.

The NOIM is to be completed and lodged (can be done with celebrant) no later than one month prior to the wedding date.

In order to complete this form, I would need to sight both your birth certificates and if either party has been married before, you will need to provide your divorce papers, in the event either of you are widowed then you need to produce the death certificate.

You will also need two witnesses, they can be family members or friends but must be over the age of 18 years. Please choose your witnesses carefully as they will be signing your all important wedding certificate and the official Certificate of Marriage.

More information on the legal obligations is available on my website.

Other things to take into consideration and what is included in my services are on the following pages.

