



WARWICK RAILWAY STATION

Functions at Warwick Railway Station

A heritage venue in the heart of Warwick — sandstone grandeur, living rail history, and flexible spaces for unforgettable events.

About the Station

Built between 1886 and 1888 from locally quarried sandstone, Warwick Railway Station is Queensland's only fully sandstone railway station. It features a rare wrought-iron footbridge and classical architectural details. Once a vital hub linking the Darling Downs to Sydney and Brisbane, the station even played a role in national history with the 1917 "Billy Hughes egging incident," which helped spur the creation of the Australian Federal Police. Today, the beautifully restored station is home to the Southern Downs Steam Railway and offers unique, character-filled spaces for weddings, celebrations, and corporate gatherings.

All times below are local (AEST).

Spaces & Hire Fees

Heritage Hall (indoor venue)

- **Wedding Hire** — Exclusive use of the Heritage Hall **and** platform for the wedding day **plus** the following morning until **11:00 am** for pack-down: **\$1,000**
Refundable cleaning bond: \$200
- **Half-day (Morning)** — **6:00 am–11:00 am: \$100**
Refundable cleaning bond: \$150
- **Lunch Session** — **11:00 am–3:00 pm: \$200**
Refundable cleaning bond: \$150
- **Evening Session** — **3:00 pm–12:00 am (midnight): \$400**
Refundable cleaning bond: \$200

Railway Platform (outdoor platform area)

- **Half-day (Morning)** — **6:00 am–11:00 am: \$100**
Refundable cleaning bond: \$50
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Heritage Train Experiences (optional add-ons)

- **Static Display at the Platform** — DH45 heritage diesel locomotive with **four 100-year-old Davidson carriages** positioned as a stunning event backdrop: **\$1,800**
 - **Short Heritage Run** — Static display **plus a 2.0-hour** return trip **Warwick ↔ Hendon** for up to **100 passengers on the train: \$5,000**
 - **Licensed Bar Service on Board** — **\$100 staffing fee** (*beverage charges extra*)
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Equipment & AV

- **Tables & Chairs** — Quoted to suit your layout (round/square, quantities, arrangement): **TBA**
 - **Public Address & Music System (Hall)** — Included; **wired (not wireless): \$0**
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Capacity Guidelines

- **Banquet (seated at tables) with band/speaker:** up to **80**
 - **Standing reception:** up to **130**
 - **Theatre style (seated, no tables):** up to **130**
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Booking & Enquiries

Email: admin@sdsr.com.au

Email us with your requirements and dates and we will quote you.

Notes

- *Refundable cleaning bonds* are returned in full when the hall, kitchen, and platform areas are left **clean, tidy, and fully packed down**. If using external caterers, please ensure a full clean-down.
- Bookings are **subject to availability** and operational requirements of the railway.