

C & R Wedding – MC Running Sheet

4:30 Cash Bar open

4:45 Photo Booth set up

5:30 Sparkling served & Canapés

5:55 With Mary, Announce for people to get seated.

6:00 **Guest seated in the Ballroom**

(Great Opening line, something that happened at the ceremony - Party Time.)

"Being asked to be the MC of a wedding is a lot like being asked to make love to the Queen....."

"It's a great honour, but you really wish somebody else would do it."

Welcome everybody, My name is Henk ... and I'm your MC for tonight.

And I'm also the Father of the Groom

Wasn't that an outstanding Wedding ceremony this afternoon?

(refer to the Marriage celebrant)

And now it's Celebration Time, Good Times and Party time

(Something that happened at the ceremony – Party Time.)

- Housekeeping

If you get tired, the Rest Rooms...

I'm assuming your Mobile is switched Off – speeches

- Recognize long distance attendees

Kerrie Lloyd – Please stand up - All the way from England - Table 2

Diane Sharp – All the way from Perth - Table 1

And those of you from Victoria – yeh what ever.

- Helpers

- Mary Jones – Wedding Assistant - Table 2

- Bryan Smith the father of the bride & Kerrie Brown, sister of the groom they will be responsible for playing the great music you'll be dancing to tonight.

- Photo-Booth

- Location – as you came in.

- Free (to you) Unlimited Strip Photos; let me rephrase that, Photo Strips.

- This is for you to **create fun, memorable photos** to take away with you, and save as **your memories** of this wedding

It's also your way of signing in and creating The **Happy Couple's, Guest Book.**

Help

Tonight, If you need anything at all, please come and see me so the Happy Couple can really enjoy themselves tonight

6:10 Announcement of Bridal Party
I believe the Bride and Groom have arrived
 (Rally all and have everybody **stand up.**)
 (Announcement first)

“Please be up standing...
 Please welcome...
 Mr. & Mrs. Andrew & Susan Brown
Music –signal

(When Seated)
 Don't they just look absolutely stunning?
 Please, tonight, celebrate Susan's & Andrew's marriage and
 Enjoy the night, the good company, and the great Food & Wine.

6:20 Entrée Served

7:00 Main Meal Served

7:55 Give 5 min notice to speakers

8:00 Speeches (If speeches are a 30min total, Cut the Cake before Bridal Waltz)

Speaking Order

Al Smith - Susan's Brother

Our first speaker for tonight is Al Smith, Susan's Brother
Al works at **RMIT** – Recruiting students for Universities.
 And he loves basketball so much that he has decided to be a basketball coach.

I think we may get a bit more of an insight into Susan from Al.

So please help me give him a warm welcome.

Henk ... - Father of the Groom
 (My Speech Script)

Bryan Smith - Father of the Bride

We now have Bryan Smith, Father of the Bride, and **NOW** also Andrew's
 Father in Law.
 I say *** because in 2010, he received his PhD in linguistics. His thesis was a
 study of, Print Media Construction of Australian Aboriginality, post,
 the year 1998.

He now works at the University of Technology, in Smithville, where he tutors
 Secondary Students.

The one thing I do know about Bryan is that when he first met
 Andrew.....he thought Andrew was a weirdo, very observant Bryan,
 but when he got to know Andrew, he wondered if he was ever going to
 propose to his daughter. But it happened.

Please give Bryan a warm round of applause as he shares some of his thoughts and recollections of the newlyweds.

Andrew & Susan - Groom & Bride

Andrew

I think you now know, a little bit more about Susan and Andrew now. And now they have their Right of Reply and chance to Defend Themselves. Please give it up for our son, your son in law, and every body's friend, Andrew Brown

Susan

And now our lovely, joyful, gorgeous Bride Susan. Susan is Qualified Lawyer, but also has a conscience, so no more law.

So now she works at Monash University dealing with students, hence keeping the tradition of both sides of the family well and truly alive, by working at a University

Please help me, make her feel welcome by making some noise.

(8:30 Cutting of the Cake (If speeches finish @ 8:30))

Please take note of the excellent, hand-blown, glass, Wedding Cake Topper, that was designed and crafted by a glass artisan, who unfortunately will have to remain anonymous.

Susan and Andrew would like you to take the cupcakes home with you, as a memory of this wonderful day.

Bridal Waltz

We are now going to welcome the Bride & Groom to dance the Bridal Waltz to the song "Wings" by Birdy" that they have chosen, simply, because it sound good.

Susan has asked me to invite you to join them onto the dance floor after a just one or two verses of, because it can be pretty lonely out there all by yourself.

As they make their way to the Dance Floor, for the Bridal Waltz could you please help me give them a really warm welcome?

(Signal Kerrie to start the music straight after my welcome, as the loud musical will serve as a fanfare)

8:35 Cutting of the Cake (if not already done)

Announce some time during the dancing

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8:40 Dessert Served

10:15 Reminders, Thank Yous & Epilogue**Reminders**

Bar closing at 10:30

Photo-booth – last chance.

Thank Yous

Sandra Walker Event Host

Venue staff – Food and service

Mary Jones Everywhere

Kerrie & Bryan – Marvelous music

And all of **you** for coming to help celebrate Susan & Andrew's wedding.

Epilogue

In a little while we will be saying farewell to the newlyweds as we form a Farewell Circle.

And we say farewell because it won't be long before they fly of to America for their honeymoon.

All I can say is, that it was an outstanding **Wedding Ceremony** today, and an outstanding celebration of Susan & Andrew's marriage, tonight.

Everybody looked wonderful, especially Susan, even Andrew looked less of a hippy than usual.

After the farewell please feel free to stay and continue the celebrations till 11.00.

10:30 Bar Closed**10:30 Farewell Circle to "Bohemian Rhapsody" by Queen**

Please can you all form a circle on the dance floor to form the Farewell Circle to Farewell the Happy Couple, the bride and groom, Mr. & Mrs. Brown.

11:00 Close