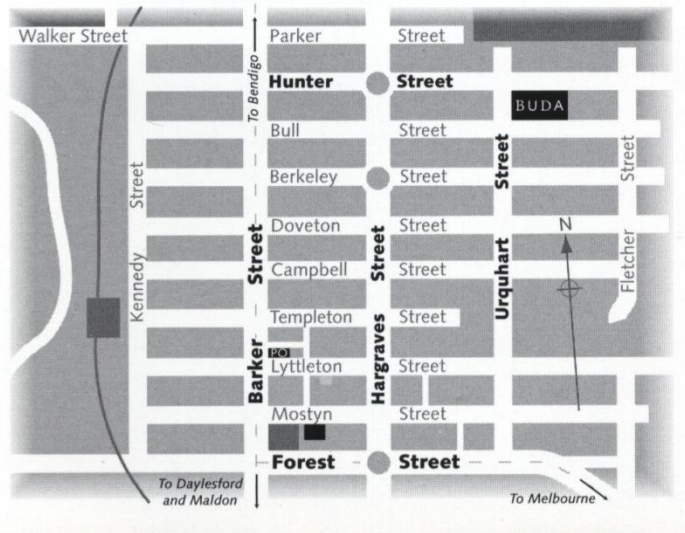




Buda Historic Home & Garden Tours – **Essential Information** and suggestions to enhance your tour of Buda

- **Tours need to start on time.** Make sure you arrive at least 15 minutes prior to the start time of your tour or lunch, to allow for rest room stops etc. Buses park at the Hunter St entrance, entry via Hunter St gate.



- **Allow 1.5 hrs for your tour** This includes your guided tour of the house and garden and time to browse the nursery and giftshop
- **Allow plenty of time to get to Buda.** Keep in mind, it will take 1.5 hours from Melbourne northern suburbs and 2.5 hours from anywhere south of Melbourne, 1.5 hours from Ballarat, and 45 minutes from Bendigo. (Add on time for stops) Call well in advance on 5472 1032 if you know you will be late
- **Tour guides** are assigned to your group in advance, and arrive at Buda on time, especially for your group, as volunteers. Tour guides are fully trained in every aspect of Buda. They will give every tour member a “Welcome to Buda” brochure, which contains a map and a brief history of the house and garden. Please do not keep your tour guides waiting.
- **Prices**

Tour	\$9 per person – special discount price for tour groups
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Make sure you have planned in advance how you will pay for your Buda tour and/or lunch, morning or afternoon tea. We appreciate a cheque, card or cash payment by your tour leader for the full amount.

- **Catering**

The Buda Garden Room is perfect for a morning or afternoon tea or lunch. Bookings in advance are essential.

Lunch	\$21 per person (Roast chicken, salads, dessert, tea/coffee)
Morning Tea	\$14.50 per person - Homemade cake
Afternoon tea	\$14.50 per person - Devonshire tea
Basic catering	\$7.50 per person - Coffee / Tea / Biscuits in the Buda Garden Room

IMPORTANT

- Your group must pay in full on the day or by invoice.
- Confirm numbers for catering 2 days prior to your visit by phone or email – **your group will be charged for the confirmed numbers regardless of non-attendance.**
- Payment for the tour and catering can be made together via cheque, credit/debit card/ cash or invoice.



Lela’s Special Lunches

Buda provides a lovely lunch, or morning & afternoon tea in our purpose built Garden Room, however **bookings in advance are essential**. This offers your group the opportunity to eat a hot meal, that is ready as soon as you arrive at Buda, or straight after your tour. In this way, the tour guides can address your group while they are seated, in the comfort of a fully equipped space. Ladies/men’s and disabled toilets provided, as well as excellent heating in winter, and air-conditioning in summer.

- **Buda Nursery** Buda Nursery has heritage and drought tolerant specimens. We supply plastic bags for your plant purchases, and many special and rare Buda plants are available.
- **Buda Giftshop** The Buda Giftshop is available to buy a special souvenir of your trip, or a locally handcrafted item. Make sure you allow time for your clients to shop. We are more than happy to help you plan your trip. Please speak to our friendly staff in advance so we can make your visit to Buda a well-planned and enjoyable experience!

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