



THE **HORDERN**

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ABOUT US



ROCKIN'SINCE 1924

The Hordern Pavilion has long been one of Sydney's favourite entertainment venues. Frank Sinatra, Coldplay, Florence + the Machine, Justine Timberlake, Nirvana, Lorde, Queen, and even The Jackson Five – it all happened here!

Set in the Moore Park Precinct, the Hordern's historic façade disguises a versatile venue packed with potential. Many millions of people have been through its doors – to dance, to sing, to dine, and even do business. Live music, film premieres, gala dinners, product launches such as the Rolling Stone re-launch, awards nights such as the ARIA's and Dally M's as well as exhibitions like Life InStyle and One Fine Baby.

VENUE FEATURES

- Impressive dome ceiling.
- Substantial rigging and catwalk facilities.
- Fully air-conditioned throughout.
- Modular, portable stage.
- Ample backstage facilities offer a mezzanine level Green Room, ground level dressing rooms and offices.
- Level loading dock access directly into the venue as well as vehicle access on site.
- Food & Beverage concessions located in the foyer and at the back of the main floor.
- High speed internet available.



VENUE SPECS



FLOOR AREAS

- Main Hall floor area 3600m² (3100m² usable space)
- Foyer floor area 320m²
- North-east dressing rooms 36 & 50m²
- North-west dressing rooms 36 & 28m²
- Production office 8m²
- Green Room 100m²

HEIGHT

- Floor to perimeter roof 7.6m
- Floor to underside support truss between columns 6.2m
- Floor to top of dome (underside) 13m
- Floor to stage rigging points 8m

DIMENSIONS

- From back wall to front wall – usable space 52m
- From east wall to west wall – usable space 59m
- In between columns 30m

DOOR DIMENSIONS

- Loading dock doors 3.3m w x 3.8m h
- Other doors 1.2m w x 2.3m h

STAGE

- Dimensions 12 x 18 m (40 x 60 ft)
- Adjustable height from 0.9 – 1.4m
- The stage is modular and portable
- Rated to 600kg per m²



VENUE FACILITIES

AIR CONDITIONING

The venue and the foyer are fully air conditioned. All dressing rooms and offices have individual air conditioning units.

FOYER

A portable information desk and portable merchandise outlets are available in this space. The foyer has a separate lighting dimming system and controls for the foyer and forecourt P.A. system.

TOILETS

At ground floor level there are 30 female toilets at the south-eastern corner, plus a disabled toilet. The south-western corner has 6 male toilets plus urinals, plus a disabled toilet. There is a changing places facility located in the foyer. Accessible from the stairs in the foyer are an additional 29 female toilets and 4 male toilets plus urinals, in the south-western basement level.

DRESSING ROOMS

Back of house there are 3 large dressing rooms, each with a toilet and shower. The rooms closest to the stage can be used as a production office, dressing room or servery, each has a large roller shutter opening into the auditorium. The second dressing room on the western side has a small kitchenette. The eastern side also has a small production office.

GREEN ROOM

Upstairs on the eastern side of the venue sits a large air-conditioned Green Room (100m²) with full kitchen facilities and toilets.

SEATING

New state of the art seating is now installed at the venue. The multi-configurable, mechanically driven seating units provide a flexible space for various event modes including exhibition, theatre, in the round, reduced or full GA standing concerts.

THE PLAZA

The Plaza area in front of the Hordern provides a large outdoor licenced area for patrons during concerts and events. The 2081m² space can also be hired for outdoor functions and live music events with access into the foyer and ample power and water outlets supplied.

RIGGING, POWER & SOUND



RIGGING

The central rigging dome has an event load capacity of 30 tonne. There are ample rigging points in the perimeter roof ceiling. ***Clients need to submit a rigging plan for approval.***

INTEGRATED RGB LED HOUSE LIGHTING

The new in-house system consists of custom LED colour zone allocations with a six preset recording capacity. The system also has the ability to be patched into the lighting desk through DMX. *Lighting desk not included.*

K2 P.A. SYSTEM

(Provided by JPJ Audio)

- 16 x L-Acoustics K2 Enclosure
- 16 x L-Acoustics SB28 Sub Low Enclosure
- 8 x L-Acoustics ARCS Enclosure
(4 x Front Fills, 4 x LL-RR)
- 5 x Amplifier Rack, L-Acoustics (3xLA8)
- 1 x L-Acoustics K2 Drive Rack (2 x Dolby)
- 1 x L-Acoustics K1 Drive Multicore

POWER

There are 4 x 400 Amp outlets at the north-western side of the stage. These outlets are fitted with PowerLock and a 32Amp/3Ø connector. In addition, there are 32AMP/3Ø Phase connectors distributed throughout the venue.

CURTAINS AND DRAPES

There are curtains on the truss on each of the western, eastern and southern side of the venue that allows a reduction to the perimeter of the dome.

MONITOR SYSTEM

(Provided by JPJ Audio)

- 10 x Clair 12AM monitor wedge
- 2 x Clair 212AM monitor wedge
- 2 x Amplifier Racks, Amplifier Rack, 4mix 12AM
- 4 x Clair R-4 Series III Speaker Enclosure
- 1 x Amplifier Racks, Amplifier Rack, R4
- 2 x Clair ML-18 sub-low speaker enclosure
- 2 x Amplifier Racks, Amplifier Rack, ML18

For detailed PA specifications and hire cost please discuss with your dedicated Playbill representative.

SAMPLE VENUE CONFIGURATIONS



WITH NEW, STATE-OF-THE-ART SEATING, THE HORDERN NOW OFFERS A VARIETY OF SEATED, STANDING AND TIERD MODES TO SUIT THE NEEDS AND CAPACITIES OF YOUR EVENT!

GA CONCERT MODE

For the ultimate concert experience with a mix of standing and seating

Ticket types: General admission

Capacity: 5500 pax (including 1800 seats)

Stage: 12m x 18m (40 x 60 ft)



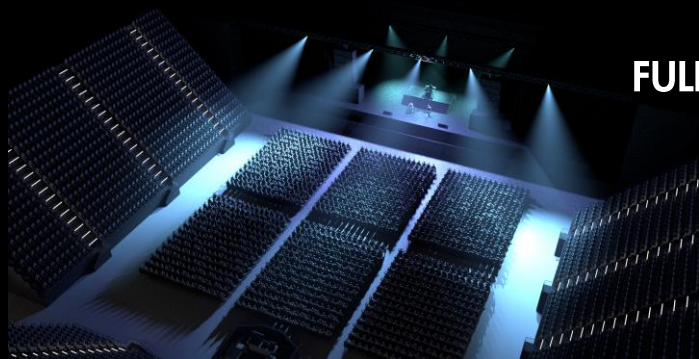
FULL CAPACITY SEATED CONCERT MODE

All seated performances

Ticket types: Reserved seating

Capacity: 3000-3300 pax

Stage: 12m x 18m (40 x 60 ft)



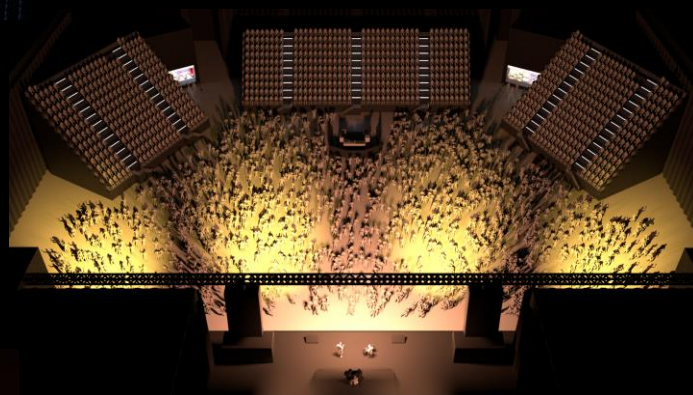
INTIMATE CONCERT MODE

Ideal for small to medium events

Ticket types: Reserved seating + GA floor

Capacity: 2500 - 3000 pax

Stage: 12m x 18m (40 x 60 ft)



IN THE ROUND MODE

The elevated stands around a flat, seated section

Ticket types: Reserved seating and corporate/VIP tables

Capacity: 1500 - 3000 pax

Stage: Customisable

SAMPLE VENUE CONFIGURATIONS

SEATED THEATRE & SPEAKER MODE

Plays, productions, presentations & everything in between.

Ticket types: Reserved seating

Capacity: 2500 -3000 pax

Stage: 12m x 18m (40 x 60 ft)



EXHIBITION MODE

Expos, tradeshows, makers markets & more

Floor area: 3600m²

Usable space: 3100m²

Foyer floor area: 320m²

CORPORATE PRODUCT LAUNCH MODE

Bring your product & brand to life

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FUNCTIONS & EVENTS

For any occasion, large or small

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