



women*circus

Venue Hire Info Pack

www.womenscircus.org.au

General info about our Drill Hall home



Funds from your booking go directly towards supporting our Community and Artist Development Programs.

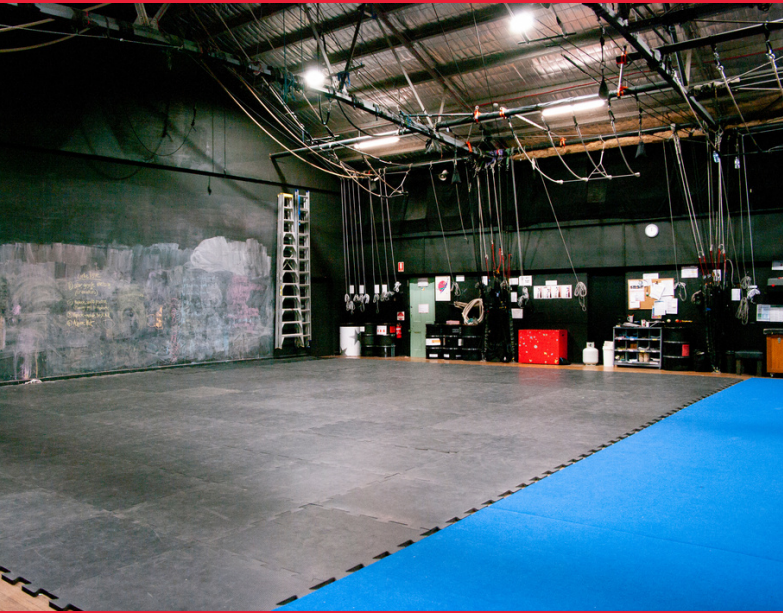
The Drill Hall has been the home of Women's Circus since 2006. We are located next to Whitten Oval and a close to West Footscray station. The training centre is equipped with specialised circus gear including trapezes, climbing ropes and aerial equipment. Benefits to hiring with us are:

- Large community kitchen with facilities (fridge, oven, sink, cooking utensils)
- Wi-Fi
- Free on-site parking available
- 5 minute walk form West Footscray station
- Coffee shop and Supermarket in vicinity
- Fully wheelchair accessible space including toilet facilities



Women's Circus acknowledges the Kulin Nation as the traditional owners of the land on which we meet, train and create and recognise their continuing connection to land, waters, communities and culture. We pay our respect to Elders past and present and through them to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. Sovereignty was never ceded. Always was, always will be Aboriginal land.

Available Spaces



Main Training Space

A large space for groups of up to 25 people and includes access to rigging and equipment. Amenities include:

- Kitchen access
- Power points
- Chairs/tables (on request)
- Jigsaw mats/acro mats
- Wood floors
- Aerial Equipment*
- Rig*
- Gas heating
- Dimensions 15m X 12m

*Rig and Aerial must be arranged before use – extra fees may apply.

Community Room

Ideal for small companies or groups of up to 12 people. Amenities include:

- Kitchen access
- Power points
- Chairs/table (on request)
- Jigsaw mats/acro mats
- Wood floor
- Windows
- Heat/Aircon
- Dimensions 6m x 9m

Please note: this space is semi-private.

Availability

Our year-round training program runs most weekday nights and Saturday days. As a result the spaces are generally not available for rental during these times. Sundays and weekdays are usually open for hire. Please contact us directly with dates, times and preferred rooms for availability. We also welcome you to come and check out the space. Contact the office to make an appointment. Email: info@womenscircus.org.au | Phone: (03) 9687 3665.

Rates

Women's Circus is committed to supporting independent and unfunded companies and provides our space at competitive and subsidised rates.

Rehearsals and Meetings

Women's Circus member.....	\$15/hour \$60/day
Independent artist/community group.....	\$20/hour \$80/day
Corporate/funded company.....	\$40/hour \$160/day

Fee for Service (ticketed events/workshops/classes)

Women's Circus member.....	\$30/hour \$120/day
Independent artist/community group.....	\$40/hour \$160/day
Corporate/funded company.....	\$80/hour \$320/day

A 10% discount may be applied to any ongoing/ regular hires. Late cancellations will incur an administration fee. Please note bookings are a minimum of two hours, and charged by the hour. As an organisation that runs dedicated Circus training programs and workshops, we reserve the right to refuse bookings if we feel the booking directly competes with our programs.

Cleaning fees: additional costs may apply for booking of 6 or more, or for large scale rehearsals.

Public Events: Please contact us to discuss the details of your event to see if Women's Circus is suitable.

Annual Women's Circus membership: This gives you access to the membership hire rate along with lots of other benefits including costume store and equipment loan, access to our artist development programs and more. Membership ranges in price from \$25 - \$80/year. For more info and to become a member head to our website: www.womenscircus.org.au.

If you are an unfunded organisation or project and our rates make it impossible for you to afford our space, please contact us. Occasional needs-based exceptions can be made.

Terms & Conditions



- Hirer is financially responsible for any damage done to facility or equipment by members of their party during time of rental.
- Hirer must have public liability insurance or pay membership fees to Women's Circus.
- Hirer must stop by Drill Hall during office hours before the date of rental for an induction and to sign a hard-copy of a Venue Hire Contract.
- For health and safety reasons there must be more than one person on site at all times.
- Additional terms and conditions covered in Venue Hire Contract.

Make a Booking

To arrange venue hire, get in touch with us at: info@womenscircus.org.au
Or head to our website and complete a hire us enquiry form under 'Hire Us'.
You must have specific dates and times outlined in your request. We cannot provide generalised quotes.

We look forward to hearing from you.
For more information visit our website:

www.womenscircus.org.au

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