

# New Year's Eve at Sydney Opera House - The Opera Gala A Reserve

• 2 hours 45 minutes •

## • KEY FACTS •



Best available seat(s) at A Reserve (Show Only)



1. Transport from/to selected hotels
2. Food & beverages not listed as Inclusions
3. Souvenirs
4. Travel Insurance
5. Pre-performance Dinner
6. Midnight Party

## Departure point

Show Date: 31 December 2019  
Show Time: 19:45 - 22:30

## How to get there

- By Public Transport -  
You can catch public transport (bus, train, ferry) to Circular Quay and enjoy a 6 min walk to the Opera House.
- By Car -  
There is an onsite public car park available at Sydney Opera House. This car park is charged by the hour.

## Check-in requirements

Tickets will be available for collection from the Box Office at Sydney Opera House one hour before the performance. Please bring and present a photo ID bearing the name used for booking to collect your tickets at the box office.

## What to bring/wear

- While it is fun to dress up for the opera, there is no mandatory dress code. An extra layer is advised because it can get cold in the theatre.
- All ticketholders must present their bags and personal belongings for visual inspection or x-ray screening by Sydney Opera House security staff before entering the venue as a safety precaution and condition of entry. Valid photo ID must be presented to purchase a drink from the theatre bar.
- To avoid delays, please leave anything larger than an A4 sheet of paper at home.
- Larger items – including handbags bigger than A4-size, backpacks, umbrellas, suitcases and prams – are not permitted inside the venues and must be cloaked.

## Other info

- Latecomers  
For the comfort and convenience of all patrons, latecomers can only be admitted into the auditorium at a suitable break in the performance. Suitable breaks vary between operas and may not be until the first interval. If a suitable break prior to interval is identified, latecomers may not be seated in their ticketed seats, rather in an area adjacent an entrance, where minimal disruption will be caused to seated attendees. This is at the discretion of venue staff. Ticket refunds or exchanges are not available on the basis of late arrival. It is strongly recommended that you plan the journey to ensure you arrive at the venue well in advance of the scheduled performance commencement.

- Fireworks

Please be aware that this event is very popular, so the balconies will be crowded during the fireworks.

If you don't have tickets to the Midnight Party, there are a limited number of outdoor viewing areas you'll be able to access following the performance. Please note that these spaces are limited and cannot be guaranteed.

Some fireworks can be viewed from the Southern Foyers inside Sydney Opera House at midnight, but you may not have a view of Sydney Harbour Bridge.

- Seat Selections and Allocations

Your reservation is confirmed in booked Reserve with random seat(s) assigned within the area. Your allocated seat number will be shown on the ticket issued by the Box Office at Sydney Opera House.

- Photos and Videos

Cameras and other recording devices are prohibited in the venue's auditorium. Mobile telephones, pagers and so forth must be turned off before entry into the venue's auditorium.

- Food and Drinks

No food or drink is allowed in this event.

• OVERVIEW •

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Dress up to the nines, kick up your heels and leave the crowds behind as you stroll towards the iconic sails.

Enjoy a magnificent pre-performance dinner overlooking Sydney Harbour before you take your seats for the performance.

Choose between a sumptuous production of Puccini's **La Bohème** or the glorious **Opera Gala** to hear some of Opera Australia's finest performers join with the 60 piece Opera Australia Orchestra for a concert of some of opera's most impressive arias.

You can enjoy the 21:00 fireworks during the interval for both events.

After the show, make your evening even more special with tickets to our exclusive midnight party. Held in the Northern Foyers of the Opera House, this event includes drinks, canapes and entertainment – and of course, a great vantage point for Sydney's famous NYE fireworks.

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## The Opera Gala

Step into the Sydney Opera House's magnificent Concert Hall to watch the Opera Gala concert. Be entertained with favourites by Verdi, Puccini, Rossini and more.

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## La Bohème

The way that first love grabs hold and floods you with something you've never felt before. The fire that burns the first time jealousy flares. The growing up you do in the instant that you realise love can't last forever. Puccini takes these achingly human feelings and sets them to music - music that soars with the ecstasy of love, crackles with the pain of jealousy and cries with the agony of loss.

Some human emotions are too big for words alone, and for that, we have music. La Bohème exposes your soul to the feelings that only music can express.

Gale Edwards' glittering production is set among the fishnets and fairy lights of 1930s bohemian Berlin.

To book this show for your New Year's Eve event, please visit: <https://www.enjoyaus.com/n3512>

## Sample Itinerary

Reference Only. Subject to change without notice. Itineraries may operate in reverse order, in a different sequence, be swapped around, or in rare circumstances be replaced by other best suited items to suit times & conditions.

Time	Itinerary	Details
17:30	Pre- Performance Dinner	Look out over Sydney Harbour as you dine on a three-course menu, matched with premium wines and beverages in the Northern Foyer from 17:30.
18:00	Foyers	The foyers of the Concert Hall will be open from 18:00.
19:45	The Opera Gala	The performance commences at 19:45 and runs until 22:30, with an interval timed for the 21:00 fireworks. Please be aware that this event is very popular, so the Northern Foyer balconies will be crowded during the fireworks. <i>For La Bohème, please visit <a href="https://www.enjoyaus.com/n3512">https://www.enjoyaus.com/n3512</a></i>
22:30	Midnight Party	Enjoy canapés, drinks and live entertainment at the conclusion of the performance, with views of the midnight fireworks from the Northern Foyers.  For the best viewing of the midnight fireworks, book tickets to this exclusive party, overlooking Sydney Harbour with fantastic views of the Sydney Harbour Bridge. Please be aware that this event is very popular, so the balconies will be crowded during the fireworks.

Dinner & Midnight Party are optional extras at own expense and need to be booked in advance with the show.



## Cancellation Policy

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