

# GOLDEN DRAGON MUSEUM

## Hours

Open 9:30am – 5:00pm every day.  
CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY

## Refreshments

Dining room, with a seating capacity of 120, serves light meals and snacks during Museum hours. Banquets or special menus can be arranged if prior notice is given.

## Gift Shop

An extensive range of souvenirs is available from the gift shop, which is conveniently located in the foyer.

## Tour and School Groups

Group bookings are most welcome and special rates apply to groups of 15 or more people. Please book in advance and enquire about our special group catering arrangements.

## Parking

Car parking is available at both the front and rear of the Museum. Designated coach parking is at the entrance to the Museum on Bridge Street.

## Wheelchair Access

All areas of the Museum, Classical Chinese Gardens and Kuan Yin Temple are accessible by wheelchair.

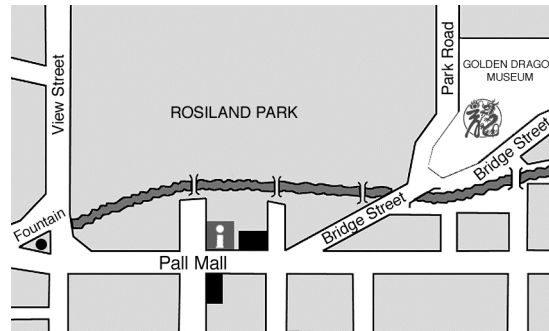
A number of wheelchairs are available in the foyer, please ask at reception.

## Toilets

These are located in the foyer. A wheelchair accessible toilet is located next door to the ladies toilets.

## Location

The Golden Dragon Museum is located in the heart of Bendigo only 5 minutes walk for the main street (Pall Mall).



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# Friends of the GOLDEN DRAGON MUSEUM

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## AIMS OF THE FRIENDS

To assist, promote and foster interest in the Golden Dragon Museum, and to provide funds and donations vital to the preservation and enrichment of the collections.

## BENEFITS OF FRIENDS MEMBERSHIP

- Invitations to openings, previews and other social occasions.
- Discount of 10% off all souvenirs in the gift shop.
- Access to the Ming Yeung Research Library (Appointment with researched required before visit.)
- Access to Photographic Collection for research purposes. (Conditions and reproduction costs apply).
- Access to Newspaper Database, Family Tree Indexes and Collections in storage. (Fees may apply)
- Free Admission to the Museum and Classical Chinese Gardens.

*Access to the Museums various collections by prior appointment only.*

## Donations

- Donations of \$2.00 or more to the Golden Dragon Museum are deductible for the purposes of income tax, under the Taxation Incentive Scheme for the Arts.
- Donors of items to the Museum's collection, may claim as a deduction the market value of their gifts, as determined by an approved valuer, under the Cultural Gifts Program.

## A BRIEF HISTORY

Bendigo's Chinese heritage is and integral part of its rich cultural history.

From the goldrush period to the present day, the Bendigo Chinese community has influenced the proud history of Bendigo – from its tradition of charitable works for the local hospitals to its spectacular displays in the Bendigo Easter Festival.

Born of the long association with the people of the region, the Bendigo Chinese Association is proud to present the GOLDEN DRAGON MUSEUM – a living history of the Chinese people of Bendigo from the Goldrush to the present day.

Having become the hub of Chinese cultural activity in Victoria, the Museum allows visitors to experience first hand, the Chinese community in Bendigo – a unique history.

Central to the permanent display is Sun Loong, the longest imperial dragon in the world (over 100 meters long), Loong reputed to be the oldest imperial dragon in the world, and their associated regalia which were previously only viewed by visitors to the Bendigo Easter Festival, but now available to the general public all year round.

A donation to the Museum or its collections allows for new exhibitions to be mounted & continues to support travelling displays. Donations of family histories, enhances the understanding of life on the goldfields and the struggles of later generations.

Ensure that your family history is preserved, by depositing a copy with our research centre, so that it is accessible to future generations.

## FRIEND (PENG YOU) of the GOLDEN DRAGON MUSEUM

Membership is on an annual basis, and is obtainable by completing this form and returning it with the appropriate payment to the Museum.

*Please enrol me as a member of the Friends of the Golden Dragon Museum.*

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms .....

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Address .....

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State ..... Postcode .....

Telephone .....

Email .....

Single Membership	\$ 25
Couples Membership	\$ 40
Family (Children 18yrs & under)	\$ 50
Institutional Membership	\$100

Payment enclosed \$.....

**Date**

**Receipt No**

Please make cheque /money order payable to:

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