



Stall 139 EOI Prospectus

Submit an Expression of Interest
to be part of the iconic
South Melbourne Market

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South Melbourne Market

The Quintessential Village Market

With over 5.5 million visitors annually, the South Melbourne Market has, and continues to, set the standard in placemaking and has delivered consistent growth in visitation over the past decade. Since 1867, the Market has been a treasured inner-city landmark and a favourite among locals and visitors. It is the quintessential village market, a place where people come not only to purchase fresh food, but to meet, eat, drink, shop, discover, share, and connect.

Inside our Market, authentic traders display their wares with pride and passion. Quirky and playful characters are found behind the counters, delivering old fashioned customer service with a smile. We embrace and showcase the local, supporting local farmers, artisans, and producers. It is a foodie's paradise where freshness, quality and diversity are paramount and foodstuffs from land and sea are on show. We celebrate a philosophy of real food, encouraging you to cook dishes made from great quality, fresh produce sourced from our family of traders you know, love and trust.

We are home to seriously good coffee, specialty tea and a vibrant restaurant precinct for day and night-time activation. There is also an amazing array of merchandise and services with everything from clothing, homewares and second-hand books to hairdressing and pet food. With a calendar of live music, events and activities, the Market is a happy and experiential place that celebrates the senses. Take a trip to the Market: you never know what you will find, but we guarantee it will be full of surprising moments and experiences!

South Melbourne Market is owned and operated by the City of Port Phillip and advised by a Special Advisory Committee of the Port Phillip Council.

The South Melbourne Market Committee has the responsibility of overseeing the Market on behalf of Council.

Stall 139 - Location & Details

Details :

- **Category:** General Merchandise or Services
- **Please Note** – this is a Non-food or beverage area, no food & beverage offers will be accepted
- **Stall location:** Aisle F, in close proximity to The Merchant of Fairness, Centre Aisle, carpark stairs & lift
- **Trading hours:** Currently four days :
 - Wednesday 8am – 4pm
 - Friday 8am – 5pm
 - Saturday 8am – 4pm
 - Sunday 8am – 4pm
- **Size:** Approx 20.1m² internal space

Licensing, fees and stall details:

- **Licence Term:** 3-years
- **Proposed Form of Agreement:** South Melbourne Market Licence
- **Permitted Use:** General Merchandise or Services, or by negotiation with South Melbourne Market Management. (Please note the stall does not have plumbed water).
- **Fixtures and Fittings:** A new fit-out will be required, please provide details on what your concept would be for this space including a proposed Stall Fit-out concept and Plan
- **Rental Fees:** Please contact Market management for details
- **Estimated outgoings:** The Licensee will be required to pay any metered charges for utilities. The licensee will also be required to pay a monthly pest control fee, amount TBA.
- The Licensee is responsible for effecting and keeping a **Public Liability insurance** policy for at least \$20 million for their stall.
- **Security Deposit:** The security deposit is equal to two months licence fee excluding GST. and will be required to be paid at the commencement of the licence.



Stall 139 - Map Location



STALL 139

Aisle F close to the corner of
Centre Aisle, carpark stairs and lift

Stall 139- Precinct

Aisle F - Precinct overview

Stall 139 is located on Aisle F near the corner of Centre Aisle

Aisle F showcases a mix of general merchandise & massage service offers, such as the **Merchant of Fairness** bookshop, **Van Jewellers**, **Clares Bears and Wares**, **Dr Shen Chinese Medicine**, and **Zen holistic health**.

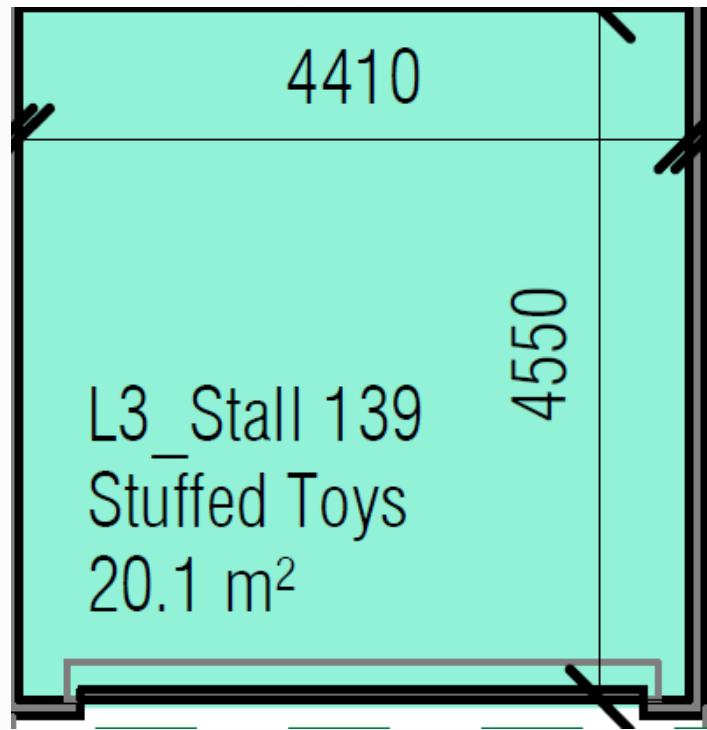
This aisle has the benefit of close proximity to the popular Centre Aisle, and the Car park lift and stairs, with a regular hustle and bustle of customers through it on their way to the popular Deli Aisle

Features:

- A vibrant precinct with a loyal customer visitation
- Quality, complementary concepts and Market retailers
- **Good location** - Central Market location close to busy Centre Aisle
- **Good footfall** - total entry into the Market was 5,697,197 for the year 2024, with approx. **538,978 people walking directly past Stall 139, Aisle F**
- Approximately **10% of total visitation** annually pass the tenancy



Stall 139 - Floorplan



Stall 139 - Application requirements

Registering your interest

Interested parties are invited to express their interest by submitting an application, supported by a Business plan which focuses on the following:

- Strong focus on a viable, commercial operation
- Proposed business strategy
- Experience – details around:
 - background and previous relevant experience,
 - small business experience,
 - small business management and/or ownership
 - understanding of product innovation and trends,
 - future vision
- A passion for sustainability in business, environmental and social sustainability business strategies
- Best practice, creative and innovative business operations
- A desire to join the thriving and unique South Melbourne Market community



Stall 139 - EOI Process

Expression of interest process

Interested parties are invited to express their interest by submitting an application, supported by a Business plan which focuses on the following:

1. Applicants to read and understand all documentation.
2. Develop Business Plan: a link to a template is available on the [South Melbourne Market website](#) or you can develop your own addressing the information requested in the template.
3. Fill out and submit the application form online via the Market website before the expression of interest closing date.
4. An evaluation panel comprising of South Melbourne Market Management Team members will evaluate each application based on evaluation criteria.
5. Applicants are shortlisted and interviewed
6. SMM Management & SMM Committee support of applicant(s)
7. Successful applicant advised.
8. Licence prepared and delivered.



Get in touch



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