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Question:

Can guest lists and menus for all official functions in 2014-15 to date be provided?

Answer:

Guest lists and published menus for all Prime Minister's official functions from 26 October 2014 until 25 March 2015 are attached.

Official functions prior to 26 October 2014 have been answered in:

SE14/766;

SE14/1269; and

SE14/891

1. Please see table below.

Event	Guest list	Menu
AFP and ADF Morning Tea Thank you function Member's Hall Sunday 26 October 2014	There is no guest list for this event available. Guests were invited by AFP and ADF	No menu was published for this event
Luncheon in honour of His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands Prime Minister's Dining Room, Parliament House 06-Nov-2014	Please see Attachment A1	Please see Attachment A2
Dinner in honour of His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands Prime Minister's Dining Room, Parliament House 06-Nov-2014	Please see Attachment B1	Please see Attachment B2
Luncheon in honour of the Right Honourable David Cameron MP, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom Anzac Hall, Australian War Memorial 14-Nov-2014	Please see Attachment C1	Please see Attachment C2
Dinner in honour of Dr Angela Merkel, Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany Admiralty House, Sydney	Please see Attachment D1	Please see Attachment D2

16-Nov-2014		
Dinner in honour of His Excellency Mr Xi Jinping, President of the People's Republic of China Great Hall, Parliament House, Canberra	Please see Attachment E1	Please see Attachment E2
17-Nov-2014		
Reception in honour of Mr Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of the Republic of India Melbourne Cricket Ground	Please see Attachment F1	Please see Attachment F2
18-Nov-2014		
Dinner in honour of Mr Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of the Republic of India Members' Dining Room, Melbourne Cricket Club, Melbourne Cricket Ground	Please see Attachment G1	Please see Attachments G2 and G3
18-Nov-2014		
Luncheon in honour of Mr François Hollande, President of the French Republic Gandel Hall, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra	Please see Attachment H1	Please see Attachment H2
19-Nov-2014		
Reception to thank and farewell Dr Ian Watt AO, Secretary of the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House	Please see Attachment J1	No menu was published for this event
20-Nov-2014		

Prime Minister's Christmas Season Reception for Senior Executives of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House 30-Nov-2014	Please see Attachment K1	No menu was published for this event
Morning Tea on the occasion of the visit to Australia by the China Entrepreneur Club House of Representatives Alcove, Parliament House 01-Dec-2014	Please see Attachment L1	No menu was published for this event
The Prime Minister's Christmas reception with a special performance by Opera Australia Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House 01-Dec-2014	Please see Attachment M1	No menu was published for this event
The Prime Minister's Reception for 2014 Graduates Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House 02-Dec-2014	Please see Attachment N1	No menu was published for this event
Christmas Reception Kirribilli House, Kirribilli, Sydney	Please see Attachment O1	No menu was published for this event

05-Dec-2014		
Luncheon in honour of His Excellency Mr Petro Poroshenko, President of Ukraine Persimmon, National Gallery of Victoria 11-Dec-2014	Please see Attachment P1	Please see Attachment P2
Afternoon Tea for the Australian and Indian Cricket Teams Kirribilli House, Kirribilli, Sydney 01-Jan-2015	Please see Attachment Q1	No menu was published for this event
Reception on the occasion of the Prime Minister's XI versus England Cricket Match Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House 13-Jan-2015	Please see Attachment R1	No menu was published for this even
Dinner on the occasion of the Prime Minister's XI cricket game versus England The Sir Donald Bradman Stand, Manuka Oval, Canberra 14-Jan-2015	Please see Attachment S1	Please see Attachment S2
Morning Tea in honour of the National Finalists for the Australian of the Year Awards 2015 Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament	Please see Attachment T1	No menu was published for this event

House 25-Jan-2015		
Reception on the occasion of Australia Day 2015 Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House 26-Jan-2015	Please see Attachment U1	No menu was published for this event
Dinner on the occasion of the Australia- United Kingdom Ministerial Consultations Kirribilli House, Kirribilli, Sydney 01-Feb-2015	Please see Attachment V1	Please see Attachment V2
Reception in honour of the hostages and families of the victims of the Siege in Sydney Speaker's Courtyard 09-Feb-2015	Please see Attachment W1	No menu was published for this event
Dinner in honour of His Majesty King Harald V and Her Majesty Queen Sonja of Norway Prime Minister's Dining Room, Parliament House 23-Feb-2015	Please see Attachment X1	Please see Attachment X2
Reception following the Parliamentary Statement on MH370	Please see Attachment Y1	No menu was published for this event

Cabinet Ante Room, Parliament House, Canberra 05-Mar-2015		
Dinner in honour of His Excellency Mr Nguyen Tan Dung, Prime Minister of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam Gandel Hall, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra 18-Mar-2015	Please see Attachment Z1	Please see Attachment Z2
Reception for Mr Peter Greste and family Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House 25-Mar-2015	Please see Attachment AA1	No menu was published for this event

**Luncheon in honour of His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of
the Kingdom of the Netherlands**

**06-Nov-2014 12.15 pm
Prime Minister's Dining Room, Parliament House**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte	1
Official Party	3
Diplomatic Corps	1
Departmental Secretaries	1
Embassy	1
Australian Ambassador	1
Prime Minister's Office	2
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	1
TOTAL	12

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Luncheon

in honour of

His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte
Prime Minister
of the Kingdom of the Netherlands

given by

The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Prime Minister's Dining Room
Parliament House
Canberra

Thursday 6 November 2014

Wines

Menu

Entrée

Shaw and Smith M3 Chardonnay
Adelaide Hills 2008
South Australia

Organic Chicken
with roast artichokes, baby carrots
and parsley root cream

Main

Moss Wood Margaret River
Ribbon Vale Vineyard
Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot 2011
Western Australia

Flinders Island Salt Grass Lamb Rump
with pearl barley, asparagus and salsa verde

Tea and Coffee

**Dinner in honour of His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of the
Kingdom of the Netherlands**

**06-Nov-2014 7.00 pm
Prime Minister's Dining Room, Parliament House**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte	1
Official Party	4
Diplomatic Corps	1
Defence Chiefs	1
Embassy	3
Australian Ambassador	1
Prime Minister's Office	2
Others	3
TOTAL	17

Dinner

in honour of

His Excellency Mr Mark Rutte
Prime Minister
of the Kingdom of the Netherlands

given by

The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Prime Minister's Dining Room
Parliament House
Canberra

Thursday 6 November 2014

Wines

Menu

Entrée

Devil's Lair Margaret River
Chardonnay 2012
(Western Australia)

Quail Ballotine
with fresh peas, braised fennel, buttermilk and tarragon

Main

Spinifex 2007
Esprit Barossa Valley
(South Australia)

Rib Eye of Beef
*with mustard crust, smoked potato,
baby onions and braised lentils*

Dessert

Chocolate Delice
*with licorice custard, poached strawberry
and shiso granita*

Tea and Coffee

Luncheon in honour of the Right Honourable David Cameron MP, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom

**14-Nov-2014 1.15 pm
Anzac Hall, Australian War Memorial**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
The Right Honourable David Cameron	1
Official Party	7
Presiding Officers	2
Premiers & Chief Ministers	1
Chief Justice	1
Diplomatic Corps	2
Ministry	18
Leader of the Opposition	1
Former Prime Ministers	1
Former Chief Justices	1
Defence Chiefs	3
Departmental Secretaries	13
Heads of Australian Political Parties	2
Australian High Commissioner	1
High Commissioner's Nominees	13
Former Ambassadors	1
Prime Minister's Office	2
*Others	175

*Includes a mix of business leaders, organisations and community representatives, departmental officials, academics and non-working media, as well as staff attending to support the lunch

TOTAL 246

Menu

Seafood Tasting Plate

featuring Queensland King Prawns and Moreton Bay Bug Tail
accompanied by a Rose Petal Jam Vinaigrette.

Oven Roasted Cowra Salt Bush Lamb

served with Royal Blue Garlic Mash, Baby Leeks and Roasted
Golden Beetroot, accompanied by Barossa Valley Red Wine
Glaze and Australian War Memorial Rosemary Crumbs.

Fresh Gourmet Sorbet

Tangy Sorbet of Lemon and Fresh Mint

Wines

2014 Lark Hill Riesling
2013 Lark Hill Chardonnay
2013 Lark Hill Pinot Noir
2003 Lark Hill Merlot

Selection of Teas and Freshly Brewed Coffees

Friday 14 November 2014
Anzac Hall
Australian War Memorial

Friday 14 November 2014
Anzac Hall
Australian War Memorial

Luncheon in honour of
**The Right Honourable David Cameron MP
Prime Minister of the United Kingdom**

hosted by
**The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia**

**Dinner in honour of Dr Angela Merkel, Chancellor of the Federal
Republic of Germany**

**16-Nov-2014 9.25 pm
Admiralty House, Sydney**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Dr Angela Merkel	1
Official Party	7
Ministry	6
Departmental Secretaries	1
Australian Ambassador	1
Prime Minister's Office	3
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	3
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TOTAL	23



Dinner in honour of
Dr Angela Merkel
Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Entrée

King Prawns

with mango, red onion, cucumber, coriander
and red capsicum salsa

Main

Rack of Lamb

with thyme, garlic and honey baked vegetables

Dessert

Chocolate Mousse

with fresh blueberries, raspberries and crushed pistachios

Wines

Nick O'Leary Riesling 2013, Canberra Region

Scarborough White Label Chardonnay 2012, Hunter Valley

Rockford Rifle Range Cabernet Sauvignon 2012, Barossa Valley

Sunday 16 November 2014
Admiralty House, Sydney

**Dinner in honour of His Excellency Mr Xi Jinping, President of the
People's Republic of China**

**17-Nov-2014 6.15 pm
Great Hall, Parliament House, Canberra**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	2
His Excellency Mr Xi Jinping	2
Official Party	32
Presiding Officers	2
Premiers & Chief Ministers	1
Diplomatic Corps	14
Ministry	16
Leader of the Opposition	2
Defence Chiefs	2
Members and Senators	94
Departmental Secretaries	13
Heads of Australian Political Parties	2
State/Territory Ministers	1
Australian Ambassador	1
Ambassador's Nominees	28
Prime Minister's Office	2
Minister's Staff	19
Leader of the Opposition Staff	1
*Others	323

*Includes a mix of business leaders, Olympic athletes, organisations and community representatives, departmental officials, academics and non-working media, as well as staff attending to support the dinner

TOTAL **557**



Dinner in honour of
His Excellency Mr Xi Jingping
President of the People's Republic of China
and Madame Peng Liyuan
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia
and Mrs Margie Abbott

Entree

King prawns with a potato and lemon myrtle mousse,
asparagus crème, fennel and a lobster bisque
vinaigrette

Main

Crookwell beef fillet with a rye nut crust, potato pave,
pea puree, heirloom carrots, green beans
and a shiraz jus

Dessert

Crème brûlée tart with a dark chocolate shard
and whipped cream

Wines

Vasse Felix Heytesbury Chardonnay 2013, Margaret River
Clonakilla Shiraz Voignier 2013, Canberra Region

Monday 17 November 2014
Great Hall, Parliament House, Canberra

**Reception in honour of Mr Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of the
Republic of India**

**18-Nov-2014 6.30 pm
Melbourne Cricket Ground**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Mr Narendra Modi	1
Official Party	46
Diplomatic Corps	7
Ministry	6
Former Prime Minister	1
Departmental Secretaries	3
State/Territory Ministers	2
High Commission	2
Prime Minister's Office	2
*Others	408
TOTAL	479

*Includes a mix of business leaders, organisations and community representatives, departmental officials, academics and non-working media, as well as staff attending to support the reception



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Reception in Honour of
Mr Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of the Republic of India
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

CANAPÉS

Bass strait crayfish crawler. Rock lobster sandwich,
salmon pearls, fromage frais

Spring riverina lamb. Wrapped in betel leaf, pineapple,
coconut & coriander salad

Alabama slammer. Cajun fried chicken slider, deep south
slaw, ranch

Mushigyoza dumpling. Silken tofu, shimeji mushroom,
ginger, tamari

Spencer gulf king prawns. Freshly peeled, mango,
chilli & lime dipping sauce

Curry roasted cauliflower, coriander & chia 'muffin'.
Turmeric, chilli, cashew cheese & herb sprouts

Riverina lamb & herb. Tomato & red pepper chutney.

Port philip snapper. Lime & jack fruit relish

Koo wee rup asparagus. Onion jam

WINES

Tahbilk Coueslant Chardonnay Pinot (VIC)

Ninth Island Sparkling NV (TAS)

Leeuwin Estate Art Series Riesling (WA)

Yering Station 'Village' Chardonnay (VIC)

St Huberts 'The Stag' Pinot Noir (VIC)

Vasse Felix Cabernet Merlot (WA)

Tuesday 18 November 2014
MCG, Melbourne

**Dinner in honour of Mr Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of the Republic
of India**

18-Nov-2014 8.00 pm

**Members' Dining Room, Melbourne Cricket Club, Melbourne Cricket
Ground**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Mr Narendra Modi	1
Official Party	17
Premiers & Chief Ministers	1
Diplomatic Corps	1
Ministry	7
Leader of the Opposition	1
Departmental Secretaries	4
Heads of Australian Political Parties	1
Premiers' & Chief Ministers' Chiefs of Staff	1
High Commission	2
Australian High Commissioner	1
Prime Minister's Office	5
*Others	430
TOTAL	467

*Includes a mix of business leaders, organisations and community representatives, departmental officers, academic and non-working media as well as staff attending to support the dinner



Official Dinner in Honour of
Mr Narendra Modi
Prime Minister of the Republic of India
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Entrée

Spencer Gulf prawn, Lake Tyers sand crab croquette
and cured Port Lincoln kingfish

Main

Grilled lamb cutlets, with desiree crush, sweet pea
and basil, pomegranate yoghurt

Dessert

Assam tea and chocolate delice
with tonka bean brulee and chocolate feathers

Wines

Ninth Island Sparkling NV, Tasmania
Tahbilk Coueslant Chardonnay Pinot NV, Victoria
Leeuwin Estate Art Series Riesling 2013, Western Australia
Yering Station Village Chardonnay 2011, Victoria
St Huberts The Stag Pinot Noir 2013, Victoria
Vasse Felix Cabernet Merlot 2012, Western Australia

Tuesday 18 November 2014
Members' Dining Room, MCG, Melbourne



Official Dinner in Honour of
Mr Narendra Modi
Prime Minister of the Republic of India
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Vegetarian Entrée

Australian Market vegetable with pickled beetroot, cauliflower pakora, asparagus pudding, kasundi and minted yogurt

Vegetarian Main

Zucchini and mozzarella terrine
with candied walnuts and a rocket salsa verde

Dessert

Assam tea and chocolate delice
with tonka bean brulee and chocolate feathers

Wines

Ninth Island Sparkling NV, Tasmania
Tahbilk Coueslant Chardonnay Pinot NV, Victoria
Leeuwin Estate Art Series Riesling 2013, Western Australia
Yering Station Village Chardonnay 2011, Victoria
St Huberts The Stag Pinot Noir 2013, Victoria
Vasse Felix Cabernet Merlot 2012, Western Australia

Tuesday 18 November 2014
Members' Dining Room, MCG, Melbourne

Luncheon in honour of Mr François Hollande, President of the French Republic

19-Nov-2014 12 noon
Gandel Hall, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Mr François Hollande	1
Official Party	27
Diplomatic Corps	20
Ministry	3
Leader of the Opposition	1
Former Governors-General	1
Charge & Acting High Commissioners	2
Defence Chiefs	3
Departmental Secretaries	11
Heads of Australian Political Parties	1
Office of National Assessments	1
Embassy	12
Australian Ambassador	1
Prime Minister's Office	3
Ministers' Staff	6
Former Ministers	1
Australian Victoria Cross Recipients	1
*Others	149

*Includes a mix of business leaders, organisations and community representatives, departmental officials, academics, athletes and non-working media, as well as staff attending to support the lunch

TOTAL **245**



Luncheon in honour of
Mr Francois Hollande
President of the French Republic
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Entrée

Salad of Australian King Prawns
with fennel, celery and tomato on a bed of avocado

Main

Rack of Australian Spring Lamb
with ratatouille, zucchini flower and thyme jus

Wines

Philip Shaw No. 11 Chardonnay 2013, Orange
Leeuwin Estate Art Series Riesling 2013, Margaret River
Cape Mentelle 'Trinders' Cabernet Merlot, Margaret River
Clonakilla Hilltops Shiraz 2013, Canberra Region

Wednesday 19 November 2014
Gandel Hall, National Gallery of Australia

The luncheon menu was designed by Guillaume Brahimi

**Reception to thank and farewell Dr Ian Watt AO, Secretary of the
Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet**

**20-Nov-2014 6.00 pm - 7.00 pm
Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Dr Ian Watt	2
Ministry	5
Defence Chiefs	1
Members and Senators	1
Departmental Secretaries	15
Official Secretary to GG	1
Prime Minister's Office	9
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	16
Ministers' Staff	8
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TOTAL	59

**Prime Minister's Christmas Season Reception for Senior Executives of the
Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet**

**30-Nov-2014 4.00 pm - 6.00 pm
Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Departmental Secretaries	2
Others	1
SES Officers	157
PM&C SES Children	66
TOTAL	227

**Morning Tea on the occasion of the visit to Australia by the China
Entrepreneur Club**

01-Dec-2014 11.00 am - 12 noon

House of Representatives Alcove, Parliament House

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Ministry	2
Others	1
China Entrepreneur Club	38
Departmental Officers with a policy connection to the China visit	3
TOTAL	45

**The Prime Minister's Christmas reception with a special performance by
Opera Australia**

**01-Dec-2014 6.00 pm - 8.00 pm
Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott and Mrs Abbott	2
Presiding Officers	3
Chief Justice	2
Diplomatic Corps	67
Ministry	52
Charge & Acting High Commissioners	10
Defence Chiefs	2
Members and Senators	106
Departmental Secretaries	17
Heads of Australian Political Parties	2
Embassies	14
*Others	86
TOTAL	363

*Includes a mix of business leaders, organisations and community representatives and departmental officials

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The Prime Minister's Reception for 2014 Graduates

02-Dec-2014 6.00 pm - 7.30 pm
Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Ministry	15
Departmental Secretaries	11
Ministers' Staff	17
Commonwealth Graduates	634
TOTAL	678

Christmas Reception

05-Dec-2014 6.00 - 8.00 pm
Kirribilli House, Kirribilli, Sydney

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott and Mrs Abbott	2
Presiding Officers	4
Premiers & Chief Ministers	2
Ministry	13
Former Prime Ministers	2
Justices of the High Court	2
Members and Senators	2
Departmental Secretaries	4
Heads of Australian Political Parties	6
Prime Minister's Office	5
*Others	158
TOTAL	200

*Includes a mix of business, organisations and community representatives, academics, athletes and departmental officers

**Luncheon in honour of His Excellency Mr Petro Poroshenko, President of
Ukraine**

**11-Dec-2014 12 noon
Persimmon, National Gallery of Victoria**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
His Excellency Mr Petro Poroshenko	1
Official Party	7
Ministry	1
Defence Chiefs	1
Departmental Secretaries	1
Australian Ambassador	2
Prime Minister's Office	2
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	2
Consuls-General	1
MH17 Representatives	3
European Australian Business Council	1
Ukraine Community Representatives	7
TOTAL	30

Official Luncheon in honour of
His Excellency Mr Petro Poroshenko
President of Ukraine
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Entrée

Chilli Poached Prawns
wasabi avocado, frisse,
school prawn and sea urchin coleslaw

Main

Wagu Beef Tenderloin
caper and chive mash
parsley and horseradish crust
mustard fruit sauce and purple carrots

Dessert

Pavlova
strawberry and champagne jelly, marshmallow
cream and strawberry explosions

Wines

From the Yarra Valley, Victoria
2013 Rob Hall Chardonnay
2013 De Bortoli 'Estate Grown' Pinot Noir

Persimmon, National Gallery of Victoria
Thursday 11 December 2014

Afternoon Tea for the Australian and Indian Cricket Teams

01-Jan-2015 2.00 pm - 3.30 pm
Kirribilli House, Kirribilli, Sydney

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott and Mrs Abbott	2
Diplomatic Corps	2
Ministry	10
Australian Cricket Team	28
Indian Cricket Team	31
Australian Cricket Team Management	43
Indian Cricket Team Management	29
BCCI Management	2
Ministers' Children	7
Departmental Officials	9
Others*	21
TOTAL	184

Includes a mix of representatives from the business, community and sporting sectors, as well as staff attending to support the afternoon tea

Reception on the occasion of the Prime Minister's XI versus England Cricket Match

13-Jan-2015 6.00pm-7.30pm
Mural Hall, Parliament House

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Chief Minister	1
Diplomatic Corps	7
Ministry	1
Members and Senators	3
Departmental Secretaries	1
Chief Minister's Chief of Staff	1
Business Representatives	6
High Commission	1
Others	1
Cricket Australia Nominees	16
Cricket ACT Nominees	66
Cricket ACT Sponsors	28
PM's XI Sponsor	2
Menzies Foundation	2
Match Umpires/Officials	3
Stand Tall 4 PTS	2
PM's XI Team	12
England Team	15
England Team Management	18
Midwinter Ball Winners	4
Parliamentary Cricket Team	1
TOTAL	192

**Dinner on the occasion of the Prime Minister's XI cricket game versus
England**

14-Jan-2015 5.50 pm
The Sir Donald Bradman Stand, Manuka Oval, Canberra

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Premiers & Chief Ministers	1
Diplomatic Corps	7
Ministry	1
Members and Senators	4
Premiers & Chief Ministers Chiefs of Staff	1
State/Territory Ministers	2
Prime Minister's Office	2
Cricket Australia	12
Cricket ACT nominee	22
PM's XI Sponsor	2
Menzies Foundation	2
Stand Tall 4 PTS	2
*Others	22

*Includes a mix of business leaders and community representatives as well as staff attending to support the dinner

TOTAL **81**

MENU AND WINES

AFTERNOON TEA (SERVED ON BUFFET)

Poached chicken finger sandwiches with free range chicken, lemon aioli, rocket and parsley
 Tartlet of chardonnay roasted field mushrooms, balsamic onions, Persian feta and micro herbs
 Tomato, caper and olive bruschetta served on wood fired ciabatta toast with Yarra Valley goats cheese
 Vanilla cream puffs and mini fruit skewers

ENTRÉE

Poached king prawns, potato, dill and olive oil salad

MAIN COURSE

Char-grilled fillet of grain fed beef with gratin potato, spinach and watercress puree,
 parsnip and sweet potato crisps and shiraz jus

DESSERT (SERVED ON BUFFET)

Scorched lemon tart with Chantilly cream and citrus gel

Dark chocolate brulee with berry coulis

A selection of artisan Australian cheeses served with quince paste,
 muscatel grapes and lavosh crisp bread

SUPPER

Petite lamb and rosemary pies with a rustic tomato salsa

Patisserie selection of macarons and mini cakes

WINES

Mortimers Sparkles Cuvee
 Mortimers Chestnut Garth Chardonnay 2009
 Mortimers Autumn Sauvignon Blanc 2014
 Mortimers BFL Pinot Noir 2010
 Mortimers Chestnut Garth Shiraz 2010

WINE NOTES

"The Mortimer name has been associated with Rugby League in Australia for many years with Bulldogs Steve, Peter and Chris winning eight NRL premierships between them. Now the Mortimer name is associated with Cricket and premium wines from the Orange Region of NSW. Peter, Julie and their five sons planted Chestnut Garth vineyard in 1996 and for 15 years have been producing award-winning wines. It is our privilege to present these wines for your enjoyment."

Morning Tea in honour of the National Finalists for the Australian of the Year Awards 2015

25-Jan-2015 10.30 am - 11.30 am
Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Mrs Abbott	1
Ministry	2
Others	6
National Australia Day Council List	30
Australian of the Year Finalists	60
Australian of the Year 2014	2
Australia's Local Hero 2014	2
Senior Australian of the Year 2014	2
Young Australian of the Year 2014	2
TOTAL	108

Reception on the occasion of Australia Day 2015

26-Jan-2015 6.00 pm - 8.00 pm
Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Mrs Abbott	1
Presiding Officers	1
Premiers & Chief Ministers	2
Chief Justice	1
Diplomatic Corps	124
Ministry	2
Charge & Acting High Commissioners	5
Defence Chiefs	5
Departmental Secretaries	9
Heads of Parliamentary Departments	2
Heads of Australian Political Parties	2
Prime Minister's Office	1
Australian of the Year's Previous Winners	2
National Australia Day Council List	9
*Others	89
TOTAL	256

*Includes a mix of business leaders, organisations and community representatives, departmental officials, sporting, academics and non-working media

**Dinner on the occasion of the Australia-United Kingdom Ministerial
Consultations**

**01-Feb-2015 7.00 pm
Kirribilli House, Kirribilli, Sydney**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Official Party	8
Diplomatic Corps	1
Ministry	2
Defence Chiefs	1
Departmental Secretaries	2
Australian High Commissioner	1
Prime Minister's Office	1
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	1
TOTAL	18

Official dinner in honour of

The Australia-United Kingdom Ministerial Consultations
hosted by

The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia

Pre-Dinner drinks with canapés

Entrée

Smoked ocean trout tartare, soft boiled quail egg,
salmon pearls, marinated vegetables & toasted
brioche

Main

Roast rack of lamb, grape tomatoes, asparagus
and garlic roast potatoes, rosemary jus

Dessert

Caramelised white peach, soft meringue and
mango icecream

Tea, coffee & chocolates

Wines

Toolangi Denton Chardonnay 2009 (Yarra, Vic)
Brand's Laira Shiraz 2012 (Coonawarra, SA)

Kirribilli House, Kirribilli, Sydney
Sunday 1 February 2015

**Reception in honour of the hostages and families of the victims of the Siege
in Sydney**

**09-Feb-2015 11.30 am - 12.30 pm
Speaker's Courtyard**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott and Mrs Abbott	2
Presiding Officers	2
Ministry	3
Leader of the Opposition	2
Members and Senators	1
Embassy	1
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	2
Departmental Officers (State)	1
Leader of the Opposition Staff	1
Family of Ms Katrina Dawson	10
Family of Mr Tori Johnson	7
Hostages	29
Family and friends of hostages	7
NSW Police Liaison Officer	5
Counsellors	5
TOTAL	78

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**Dinner in honour of His Majesty King Harald V and
Her Majesty Queen Sonja of Norway**

23-Feb-2015 7.00 pm
Prime Minister's Dining Room, Parliament House

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
His Majesty King Harald V and Her Majesty Queen Sonja	2
Official Party	6
Diplomatic Corps	1
Ministry	3
Departmental Secretaries	1
Australian Ambassador	1
Prime Minister's Office	1
TOTAL	16

MONDAY 23 FEBRUARY 2015

**DINNER IN HONOUR OF
HIS MAJESTY KING HARALD V
AND
HER MAJESTY QUEEN SONJA OF NORWAY**

MENU AND BEVERAGES

Entree

Petuna Ocean Trout, Tomato and Eggplant Terrine, Yoghurt Dressing

Main Course

Flinders Island Lamb Loin, Pearl Barley, Grilled Asparagus, Salsa Verde

Dessert

Chocolate and Almond Délice, Blackberries, Fig Leaf Ice Cream & Almond Brittle

Wines:

Devil's Lair, Margaret River, Chardonnay 2012

Clonakilla, Canberra Region, Shiraz Viognier 2013

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Reception following the Parliamentary Statement on MH370

05-Mar-2015 11.30 am
Cabinet Ante Room, Parliament House, Canberra

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Presiding Officers	2
Ministry	2
Leader of the Opposition	1
Members and Senators	1
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	4
Others	2
Burrows Family	11
Weeks Family	1
Lawton Family	14
TOTAL	39

**Dinner in honour of His Excellency Mr Nguyen Tan Dung, Prime Minister
of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam**

**18-Mar-2015 7.30 pm
Gandel Hall, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra**

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott and Mrs Margie Abbott	2
His Excellency Mr Nguyen Tan Dung and Madame Tran Thanh Kiem	2
Official Party	22
Presiding Officers	2
Diplomatic Corps	12
Ministry	4
Charge & Acting High Commissioners	1
Defence Chiefs	4
Members and Senators	3
Departmental Secretaries	3
Australian Ambassador	1
Ambassador's Nominees	4
Prime Minister's Office	1
*Others	89
TOTAL	150

*Includes a mix of business leaders, organisations and community representatives, departmental officials, academics and non-working media as well as staff attending to support the dinner

Official Dinner in honour of
His Excellency Mr Nguyen Tan Dung
Prime Minister of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam
and Madame Tran Thanh Kiem
hosted by
The Honourable Tony Abbott MP
Prime Minister of Australia
and Mrs Margie Abbott

Entrée

Poached king prawns on avocado cream with compressed celery
and fennel salad, petit leaves and citrus vinaigrette

Main

Beef fillet on parsnip puree with potato fondant
asparagus, green beans and beef jus

Dessert

Anise poached rhubarb with rose custard,
crème fraîche ice-cream and vanilla shortbread

Coffee, Tea, Chocolates

Wines

Philip Shaw No. 11 Chardonnay 2013, Orange
Eden Road 'The Long Road' Shiraz 2012, Canberra Region

Wednesday 18 March 2015
Gandel Hall, National Gallery of Australia

Reception for Mr Peter Greste and family

25-Mar-2015 6.00 pm - 7.00 pm
Prime Minister's Courtyard, Parliament House

GUEST LIST

The Honourable Tony Abbott	1
Mr Peter Greste	1
Presiding Officers	2
Ministry	5
Leader of the Opposition	1
Members and Senators	13
Prime Minister's Office	4
Departmental Officers (Commonwealth)	3
Others	11
Media	1
Minister's Staff	2
Greste Family	6
TOTAL	50