

The NEFF checklist for Christmas Day Entertaining



COOKING PASSION SINCE 1877

Plan ahead - four weeks out

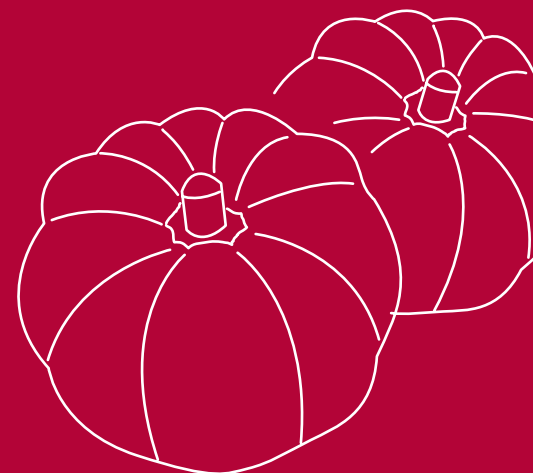


- Now's the time to draft your menu from entrée through to dessert.
- Compile your Christmas shopping list. We suggest dividing the list into what can be bought in advance and what has to wait until a few days before Christmas.
- Stock up on alcohol.
- Order your meat and seafood from your local butcher.
- Sort out your table décor. It's a good idea to make your place cards and other decorative elements early so you can set and forget.
- Get decorating! Hot tip: we recommend decorating your Christmas table in advance if possible. That way, all you have to do is add festive crockery when it's time to entertain.



Get prepping - two-three weeks out

- Stock up on your non-perishables.
- Clean out the fridge.
- Clean your oven. Again, best to get this one sorted early!
- Check supplies.





Start shopping – one week out

- Hit the shops. Why not mount a festive shopping trip with a friend?
- Pick up your seafood and meat. You'll be grateful for that beautifully clean fridge.
- Make your sauces and butters. Time to dust off that novelty Christmas apron.
- Make your desserts in advance. Best crank the Christmas carols!



Start baking – one-two days to go

- Finally – time to start cooking!
- Stock up on ice. If you're too busy having a ball in your NEFF kitchen, send Grandad down the road.
- Check it all twice. Of course, you've done this already.

Other tips and tricks

- Buy Australian natives as your florals – they last longer and look amazing.
- Shop online or make your gifts. Whipping up edible gifts keeps costs down, and that personalised touch is hard to beat.
- Schedule a baking date. Just ensure there's plenty of Gluwhein to go around.
- Check supplies in advance. You don't want to discover you're out of napkins on Christmas morning!

