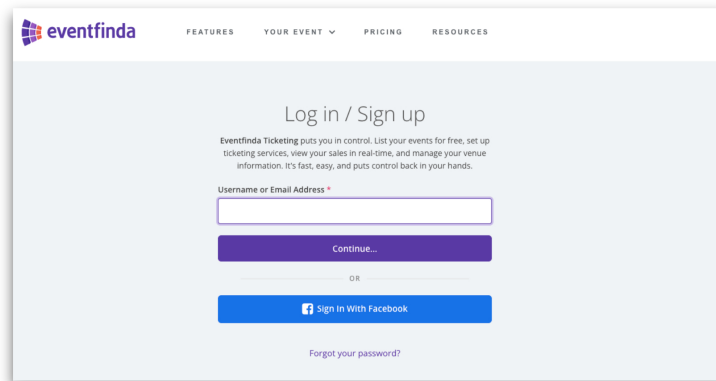


TixSuite – how to create an event

TICKET YOUR EVENT

1. Log in

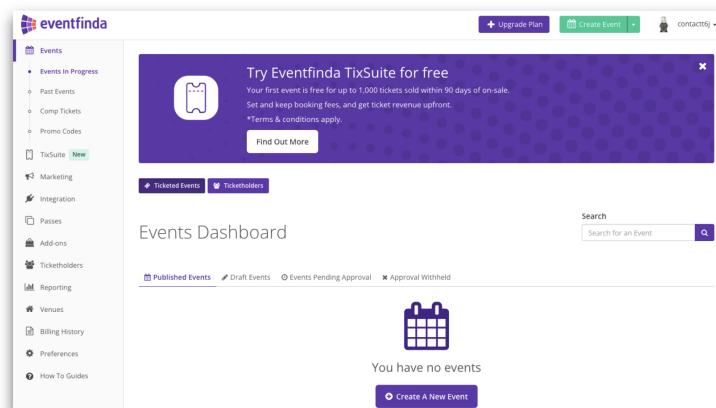
Log in to the Eventfinda Promoter Portal with your account details.



2. First event is free

With TixSuite, your first event is free for up to 1,000 tickets sold within 90 days of going on sale. When you come to list your second event you will be prompted to choose a TixSuite plan. We will go through those sign-up steps at the end of this guide.

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3. Add event details

Click on the Create New Event button.

Enter your event details in the form provided including **Event Title, Venue, Category and Sub-Category, Session time/s, Website/s**, and a short **Description**.

Top tips:

- Explain and sell your event with two to three engaging paragraphs in the description
 - A brief summary of your event
 - Event attractions
- Add an end (finish) time

Do not:

- Type in ALLCAPS
- Use emojis
- Overload the description with information
- Repeat exclamation points
- Include dates and times in the event title

Click Save & Continue.

The screenshot shows the 'Eventfinda Extravaganza' event creation page. The event is currently in 'Draft' status and is scheduled for Saturday 6 July, 7:00pm - 11:00pm. The page includes a progress bar with steps: Edit, Ticketing, Tickets & Sessions, Settings, Images & Video, Stripe Set Up, Set Up Account, Upload Logo, Terms and Conditions, and Review. A promotional banner for TixSuite is visible. The 'Event Details' section includes fields for Event Title, Venue Name, Venue Street Address, State, Town/Suburb, Category, and Sub Category. The 'Date & Times' section allows for setting sessions with start and end times. The 'Additional Information' section includes fields for Restrictions, Websites, and an Event Description. The 'Embargo' section allows for setting a date and time when the event will be visible. A 'Save & Continue...' button is located at the bottom right of the form.

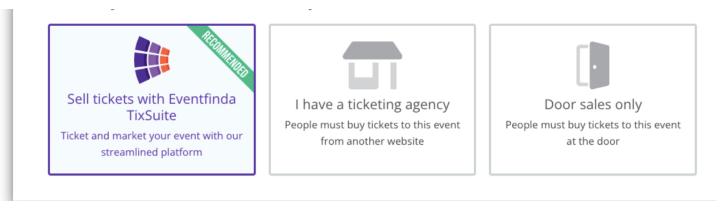
4. Admission settings

On the next page, select which type of event you are running.

Select **Free Event** if you are running a free event and continue with the set-up process.

If you are selling tickets for your event, select **Ticketed Event** and then **Sell Tickets with Eventfinda TixSuite**.

The screenshot shows a selection screen titled 'What type of event are you running?'. There are two options: 'Ticketed Event' with a ticket icon and the text 'My event requires tickets for entry', and 'Free Event' with a 'Free' starburst icon and the text 'I'm running a free event'. Below the options, the text reads 'How do you want to sell tickets to your event?'. The 'Ticketed Event' option is highlighted with a blue border.



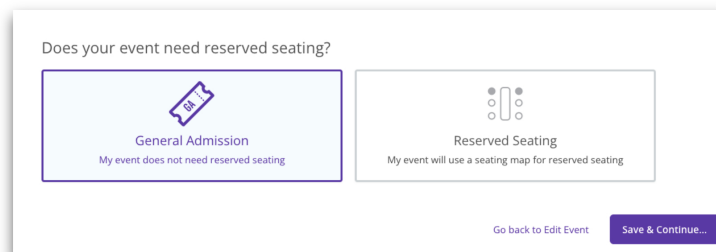
5. Seating

Scroll down. Does your event need reserved seating?

Select General Admission if you do not require reserved seating or Reserved Seating if you do require a seating map for reserved seating.

Click Save & Continue

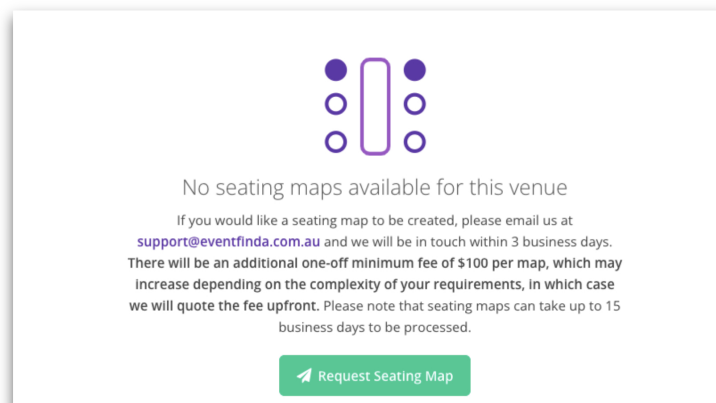
If you selected General Admission then skip to step 7 of this guide.



6. If you selected Reserved Seating – Seating maps

If you selected Reserved Seating on the previous screen then you will now see the option to request a seating map to be created for your venue. Once submitted you can continue with your event set-up.

If you would like a seating map to be created, please email us at support@eventfinda.com.au and we will be in touch within 3 business days. There will be an additional one-off minimum fee of \$100 per map, which may increase depending on the complexity of your requirements, in which case we will quote the fee upfront. Please note that seating maps can take up to 15 business days to be processed.



7. Create ticket types and set Booking Fees

Enter your ticket details including ticket name, capacity, booking fee and price.

With TixSuite you can set a **unique booking fee for each ticket type** or **apply the same fee across all tickets**. The fee amount can be set at your discretion, ranging from charging zero booking fees to an amount that covers your expenses or more. Rest assured, all booking fees are yours to keep.

To cover your TixSuite monthly or annual Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) fees, you can choose to incorporate them into your booking fee. Simply divide your TixSuite fee by your expected monthly ticket sales and adjust your Booking Fee accordingly.

Top tips:

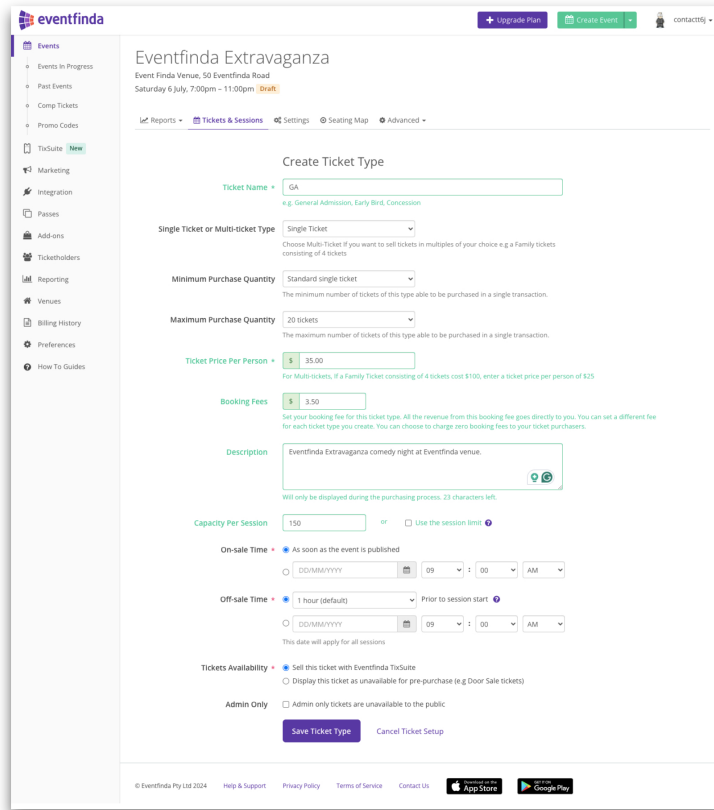
- Set the overall capacity in the session(s)
- Set the individual ticket capacities on the tickets

- Include age descriptions on Child, Concession, Senior, or similar ticket types

Do not:

- Type in ALLCAPS
- Use emojis
- Repeat event name or the dates, times, venue, acts/entertainment in the ticket titles or description

Click on the Save Ticket Type button.



8. Setting up Multi-tickets types

If you wish to create a **Multi-ticket** e.g. a Family Ticket or a Table of Six, simply select it from the dropdown.

Select the **Multi-ticket Quantity** in the next dropdown.

- For example, **Family Ticket** (2 adults, 2 children) select 4.

You must then ensure that your **Minimum Purchase Quantity** is set correctly for your Multi-ticket option.

- For example, for a **Family Ticket** (2 adults, 2 children) the minimum purchase should be set to 4 or for a **Table of Six** Multi-ticket, select 6 in Minimum Purchase Quantity dropdown.

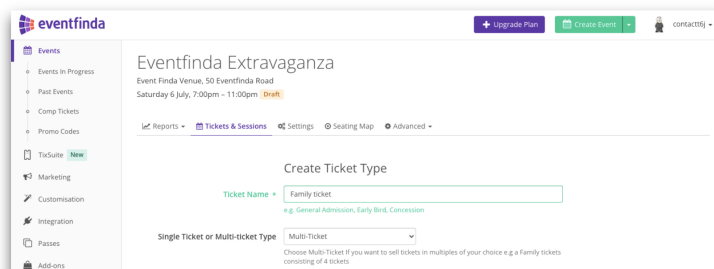
Maximum Purchase Quantity restricts the amount of that ticket type available for sale

- For example, if set to 20 then you there will only be a total of 20 Family Tickets available for sale which would be 80 ticketholders attending your event under that ticket type.

Please ensure that the **Ticket Price Per Person** entered is multiplies of the total cost of your Multi-ticket.

- For example, if your Family ticket costs **\$100**, the Ticket Price Per Person should be set at **\$25**. This ensures that each of the four ticketholders attending your event are counted in your capacity per session.

Also, ensure that you enter your desired Booking Fees amount.



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Multi-Ticket Quantity
Main Ticket Quantity of 4 tickets means purchasers can only buy tickets in multiple of 4 e.g. 4,8,12,16, etc.

Minimum Purchase Quantity
The minimum number of tickets of this type able to be purchased in a single transaction.

Maximum Purchase Quantity
The maximum number of tickets of this type able to be purchased in a single transaction.

Ticket Price Per Person
For Multi-tickets, if a Family Ticket consisting of 4 tickets cost \$100, enter a ticket price per person of \$25

Booking Fees
Set your booking fee for this ticket type. All the revenue from this booking fee goes directly to you. You can set a different fee for each ticket type you create. You can choose to charge zero booking fees to your ticket purchasers.

Description
Will only be displayed during the purchasing process. 25 characters left.



Capacity Per Session or Use the session limit

On-sale Time As soon as the event is published
 :

Off-sale Time 1 hour (default) Prior to session start
 :
This date will apply for all sessions

Tickets Availability Sell this ticket with Eventfinda TickSuite
 Display this ticket as unavailable for pre-purchase (e.g. Door Sale tickets)

Admin Only Admin only tickets are unavailable to the public

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9. Confirm ticket setup

Confirm your event's session and ticketing details in the next screen.

Eventfinda Extravaganza
 Eventfinda Venue, 50 Eventfinda Road
 Saturday 6 July, 7:00pm - 11:00pm Draft

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Ticket saved successfully

Ticket Types

Ticket Type	Online	On-sale Time	Off-sale Time	Price	Booking Fee	Sold	Max Per Session	Status
GA Eventfinda Extravaganza comedy night at Eventfinda venue. edit copy delete	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Immediately	Sat 6 Jul 2024 at 6:00pm	\$35.00	\$3.50	0	150	Pending

10. Ticketing settings

You can turn on any of the options shown to suit your event.

For example, add Ticketholder Contact Details to collect ticketholder names and phone numbers.

If you have your own event Promoters Terms and Conditions you can upload them if you toggle this option on. These Promoters T&Cs will be displayed at the checkout of a ticket purchase and on your event tickets.

Click the Continue button.

Ticketing Settings

Embargo NO
 If set, your event will not be shown on Eventfinda before your specified date & time.
 :

Ticketholder Contact Details NO
 Add contact details questions to collect the name and phone number of every ticketholder.

Door Sales Available NO
 Enable if your event has door sales (if not sold)

out prior).

Promoter Terms and Conditions

Do you have your own terms and conditions for ticketholders of this event?

NO

11. Add images and videos

Upload images from your computer. Your feature image must be sized at 1170 pixels wide by 504 pixels high, and be a .JPG, .PNG, or .GIF file type.

You can also add a YouTube or Vimeo video to your event listing. Enter the URL in the box provided.

Click the Continue button.

The screenshot shows the 'Eventfinda Extravaganza' setup page. At the top, it displays the event name, venue, date, and time, along with a 'Draft' status. A progress bar below the header indicates the current step is 'Images & Video', with other steps like 'Edit', 'Ticketing', 'Tickets & Sessions', 'Settings', 'Stripe Set Up', 'Set Up Account', 'Upload Logo', 'Terms and Conditions', and 'Review' also visible. The main content area is titled 'Feature Image Cropping' and shows a large, abstract purple and blue image with a grid overlay. A 'Recrop' button is located at the bottom left of the image area.

12. Connect your Stripe account

You need to either create a Stripe merchant account or connect your existing Stripe merchant account to Eventfinda TixSuite so all ticket sale funds go directly to you.

13. I don't have a Stripe account, what do I need to do?

If you don't have a Stripe account already, simply click 'No' and click **Continue to Stripe Connect**.

Here you are able to create an account to manage your ticketing payments.

Or, if you would like to do this later, just click **Skip**.


Click Save & Continue.

The screenshot shows the 'Connect your Stripe account' screen. It features the Stripe logo and the title 'Connect your Stripe account'. Below the title, it says 'Create a Stripe merchant account or connect your existing Stripe merchant account to Eventfinda TixSuite so all ticket sale funds go directly to you.' The main question is 'Do you have a Stripe merchant account? *'. There are two radio button options: 'No' (which is selected) and 'Yes'. Below the options, there is a paragraph of text: 'If you are creating a new Stripe merchant account, you will need your valid ID, bank account verification, address verification, and business legal entity verification to hand. For help visit: [What do I need to do to verify my Stripe account?](#)'. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Continue to Stripe Connect >' and 'Skip >'.

14. I have a Stripe account

If you already have a Stripe account then simply click 'yes' and add in your Public Key and Secret Key to connect your account.

Click Save & Continue.



Connect your Stripe account

Create a Stripe merchant account or connect your existing Stripe merchant account to Eventfinda TixSuite so all ticket sale funds go directly to you.

Do you have a Stripe merchant account? *

No

Yes

Connect your Stripe merchant account to your Eventfinda TixSuite account so we can transfer your event's reconciliation funds as you sell tickets.

To find your public key and secret key information navigate to the Developers section of the Stripe dashboard and click on API Keys.

Public key *

Secret key *

[Save & Continue >](#)

15. Public Details

With TixSuite you are the point of contact for all Ticket Purchaser/Ticketholders event enquiries, postponements or cancellations.

Enter your public details i.e. the details you want to display on your on your event listings that people can contact you on. You must add a support email address but adding a support phone number is optional.

Public Details

These are the contact details that will appear on your event listings.

Promoter/Organisation Name * ✓

Promoter/Organisation Address 1 * ✓

Your address will only be displayed on a ticketholder's receipt.

Promoter/Organisation Address 2

Promoter/Organisation City * ✓

Promoter/Organisation Website

Support Email * ✓

Ticketholders may need to contact you with this email address for any event or ticketing queries.

Support Phone Number

16. Financial Details

This is where you can add your GST number if you have one and the amount you want to set for a Payment Processing Fee.

With TixSuite you have the option to set a Processing Fee as a percentage of total booking fees. This applies to all ticket types and is set during your account set-up process. Opt for no Processing Fees or select a fee that offsets your expenses. You keep all Processing Fees collected to cover your Stripe costs.

Please note that under Australian consumer laws relating to payments, your Processing Fee should accurately mirror your actual ongoing Stripe charges. However, you have the freedom to set your Booking Fees as you wish, as they help offset your costs associated with event and ticketing management.

Financial Details

GST Number

Payment Processing Fee %

This is the payment processing fee your ticket purchasers will pay. You will receive all of this fee and it will be applied to all of your events. Based on Australian regulations regarding fees relating to payments, we recommend setting fees at 2.5% or less – reflecting the Stripe payment processing fees range of 1.75% to 2.5%.

17. Private Contact Details

Please add your Private Contact Details here. These details are not shown to the public. They will only be used if Eventfinda needs to contact you.

Click Save & Continue.

Private Contact Details

These details are not shown to the public. They will only be used if Eventfinda needs to contact you.

First Name *

Last Name *

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

City / Town

Post Code

Phone Number *

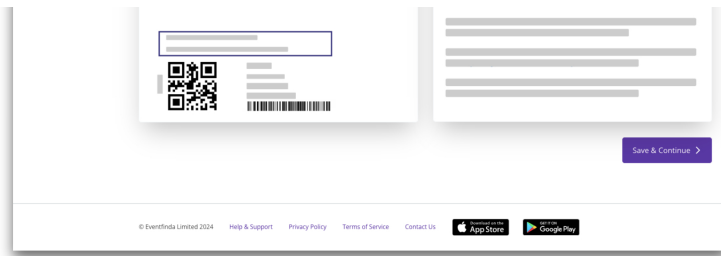
[Save & Continue >](#)

18. Add your logo

Upload your organisation logo that will be displayed on your event's e-ticket and ticket confirmation email templates.

Click Save & Continue.

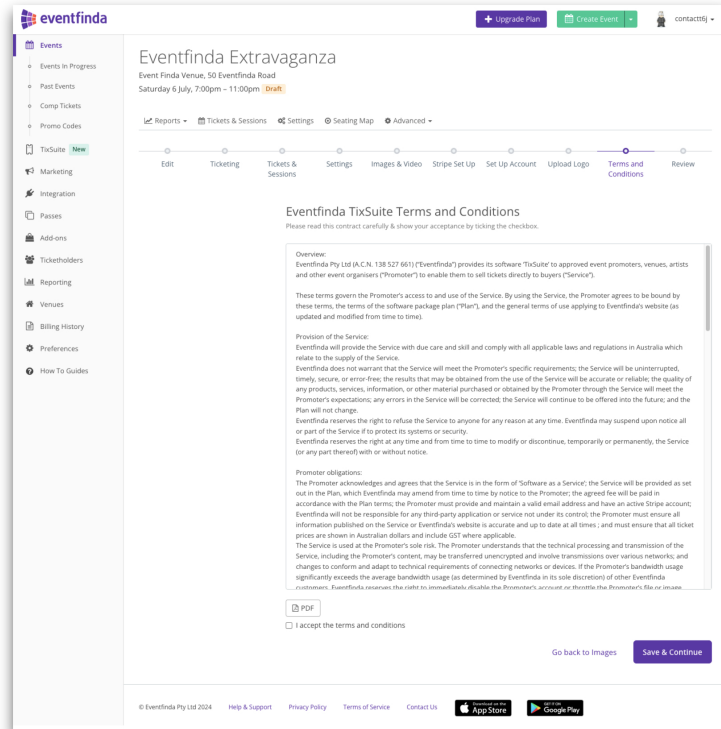
The screenshot shows the Eventfinda dashboard for an event titled "Eventfinda Extravaganza" on Saturday 06 July, 2024, 9:00AM Draft. The navigation menu on the left includes Events, TickSuite, Marketing, Customisation, Integration, Passes, Add-ons, Ticketholders, Reporting, Box Office, Sites, Venues, Artists, and Billing History. The main content area shows a progress bar with steps: Edit, Tickets & Sessions, Settings, Images & Video, Stripe Set Up, Set Up Account, Upload Logo (current step), Terms and Conditions, and Preview. Below the progress bar, the "Ticket Logo" section explains that users can customize their event's e-ticket and ticket confirmation email templates by uploading their logo. It provides a recommendation for a high-resolution image (740px width, 90px height) and lists valid file formats (JPG, GIF, PNG). The "Current Ticket Logo" section displays the Eventfinda logo. The "Upload Logo" section shows a file upload interface with a "Choose File" button, a "Clear File" button, and a file named "Untitled design.png" (21,802 KB) with a red 'X' icon. Below the upload section, there are two preview cards: "Sample E-Ticket Template" and "Sample Ticket Confirmation Email", both showing the Eventfinda logo and a QR code.



19. Eventfinda TixSuite Terms and Conditions

Please read this contract carefully & show your acceptance by ticking the checkbox. You may also download these by clicking the PDF icon.

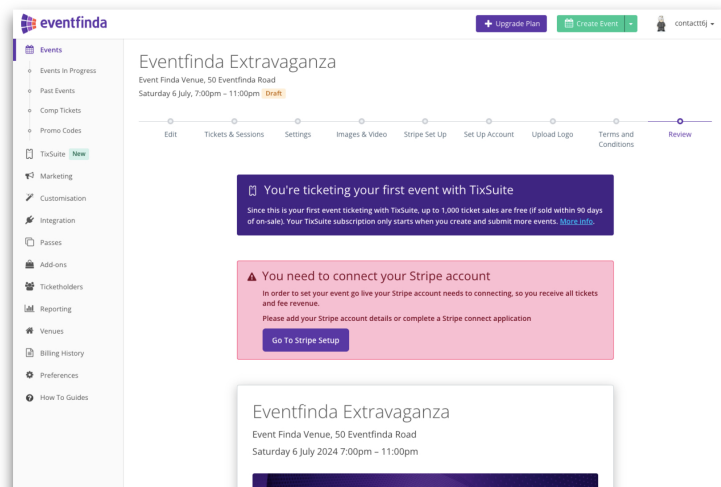
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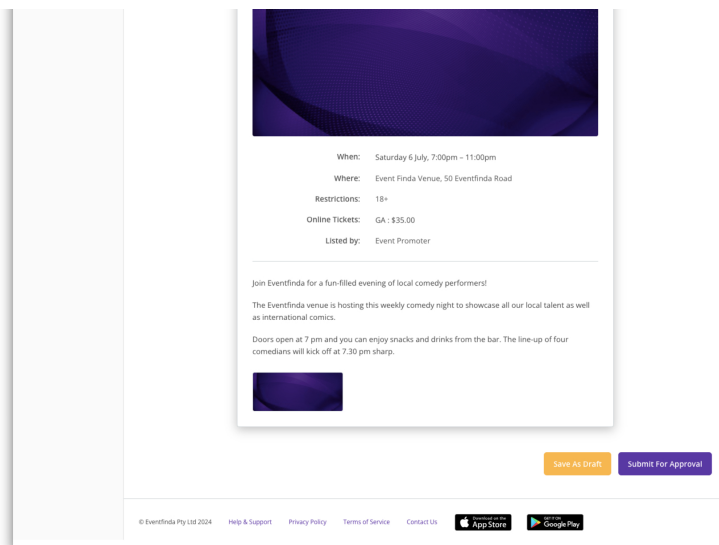


20. Review your event

This is the final page to review your event as it will appear once approved.

Click the **Submit For Approval** or you can click Save As Draft.





21. Done!

Your event has now been submitted for final approval.

The approval process for events ticketed with Eventfinda is 1-2 business days.

22. Listing your second event with TixSuite

When you come to list your second event with TixSuite you will need to choose from one of three plans: Starter, Essential or Professional. You will be prompted to do so during your event set-up process.

Don't see a plan that suits your event or venue? Get in touch so we can create something that works for you under a Enterprise Plan.

Your subscription payment only starts when you create and submit your second event.

Sign up annually to save 20% on your subscription plan and if you don't run events all year round, you can pause your monthly plan whenever you want.

Once you select a plan you will be taken to a payment screen to add payment details and click subscribe to complete the process.





Find out more about the [TixSuite plans](#).

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Choose a TixSuite plan from the options below

Flexible plans designed for you. Instantly upgrade anytime to access more features or downgrade at the end of your billing period if you want to keep it simple.

Monthly Yearly (Save 20%)

 Starter \$32 \$26 / month Select	 Essential \$45 \$34 / month Select	 Professional \$65 \$52 / month Select	 Enterprise Request Contact
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