

The Complete Guide to Snow Machine Hire

Johannesburg, Sandton and Randburg

About this guide

Snow machine hire essentials - fluid usage, indoor safety, run time, floor care and festive event planning for Sandton and Randburg.

Areas we serve

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Delivered, set up and collected for you. No cleaning required.

Welcome

Winter magic indoors? We love that! Hire a snow machine and watch gentle flakes drift through the light while children reach up to catch them and your venue transforms in an instant. Panda Party Hire offers snow machine hire across Johannesburg, Sandton, Randburg and nearby.

Christmas parties, winter themed events, school concerts and corporate functions all sparkle with snow machine hire. Professional foam snow effect equipment without you buying and storing a machine.

We deliver, set up and collect. You do not need to strip down units or wash fluid tanks when the party ends. Our snow machines are well maintained, serviced between hires, and arrive with fluid in your package.

We test the snow machine on site with you so you can see the effect before guests arrive, and show you how to use it in a quick tutorial. Ask us anything. If you can press a button, you can run it. Simple as that.

You can trust Panda Party Hire to be on time and ready to snow. Choose Snowfall Day Hire below or contact us for extra fluid, twin machines and a quote for your event.

Hire packages

Choose the package that fits your guest numbers. All packages include delivery guidance, on-site test and tutorial, and collection when your hire ends.

Snowfall Day Hire (Foam snow effect) - R 950

Includes:

- Snow machine with powerful output fan
- 2L snow fluid included
- Indoor or covered outdoor use
- Ideal for Christmas & winter themes
- Full-day hire

Optional extras:

- Extra snow fluid - ask when booking
- Additional hire day - R 750
- Second machine for wider coverage - enquire

Extra Snow Fluid (Longer run times) - Enquire

Includes:

- Additional fluid for extended events
- Keeps the snowfall effect going all evening
- Safe, biodegradable foam formula

Optional extras:

- Add to your main snow machine booking

Twin Snowfall (Larger venues) - Enquire

Includes:

- Two snow machines positioned for coverage
- Fluid supply for both units
- Setup advice for malls & stages
- Full-day hire

Optional extras:

- Popular for entrances & photo moments

Perfect for

Bring winter wonderland magic to any celebration.

- Christmas parties
- Winter themes
- Photo shoots
- School concerts
- Corporate functions
- Festivals
- Indoor venues
- Outdoor events

Hire extras

Delivery and collection

We deliver and collect across Johannesburg, Sandton and Randburg.

Extra snow fluid

Extra fluid for R 120 to extend your snowfall.

Second machine

Cover a larger area with dual snowfall. Ask when you book.

How to prepare for the day

Snow machines create a lovely effect indoors or under cover. A few simple checks keep the moment stress free.

Ventilation indoors

Halls and malls work beautifully. Ensure the room has reasonable airflow.

Floor protection

Place a mat or towel beneath the machine if you are on carpet or polished floors.

Ceiling height

Foam snow drifts upward. Check chandeliers and low beams if positioning centrally.

Power point ready

A standard plug close to the effect area is all you need.

Photo moment planning

Entrances, stages and Santa arrivals look stunning with snowfall behind guests.

Quick floor wipe after

The fluid breaks down easily. A quick wipe after the effect keeps floors tidy.

Why hire Snow Machine?

Winter wonderland

Create magical snowfall effects even in Johannesburg summer.

Christmas favourite

Perfect for festive parties, mall events and photo shoots.

Safe foam snow

Biodegradable fluid that looks real and cleans up easily.

Indoor or outdoor

Works in halls, venues and covered outdoor spaces.

Popular events

Christmas parties, Winter-themed events, Photo shoots, School concerts, Corporate year-end functions, Mall activations, Festivals, Theatre productions.

Delivery areas

We hire across Johannesburg, Sandton, Randburg and surrounding Gauteng suburbs. Delivery and collection fees depend on your venue address. Tell us your location when you request a quote.

- Johannesburg
- Sandton
- Randburg
- Fourways
- Midrand
- Roodepoort
- Bryanston
- Rosebank
- Northcliff
- Bedfordview

How booking works

1. Request a quote with your date, venue address and guest numbers.

2. Choose the hire package that suits your event, with extras if needed.
3. Confirm your date and receive booking details before delivery day.
4. We deliver, set up and test the equipment with you on site.
5. Enjoy your event while guests make the most of the hire.
6. We collect afterwards. No deep cleaning required from you.

Safety information

Snow machines produce fluid-based foam snow that is safe when used correctly. Ventilation, floor care and eye protection need attention.

Essential safety rules

- Use in well-ventilated indoor spaces.
- Floors may become slippery. Place signage and wipe as needed.
- Keep fluid away from eyes and mouth.
- Do not aim directly at electrical equipment.
- Follow fluid refill instructions provided on delivery.

Indoor ventilation

In enclosed halls, open doors or windows where safe to maintain airflow during extended snowfall.

Slip prevention

- Mop or towel smooth floors after heavy snowfall sessions.
- Warn guests that floors may be slippery.
- Avoid running near the snow zone indoors.

Fluid handling

- Use only approved snow fluid.
- Store fluid upright and out of reach of children.
- Rinse eyes with water if fluid splashes into them.

Weather policy and instructions

Snow machines create foam-based snowfall effects that look stunning indoors and under cover. Wind, rain and ventilation need to be considered for safe, convincing snow.

Ideal conditions

Indoor Christmas parties, mall activations and covered stages are ideal. The effect reads best against dark backgrounds with manageable foot traffic nearby.

- Well-ventilated indoor space or covered outdoor area
- Dry floor with slip awareness where fluid may accumulate
- Power access without trailing leads across main exits
- Ceiling height and clearance as discussed at booking

Outdoor use

Open outdoor gardens are usually poor choices - wind disperses foam instantly and rain

dilutes the effect. Covered patios with roof and side protection may work for short periods.

- Do not aim snow fluid at guests faces or electrical gear
- Stop if wind carries foam into food service or equipment
- Bring guests under cover for the snow moment if weather is marginal

Rain and slippery floors

Foam residue plus rain creates slippery patches. Indoors, wipe high-traffic areas during long runs.

- Place signage if floors may be slick
- Pause the machine if liquid pools near power points
- Contact us if you need extra fluid or troubleshooting during the event

Indoor air quality

Use in rooms with reasonable airflow. Very small enclosed spaces may need doors open between bursts - we explain safe run times on delivery.

Contact us as early as possible when weather may affect your hire. Your booking confirmation includes phone and message details for the day. We prioritise safe use of equipment and fair solutions for Johannesburg, Sandton and Randburg events.

Frequently asked questions

Q: How does snow machine hire work?

Book Snowfall Day Hire for a single machine with fluid included. We deliver, set up, test the snowfall effect with you and collect when your hire ends. Twin Snowfall covers two machines for larger venues.

Q: Is the snow real?

It is a safe foam based snow effect that looks and drifts like gentle snowfall. It is not frozen water, so it works in warm venues and South African summers too.

Q: Can I use a snow machine indoors?

Yes. Malls, halls, churches and covered venues work beautifully. Good ventilation is recommended. We advise on floor care on delivery.

Q: Does the snow machine work outdoors?

Yes in covered or sheltered outdoor areas. Wind disperses the effect quickly, so a marquee or entrance canopy works best.

Q: Does it leave a mess?

Very little compared to real snow. The fluid is biodegradable and breaks down. A quick wipe of the floor afterwards is usually all that is needed.

Q: How long does the fluid last?

Snowfall Day Hire includes 2L of fluid, enough for several hours of intermittent use. Extra fluid is available for longer events.

Q: Does the snow machine need power?

Yes. A standard power outlet is required for the machine and fan.

Q: Can I hire two snow machines?

Yes. Twin Snowfall positions two machines for wider coverage at entrances, stages and photo areas.

Q: What events suit snow machine hire?

Christmas parties, winter themed events, Santa arrivals, school concerts, corporate functions and magical photo moments.

Q: Do I need to clean the machine?

No. We collect the machine at the end of your hire.

Q: Which areas do you deliver to?

Johannesburg, Sandton, Randburg and surrounding areas.

Q: How do I book?

Choose your package and Book now, or contact us with your venue and event date.

Equipment care on the day

We deliver clean, tested equipment and show you how to use it safely.

You do not need to deep clean or service the machine during hire.

Contact us on the day if anything does not work as expected.

Keep equipment in the agreed setup area ready for collection.

Switch off and secure equipment if weather makes use unsafe.

Often booked together

Customers often pair snow machine hire with: Bubble Machine, Outdoor Cinema, Popcorn Machine. Ask us about combo bookings when you quote.

Ready to book?

We deliver, set up, test with you and collect afterwards.

Get a quote

Visit pandapartyhire.co.za and use our online quote form, or contact us directly with your date, venue address and guest numbers.

Contact details

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What to tell us when you book

Event date and preferred delivery time

Venue address and access notes (gates, stairs, parking)

Package choice and any extras you need

Expected guest numbers and whether the event is indoors or outdoors

Power point locations if you know them

On delivery day

Our team arrives with clean, tested equipment. We set up, run an on-site test and give you a quick tutorial. You enjoy your event. We collect when your hire ends. You do not need to deep clean the machine or equipment.