

# NEW ZEALAND BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATION & EXPERIENCES

2019/20 COLLECTION

# **About Green Journeys**

# The Green Collection

Green Journeys showcases the best New Zealand boutique accommodation & activities

We are a tourism industry marketing group dedicated to making it easier for you to create personalised itineraries which include a high standard of accommodation, hand-picked small group guided activities & private tours. Our brochure & website provide information to the travel trade & independent travellers, helping you find the best experiences & places to stay across a wide range of superb New Zealand destinations.

All accommodation & activities can be booked direct via the links to their websites, through our recommended travel agents, or, for the travel trade, through most New Zealand inbound tour operators.

# www.greenjourneys.co.nz

Marketing enquiries: travel@greenjourneys.co.nz Booking enquiries: please contact operators directly or select one of our recommended travel agents

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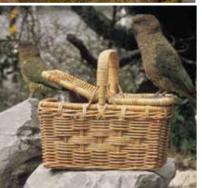














#### The Collection

Our Collection has been hand-picked for the independent traveller who wants to experience luxury accommodations with stunning views, taste fresh local produce & spend time with hosts & guides passionate about their local area. The Green Collection represents small luxury lodges, stylish & welcoming bed & breakfasts, self-contained cottages & chic retreats in stunning natural environments. Covering the highlights of each destination, we have selected activity operators with private or small group options to suit the Green Journeys traveller. Pick & choose from day trips, multi-day tours & accommodations to build a fully tailored itinerary.

# The Itineraries

Green Journeys itineraries follow New Zealand's iconic touring routes, staying in a variety of environments from beaches to bush, wineries to high-country sheep stations. Travel at a slower pace to discover off-the-beaten-track gems & include favourite activities such as hiking, biking, kayaking, wildlife, fishing & wine tasting to create a truly personalised journey through New Zealand. We have built itineraries to appeal to special interests, honeymooners, active travellers or more relaxed travellers wanting simple relaxation, good food & wine & outstanding scenery. Adopt a complete itinerary or edit it to suit your particular needs & time frame.

# Wild Collection

Oceans to Alps
Wild Havens of the Far South
Birds of the North
South Island Eco Wanderer

Nature lovers, birders & travellers interested in discovering New Zealand's unique birdlife & marine wildlife will enjoy these activities & destinations. Get off the beaten track for the best close-up encounters.

# Green Gourmet

Green Gourmet North Green Gourmet South The Original Green Gourmet

Combine soft adventure with gournet food & wine tasting on touring routes that discover some of New Zealand's most loved food destinations as well as hidden gems, hand-crafted design, local art & culture.

# Green Outdoors

Volcanic Heartland Route 6 Adventure Southern Explorer

Active holidays in the North & South Islands following some of the most rewarding touring routes & combining hiking, kayaking, biking, rafting or horse-trekking amidst some of the most beautiful scenery on earth. Choose activities & guides who will make your trip memorable, guide you safely in the outdoors & give you real insights into the local environment.

# Romantic Short Breaks

Enchanting North A Wild Romance Coastal Retreats

Start or end a honeymoon or holiday with some special days of relaxation & romance. Indulge in exclusive hospitality, breathtaking scenic flights, wine tours, gourmet experiences & spa treatments combined with a selection of memorable day adventures away from the crowds.



New Zealand Family Holiday New Zealand Discovery

When you want to see it all, but still explore New Zealand's 'must-do' locations at a realistic pace. These itineraries are full of fun & adventure & ensure you come away with a real understanding of this extraordinarily varied country, its different landscapes, cultures & people.

# Fishing & Golf Collection

Trout Stalker Links, Lures & Lunch Fly Fishing Odyssey

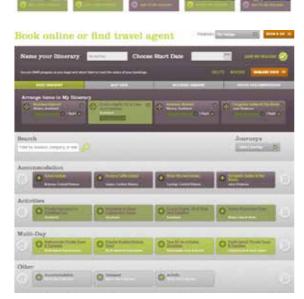
Combine a holiday in New Zealand with enjoying a favourite sport. New Zealand is equally famous for its stunning golf courses & superb fishing waters. Choose from North Island icons like Taupo or more remote southern rivers.











New Zealand Activities



# Dream

# **Journeys**

When you start to plan, use our Journeys for inspiration & guidance. Browse a selection of ideas covering different themes & regions.

Save any favourites as you navigate through the website.

# Plan

# **Luxury Collection**

When you have decided where you want to visit, search our Collection to get more information about the accommodation & activity options. Filter by regions & special interests.

# Book & Go

# My Holiday

Use My Holiday to sort everything into order, to email the operators & to save or print your full itinerary to take with you.

Book direct or select one of our recommended travel agents near you.

# NZ travel information

Our website is packed with pages of travel information to help you create your ideal holiday.

New Zealand Accommodation

# White Label Site

Embed our site as your own & keep the content on your website up to date by linking to a white label site which has your branding and allows you to print our pdf files with your logo embedded. All operator contact details are suppressed so all leads come directly to you.

# YOUR LOGO HERE

# **Agent Page**

Information at your fingertips designed with the travel trade in mind. Log in to our agent page for a comprehensive database of boutique accommodations & activities. Search & filter our Collection to explore destinations or special interest activities for your clients.

#### Instant access to:

- accommodation features & inclusions
- trip departure times
- prices & terms
- availability links
- contact details

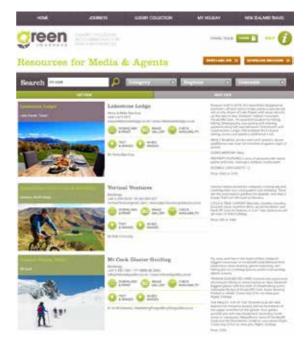
Register as a Green Journeys travel agent & gain access to:

- high res image galleries for all Green Journeys product
- descriptive product text to use on your website
- rates & product information & downloads

# **Add your Brand**

Create personalised itineraries & email an attractive travel pack with the route, accommodations & activities to your clients.

Your logo & your contact details brand the pdfs from your company.





Our North Island Green Gournet Journey provides an opportunity to explore and include in New Zestland's best food and wine regions, whilst enjoying local fare and a high standard of cusine as lapecally chosen accommoditions along the way. Several hodges are hoted by professional drief for in installed in guide to the local wire and food provides. Green Gournel food and the local way and food provides. Green Gournel food to the glorious and relaxing halven or Walhelm and the green of the local way and food provides. Green Gournel food to the glorious and relaxing halven of Walhelm food your first two nights. Visil Taupo, Hawkee Bay whereis and orchards and end your first two nights. Visil Taupo, Hawkee Bay whereis and orchards and end your







# Kiwi Dundee Adventures

Personalised private tours in the upper and central North Island or nationwide. Qualmark silver certified with a 5 star rating on Trip Advisor.



COMPANION TOURS Coromandel and beyond. Kiwi Dundee Adventures fully personalised tours to suit your interests and abilities, including booking accommodation of your choice and all activities.

AUCKLAND / COROMANDEL / ROTORUA 3 days 2 nights. From \$1495pp, excluding accommodation. Hobbiton can be added to this itinerary.

# John and Rose

Accommodation pick-up, North Island

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Surrounded by deep blue waters, vivid green islands and diverse wildlife, sailing on a 50ft catamaran with Carino NZ is the best way to experience the stunning Bay of Islands.



DAY SAILING ADVENTURE Discover Sailing and Dolphins! Help sail or sit back and relax as the sails catch the breeze. The only yacht licensed to watch wild dolphins. Help protect our dolphins, explore an island, snorkel, scenic walks, BBQ lunch. Departs Paihia 9am, returns 3.30pm. From \$145pp

PRIVATE CHARTER AVAILABLE



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# Takou River Lodge

Romantic and secluded, self-contained accommodation on the banks of Takou River. Luxury eco resort comprising individual cottages and a new luxury glamping site on a 150 acre certified organic farm. Kayak to a sandy beach, enjoy pampering massages and a twilight hot tub. Takou River is just a short car journey from Kerikeri, 3.5 hours drive, or a 30 minute flight, from Auckland. Perfect for exploring the Bay of Islands.

MEALS Self-catering or gourmet packages by prior arrangement.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** 5 acre sub tropical gardens, native bush, river front and beach access. Massages & Spa Treatments. Eco certified. Kayaks & canoes, outdoor baths and Hot Tub, fishing, swimming, onsite walks, WiFi.



(S) PRICE from \$280 to \$450



COTTAGES 5 | LUXURY TENT 1 | MAX GUESTS 26

SEE & DO Kayaking, beaches, relaxing, sailing with dolphins, New Zealand Mãori history, Waitangi Treaty grounds, Cape Reinga.



#### Anna & Ian Sizer

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# **Warblers Retreat**

Luxury eco-retreat; a hidden oasis 30 minutes from downtown Auckland. Relax and rejuvenate in the romantic Cottage or contemporary Studio at the start or end of your holiday or before heading to Northland.

Nature's Registry Office; providing an intimate and romantic location for Tiny Green Weddings.

**MEALS** Welcome basket and generous breakfast provisions, restaurants deliver (by reservation), in-house meals and picnic lunches available by early request, seasonal homegrown food available.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Set in 5 acres with nature walks & glow worms, open fireplaces, secluded outdoor spa baths, salt water swimming pool, WiFi, laundry, BBQs, beautiful private outdoor spaces.

§ PRICE from \$595 to \$695

ROOMS 1 | COTTAGES 1 | MAX GUESTS 4

**SEE & DO** Auckland Beaches, Wine & Food Trails, Tiritiri Matangi Bird Sanctuary, Rangitoto Volcanic Island, Waiheke Island, explore downtown Auckland, Whale watching, Murawai Gannet Colony.



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# **Ananda Tours**

Waiheke Island is a short ferry ride from downtown Auckland but a world away. Ananda Tours offers a perfect introduction to its wine, art and gourmet scene.

**GOURMET FOOD & WINE TOUR** Artisan producers and wineries. Small group full day tour. 9am-3pm

**EXCLUSIVE WINE TOURS** Tailored itineraries to three of the best vineyards. Bookings essential. 10am-4pm \$345pp



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# **Auckland Seaplanes**

Auckland Seaplanes offers a variety of one of a kind services, from taking off and landing in the harbour for a scenic flight, a flight to a secluded beach for the afternoon or fishing out in the Hauraki Gulf. Fly to many of the islands and destinations along the coast of the North Island and

the lakes around Rotorua and Taupo.

SCENIC FLIGHTS from \$200

FLY & DINE from \$280

TRANSFERS from \$200

Multilingual staff.

Certified Carbon 7ero

# **Bookings**

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# The Boatshed

Small, personally hosted, luxury hotel on Waiheke Island, Auckland. The causal chic architecture comprises 5 guest suites (3 Boatsheds, the Lighthouse and the Bridge Suite) and 2 bungalows, a Watertower and the Owners Cottage offering privacy, spacious living and perfect sea views.

Located 5 minutes uphill from sandy Little Oneroa beach. Guests can take advantage of all day dining and extensive grounds.

MFALS Breakfast lunch dinner

PROPERTY FEATURES Private onsite indoor and enchanting garden dining spaces, perfect romantic setting, walk to local wineries or the beach. Complimentary on-island transfers.

**PRICE** from \$1.050 to \$2.580

ROOMS 5 | COTTAGES 4 **MAX GUESTS** 20

SEE & DO Beaches, wineries, gourmet and local art, craft or sculpture discovery tours with Ananda tours, Auckland city ferry cruises.



#### Jonathan Scott

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# Colleith Lodge

Situated in Tairua, the gateway to the Coromandel, this 5 star luxury lodge is set in a breath-taking location overlooking the Pacific Ocean. The silence is broken only by the sound of birdsong. This boutique lodge is set amidst native bush and tropical planting and is built for guest comfort. All rooms overlook Tairua Estuary, Pauanui and the Pacific Ocean. Conveniently located for access to Hot Water and Hahei beaches and Cathedral Cove.

MEALS Breakfast, evening wine and canapés.

**COMPLIMENTARY** Central Coromandel Peninsula location, views, pool, restaurants & cafes within walking distance, 1.5 acres native bush setting.



COTTAGES 3 | MAX GUESTS 6

**SEE & DO** Onsite walks, Kiwi Dundee guided walks, Cathedral Cove Kayaking, Harley Davidson motorbike tours. Beautiful beaches, including Hot Water beach, Driving Creek Railway.



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# **Kiwi Dundee Adventures**

Experienced and enthusiastic local guides give you an insight into local history, geology and wildlife. Discover the stories that make The Coromandel Peninsula special, the Kauri forests, gold mining history, volcanic geology, birdlife and flora.

NATURE & COAST covers all the scenic highlights as well as visiting some special locations only known to locals. Walks in magnificent rainforests and stunning coasts with white sand beaches, including Hot Water Beach and Cathedral Cove. Price includes lunch, guide, and all fees. From \$305pp

PRIVATE TOURS AVAILABLE

#### John & Rose

Pick up from locations across The Coromandel

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# Bularangi Motorbikes

Harley Davidson rentals, guided, self-guided or chauffeured tours. Choose from a large fleet of late model Harley Davidsons. Depots throughout New Zealand.



**CHAUFFERED PASSENGER TOUR** Spectacular tour of the Coromandel, fully escorted, side-car tour, including lunch. **\$650pp** 

**DAILY RENTAL** Fully equipped for life on the road. 1-14 day rental rates available. Guided or unguided. From **\$210 per day** 

#### Ali Howie

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# White Island Tours

One of the world's most accessible volcanoes, with outstanding geothermal activity. Get up close to roaring steam vents, bubbling pits of mud, hot volcanic streams and a spectacular main crater. Include in a Coromandel/Rotorua/Hawke's Bay circuit.



MOUTOHORĀ ISLAND SANCTUARY Explore this pestfree wildlife sanctuary on a guided nature walk that includes the chance to swim at your own hot water beach. 10am-1.30pm \$99pp

#### Rookinge

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# Polynesian Spa

Right on the edge of Lake Rotorua with stunning lake views, multiple geothermal bathing areas, private mineral pools and a full range of rejuvenating spa and massage therapies. Facilities include café and shop, premium area, family area, private and adult-only pools.

DELUXE LAKE SPA & PAVILION POOLS Relaxing and therapeutic lakeside pools of natural mineral water with a range of geothermal temperatures and stunning lake views. \$32 - \$59pp

**SPA THERAPY** Massage, facials, body wraps and treatment menu available. From \$135pp

# Bookings

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# Koura Lodge

An unrivalled lakefront location and tranquil surroundings just five minutes' drive from Rotorua town centre. Offering a variety of room styles, all featuring magnificent lake views. Guests can enjoy a range of onsite facilities; charter fishing, scenic flights, tennis, canoeing, and relaxing in the lakeside hot tub and sauna.

MEALS Buffet & Cooked Breakfast.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Private lake edge property with all rooms offering stunning lake views, waterfront access, surrounded by native gardens and birdlife. Free WiFi, parking, sauna/hot-tub and canoes.



ROOMS 5 | SUITES 1 | APARTMENT 1 | MAX GUESTS 16

SEE & DO Lake cruise, fish or fly fish, mountain bike, kayak, visit Te Puia Māori cultural centre and thermal park, Polynesian Spa, White Island.



# Becky & Mike

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# Cruise & Fish

Cruise and Fish Rotorua offer fly fishing adventures and fishing charter packages for rainbow and brown trout. Fish and explore Lake Tarawera's natural hot water springs, bush walks, the Tarawera river and falls. Swim and relax.

**TROUT FISHING CHARTER** Explore the lake cruising, swimming, fishing, cook your catch! 3 hour charters recommended, \$290 per hour for a private charter.

**FLY FISHING** Full day guided fly fishing on the region's rivers, streams and lakes. 4WD or remote heli-access for the best fishing spots. From \$950 (1-2 people).

#### John Hamill

Pick-up from Rotorua accommodations

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# Orakei Korako Cave & Thermal Park

Orakei Korako is one of the best thermal areas to visit in New Zealand, located close to half-way between Rotorua and Taupo.



#### ORAKEI KORAKO CAVE & THERMAL PARK TOURS

New Zealand's largest geyser field. Mudpools, emerald terraces, springs and the sacred Ruatapu Cave. Cafe onsite. Ferry access 8am-4/4.30pm. By car 45 minutes from Rotorua or 25 minutes from Taupo, or take a scenic flight there with Taupo's Floatplane. Entry \$39pm.

#### Bookings

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# Taupo's Floatplane

Sight-seeing tours over New Zealand's central volcanic plateau taking off from Australasia's largest lake, Great Lake Taupo. Fly in a Cessna 206 float plane above Tongariro National Park, the Bay of Plenty and, of course, Taupo!



MT RUAPEHU VISTA Fly over World Heritage Tongariro National Park, Mt Ruapehu and Ngauruhoe, red crater and the blue and emerald lakes. \$425pp

**ORAKEI KORAKO** Fly Taupo to Orakei Korako thermal park, visit, and return via the Huka Falls. **\$365pp** 

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# Sail Barbary

Electric yachts offer you the chance to reduce your carbon footprint and a fun way to meet with other people while enjoying stunning scenery, Taupo's Mãori Rock carvings and Summer swimming. Includes full eco and cultural commentary and refreshments.



MÃORI ROCK CARVINGS CRUISE Sail Barbary to Lake Taupo's Iconic Mãori Rock Carvings. 2.5 hour sailing, 10.30am & 2pm departures daily plus 5pm & 7.30pm in summer. From \$49pp

**SAIL BARBARY PRIVATE CHARTERS** Private skippered 2.5 hour sail boat charter BYO food and beverages or catering can be arranged. From \$599

# Peter & Tiffany Battell

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# Acacia Cliffs Lodge

With stunning lake and mountain views and a simply spectacular Lake Taupo location, Acacia Cliffs evokes a sense of stylish luxury, privacy and comfort and promises a very special New Zealand experience. This unique, boutique lodge, accommodates eight guests in four super-king suites each with its own private deck or courtyard and spacious ensuite, Enjoy relaxed NZ hospitality in a warm and welcoming retreat you may never want to leave!

MEALS Breakfast, bottle of wine on arrival, evening cananés & wine

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Stunning views, contemporary stylish design, complimentary Taupo airport transfers.

PRICE from \$650 to \$750

ROOMS 4 | MAX GUESTS 9

SEE & DO Orakei Korako Geothermal Wonderland, Huka Falls, Wairakei International Golf & Sanctuary, Volcanic Scenic Flights, Tongariro Alpine Crossing, Lake or Fly Fishing, Sailing with The Barbary, Rafting & Lake Cruises.



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# River Birches Lodge

Boutique 3 bedroom Luxury Lodge and a beautiful self-contained cottage. Turangi, on the southern edge of Lake Taupo, is in the heart of an area renowned for its fishing and hiking and is the perfect retreat after accomplishing the Tongariro Alpine Crossing. River Birches offers exclusive guided experiences with year round fly fishing and guided Tongariro crossing. Guests can also enjoy white water rafting, mountain biking, skiing and fishing or just relax in the lodge's private surroundings and shady riverside garden. The lodge provides quiet seclusion and understated luxury accommodation with the majestic Tongariro River at its back door, and is the closest luxury accommodation to the Tongariro crossing.

MEALS Breakfast, dinner (reservation required).

PROPERTY FEATURES A quiet riverside haven, close to the Tongariro National Park, Tongariro Crossing, fishing and rafting, Relaxing outdoor areas and private hot tub in the Admiral's Room.

PRICE from \$650 to \$950

ROOMS 3 | COTTAGES 1

SEE & DO Tongariro Alpine Crossing, guided hikes with Tongariro Guided Walks, river rafting, fly fishing & lake fishing, mountain biking, scenic flights over the volcances.



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# Tongariro Suites @ The Rocks

The four suites are furnished with European flair and touches of bold colours and set in one hectare of landscaped grounds, with a large pond and NZ native plants. All suites have mountain views, generous living areas and large decks to relax on after a busy day exploring the Tongariro National Park. A choice of restaurants is available within a 10-15 minute drive.

MEALS continental breakfast provisions, BBQ area. PROPERTY FEATURES self-contained suites with mountain views, landscaped grounds, WiFi and

PRICE from \$280 to \$335

ROOMS 4 | MAX GUESTS 8

SEE & DO Tongariro Crossing, the Old Coach Roach Cycle trail starts at the door and this is an ideal location for exploring the Whanganui River by jet boat or canoe.



# Elsbeth Bloem & Carel Sietses

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# **Night Sky Cottage**

Set on a one hectare block with native New Zealand Manuka bush, the cottage is furnished with flair and touches of bold colours. Access to the 2 bedroom cottage is by a 50 metre boardwalk. The cottage has a deck with a BBQ, fully equipped kitchen, log fire, lounge and dining area. A choice of restaurants and supermarket are available within a 15 minute drive. Location is central to all activities in the Tongariro National Park region.

MEALS continental breakfast provisions provided for the duration of your stay, BBQ.

PROPERTY FEATURES self-contained cottage in private and protected NZ Manuka bush. 2 side by side freestanding baths and a large walk in shower. WiFi.

**PRICE** from \$625 to \$750

COTTAGES 1 | MAX GUESTS 4

SEE & DO Ruapehu district offers many outdoor pursuits. Hiking, Mountain and Trail Biking plus Canoeing. Whakapapa and Turoa ski fields are just a 30 minute drive.



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# Tongariro Guided Walks

Exclusive private group guiding by knowledgeable, caring guides. Spectacular scenery and many hiking options to take advantage of this World Heritage region.



TONGARIRO ALPINE CROSSING Challenging but rewarding hiking over 19kms of active volcanic terrain, amazing views all the way. From \$345pp (private) \$220pp (small group)

TONGARIRO ALPINE EXPERIENCE A half day option taking in the first section of the Alpine Crossing. From \$190pp (private) \$120pp (small group)

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Pick-up from Turangi & National Park accommodations

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# Breckenridge Lodge

Renowned chef, Malcolm Redmond provides superb kiwi hospitality and gourmet garden-grown food accompanied by the best hand-picked Hawke's Bay wines. Breckenridge Lodge is nestled in the picturesque valley of Omarunui close to Napier and Hastings in the sunny Hawke's Bay, overlooking a valley of vines. Enjoy the garden, the good books and music and superb cuisine.

**MEALS** Breakfast, evening five course dinner & wine (reservation required).

**PROPERTY FEATURES** A true gourmet lodge owned and run by a passionate chef, perfectly matched to the foodie region in which it is located.

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PRICE from \$730 to \$1,020

ROOMS 5 | MAX GUESTS 10

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SEE & DO Cooking classes, winery visits, farmers markets, Napier Art Deco tours, the gannet colony at Cape Kidnappers, Waimarama Māori tours.

# Malcolm Redmond & Ellie Zugel

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# Long Island Guides

Personally guided and customised tours of Hawke's Bay. Choose from farm, forest, Mãori history and culture, arts and crafts, wine or gourmet experiences, cycling or garden tours designed to suit your time and interests.



WINE & FOOD LOVERS TOUR Tailor-made full or half day tours experiencing local wineries and talking to local artisans and wine-makers. From \$199 per hour

#### Edward Gordon

Pick up from Napier & Hastings accommodations

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# Waimarama Mãori Tours

Private and personal guided tours discover the real story of the Mãori, past and present. The experience will touch your heart and open your mind.

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A MÃORI ELDER Experience real Māori culture. Our guides are elders from our small coastal community where they all still live today. This very special unscripted tour gives you unfettered access to the world of Māori rarely seen by outsiders. \$595pp

WALK WITH THE ANCESTORS Be guided by one of our family members as we share with you our culture by visiting the significant sites that hold more than 700 years of history of the Waimārama tribes. \$150pp



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# **Gannet Safaris Overland**

Visit the world's largest, most accessible Gannet nesting colony; where adult and young birds nest in serried rows and carry out their daily routine.

GANNET TOURS Drive through spectacular Cape Kidnappers Station and wildlife sanctuary, stopping several times above the clifftops looking out over Hawke's Bay. The views are spectacular. Learn about local history, wildlife and legends. Drive up onto the gannet colony where you are within a few metres of the 20,000 gannets.

9.30am & 1.30pm **\$88pp** [1st September - 31st April] PRIVATE RANGE ROVER & SUNRISE TOURS



# Sophie Phillips

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# **Odyssey New Zealand**

Odyssey New Zealand Tours Hawke's Bay's wine and gourmet specialists. Tour wineries enjoying lunch and superb local cuisine. Exclusive tailor made Range Rover tours or cycle options also available.



HAWKE'S BAY ODYSSEY EXPERIENCE A full day four of the best large and small wineries including visiting a wine museum and a gourmet lunch. \$299pp

TWILIGHT ODYSSEY Indulge in a 3 course progressive Pick up from accommodations winery dinner enjoyed at a selection of NZ's top winery restaurants, including a champagne sunset from Te Mata Peak. \$299pp

PRIVATE TOURS AVAILABLE

# **Bookings**

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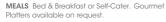
FP 0508 639 773

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#### Kanuka Cliffs

Modern architecturally designed property with fine art adorning the walls. Indulgent gourmet platters and native bush walks make this single party booking luxury retreat with wide ocean views a unique place to stay.



PROPERTY FEATURES Architectural design, 19 hectare Native Bush Reserve with walking tracks, modern art, ocean views.

PRICE from \$350 to \$1,240 ROOMS 2 | MAX GUESTS 4

# Gareth & Michelle Kelly

19 Heipipi Drive, Esk Hills Eskdale

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W www.kanukacliffs.com

E bookings@kanukacliffs.com











# Atahuri Lodge

Beachfront Bliss 45 minutes north of Wellington, nestled in sand dunes overlooking Peka Peka Beach. Architecturally designed, four private suites have separate entrances with patios facing seaward. New Zealand art work, luxurious furnishings and touches of beachside chic throughout. Super king beds, fine linen, feather duvets and heavenly baths for two create the perfect sanctuary for rest and rejuvenation.

MEALS Breakfast, Dinners by prior arrangement. Bottle of wine on arrival. PROPERTY FEATURES Beachfront with beach access. Swimming Pool and Spa, road bikes and kites.



**PRICE** from \$500 to \$600



OTTAGES 4 | MAX GUESTS 8

SEE & DO Kapiti Island, Southward Car Museum, 3 golf courses, award winning Vineyard and Boutique Brewery, horse riding on beach, river rafting, learn to surf, art galleries and studios. Local cafés.



# Robyn Renouf

51 Pingao Lane, Peka Peka Beach, Kãpiti Coast

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# Ohtel

Perfectly located on the waterfront in Oriental Bay, just along from Te Papa Museum and the galleries and restaurants of Wellington's harbour frontage. Ohtel offers unpretentious, award-winning service in an inspirational environment.

**MEALS** On-site - Café & Tapas bar "Duppa" serving breakfast, lunch and dinner.

PROPERTY FEATURES Original and stylish architectural design with midcentury decor, a true boutique hotel. Most rooms are large with luxury bathroom and harbour views.



**PRICE** from \$290 to \$354



ROOMS 10 | MAX GUESTS 24

**SEE & DO** Te Papa Museum, Flat Earth sightseeing and LOTR tours, Weta Workshops, Käpiti Island wildlife excursion, Wellington Botanical Gardens, Zealandia, harbourside walks, excellent restaurants.



# Reservations

66 Oriental Parade, Wellington

P +64 4 803 0600 W www.ohtel.nz E rooms@ohtel.nz





# Kãpiti Island Nature Tours

Kāpiti Island is a world-renowned nature sanctuary 5km off the coast of Paraparaumu. This predator free island is home to some of New Zealand's rarest flora & fauna.

DAY TOUR return ferry transport, an introductory talk and one hour guided walk on this forested island discovering New Zealand birdlife, history, Māori culture and unsurpassed hospitality, Lunch included. Approx 9am-3pm. \$185pp

OVERNIGHT TOUR return ferry transport, accommodation, an introductory talk, 3 meals, pre-dinner drinks & nibbles, permits and a 1.5 hour guided Kiwi spotting walk at night. Approx 9am-3pm the following day \$395pp

#### Minnie Clark

Waiorua Bay, Kãpiti Island

P +64 27 726 7525 M 027 726 7525

W www.kapitiisland.com

E bookings@kapitiisland.com

# Flat Earth

Choose from a wide selection of cultural, Māori, arts, Lord of the Rings and history or nature tours. Perfect to orient yourself in Wellington.



**CAPITAL ARTS TOUR** A half day tour of local galleries and the Wellington arts and crafts scene. **\$225pp** 

MIDDLE EARTH EXTENDED EDITION Immerse yourself in Middle Earth, from local film locations to Weta workshops, alfresco lunch. Full day 8 hour tour, 9am pick-up \$385pp

#### Bookings

Central House, 124 Waterloo Quay, Wellington

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E bookings@flatearth.co.nz



# **Bularangi Motorbike Tours**

Harley Davidson specialists with rentals and tours throughout New Zealand. Five depots cover the North and South Island; in Auckland, Waihi, Wellington, Christchurch and Queenstown.



HARLEY DAVIDSON RENTAL independent motorbike tours, fully guided self ride motorbike tours or chauffeured passenger tours (for those without a motorbike license.)

PRICE SPOA

#### Ali Howie

Auckland, Waihi, Wellington, Christchurch & Queenstown

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E harley@bularangi.com



# Wildsouth Discovery

Unique Companion Luxpeditions. Discover spectacular landscapes, heritage and Mãori culture. Experience kiwi hospitality and New Zealand's diverse ecology. Picnics in

remote alfresco locations and travel in deluxe customised vehicles.

TAILOR-MADE PRIVATE NATURAL HERITAGE & SCENIC TOURS Designed to suit you.

SUGGESTED ITINERARIES Multi-day Overland Expeditions, Day Safaris from Christchurch - exclusive, privately guided experiences.

PRICE SPOA

# Brian Lucas & Paula Sinclair

Accommodation pick-up, South Island

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M 027 4363 068 W www.wildsouth.com

E wildsouthnz@gmail.com

# **Canterbury Trails Tours**

Every tour is different. Tailor-made private and small group tours anywhere in the South Island, offering an intimate New Zealand experience with an owner-operatored boutique company of hand picked guides sharing their favourite places.

TRANSFER TOURS From Christchurch to Queenstown (or reverse) via the West Coast and glaciers, Central Otago or Mt Cook.

TAILOR-MADE TOURS Specializing in walking, photography, nature cruises, winery visits or just relaxina

PRICE \$POA

# Irene Hayward & Chris Platt

Pick-up from South Island accommodations

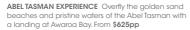
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W www.canterburvtrails.co.nz

E info@trails.co.nz

# **Helicopters Nelson**

Locally owned helicopter company offering unique experiences in the Nelson and Marlborough regions. Choose from a wide range of scenic flights, gourmet experiences and private charters into the three spectacular national parks.



LORD OF THE RINGS TOUR Land on Mt Owen and/or Mt Olympus. From \$600pp

BLUE LAKE EXPRESS Fly over the world's clearest lake and land on the edge of Nelson Lakes National Park. From **\$995pp** 

#### Toby & Rachael Reid

256 Eighty Eight Valley Road, Wakefield, Nelson

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M 021 273 5023















# Wine, Art and Wilderness

Nelson's premier private tour and luxury transfer provider offers a diverse range of tours. Guided by our friendly knowledgeable team, each day will be fun, informative and is sure to exceed expectations.



ABEL TASMAN WATER & WALK Cruise then walk along some of the world's most stunning coastline. Optional kayakina, Full day with a urmet lunch from \$439pp

WINE AND ART TOURS Sample wines with your expert guide and enjoy lunch at the best of Nelson's boutique wineries. Add, or focus solely on, art, exploring Nelson's broad range of artistic media. Full day from \$299pp

PRIVATE TOURS & PRIVATE LUXURY TRANSFERS \$POA

# Zane Kennedy & Elissa Menzies

Pick up from accommodation

P +64 275 776 975 FP 0800 326 868

W www.wineartandwilderness.co.nz

E info@wineartandwilderness.co.nz

#### **Abel Tasman Charters**

Luxurious boats offering daily tours into the Abel Tasman National Park and Tonga Island Marine Reserve. Knowledgeable skippers and a delicious platter lunch.



PRIVATE CHARTER Luxury do-as-you-please day out exploring the glorious Abel Tasman coastline with an experienced local guide. Swim, cruise, kayak and walk all in one day aboard our comfortable launch. 6 hour charter \$2,670



#### Rod & Karina Stuart

Stephens Bay, Kaiteriteri

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#### Wheelie Fantastic

Specialists in luxury experiences; guided, premium guided or self-guided, all tours can be adapted to suit a range of fitness levels. Guides are carefully selected for their warm personalities and knowledge of the area.



MOUTERE WINE AND ARTISANS wine and art are always a good combination! The region is full of interesting galleries and artists' and makers' studios and has many wineries. MAPUA MAGIC Mapua Wharf is full of shops and cafés and the TASMAN TASTETRAIL has some quiet and picturesque back roads to explore

ALL TOURS ARE PRIVATE. Options from \$175pp upwards. E nicky@wheeliefantastic.co.nz

# Lisa & Nicky

Pick up from local accommodations

P +64 3 543 2245

FP 0800 22 9253

W www.wheeliefantastic.co.nz

# The Sea Kayak Company

A locally owned and operated boutique sea kayaking operation guiding the beautiful coastline of Abel Tasman National Park. Trips include a scenic boat cruise at the start and end of the day.



KAYAK & HIKE Half day guided kayak tour with either a 3 hour hike or relaxed 90-minute unguided hike. From \$195 - 220pp

FULL DAY KAYAK Full day guided kayak in the marine reserve visiting Tonga Island and its flourishing seal colony, Bark Bay and Anchorage. \$220pp

#### Paul & Andrea Kerwin

506 High Street, Motueka

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E info@seakayaknz.co.nz









# The Resurgence luxury eco-lodge

Surrounded by birds, this relaxed and friendly lodge is just 15 minutes from the Abel Tasman National Park, an easy day-trip to Nelson or Golden Bay and a perfect base for exploring the Nelson area. Accommodation comprises 6 luxury standalone Suites each with outdoor hot tub or bath and wide bush views, and 4 Ensuite Rooms. The chef's daily menu showcases local produce. Voted one of the world's 25 best eco-lodges.

**MEALS** Breakfast, evening wine and canapés, dinner. Self-cater with dinner on arrival night available for longer stays.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Luxury eco lodge set in 50 acres of native bush with walking trails, on-site chef, close by Abel Tasman National Park. Free WiFi, pool/spa/gym/sauna, mountain bikes, laundry service.



**PRICE** from \$825 to \$1,045



ROOMS 4 | COTTAGES 6 | MAX GUESTS 20

**SEE & DO** Abel Tasman National Park, Kahurangi National Park, Golden Bay & Tasman Taste Trail. Kayaking, hiking, boat trips, eco tours, Nelson wine, art and cycle trails, helicopter experiences.



Clare de Carteret-Bisson & Peter Adams

574 Riwaka Valley Road, Motueka

P +64 3 528 4664

W www.resurgence.co.nz E info@resurgence.co.nz



# Abel Tasman Sea Shuttle

A superb family owned service taking you in and out of the bays and coves of Abel Tasman National Park. Allows for regular access to the track for day walkers and hikers. Hop off at one bay and rejoin at an another.



SEALS & HIKE Regular departures, enjoy a cruise to a seal colony then a self-guided 1.5 hour or 5.5 hour hike along the idyllic coast of Abel Tasman National Park. \$72pp

FULL SCENIC 3-4 hour cruise the length of the park, seals, island bird sanctuary, beautiful beaches. \$79pp

#### **Bookings**

Kaiteriteri Beach

P +64 3 527 8688 FP 0800 732 748

W abeltasmanseashuttles.co.nz cruise@abeltasmanseashuttles.co.nz



# Abel Tasman Eco Tours

Wildlife and conservation-oriented boat and walking adventures offering daily tours into coastal and inland Abel Tasman National Park and Tonga Island Marine Reserve. Small numbers only, private charters available.



GOLDEN FUTURE TOUR From Marahau take a guided boat and walking tour, visiting all the best locations in the Abel Tasman park. Max 14 people. Full day \$199pp

PROMISED LAND TOUR From the top of Takaka Hill take a guided 4 hour walk to Wainui Hut through native beech forest filled with wildlife. Max 8 people. Full day \$199pp

#### Stew Robertson

Marahau Boat Ramp

P ±6/1 21 5/16 916

FP 0800 223 538

W www.abeltasmanecotours.co.nz

F info@abeltasmanecotours co.nz



# Cape Farewell Horse Treks

At one of the most remote points of the South Island, Cape Farewell Horsetreks offer a unique riding experience. Lots of riding options across a range of terrain from beaches to hill climbs and overland treks.



**OLD MAN RANGE & TRIANGLE VALLEY** Favourite trek with views in every direction and a variety of terrain. Children 10 years or over. 2.5 hours \$175pp

WHARARIKI BEACH TREK Canter down the beach with the sea breeze in your face, spot seals and enjoy views of Kahurangi National Park. 3 hours \$175pp

# Pamela & James

23 McGowan Street, Puponga, Golden Bay

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W www.horsetreksnz.co.nz

E fun@horsetreksnz.co.nz



#### Wilderness Guides

Wilderness Guides are based in Picton and offer full day and multi-day guided trips on Queen Charlotte Sound staying at waterfront lodges, bike, hike and kayak combos as well as bike and kavak rentals.



ONE DAY GUIDED WALK Queen Charlotte Track day walk. Voyage Picton to Ships Cove and hike 15kms to Endeavour Inlet. Full day guided, packed lunch supplied \$365pp

HALF DAY GUIDED KAYAK Kayak on the Queen Charlotte Sound. See sting rays, eagle rays, cormorants, little blue penguins, seals and starfish. 8.30am and 12.30pm, 4 hours \$99pp

#### Juliet & Steve Gibbons

Corner London Quay & Wellington Street, Picton

P +64 3 573 5432

FP 0800 266 266

W www.wildernessguidesnz.com

E info@wildernessguidesnz.com

# McCormick House

Eco accredited 5 star bed and breakfast just 5 minutes from Picton ferries and train station. Historic house in large mature native gardens with 3 ensuite bedrooms featuring hand-crafted furniture. Ideal base for Queen Charlotte activities, hiking, kayaking or mountain biking or local dolphin tours and nature trips. Easy day trips to Blenheim to visit Marlborough's vineyards and cafés.

MEALS Breakfast and antipasto platters.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Extensive grounds, historic house, kiwi hosts, native birds. WiFi & free off-street parking.

§ PRICE from \$420 to \$530

ROOMS 3 | MAX GUESTS 6

SEE & DO Local hikes include the Queen Charlotte Track, Essons Valley, Picton Waikawa track, Tirohanga Waikway, Victoria Domain, Bobs Bay and The Snout. There is also an abundance of local mountain bike tracks, from gentle to challenging.



# Jeanne & Carl Beaumont

21 Leicester Street, Picton

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E stay@mccormickhouse.co.nz









# Marlborough Tour Company

Family run company showcasing the best of Marlborough, with 2 Lodges and gournet boat trips in the Marlborough Sounds, private and small group food and wine tours and link tours connecting Blenheim to Nelson and Kaikoura.

GREENSHELL MUSSEL CRUISE Afternoon cruise on the Sound sampling local seafood. Havelock marina 1,30pm 3 hours \$135pp

ICONS TOUR The very best of Marlborough wine, scenery and seafood. Full day \$230pp

**COUGAR LINE** Cruise and Walk packages on the Queen Charlotte Track. From **\$80pp** 

PRIVATE TOURS tailored to suit you. \$POA

#### Bookings

Grovetown Park, State Highway 1, Blenheim

P +64 3 577 9997

**FP** 0800 990 800

W marlboroughtourcompany.co.nz info@marlboroughtourcompany.co.nz

# Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre

The story of aviation is brought to life in two world-class exhibitions featuring mannequins by cinematic geniuses Weta Workshop. Open 7 days until 5pm.

KNIGHTS OF THE SKY EXHIBITION showcases film director Sir Peter Jackson's collection of WW1 aircraft and memorabilia. \$25pp

**DANGEROUS SKIES** the new WW2 exhibition stars a Griffon powered Spitfire and the world's only flyable Avro Anson Mk.1. **\$20pp** 

JOYRIDES in a vintage Boeing Stearman, open cockpit biplane and a Russian WW2 fighter Yakovlev Yak 3. From \$250 - \$2,999 [non-commissionable]

#### Jo McMillan

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# The Peppertree

A gracious Edwardian villa built in 1901. Surrounded by 10 acres of farmland, vineyard, olive grove and beautiful gardens, nestled quietly amid the world famous Marlborough wine region. Enjoy a beautifully preserved piece of New Zealand heritage as well as the opportunity to speak to a passionate winemaker. Your host Werner makes 'The Peppertree Chardonnay' grown on the Peppertree vineyard.

MEALS Breakfast, evening canapés & wine, Platters.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Edwardian Villa set in 10 acres of gardens and vines, orchard and olive grove. Hosts will share their passion for wine making and viticulture.



**PRICE** from \$690 to \$760



ROOMS 5 | MAX GUESTS 10

**SEE & DO** Marlborough wineries, vineyard cycling, Marlborough Sounds day cruises and Queen Charlotte Track. Omaka Avaition Heritage Museum, Helicopter Flights.



# Heidi & Werner Pluss

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# Fyffe Country Lodge

Fyffe Country Lodge in Kaikoura is a magnificent 5-star 6-room accommodation 300 metres from the shoreline of the stunning Kaikoura coast. This architecturally designed Kaikoura accommodation is surrounded by manicured gardens with stunning alpine views to Mt Fyffe and the Kaikoura Seaward Range. The on-site restaurant specializes in seafood.

MEALS Breakfast and licensed dining (reservations essential). PROPERTY FEATURES Mature aardens, on-site restaurant, mud-brick construction, spectacular mountain views, WiFi.



(S) PRICE from \$295 to \$675



ROOMS 6 | MAX GUESTS 12

SEE & DO Whale watch, Dolphin Swimming, Kayaking, Peninsula Walks, Crayfish (koura) for dinner.



# Chris Rye

458 State Highway One, Kaikoura

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E fyffe@xtra.co.nz



# Whale Watch Kaikoura

Take a cruise off the Kaikoura coast with the legendary Whale Watch company. Year round whale encounters. Specially designed vessels and a 95% success rate.



WHALE WATCH TOURS 7.15am, 10am and 12.45am departures with additional timings over the summer season. In addition to the whales, fur seals, dolphins and albatross are also frequent viewing. Allow 3.5 hours including 2.5 hours on the water. \$150pp

# **Bookings**

The Whaleway Station. Whaleway Road, Kaikoura

P +64 3 319 6767 FP 0800 655 121

W www.whalewatch.co.nz

E reservations@whalewatch.co.nz



Kaikoura is regarded as the best place on earth to view multiple species of albatross and other seabirds. This boat tour with informative commentary and superb photo opportunities should not be missed. The 2.5 hour tour operates all year round with 2-3 departures daily. Advance reservations are essential.



Bookings

96 Esplanade, Kaikoura

P +64 3 319 6777

FP 0800 733 365

W www.albatrossencounter.co.nz

E info@albatrossencounter.co.nz

# Dolphin Encounter Kaikoura

ALBATROSS ENCOUNTER A coastal cruise to view

just 15 minutes from the shore, \$125pp

albatross, petrels, shearwaters, shags, terns and gulls,

Dusky dolphins are regarded as the most acrobatic of all dolphin species. Dolphin swimming or watching tours are an inspiring experience. The 3.5 hour tour operates all year round with 2-3 departures daily. Advance reservations are essential for swimmers.

**DOLPHIN ENCOUNTER SWIM** All equipment for swimming supplied. Maximum 16 swimmers per boat. \$180pp

**DOLPHIN ENCOUNTER WATCH** Swimmers and watchers travel on the same vessels. Plenty of photo opportunities. \$95pp



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# South Pacific Helicopters & Wings Over Whales

Experience a unique perspective soaring above, and orbiting Kaikoura's mighty Sperm whale and playful Dusky Dolphins in a way only achieved from the air. Majestic scenery, towering mountains, panoramic ocean views and a yearround whale and dolphin population.

**SOUTH PACIFIC HELICOPTERS** Whale watching and scenic flights with magnificent coastal vistas, picturesque landscapes, majestic mountains and diverse marine wildlife \$260 - 945pp

WINGS OVER WHALES Your own window seat and the opportunity to clearly view and photograph Kaikoura's whales and marine wildlife during a 30-minute fixed-wing flight. \$195pp



72 West End. Kaikoura

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W www.southpacificwhales.co.nz

E info@southpacificwhales.co.nz

# The Factory

Uniquely designed self-contained accommodation in a glamorously renovated historic factory 10 minutes north of Kaikoura. Single party bookings only, private courtyard, outside spa, and choice of full breakfasts or self-catering. The Factory accommodates up to 6 people in 3 king bedrooms and suits couples, families or friends travelling together. Whale watching, dolphin, seal, albatross and birdlife viewing.

MEALS Breakfast or Self-Cater with BBQ.

PROPERTY FEATURES Exclusive luxury accommodation adjacent to Hapuku Beach, full kitchen and laundry facilities, log burner, outdoor spa, blu ray TV, WiFI.

(S) PRICE from \$510 to \$630

APARTMENTS 1 | MAX GUESTS 6

**SEE & DO** Whale watching flights or cruises, dolphin tours and swimming, superb sea life discovery, local hikes and day walks.



# Sean & Skip Gregory

5 Old Beach Road, Hapuku, Kaikoura

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#### The George

Experience the ultimate in luxury, 5-star style and comfort. The George is situated beside beautiful Hagley Park and the river Avon, offering a tranquil city retreat. The location is the best in the city; peaceful yet central. The George offers impeccable service, with its one-to-one guest to staff ratio. There are two award winning restaurants in-house.

MEALS Breakfast, lunch, dinner.

PROPERTY FEATURES Small boutique hotel, the award winning fine dining seafood restaurant Pescatore and 50 Bistro, a contemporary NZ Cuisine restaurant, complimentary WiFi, valet parking, laundry, newspaper, mountain bikes and off-site gym.

PRICE from \$410 to \$1,045

ROOMS 53 | COTTAGES 1

SEE & DO Hagley Park, Botanical Gardens, Christchurch Historic Tram, Punting on the Avon, Christchurch Gondola, Shopping, Christchurch Art Gallery, Hot Air Ballooning, Shigeru Ban Cathedral, Quake City Display at Canterbury Museum, Canterbury Trails tours or the city and wider region including Waipara Wine Region, Tranz Alpine Train and Kaikoura.



#### Reservations

50 Park Terrace, Christchurch

P +64 3 379 4560 FP 0800 100 220 W www.thegeorge.com

E reservations@thegeorge.com



# **Canterbury Trails**

Specialising in private tailor-made tours and small group guided day trips in the Canterbury region.

AKAROA Explore the village and take a harbour cruise to see Hectors dolphins, penguins and fur seals. From \$398pp

ARTHURS PASS Train and coach options with alpine and high country landscapes and hikes. 8.30am-4.30pm from \$387pp

KAIKOURA Whale watching or swimming with dolphins, cafe lunch and Waipara winery tour. From \$560pp

PRIVATE TOURS AND TRANSFER TOURS SPOA

# Irene Hayward & Chris Platt

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# Wilderness Lodge Arthur's Pass

Set on a 1650 hectare / 4000-acre working sheep farm and nature reserve in the heart of the Southern Alps, the Lodge offers high quality accommodation, excellent food and an exciting programme of guided activities. Learn about NZ wildlife and explore the farm and mountain location. This is a destination for wilderness seekers, nature enthusiasts & active travellers, located midway between Christchurch and the West Coast.

MEALS Breakfast, lunch, dinner.

PROPERTY FEATURES Spectacular alpine view location with extensive hiking on a 25km trail network, wildlife viewing, rare shrublands, forest and river valley plants surrounded by National Park tracks.

PRICE from \$820 to \$1,300

**ROOMS** 24 | MAX GUESTS 48



SEE & DO Merino Sheep Farm tours and sheep shearing, wildlife and nature tours, hiking and guided alpine and alpine flower hikes and guided kayak safaris. Tranz-Alpine train.

# Michael McSweeney

State Highway 73, Arthur's Pass (16kms east of Arthur's Pass village), Canterbury

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#### Underworld Adventures

Magnificent rainforest, underworld river and glowworm cave system. Access via rainforest train ride. Based at Charleston near Westport. Trips for a range of abilities.

UNDERWORLD RAFTING Explore a world of stalactites and stalagmites, float through galaxies of glowworms along an underground river. 4 hours \$185pp

GLOWWORM CAVETOUR A dry 3.5 hr excursion through the upper levels of the caves. \$120pp

ADVENTURE CAVING Expedition style caving. Explore a superb sporty cave with abseils, squeezes, cascading waterfalls and climbs. \$350pp

# **Bookings**

Underworld Adventure Centre, 7368 State Highway 6, Charleston

P +64 3 788 8168

FP 0800 11 66 86 W www.caverafting.com

E contact@caveraftina.com









# Birds Ferry Lodge

Private 33 acre oasis, located just north of Punakaiki and south of Westport. A stay here is a luxury escape into heartland wilderness. The lodge looks out over uninterrupted native forest and a river valley towards the ocean. Enjoy organic vegetables and fresh eggs from Alison's garden. Holistic massages available in-house. Two lodge rooms and a beautiful self-contained cottage nearby that sleeps five.

MEALS Breakfast, dinner (by reservation), self-cater cottage.

PROPERTY FEATURES Sea, bush and mountain views, remote location, abundant wildlife, Eco-design and self-sufficient ethos. Spa, WiFi, laundry.



PRICE from \$450 to \$597



ROOMS 2 | COTTAGES 1 | MAX GUESTS 9

SEE & DO Underworld Adventures caving & rafting, Punakaiki Rocks, local hiking and biking, deserted beach walking. Private tours with Andre.



#### Alison & Andre Gygax

Birds Ferry Road, Charleston. Westport

P +64 21 337 217 FP 0800 212 207

W www.birdsferrylodge.co.nz

E info@birdsferrylodge.co.nz









# Rimu Lodge

High on a ridge behind the township of Hokitika, the Lodge enjoys magnificent views over the Hokitika River valley and farmland rising up towards the Southern Alps. Spacious decks and indoor-outdoor living areas allow you to relax and enjoy complete luxury and rest in the midst of a busy holiday or as a private honeymoon retreat. Hokitika restaurants are 10 minute drive away.

# MEALS Breakfast.

PROPERTY FEATURES Located on the edge of town overlooking a sweeping bush-clad valley and mountains, spacious and elegant luxury.



**PRICE** from \$345 to \$395



ROOMS 4 | MAX GUESTS 8

SEE & DO Hokitika Gorge, Lake Kaniere, Lake Mahinapua, Blue Spur and West Coast Wilderness trail hiking and mountain biking, pounamu (jade), kiwi house, West Coast beach, setting for The Luminaries.



#### Sue-Ellen Bowden

33 Seddons Terrace Road, Rimu, Hokitika

**P** +64 3 755 5255

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E stay@rimulodge.co.nz









# **Holly Homestead**

Holly Homestead is located on the outskirts of Franz Josef township with a lovely rural setting and some of the best views of the snow capped Southern Alps. Built in 1926 this luxury bed and breakfast is an excellent example of "Arts & Crafts" architecture mixed with country design and beautiful native timbers. Personally hosted by passionate locals who can advise you on local history, activities and dining.

MEALS Breakfast, evening glass of port. Choice of Restaurants nearby. PROPERTY FEATURES Restored historic homestead, native rimu timber throughout, cosy lounge, views and peaceful location on the outskirts of Franz Josef township.



PRICE from \$285 to \$395



ROOMS 3 | SUITES 1 | MAX GUESTS 8

SEE & DO Franz Josef Glacier hikes and helicopter trips, Okarito Boat Tours, Glacier hot pools, kiwis, kayaking, hiking and great choice of coastal, lake & forest walks.



# Bernie & Gerard Oudemans

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W www.hollyhomestead.co.nz

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# Mahitahi Lodge

A real West Coast wilderness experience just 30 minutes south of Fox Glacier, surrounded by magnificent native forest and next to dramatic Bruce Bay. The lodge features beautiful native timbers and offers an intimate experience hosted by genuinely local hosts. Book a Fox Glacier trip or just explore the forest and history of nearby wild West Coast beaches and rivers.

MEALS Breakfast, dinner (by reservation).

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Wilderness location 30 minutes' drive from Fox Glacier, beautiful beach and bush walks, outdoor hot tub. WiFi, laundry.



ROOMS 3 | MAX GUESTS 8

**SEE & DO** Fox Glacier hikes or scenic flights around Mt Cook and glacier landings, native forest walks, Lake Matheson, wild west coast beaches and glorious scenery.



#### John Birchfield & Jacqui Low

4667 State Highway 6, Bruce Bay, South Westland

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### Fox Glacier Guiding

Specialist guides offering heli-hikes on the West Coast's largest glacier, ice climbing and walks to the terminal face.

FLYING FOX HELI-HIKE Stunning 4 hour trip starting with a heli-transfer and up to 3 hours exploring the amazing ice arches and caves of the upper glacier. \$469pp

CHANCELLOR DOME HELI-TREK Helicopter in to a magnificent full day 5-7 hour trek high amongst the Southern Alps most majestic peaks, Good fitness. \$799pp (overnight option available \$1,199)



#### **Bookings**

44 Main Road. Fox Glacier

+64 3 751 0825 FP 0800 111 600 W www.foxguides.co.nz E info@foxquides.co.nz



# Wilderness Lodge Lake Moeraki

Surrounded by tall rainforest on the shores of the Moeraki River and a 2km forest walk from the Tasman Sea, Wilderness Lodge Lake Moeraki offers stylish accommodation, delicious fresh local food and an exciting programme of guided nature adventures. Hike the wild coastline, see penguins and other rare wildlife and experience one of the wildest and most natural corners of New Zealand.

MEALS Breakfast, lunch, dinner.

PROPERTY FEATURES Wilderness location, forest trails, wildlife and local experts on-site, superb wildlife viewing opportunities. Includes two shorter guided activities.

(S) PRICE from \$820 to \$1,300



ROOMS 28 | MAX GUESTS 56

SEE & DO The Lodge offers Conservation Department licensed 1/2 day penguin, fur seal, dolphin, jade and bird viewing wilderness seacoast hikes and kayak safaris. 1 hour drive north to Fox Glacier, ½ hour south to Haast & Jacksons Bay Craypot Café.



### Dr Gerry McSweeney & Anne Saunders

State Highway 6. (30 km north of Haast). Lake Moeraki, South Westland

+64 3 750 0881

W www.wildernesslodge.co.nz E lakemoeraki@wildernesslodge.co.nz



### Southern Alps Air

Flying from Wanaka across the Southern Alps and down the West Coast to Milford Sound is one of life's special experiences. Superb customer service and professionalism.

MILFORD SOUND FLIGHT & CRUISE Fly past Mt Aspiring over the Southern Alps to land at Milford Sound and join a 2 hour cruise. Half day \$580pp

SIBERIA EXPERIENCE Gain access to one of Mt Aspiring National Park's gems; a great hike plus scenic flight and stunning jetboat ride back out. Half-day, morning departures. \$435pp

## Paul & Anne Cooper

Wanaka Airport, 12 Lloyd Dunn Avenue, Wanaka

P + 64 3 443 4385 FP 0800 345 666

W www.southernalpsair.co.nz

E info@southernalpsair.co.nz











## Lime Tree Lodge

Four luxuriously-appointed en-suite guest rooms and two private suites, each with their own French doors that open out to an expansive veranda and gardens with magnificent views of the Southern Alps. Relax in comfortable living areas, 10 acres of beautifully designed gardens, attentive service from your hosts and enjoy the renowned small summer and winter resort town of Wanaka.

MEALS Breakfast, evening aperitifs, dinner (by reservation).

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Expansive views, gardens, welcoming hosts, luxury and privacy. WiFi, onsite 5 hole golf course, petanque, swimming and spa pool.





ROOMS 6 | MAX GUESTS 12

**SEE & DO** Rob Roy Glacier, Siberia Experience, hike or jet boat in Mt Aspiring National Park, flights around Mt Aspiring. Lakeside bike tours, high country farm and island birdlife trips.

#### Yohann Bourdin

672 Ballantyne Road, Wanaka

**P** +64 3 443 7305

**W** www.limetreelodge.co.nz

E revive@limetreelodge.co.nz

#### Eco Wanaka Adventures

The real deal. Superbly guided island eco and birdlife tours as well as some of Wanaka's best day hikes and heli-hikes. Active or less active, half day or full day adventures.



MOU WAHO ISLAND CRUISE & WALK Magical half day excursion to an island in the middle of Lake Wanaka. Discover birds, scenery, history and geology. Half day, 9am or 1.30pm \$245pp. Meet the boat at the Jetty next to the Marina in Lakeside Road.

ROB ROY GLACIER GUIDED HIKE One of Mt Aspiring National Park's best day hikes. Packed with interest and beautiful scenery. Full day, 9-5.30pm \$315pp. Note tour not suitable for children under 8 years. Pick up from Wanaka Accommodations.

#### Chris Riley

Lakeside Road, Wanaka or pick-up from Wanaka accommodation

P +64 3 443 2869 FP 0800 926 326

W www.ecowanaka.co.nz

E explore@ecowanaka.co.nz



#### Mitre Peak Cruises

Escape the crowds and get up close to experience the beauty of Milford Sound in its true isolation and grandeur. Explore further and enjoy an intimate cruising experience with limited numbers.



TWO HOUR CRUISE the length of the 16km fiord with informative commentary from the skipper. Includes \$1 Anne's Point lighthouse, the mighty Lady Bowen Falls, Lion Mountain, Copper Point, Seal Rock and Stirling Falls. 7 daily departures (3 in winter). From \$70pp

#### ${f Bookings}$

Milford Sound Visitor Terminal, State Highway 94, Milford Sound

P +64 3 249 8110 FP 0800 744 633

W www.mitreneak.com

E info@mitrepeak.com



### **Appellation Wine Tours**

With over 20 years of experience showcasing world-class Central Otago wines, expert wine guides will take you into the heart of a wine region famous for its boutique vineyards, dramatic scenery and fascinating pioneering history.

**SMALL GROUP TOURS** with 4 to 7 hour options. From \$169pp

**PRIVATE WINE & SIGHTSEEING TOUR** Flexibility with private guide & luxury vehicle. From **\$375pp** 

**COMBINATION TOURS** with other local activities to save time and money.

#### Bookings

The Station Building, corner of Camp & Shotover Streets

P +64 3 442 6920 M 027 601 5553

**W** www.appellationwinetours.nz bookings@appellationwinetours.nz



#### Nomad Safaris

Nomad Safaris has over 25 years experience in operating small and personal tours around Queenstown.



**E-BIKE WINE TOURS** Sip and cycle through Arrowtown and Gibbston Valley. 1.30pm **\$215pp** 

**ROUTEBURN TRACK** Full and Half day guided walks. 8am or 1.30pm **\$590-\$1950** for up to 3 people

**PREMIUM TOURS** Customised Tesla Model X private tours. **\$POA** 

#### Bookings

37 Shotover Street, Queenstown

P +64 3 442 6699 FP 0800 688 222

W www.nomadsafaris.co.nz

E reservations@nomadsafaris.co.nz











#### **Arrowtown House**

Perfectly located in the delightful historic village of Arrowtown, just 15 minutes from Queenstown and walking distance to superb restaurants, small galleries and craft shops. Arrowtown House's hosts have anticipated your every need and can advise you on the best Arrowtown has to offer. The leafy garden is an oasis at the end of a busy day sight-seeing.

MEALS Breakfast. Walk to Restaurants.

PROPERTY FEATURES Peace and quiet in a central Arrowtown location. Suites with king beds, spacious well-appointed bathrooms and private outdoor patios and balconies. Ideal refreat. Laundry facilities.



ROOMS 5 | MAX GUESTS 11

**SEE & DO** Bike trails and local walks, gold mining history, Appellation Wine Tours, Queenstown, Glenorchy, jet boating, scenic flights, LOTR tours, acclaimed local restaurants and cafes.



# Cathy Scarlet & Jason Devliotis

10 Caernarvon Street, Arrowtown, Otago

**P** +64 3 441 6008

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E gold@arrowtownhouse.com

### Mt Rosa Lodge

A peaceful and intimate 5-star bed and breakfast set on a vineyard in the heart of Gibbston Valley wineries. Well-appointed suites and living areas with panoramic views. Onsite walking tracks. 30 minutes from the centre of Queenstown, 15 minutes to Arrowtown.

**MEALS** Breakfast, Cheese plate and glass of Mt Rosa Lodge pinot noir on arrival, Grapepickers Platter by arrangement.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Suites in a vineyard setting close to cellar doors and winery restaurants in the Gibbston Valley. WiFi.

§ PRICE from \$545 to \$595

ROOMS 2 | MAX GUESTS 4

SEE & DO Cycle and walking trail from Gibbston to Arrowfown and Queenstown, 5 golf courses, adrenaline pumping adventure tourism activities, for more sedate enjoyment guests will find a range of wineries, cellar doors and first class dining all within a 5 to 10 minute drive from the Lodge.



#### Ali and Nic Soper

55e Gibbston Back Road, Gibbston Valley, Queenstown

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W www.mtrosalodge.co.nz E info@mtrosalodge.co.nz

**MULTI-DAY TRI** 



Intimate small boat experience on beautiful Doubtful Sound. Your crew is dedicated to you. Trips are flexible, fish, kayak, cruise and relax. Champagne and meals provided. Dinner on board generally includes fish and crayfish caught that day. Experience the absolute peace of mooring in a still Fiordland cove at night.

DOUBTFUL SOUND OVERNIGHT CRUISE Cruise the fiords and spot penguins, seals and dolphins 9.30am departure from Manapouri, returning by midday the next day. Kayak and Fishing options. Private cabin or Bunk room.

PRIVATE CHARTER CRUISES Charter your vessel for a group of family or friends to explore for as long as you want. Choose from Diving, Fishing or Historic Exploration Charters. Kayaking options on most trips. \$POA

PRICE from \$1,500 to \$1,550

CABINS 5 | MAX GUESTS 16

**SEE & DO** Fiordland Crested Penguins, NZ Fur Seals and Bottle-nose Dolphins and breathtaking vistas rising steeply from the depths of the fjords to the summits high above.



#### Mandy

Manapouri Visitor Centre, Pearl Harbour, Manapouri

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### Dock Bay Lodge

A sumptuous boutique lodge set on the edge of Te Anau Golf Course and looking directly across to the lake and mountains beyond. Dock Bay offers personal hosting, spacious and elegant rooms with gorgeous ensuite bathrooms, private balconies and numerous areas to relax both inside and outside. Just a short stroll from the lakefront and the start of the Kepler Track or a longer but lovely walk into town.

#### MEALS Breakfast.

PROPERTY FEATURES Looks directly through the golf-course to Lake Te Anau, magnificently spacious rooms and friendly hosts. Golf clubs, mountain bikes, gym/sauna/spa.



**PRICE** from \$450 to \$600



ROOMS 5 | MAX GUESTS 12

SEE & DO Doubtful and Milford Sound, Fiordland National Park, guided day hikes, boat cruises, magnificent helicopter-scenics, golf. Humpridge Track or Wairaurahiri Jetboat.



#### Dawn Dowling

192 William Stephen Road, Te Anau, Fiordland

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W www.dockbaylodge.co.nz

E dawn@dockbaylodge.co.nz









### Sails Ashore Lodge & Ulva Island Trip

An intimate bed and breakfast beautifully designed in New Zealand rimu timber and personally hosted by long-time Stewart Island locals. Rooms are comfortable and private and included in your minimum two night stay is a guided tour of Ulva Island sanctuary, a bird-watcher's paradise and a home for many endangered species. Experience why Stewart Island is on most New Zealander's bucket list.

MEALS Breakfast, Walk to Restaurants.

PROPERTY FEATURES Local hospitality, comfortable rooms, sea views and Stewart Island wildlife. Complimentary laundry and on-island transfers.



PRICE from \$525



ROOMS 2 | MAX GUESTS 4

SEE & DO New Zealand's best birdlife, kiwi tours, remote island discovery, hiking, Stewart Island flights.



#### Peter & Iris Tait

11 View Street, Oban. Stewart Island

P +64 3 219 1151 FP 0800 783 9278 W www.sailsashore.co.nz

E tait@sailsashore.co.nz



### Stewart Island Flights

Excellent local flight service offering regular scheduled connections to Stewart Island as well as charter trips.



COAST TO COAST Fly in to glorious Masons Bay and then enjoy a four hour hike back across the island to Freshwater Landing and a short taxi-boat ride to Oban. Relatively easy walking. Full day trip \$235pp

Invercargill Airport, 106 Airport Ave. Invercargill

+64 3 218 9129 M 0274 355 172

W www.stewartislandflights.com

E info@stewartislandflights.com



#### **Trail Journeys**

Outfitters for the Central Otago Rail Trail. Services include custom bike hire, luggage transfers, trail transport, accommodation selection and itinerary planning.

LUXURY INDEPENDENT PACKAGE 4 day, 3 nights ex Queenstown or Dunedin. This independent cycle tour begins or ends with a scenic train ride through the spectacular Taieri Gorge. The Central Otago Rail Trail is vehicle-free with an easy gradient and amazing scenery passing through tunnels and over viaducts. Historic hotels, wonderful cuisine, colourful local folk and fun guided tour of historic gold mining township famed for curling.\$1225pp e-Bike add \$176pp

### Sandra McKenzie

16 Springvale Road, Clyde

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FP 0800 030 381 W www.trailjourneys.co.nz

E info@trailjourneys.co.nz



#### Olivers

Olivers lodge and stables is a distinctive Central Otago property in the heart of Clyde's historic precinct. The iconic Olivers Restaurant and Bar, the Victoria Store Brewery and the Merchant of Clyde café-bakery-delicatessen make this a unique boutique accommodation and culinary experience. Outstanding renovation of historic stone buildings make this an exceptionally charming accommodation.

MEALS Breakfast, lunch, dinner

PROPERTY FEATURES Historic rooms with many original features, on-site restaurant, bakery and brewery. Comlimentary WiFi.



**PRICE** from \$255 to \$465 ROOMS 11 | MAX GUESTS 22

**SEE & DO** Otago wineries, Otago Rail Trail cycleway, Olivers Restaurant & Brewery, historic village of Clyde, arts and crafts Clutha river walks and bike trails.



#### David & Andrea Ritchie

34 Sunderland Street, Clyde, Central Otago

P +64 3 449 2600 M 021 220 9560

W www.oliverscentralotago.co.nz

E enquiries@oliverscentralotago.co.nz

#### **Pitches Store**

After meticulous restoration, every detail of Pitches Store reflects contemporary luxury, tastefully combined with hints of its unique 135 year history. With six well-appointed rooms and on-site restaurant this little gem is set in the old gold-mining town of Ophir in the heart of history-rich Central Otago. Pitches restaurant attracts visitors from Queenstown, Wanaka and Dunedin. Close by the Central Otago Rail Trail, outdoor enthusiasts have plenty of attractions close at hand, but this is also a great place to relax and unwind.

**MEALS** On-site restaurant serves lunch & dinner. Breakfast for guests only.

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Historic building with on-site restaurant. Hot tub and guest laundry. Bike friendly.

§ PRICE from \$325

ROOMS 6 | MAX GUESTS 12

**SEE & DO** Central Otago Rail Trail, walking, fishing, Otago wines, 4WD tours, golf, horse trekking & winter sports.



#### Colleen & David Hurd

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### Trail Journeys

The Otago Central Rail Trail is vehicle-free, has an easy gradient and takes you through amazing scenery, over viaducts and through tunnels. Trail Journeys arranges bike hire and provides the transport.

TASTE THE TRAIL ex Dunedin (also available ex Clyde or Queenstown). This 1-day cycle four has you cycling through one of the most spectacular gorges on the Otago Central Rail Trail. After a scenic transfer, enjoy the mainly downhill ride back to Clyde or Middlemarch. Returning to Queenstown or if finishing in Middlemarch there is the option of transport through to Dunedin on the historic Taileri Gorge Railway, \$235-\$360pp e-Bilke add \$45pp

#### Sandra McKenzie

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**FP** 0800 030 381 **W** www.trailjourneys.co.nz

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### **Dunedin Railways**

A unique way to discover Otago's remote backcountry and coastline.

TAIERI GORGE RAIL EXCURSION A fascinating journey through history, view engineering feats of early pioneers and the stunning landscape of the gorge. The comfortable train negotiates the winding gorge, through ten funnels and across numerous bridges. On-board café and open air viewing platforms, \$110pp

**THE SEASIDER** Traversing Dunedin's beautiful harbour and spectacular cliff tops overlooking the Pacific Ocean this 90 minute train trip is perfect for people who have limited time in the city. **560pp** 

#### **Bookings**

Railway Station, Anzac Square, Dunedin

P +64 3 477 4449

W www.dunedinrailways.co.nz

**E** bookings@dunedinrailways.co.nz









## Fletcher Lodge

Built by Dunedin identity Sir James Fletcher in 1924 to serve as his private residence, this historic property offers a rare glimpse of New Zealand's heritage. Garden seating areas for relaxing and a great location from which to wander down-town and explore Dunedin city, museums, shops, restaurants and galleries.

MEALS Breakfast. Walk to Restaurants.

PROPERTY FEATURES Walk to city centre. Historic Dunedin house with original decor and gardens. Helpful and knowledgeable hosts. Complimentary Wifi, newspaper, refreshments and spa.



ROOMS 5 | MAX GUESTS 10

**SEE & DO** Otago Peninsula and Royal Albatross Centre, Larnach Castle, Dunedin galleries and museums, Guided Wildlife Tours, Taieri Gorge Railway and Central Otago Rail Trail.



Ewa & Keith Rozecka-Pollard & Peter Rozecki-Lewis

276 High Street, Dunedin

P +64 3 477 5552 FP 0800 THE LODGE W www.fletcherlodge.co.nz E admin@fletcherlodge.co.nz

### **Nature Guides Otago**

Small, exclusive and away from the crowds. Experience the unique fauna and flora of the Otago Peninsula in the company of a knowledgeable, enthusiastic guide.



PENINSULA EXPERIENCE Focus on the amazing sealife and birdlife of the Otago Peninsula. Experienced professional guides and a very personal experience to discover the best wildlife this region has to offer. Six hours including picnic lunch, affermoon tea and admissions. 10.30am departure, from \$345pp

#### Hildegard Lubcke

Pick-up from Dunedin accommodations

P +64 3 454 5169

W www.natureguidesotago.co.nz

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# Oamaru Blue Penguin Colony

Little Blue Penguins nest close to town under the cliffs at the historic harbour and within walking distance of the town centre.



**EVENING TOURS** Be captivated as little blue penguins return home from sea after a days' fishing right in front of you. You can also visit the area during the day and see penguins in their nesting boxes.

1-2 hours

DAY ENTRY from \$20 per adult

EVENING ENTRY from \$35 to \$50 per adult

#### Bookings

Waterfront Road,

P +64 3 433 1195

W www.penguins.co.nz

E bookings@penguins.co.nz



### Pen-y-bryn Lodge

Historic Victorian mansion in the charming port town of Oamaru. Splendid living areas, dedicated hosts, locally sourced food and wine make this a unique experience and the premier place to stay in Oamaru. The town is known for the blue penguin colony, the Victorian harbour precinct with its distinctive white stone architecture and a vibrant artisan "cuisine scene".

**MEALS** Breakfast, evening canapés & wine, dinner (reservation required).

**PROPERTY FEATURES** Historic house with mature gardens. Hosts with a passion for their region, good food and wine.



PRICE from \$550 to \$1.035



ROOMS 5 | MAX GUESTS 13

SEE & DO Penguin viewing, historic precinct visits, biking the Alps2Ocean trail from Mt Cook to Oamaru, gourmet food trails or guided fly fishing, aerial tours, Waitaki Whitestone Geopark tours. Māori rock art tours (Timaru).



#### James Glucksman & James Boussy

41 Towey Street, South Hill, Oamaru

P +64 3 434 7939W www.penybryn.co.nz

E stay@penybryn.co.nz











## Lakestone Lodge

Purpose built in 2016, this beautifully designed six bedroom, off grid, luxury lodge enjoys a spectacular site on the shores of Lake Pukaki with panoramic views directly up the lake to New Zealand's highest mountain, Aoraki / Mt Cook. An excellent location for hiking, biking, photography, star-gazing and relaxing, approximately half-way between Christchurch and Queenstown.

**MEALS** Breakfast, picnics and lunch platters, dinner (must be included on arrival night).

**PROPERTY FEATURES** 2 acres of grounds with native plants and trails, bikes, massages, helipad and media room. Fine dining.



**PRICE** from \$595 to \$835



ROOMS 6 | MAX GUESTS 12

**SEE & DO** Mt Cook scenic flights, hikes, Alps2Ocean cycleway, star gazing, Omarama Hot Tubs & Tekapo Hot Springs.



#### Anna & Mike Bacchus

4589 Tekapo-Twizel Highway, SH8, Lake Pukaki

**P** +64 3 971 1871

**W** www.lakestonelodge.co.nz **E** stay@lakestonelodge.co.nz

#### Mt Cook Glacier Guiding

Fly, land, and hike in the heart of New Zealand's biggest mountains in Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park. Experience snow shoeing, glacier exploring, heli-hiking and ice climbing options amidst outstanding alpine scenery.



TASMAN GLACIER HELI-HIKE Hike or snowshoeing on New Zealand's biggest glacier with a breathtaking scenic helicopter fly-by of Aoraki/Mt Cook. 3 hour trip (2 hours ice-time plus flight) \$585pp - \$619pp

THE WIGLEY Explore the immense beauty and ice formations of the upper snowfield with magnificent views of Aoraki/Mt Cook and the Hochstetter icefall. 5 hour trip (3 hours ice-time plus flight) \$585pp -

#### **Bookings**

Aoraki Mt Cook Airport, SH80 Mt Cook National Park

P +64 3 435 1001 FP 0800 68 2665

W www.mtcookguides.co.nz

E info@mtcookquides.co.nz

### **Vertical Ventures**

Oamaru based adventure company running day and multiday bike tours and guided rock climbing. These are the local experts guiding the popular new Alps 2 Ocean Trail from Mt Cook to Oamaru.



CYCLE & TRAIL SUPPORT Bike hire, shuttles, transfers. A2O independent day trip. \$100pp

ALPS 2 OCEAN CYCLE TOURS Fully inclusive guided bespoke tours, excellent bikes, accommodation and food. Mt Cook to Oamaru, 4, 5 or 7 day options to suit all riders. \$1,995 - \$2,495pp

#### **Bookings**

4 Wansbeck Street, Oamaru

P +64 3 434 5010

M 021 894 427 W alps2oceancycletours.co.nz

E vertventures@gmail.com



#### Te Ana Mãori Rock Art Centre

The most significant collection of Mãori rock art in New Zealand and an entry into the world of Ngai Tahu, the South Island's largest Mãori tribe. Timaru, where the Centre is based is 1 hour from Oamaru enroute to Christchurch.



TE ANA ROCK ART CENTRE TOUR Visit the Centre in Timaru and take the one hour guided tour, 10am-3pm daily \$22pp

TE ANA ROCK ART SITE TOUR Start from the Centre and then go on to visit the cave sites at Opihi. November-April, 3 hours \$130pp

2 George Street, Timaru

P +64 3 684 9141 FP 0800 46 83 262

W www.teana.co.nz





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Travel safely. showing care and consideration for all

Respect culture, travelling with an open heart and mind



#### SELF-DRIVE HOLIDAYS IN NEW ZEALAND Driving in New Zealand is often very scenic. Whilst the journey is part of the experience, roads are rarely straight & there are limited Kerikeri overtaking lanes. When planning, looking at distance can be deceptive; always look at driving time & then add time for stops along the way. You cannot do everything in one trip so make sure you stay at least 2 nights at each accommodation so that you have time to enjoy each destination & discover the many viewpoints & short walks along the way. Auckland **North Island Touring Routes** SH1 Kerikeri Auckland »3:30 »3:3∩ Taupo Turangi »0:45 Taupo Wellington »4:00 Turangi & Ohakune SH1. Auckland 5&2 Rotorua »3:00 Taupo »1:05 **Napier** Napier »1:50 Wellington »4:10 Picton --Kapiti Coast Wellington Westport Kaikoura Hokitika Franz Josef -Arthur's Pass Fox-Christchurch Wanaka Clyde & Ophir **South Island Touring Routes** Blenheim Nelson »1:40 Te Anau Hokitika »5:00 Franz Josef »1:45 Invercargill Wanaka »3:45 Queenstown»1:10 Te Anau »2:10 Stewart Island Invercargill »2:00 SHI Picton Blenheim »0:25 Kaikoura »2:00 Christchurch »2:40 DOMESTIC AIRPORTS IN NEW ZEALAND Oamaru »3:15 Consider one-way car rentals & domestic flights to reduce driving Dunedin »1:30 times. Look for the rental companies with bases at regional Invercargill »2:35 airports. SH8 &1 Queenstown INTER-ISLAND TRAVEL Twizel »3:50 Christchurch »3:20 2 ferry companies operate the very picturesque Wellington-Picton route. Most hire car companies will change your car between SH73 Hokitika Arthur's Pass »1:20 islands; the process is simple & you check baggage before embarking Christchurch »2:00

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ABEL TASMAN ECO TOURS

**ABEL TASMAN SEA SHUTTLE** 

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