



Nelson Tasman Post-TRENZ Famil

12-15 May 2024

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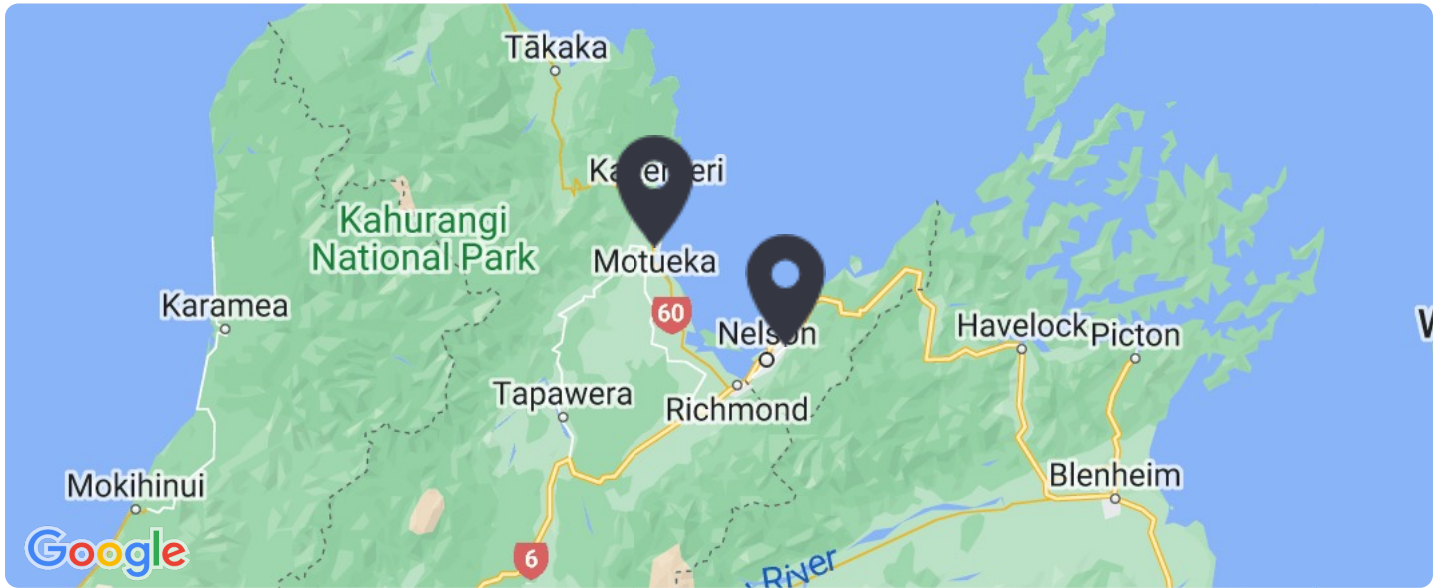


Nelson Tasman - RT0

Tourism New Zealand

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MAP



DATE

LOCATION

SERVICE

12 May (1 night)

Nelson, New Zealand

Rutherford Hotel Nelson

13 May (1 night)

Motueka, New Zealand

Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park

14 May (1 night)

Motueka, New Zealand

Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park

OUTLINE

DAY 1

Sun, 12 May 2024



9:00am | Welcome to Nelson Tasman

Nelson, New Zealand



9:30am | Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours

Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours • Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours, Nelson 7011, New Zealand



12:00pm | Cable Bay Adventure Cafe

Cable Bay Adventure Park •

Cable Bay Adventure Park, 194 Cable Bay Road, Nelson 7071, New Zealand



2:00pm | The Skywire Experience

Cable Bay Adventure Park •

Cable Bay Adventure Park, 194 Cable Bay Road, Nelson 7071, New Zealand



5:00pm | Rutherford Hotel Nelson (1 night)

Rutherford Hotel Nelson, 27 Nile Street, Nelson 7010, New Zealand

DAY 2

Mon, 13 May 2024



9:00am | 3 Day Guided Walk and Kayak

Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park •

Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park, Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand



5:00pm | Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park (1 night)

Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park, Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand

DAY 3

Tue, 14 May 2024



5:00pm | Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park (1 night)

Wilsons Abel Tasman National Park, Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand

DAY 4

Wed, 15 May 2024



Transfer back to Nelson Airport

Day 1 Sunday, 12 May 2024



Welcome to Nelson Tasman

Nelson, New Zealand



Nelson Tasman is a place where all the best bits of New Zealand are distilled into a single destination, where artisan food producers, stunning natural landscapes, consistently high sunshine hours, world class mountain biking and a vibrant arts scene are just the beginning. Beaches, rivers, lakes and mountains combine to create an outdoor playground unlike any other. Opportunities to immerse in nature abound across three diverse national parks, whilst waterfalls, dancing springs and natural forest flames surprise and delight. A network of cycling and walking trails weave through coastal and urban landscapes and nestled amongst the hills you'll find a selection of renowned mountain-bike tracks. Boutique arts and artisans are discoverable at every turn at weekend markets, arts trails, waterfront galleries and home studios. Sampling fruit chutneys, gourmet chocolates, sheep's cheese and olive oil is a highlight of a visit to Nelson Tasman, and there are plenty of craft breweries, cellar doors and distilleries to explore along the way. What's more we have 28 zero carbon certified tourism experiences in the region. Nelson Tasman is a place where you can experience life beyond the ordinary. A place to slow down, linger, savour and enjoy.

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2024 at 9:00 am

 End: 12 May 2024

Location

 Nelson, New Zealand



Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours


Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours • Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours, Nelson 7011, New Zealand




Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours, Friendly, Affordable, Fun Cycling on Tasman's Great Taste Trail. Convenient location – Fly in Fly

out at Nelson Airport, walk 150m to pick up your bike and access the Great Taste Trail (GTT) right there at the airport (within 400m). A range of comfortable hybrid bikes and Ebikes and family friendly options down to 20" kids bikes, trailers and infant seats, means the whole family at all levels of experience can ride the GTT, a New Zealand Cycle Trails Great Ride. Tours arranged for groups or solos, 10 years' experience of operating on the GTT and the in-depth knowledge that we share with you on our guided and self-guided routes, including maps.

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2024 at 10:00 am (Check-in 9:30 am)

 End: 12 May 2024 at 12:30 pm

Location

 Nelson 7011, New Zealand

Contact

 +64 3 539 4193

 <http://www.nelsoncyclehire.co.nz/>

Details

Nelson Cycle Hire and Tours (Bespoke GTT Tour from Nelson Airport) x 8



Cable Bay Adventure Cafe

Cable Bay Adventure Park •


Cable Bay Adventure Park, 194 Cable Bay Road, Nelson 7071, New Zealand



The Cable Bay Adventure Park's vision is of a mini national park like area, with a range of activities to suit everyone. Less than 15 minutes from Nelson city, on the way to the idyllic Cable Bay, people can experience a range of activities, enjoy the on-site café or immerse themselves in nature, with options rain or shine. The property has almost 400 Hectares of native forest, including massive Matai, Totara and Kahikatea, some of which are estimated to be over 2,000 years old, as well as almost every species of native NZ trees that are found naturally in the south island.

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2024 at 12:00 pm

 End: 12 May 2024 at 1:00 pm

Location

 194 Cable Bay Road, Nelson 7071, New Zealand

Contact

 +64 3-545 0304

 <https://cablebayadventurepark.com/>

Details

Cable Bay Adventure Cafe (Lunch) x 8



The Skywire Experience

Cable Bay Adventure Park •

Cable Bay Adventure Park, 194 Cable Bay Road, Nelson 7071, New Zealand




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Your tour starts with a 4km ride in one of our 4-wheel drive shuttle vans, passing through pristine native forest while our guides entertain you with facts about the park's diverse native environment, cultural aspects and fun stories. The Skywire is set 300m above our base café and has incredible views of Cable and Delaware Bays, the western ranges and north towards D'urville island. One a clear day you can even see the snow-capped peak of Mount Taranaki. strapped securely into the ride with 5-point harnesses, the Skywire seats up to four "flyers" at a time, with around 1000m of gravity assisted free-wheeling, reaching speeds of up to 100 kph, followed by 600m at a more leisurely pace - ideal for taking in the incredible scenery. Then you do it all again - backwards!

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2024 at 2:00 pm

 End: 12 May 2024 at 4:00 pm

Location

 194 Cable Bay Road, Nelson 7071, New Zealand

Contact

 +64 3-545 0304

 <https://cablebayadventurepark.com/>

Details

The Skywire Experience (Adult) x 8



Rutherford Hotel Nelson (1 night)

Rutherford Hotel Nelson, 27 Nile Street, Nelson 7010, New Zealand



Rutherford Hotel Nelson is Nelson's only 24-hour fully-serviced hotel, offering luxurious rooms and suites – ideal for corporate travelers, families and conference delegates. The central location means Nelson's many galleries and City attractions are just a stone's throw away. All rooms have a view of the harbour, city, historic South Street or Nelson's beautiful cathedral.

Date and time

Check-in: 12 May 2024 at 5:00 pm

Check-out: 13 May 2024

Location

27 Nile Street, Nelson 7010, New Zealand

Contact

+64 3-548 2299

<http://www.rutherfordhotel.nz/>

Details

Rutherford Hotel (Room & Breakfast) x 8

Day 2 Monday, 13 May 2024



3 Day Guided Walk and Kayak

Wilson's Abel Tasman National Park •

Wilson's Abel Tasman National Park, Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand




The Wilson family has been welcoming visitors to this beautiful corner of New Zealand since 1841. They invite you to share eight generations of experience, with a real kiwi welcome, and a promise to make your Abel Tasman experience truly memorable. As the only company in Abel Tasman National Park operating Beachfront Lodges, Vista Cruise, Vigour Water

Taxis, Guided Sea Kayaking and Walking they can design the perfect experience for you.

Experience the beautiful Abel Tasman coast track from Tōtaranui to Kaiteriteri at your own walking pace with expert guides and boat back-up if you need it, or add in some guided Kayaking. Enjoy the luxury of one night each at of Wilsons' wonderful beachfront lodges, Meadowbank Homestead at Awaroa and Torrent Bay Lodge.

Date and time


 Start: 13 May 2024 at 9:00 am

 End: 13 May 2024

Location

 Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand

Contact

 +64 3-528 2027

 <https://www.abeltasman.co.nz/>

Details

3 Day Guided Walk and Kayak (Adult) x 8



Wilson's Abel Tasman National Park (1 night)

Wilson's Abel Tasman National Park, Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand



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Set amongst Meadowbank's historic gardens bursting with camellia and rhododendron, the homestead has retained its peaceful, pioneering character while offering all the modern comforts and a light environmental footprint despite its remote location well away from the hubbub of town. Built on the original homestead site in 1994, the Homestead is fashioned from recycled timbers and features heirlooms and local heritage artefacts passed down through eight generations of the Hadfield family. There are thirteen comfortable, ensuite twin/double guest rooms, each named after a family member who lived at Meadowbank in days gone by. The ground floor is the heart of the Homestead, with a large lounge and dining room where meals, drinks and socialising can be enjoyed. Looking out over the front garden, the veranda is also a popular spot to meet and chat, or just savour some quiet moments surrounded by stunning inlet views.

Date and time

📅 Check-in: 13 May 2024 at 5:00 pm

📅 Check-out: 14 May 2024

Location

📍 Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand

Contact

📞 +64 3-528 2027

🌐 <https://www.abeltasman.co.nz/>

Details

Wilson's Abel Tasman - Meadowbank Homestead (Dinner, Bed & Breakfast) x 1

Day 3 Tuesday, 14 May 2024



Wilson's Abel Tasman National Park (1 night)


Wilson's Abel Tasman National Park, Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand




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Experience the true essence of a kiwi beach holiday in New Zealand's finest coastal national park. Relax into the rhythm of the tides. In 1968, Torrent Bay Lodge was a small, simple cottage used for family holidays – a classic Kiwi 'bach' that has evolved over the years to offer a very warm welcome in our little slice of paradise. In the 50 years since, the original building it has been extended and refurbished to create a blend of Kiwi charm and modern comfort, offering visitors an authentic holiday bach experience – with hot showers, memorable meals and luxurious beds, of course! Torrent Bay Lodge has 13 comfortable double/twin ensuite rooms, each named after ships that featured in the nautical history of the Abel Tasman coast. It's a civilised place to stay, far away from the hustle and bustle of town. It sits just above the tide line on a gorgeous, golden beach – the perfect place for a swim at the end of the day or in the tranquil morning before breakfast. The beachfront sundeck is always popular for socialising, too. Lodge hosts will give you a warm welcome at the end of your day's exploration of Abel Tasman. Enjoy the sumptuous comfort and informal atmosphere of the communal lounge and dining area, styled in natural wood and warmed by a roaring log fire on cooler evenings.

Date and time

 Check-in: 14 May 2024 at 5:00 pm

 Check-out: 15 May 2024

Location

 Old Wharf Road, Motueka 7120, New Zealand

Contact

 +64 3-528 2027

 <https://www.abeltasman.co.nz/>

Details

Wilson's Abel Tasman - Torrent Bay Lodge (Dinner, Bed & Breakfast - Boat Transfers included) x 8

Day 4 Wednesday, 15 May 2024



Transfer back to Nelson Airport

Finish your time in the Abel Tasman National Park, with a boat trip back to Kaiteriteri Beach.

Where you will meet your transfer back to Nelson Airport

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

INCLUSIONS

Hosted domestic air travel, accommodation, internet, transport, meals and sightseeing as detailed on the itinerary.

All other costs including items of a personal nature, such as phone calls, mini bar, internet and laundry from accommodation will be at your own expense and some meals may also be at your own expense.

The arrangements in this itinerary have been made especially for you with the generous support and cooperation of the Regional Tourism Organisations (RTOs), accommodation, transport and product suppliers as detailed.

PASSPORTS AND VISAS

Please ensure that you hold a current passport with at least six months validity left on it. If you require a Visa please ensure that this is confirmed.

MEDICATION

Visitors bringing in a quantity of medication are advised to carry a doctor's certificate to avoid possible problems with New Zealand Customs. Doctor's prescriptions are needed to obtain certain drugs in New Zealand.

TRAVEL AND MEDICAL INSURANCE

Please arrange adequate travel insurance coverage prior to your departure for New Zealand.

LUGGAGE

Please ensure your luggage is clearly labelled with your name and contact details. The luggage limit on Air New Zealand domestic flights is 23kg plus a small cabin bag is allowed. Charges apply to excess luggage.

DRESS CODE

Smart Casual

CLOTHING REQUIREMENTS

All participants must bring with them:

Gloves

hat and scarf

Waterproof rain coat

Warm jacket

Closed toe comfortable walking shoes

Small day/back pack
Sunscreen
Swimsuit (if applicable for your famil)

BIOSECURITY IN NEW ZEALAND

New Zealand has strict biosecurity procedures at airports to prevent the introduction of pests and diseases of animals and plants.

All food items brought into New Zealand, even the smallest amounts, need to be declared. Tourism New Zealand recommends that you do not pack any food products for your trip.

Any food you are provided on the plane needs to be left on the plane, disposed of in one of the airport disposal bins or declared.

Any hiking shoes, sporting or camping equipment you bring should be declared at the border where they will be checked for soil, plant matter and seeds. We recommend that if you are bringing these items, you pack them in an accessible place.

It is not illegal to bring these items into the country as long as you declare them on the passenger arrival card you will be given on the plane. Failing to declare food, plants or equipment that may carry soil or plant matter, may result in a fine. For detailed information please go to the New Zealand Customs Service site at:

<http://www.customs.govt.nz/features/prohibited/imports/Pages/default.aspx>

CURRENCY

The currency of New Zealand is the New Zealand Dollar. Major credit cards are widely accepted in hotels, banks and shops. ATMs accept cards that are part of the Cirrus, Maestro or Plus systems that have a four-digit PIN encoded. Check with your bank before departure if you are unsure of the international status of a card you plan to use in New Zealand.

GOODS AND SERVICES TAX

All goods and services purchased in New Zealand are subject to a 15% GST, which is usually included in the displayed price. Visitors cannot claim refunds on this tax, although if a supplier agrees to export an item to a visitor's home address, GST is not charged on the goods or freight.

DEPARTURE TAX

A \$NZ25 departure tax is included in your flight tickets.

TIPPING

Tipping in New Zealand is not customary - even in restaurants and bars. However, tipping for good service or kindness is at the discretion of the visitor. Hotels and restaurants in New Zealand do not add service charges to their bills except on public holidays.

QUALMARK

Qualmark is the world's first comprehensive quality assurance programme dedicated to the tourism industry and is New

Zealand tourism's official quality mark. Most of the accommodation, attractions, activities and transport in your itinerary are Qualmark endorsed. For further information visit www.qualmark.co.nz

DRIVERS LICENCE

If you have indicated you are willing to drive on the family please bring your current drivers licence (if with English text), an official English translation or an International Drivers Permit. This is required by New Zealand law. All drivers must also read the 'What's different about driving in New Zealand' (link below). <http://www.nzta.govt.nz/resources/whats-diff-driving-nz/>

DRINKING AND DRIVING

New Zealand has strict drink driving laws. We recommend that you designate a sober driver for each vehicle if your group is travelling after drinking.

SMOKING

Smoking at airports is not allowed in terminal buildings. Most hotels no longer offer smoking rooms. Smoking inside public restaurants and bars has been prohibited.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

New Zealand is generally a very safe place in which to travel. However, you should take the same precautions here as you would at home to protect your valuables and keep yourself safe. Take copies of your important documents (like your passport and credit cards), and keep them separate from the originals. You should also keep a record of the description and serial number of valuable items (like digital cameras). Always lock your accommodation and vehicle and keep windows secure when you're not around.

Don't carry large amounts of cash or expensive jewellery. If withdrawing money from a machine, withdraw small amounts only - preferably during the day and shield your pin. When out at night, keep to well-lit places where other people are present. Don't take short cuts through parks or alleyways. Travel with someone you know. Store valuables securely, ideally in a safe at your accommodation. Never leave valuables or important documents in parked vehicles. Never leave bags, backpacks, wallets or cameras unattended in any public place, especially airports, ferry terminals or bus/railway stations.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

In the unlikely event of an emergency, your Tourism New Zealand host will be able to advise you.

If you are unable to contact your Tourism New Zealand host, please contact the Regional Tourism Organisation in the region you are visiting.

The emergency telephone number in New Zealand is **111**. It is a free phone call. If you have an emergency and need a quick response from the Police, the Fire Service, Ambulance or Search and Rescue, dial 111.