

CNZWT Post Trenz Famil 2025

9-14 May 2025



Destination Marlborough - RTO

Tourism New Zealand

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Itinerary ID EA99 5244



Welcome to the Classic New Zealand Wine Trail!

Discover the **Classic New Zealand Wine Trail** - where three iconic wine regions, a lively capital city, and beautiful coastal spots come together for an unforgettable journey.

Taste bold reds in **Hawke's Bay**, savor **Wairarapa's** Pinot Noir, soak in **Wellington's** coffee and craft scene, and sip on **Marlborough's** famous Sauvignon Blanc - a journey that takes you through regions accounting for more than 80% of New Zealand's wine production.

Enjoy stunning scenery, beautiful forest parks, buzzing nightlife and indulgent food experiences.

While the main focus of the journey is wine and food, the route also serves up all kinds of adventure and cultural experiences. You'll get the opportunity to encounter unique wildlife, discover historic villages, check out artists' studios, meet specialist food producers, enjoy live theatre, embark on forest hikes, and brewery tours, fishing trips and much more.

OUTLINE

DAY 1

Fri, 9 May 2025



8:30am | Transfer with Tranzit

Tranzit Coachlines



12:00pm | Meal + Wine Tasting

Church Road Winery



1:30pm | Art Deco Vintage Car Tour

Art Deco Trust



3:30pm | Wine Tasting

Smith and Sheth • [Havelock North, New Zealand](#)



5:00pm | Porters Boutique Hotel

Porters Boutique Hotel • [Havelock North, New Zealand](#)



6:00pm | Craggy Range Restaurant

Craggy Range



9:00pm | Scenic Hotel Te Pania (1 night)

DAY 2

Sat, 10 May 2025



8:00am | Tākaro Trails

Tākaro Trails • [Napier, New Zealand](#)



10:00am | Cape Kidnappers Gannet Tour

Gannet Safaris Overland



12:30pm | Site inspection at The Farm at Cape Kidnappers

Rosewood Cape Kidnappers



2:45pm | Black Barn Retreats

Black Barn Retreats • [Havelock North, New Zealand](#)



6:30pm | Central Fire Station

Central Fire Station • [Napier, New Zealand](#)



10:00pm | Art Deco Masonic Hotel (1 night)

DAY 3

Sun, 11 May 2025



9:30am | Wallingford Homestead

Wallingford Homestead • [Central Hawke's Bay District, New Zealand](#)



1:30pm | Tui Brewery

Tui Brewery (Tui HQ), Pahiatua 4982, New Zealand



2:00pm | Transfer to Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre

Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre, 85379 State Highway 2, Mount Bruce 5881, New Zealand



2:20pm | Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre



3:35pm | Transfer to Martinborough

Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre, 85379 State Highway 2, Mount Bruce 5881, New Zealand



The Martinborough Hotel (1 night)

 **Parehua Resort (1 night)**

 **6:00pm | Karahui**
Karahui Wine Bar & Eatery

 **7:30pm | Star Safari**
Star Safari

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DAY 4

Mon, 12 May 2025

 **QT Wellington (1 night)**

 **8:00am | Union Square Bistro & Bar**
Union Square Bistro & Bar

 **9:00am | Transfer with Tranzit**
Tranzit Coachlines

 **9:20am | Site Inspection**
The White Swan Country Hotel

 **11:00am | Greytown Honey introduction**
Greytown Honey

 **12:45pm | Dine @ The Runholder**
The Runholder

 **2:15pm | Bike hire**
Green Jersey

 **4:30pm | Transfer Wairarapa to Wellington**
Martinborough, New Zealand

 **7:00pm | Dine at Hippopotamus Restaurant**
QT Wellington

DAY 5

Tue, 13 May 2025

 **8:30am | Wellington Scenic Tour**
Kaewa Tours

 **12:30pm | Interislander Cook Strait Crossing**
Interislander • None,

 **4:00pm | Transport**
The Original Marlborough Wine Tours •
The Original Marlborough Wine Tours, 191 Middle Renwick Road, Springlands,, Blenheim
7201, New Zealand

 **Transfer with The original Marlborough wine tours from Interislander to Picton yacht Club**
Picton Interislander Vehicle Check-In, Lagoon Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand

 **4:15pm | Picton Yacht Club Hotel (1 night)**

 **4:30pm | Refresh and rest at Picton yacht club**
Picton Yacht Club Hotel



5:30pm | Transfer from Picton to The Marlborough Hotel for site tour at 18:00 followed by dinner

Picton Yacht Club Hotel, 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand



6:30pm | Harvest Restaurant

Harvest Restaurant Blenheim



8:00pm | Transfer from Harvest to Picton Yacht Club

Harvest Restaurant Blenheim, 776 Rapaura Road, Rapaura 7273, New Zealand

DAY 6

Wed, 14 May 2025



Walk to the Wilderness guides from Picton Yacht Club at 6.50 am

Wilderness Guides, Wellington Street, Picton 7220, New Zealand



7:00am | Queen Charlotte Sound Guided Kayak

Guided Kayak Wilderness guides • Queen Charlotte Sound / Tōtaranui, New Zealand



8:30am | Time to change and check out

Picton Yacht Club Hotel



9:00am | Transfer from Picton to St Leonards Vineyard Cottages

Picton Yacht Club Hotel, 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand



9:30am | Site tour

St Leonards Vineyard Cottages • 18 Saint Leonards Road, Springlands,, Blenheim 7201



10:30am | Transfer from St Leonards to French fields Marlborough

St Leonards Vineyard Cottages, 18 Saint Leonards Road, Blenheim 7271, New Zealand



10:40am | Site tour

French Fields Marlborough • Marlborough, 21 Fairbourne drive, Fairhall,, Blenheim 7201, NZ



10:30am | Transfer from French Fields Marlborough to Allan Scott Winery



11:40am | Lunch with wine pairing

Allan Scott Winemakers



1:00am | Transfer to Cloudy Bay

Allan Scott Family Winemakers HQ, 229 Jacksons Road, Rapaura 7273, New Zealand



1:10am | Site Visit and Wine Tastings

Cloudy Bay Vineyards - Marlborough



2:30am | Transfer to Omaka Muesuem

Cloudy Bay, New Zealand



2:45am | Knights of the Sky WW1 & Dangerous Skies WW2 Exhibitions

Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre



4:15am | Transfer to airport

Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre, Aerodrome Road, Blenheim 7272, New Zealand

Day 1 Friday, 9 May 2025



Transfer with Tranzit

Tranzit Coachlines



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Date and time



Pick up: 9 May 2025 at 8:30 am



Drop off: 12 May 2025 at 9:00 pm

Details

Transfer with Tranzit (Entire Famil Transfer) x 1



Meal + Wine Tasting

Church Road Winery



Since our journey began in 1897, the winemakers at Church Road have been at the forefront of the Hawke's Bay winemaking region. And while our traditional techniques hold great importance, we have always balanced this with innovative ways to hone our skills and continue to create exceptional wines.

Meal and complimentary wine tasting

Date and time



Start: 9 May 2025 at 12:00 pm



End: 9 May 2025 at 1:30 pm

Details

Meal (lunch) + Wine Tasting (Adult) x 1



Art Deco Vintage Car Tour

Art Deco Trust



Art Deco Trust are the guardians of Napier and Hawke's Bay's iconic Art Deco architecture, which arose from the devastation of the 1931 earthquake.

From the Art Deco Centre in heart of Napier's CBD, the Trust offer daily guided walks to share the story of the city's rebuild in the era of style and optimism.

To really discover Art Deco in style, take a ride in a 1930s vintage car with a driver - in costume - providing insightful commentary as you tour the city and surrounding areas.

Relive the glamour and style of the jazz era with a luxurious vintage car tour.

You'll be met your driver, in Art Deco costume, who will provide a fascinating commentary as you are driven in style, through Napier and surrounding areas. You'll learn about the earthquake that destroyed the city, hear stories of the people that led the rebuild, and discover the Art Deco style.

You'll return to the Art Deco Centre or your central Napier hotel filled with a new appreciation for the city and the people who survived New Zealand's worst natural disaster in modern times.

Date and time

 Start: 9 May 2025 at 1:30 pm

 End: 9 May 2025 at 3:00 pm

Details

Art Deco Vintage Car Tour (Adult) x 1



Wine Tasting

Smith and Sheth • [Havelock North, New Zealand](#)

Wine Tasting

Date and time

 Start: 9 May 2025 at 3:30 pm (Check-in 3:30 pm)

 End: 9 May 2025 at 5:00 pm

Location

 Havelock North, New Zealand

Contact

 <https://www.smithandsheth.com/>

Details

Wine Tasting (Adult) x 1



Porters Boutique Hotel

Porters Boutique Hotel | Havelock North, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 9 May 2025 at 5:00 pm (Check-in 5:00 pm)

 End: 9 May 2025 at 5:45 pm

Location

 Havelock North, New Zealand

Contact

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

Details

Porters Boutique Hotel (Site Visit)(Adult) x 1



Craggy Range Restaurant

Craggy Range



Craggy Range is a family-owned winery established in 1998, and situated in the shadow of the spectacular Te Mata Peak in Havelock North. The architecturally designed Giants winery complex offers a second-to-none cellar door and restaurant visitor experience.

The Cellar Door offers relaxed and intimate seated tastings of Craggy Range's premium wines, while the award-winning Craggy Range Restaurant serves the best local and seasonal produce prepared by Head Chef Casey McDonald.

Recipient of two hats and the coveted title of Winery Restaurant of the Year in the Cuisine Good Food Awards.

Craggy Range Restaurant offers a warm and memorable experience, looking out on the spectacular backdrop of Te Mata Peak.

Fortunate to be located in Hawke's Bay; home to some of New Zealand's finest produce, Head Chef Casey McDonald collaborates closely with suppliers and allows the seasons to guide their menu.

Many of herbs, fruits, and vegetables are grown in the extensive organic kitchen garden., while the wine list features a selection of Craggy Range wine from current and back vintages, a range of locally brewed beers, and an ever-changing curated selection of cocktails.

Date and time

 Start: 9 May 2025 at 6:00 pm

 End: 9 May 2025 at 9:00 pm

Details

Craggy Range Restaurant (Dinner - 2 course) x 1



Scenic Hotel Te Pania (1 night)



Styled to complement its remarkable location on the edge of the beautiful Hawke's Bay, Napier's Scenic Hotel Te Pania is one of the most recognisable hotels in Napier, boasting design awards for its style and offering an unmatched level of service to leisure travellers and conference guests.

Scenic Hotel Te Pania is located in Napier, directly opposite the Napier War Memorial Conference Centre. The town's famous Art Deco-style main street is just 2 minutes' walk away. The hotel features a restaurant with indoor and outdoor dining, and rooms with floor-to-ceiling windows with high floors offering beautiful sea views.

Date and time



Check-in: 9 May 2025 at 9:00 pm



Check-out: 10 May 2025 at 7:45 am

Details

Scenic Hotel Te Pania (Room) x 10

Scenic Hotel Te Pania (Room & Breakfast) x 1

Day 2 Saturday, 10 May 2025



Tākaro Trails

Tākaro Trails • Napier, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 10 May 2025 at 8:00 am

 End: 10 May 2025 at 10:00 am

Location

 Napier, New Zealand

Contact

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

Details

Tākaro Trails (Adult) x 1



Cape Kidnappers Gannet Tour

Gannet Safaris Overland



Captivating champion divers and masters of the sea, brace yourself for a journey that takes you from coast to cape, to the world's largest most accessible Gannet colony in beautiful Hawke's Bay. For over 50 years, Cape Kidnappers Gannet Safaris has been the only tour to take you overland, bringing you face to face with these winged seabirds in a thriving environment for nesting and breeding. This 4x4 safari experience takes you on a guided discovery tour to the top of Cape Kidnappers Gannet Colony where you will come encounter over 20,000 gannets in their natural habitat- nesting, preening, dancing swooping and diving right before your eyes. From our base at Te Awanga, our modern fleet of 4x4 vehicles will transport you through pristine coastline, working farms, native bush and to New Zealand's largest privately-owned nature reserve. With the vast Pacific Ocean in sight, beneath the land of the long white clouds, and surrounded by beautiful winged wonders, this an unforgettable journey of discovery of the land, the sea and the skies.

Journey from coast to cape, to the world's largest most accessible Gannet colony in beautiful Hawke's Bay New Zealand. Watch champion seabirds soar, swoop, dance and dive right before your eyes. For over 50 years, Gannet Safaris has been guiding visitors to Cape Kidnappers Gannet Colony - the only tour that takes you overland within metres of these magnificent seabirds. From our base at Te Awanga, our modern fleet of 4x4 vehicles will transport you through pristine coastline, working farms, native bush and to New Zealand's largest privately-owned nature reserve. An adventure in itself, you will safari in style and comfort over picturesque Cape Kidnappers Station traversing riverbeds, broad rolling pastures, steep gullies and the most breathtaking views of Hawke's Bay and beyond. With no walking required, you are whisked away to New Zealand's largest privately-owned nature reserve - an untouched paradise for wildlife including gannets and a predator free space for kiwi birds and other rare birds to roam.

Date and time

 Start: 10 May 2025 at 10:00 am

 End: 10 May 2025 at 12:30 pm

Details

Cape Kidnappers Gannet Tour (Adult departing Te Awanga base) x 1

**Site inspection at The Farm at Cape Kidnappers**

Rosewood Cape Kidnappers



Experience rural luxury in Hawke's Bay - Rosewood Cape Kidnappers sits atop rolling hills and rugged cliffs that give way to vast sea views and an ever-present horizon. Set atop 6,000 acres of rolling pasture land of a real working Farm, the Lodge offers gourmet dining, full service spa, heated infinity pool, Jacuzzi, cabana, gymnasium and a variety of onsite activities including internationally renowned Cape Kidnappers International Golf Course- voted the 27th best golf course in the world.

Date and time

 Start: 10 May 2025 at 12:30 pm

 End: 10 May 2025 at 2:00 pm

Details

Site inspection & lunch at The Farm at Cape Kidnappers (Adult) x 1

**Black Barn Retreats**

Black Barn Retreats • [Havelock North, New Zealand](#)

Site Visit

Date and time

 Start: 10 May 2025 at 2:45 pm (Check-in 2:45 pm)

 End: 10 May 2025 at 4:45 pm

Location

 Havelock North, New Zealand

Contact

 <https://www.blackbarn.com/>

Details

Black Barn Retreats (Adult) x 1

**Central Fire Station**

Central Fire Station • [Napier, New Zealand](#)

Restaurant

Date and time

📅 Start: 10 May 2025 at 6:30 pm

📅 End: 10 May 2025 at 8:30 pm

Location

📍 Napier, New Zealand

Contact

🌐 <https://www.centralfirestation.co.nz/>

Details

Central Fire Station (Adult) x 1

**Art Deco Masonic Hotel (1 night)**

Napier's Art Deco Masonic Hotel boasts 43 stylish hotel rooms, suites and 2 bedroom self-contained apartment, with all the conveniences you would expect of a modern hotel. The history, Art Deco architecture and individuality of the rooms add a unique ambiance and style to this Napier accommodation. The balcony accessed from hallways and select guest rooms is available to all guests and offers an outstanding panorama of the Pacific Ocean. This stunning building lends itself to celebrations and gatherings, whether it's a conference, special bash for a big birthday, a family reunion, staff function or business meeting. There are several room options available including the suite of Gatsby Rooms, depending on the size and style of function. The availability of premium on-site accommodation in the hotel makes and all-inclusive event venue.

Date and time

📅 Check-in: 10 May 2025 at 10:00 pm

📅 Check-out: 11 May 2025 at 8:00 am

Details

Art Deco Masonic Hotel (Double Room) x 10

Day 3 Sunday, 11 May 2025



Wallingford Homestead

Wallingford Homestead • Central Hawke's Bay District, New Zealand

Date and time

Start: 11 May 2025 at 9:30 am (Check-in 9:30 am)

End: 11 May 2025 at 12:00 pm

Location

New Zealand

Contact

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

Details

Wallingford Homestead - Site visit and brunch (Adult) x 1



Tui Brewery

Tui Brewery (Tui HQ), Pahiatua 4982, New Zealand

Stop for comfort stop and short site visit

Date and time

Start: 11 May 2025 at 1:30 pm

End: 11 May 2025 at 2:30 pm

Location

Pahiatua 4982, New Zealand



Transfer to Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre

Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre, 85379 State Highway 2, Mount Bruce 5881, New Zealand

Carry on down the Wine Trail to Martinborough

Date and time

Start: 11 May 2025 at 2:00 pm

End: 11 May 2025 at 2:20 pm

Location

Start: 85379 State Highway 2, Mount Bruce 5881,
New Zealand

End: Martinborough, New Zealand



Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre

Lunch in cafe and mini tour

Date and time

Start: 11 May 2025 at 2:20 pm

End: 11 May 2025 at 3:35 pm



Transfer to Martinborough

Pūkaha National Wildlife Centre, 85379 State Highway 2, Mount Bruce 5881, New Zealand

Carry on down the Wine Trail to Martinborough

Date and time

 Start: 11 May 2025 at 3:35 pm

 End: 11 May 2025 at 4:50 pm

Location

 Start: 85379 State Highway 2, Mount Bruce 5881,
New Zealand

 End: Martinborough, New Zealand



The Martinborough Hotel (1 night)

Martinborough is a charming little village with a majestic square at its heart. At the entrance to the square you will find The Martinborough Hotel, described since 1882 as one of "the finest hostelries ever erected in any inland town in New Zealand". Once a way station for prosperous travellers to and from the South Wairarapa's huge isolated sheep stations - its grand facade has been a focal point for the town from the early days. The hotels past, and its sense of history and place will charm you as soon as you arrive in the lobby - from the battered suitcases of a gentleman traveller in reception, to the sloping floors and historical sketches of Wairarapa personalities adorning the walls. Today, The Martinborough Hotel offers character, comfort and old style personal attention.

Twenty beautiful rooms, every one unique. Make yourself at home in the original 1882 building in in one of our nine Heritage Suites or Rooms, or at the Petit Hotel Suites located adjacent to the main Hotel. Take a wander through the garden and courtyard just beyond the lobby and enjoy the tranquility of seven spacious Garden Suites finished in a restful, simple country style. Our Superior Garden Suite is spacious, up a private flight of stairs and overlooks our garden from a private verandah.

Date and time

 Check-in: 11 May 2025

 Check-out: 12 May 2025

Details

The Martinborough Hotel (Single Room) x 1



Parehua Resort (1 night)



Set amongst Martinborough's world famous vineyards, with sweeping gardens and panoramic views of the rolling green hills, Parehua is the perfect expression of a charming country estate.

Date and time

 Check-in: 11 May 2025

 Check-out: 12 May 2025

Details

Parehua Resort (Room & Breakfast) x 1



Karahui

Karahui Wine Bar & Eatery



Date and time

 Start: 11 May 2025 at 6:00 pm

 End: 11 May 2025 at 7:15 pm

Details

Karahui (Dinner - 2 course) x 1



Star Safari

Star Safari

Experience Stargazing from the Wairarapa Dark Sky Reserve. Shop. . Space Science Communication. Star Safari is a product of MilkyWay Kiwi, based in the Wairarapa

Date and time

 Start: 11 May 2025 at 7:30 pm

 End: 11 May 2025 at 9:00 pm

Details

Star Safari (Adult) x 1



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Date and time

 Start: 11 May 2025 at 7:30 pm

 End: 11 May 2025 at 9:00 pm

Details

Star Safari (Adult) x 1

Day 4 Monday, 12 May 2025

 **QT Wellington (1 night)**



Immerse yourself in a fascinating fusion of high and low-brow art as you explore the creative depths of one of New Zealand's most eccentric art collections set in the country's Coolest Little Capital, at QT Wellington. Sitting harbourside in the heart of Wellington's cultural hub this creative haven and design driven hotel indulges you in cool luxury, including acclaimed French inspired dining at Hippopotamus.

Date and time

 Check-in: 12 May 2025

 Check-out: 13 May 2025

Details

QT Wellington (Room & Breakfast) x 1

 **Union Square Bistro & Bar**
Union Square Bistro & Bar

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2025 at 8:00 am

 End: 12 May 2025 at 9:00 am

Details

Union Square Bistro & Bar (Breakfast) x 1

 **Transfer with Tranzit**
Tranzit Coachlines



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Date and time



Pick up: 12 May 2025 at 9:00 am

Drop off: 12 May 2025 at 9:20 am

Details

Transfer with Tranzit (Transfer within Region) x 1



Site Inspection

The White Swan Country Hotel



The White Swan Country Hotel in Greytown offers new sophisticated food and beverage offering and stylish refurbished interior..

The White Swan Country Hotel is one of New Zealand's most iconic Country Hotels.

The Swan, as locals call it, is nestled in Greytown, the beautiful boutique shopping village, in the heart of Wairarapa on SH2 and the Classic New Zealand Wine Trail. It is just one hour drive north from Wellington and 3 hours south of Hawkes Bay.

The four star Hotel consists of 13 rooms, 7 Deluxe Suites upstairs in the main building and 6 (3 Park Suites and 3 Park Studios) at the rear of the property, overlooking the neighbouring park.

Date and time



Start: 12 May 2025 at 9:20 am

End: 12 May 2025 at 10:00 am

Details

Site Inspection (Adult) x 1



Greytown Honey introduction

Greytown Honey



Greytown Honey is a family business producing the very highest quality Mānuka, Wildflower, Kāmahi, Kānuka, Rewarewa, Native and Clover honey, straight from the land, in South Wairarapa. You could say beekeeping is in our blood as we are fifth generation beekeepers!

We are hugely grateful to have developed strong partnerships with local landowners who allow us to place our beehives on untouched native bush sites and special farmland throughout the beautiful Wairarapa region.

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2025 at 11:00 am (Check-in 11:00 am)

 End: 12 May 2025 at 12:30 pm

Details

Greytown Honey introduction (Adult) x 1



Dine @ The Runholder

The Runholder



The Runholder is home to Te Kairanga, Martinborough Vineyard & Lighthouse Gin.

With our Restaurant, Tasting Room, Cellar Door and Gin Distillery overlooking Martinborough's rolling hills and vineyards, The Runholder is the place to enjoy Wairarapa's exquisite food, fine wines and original gin.

Feast on antipasti platters, pizzas and shared plates from our grill for lunch or dinner. Our menu celebrates Wairarapa's local produce and perfectly complements our wines and gin.

Taste iconic wines from Te Kairanga and Martinborough Vineyard wineries with a wine tasting flight, or share an aged bottle from the cellar.

Relax with Lighthouse Gin cocktails and watch distiller Rachel Hall craft her next batch.

Before you head home, choose a bottle or two from the cellar door to take with you.

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2025 at 12:45 pm

 End: 12 May 2025 at 2:15 pm

Details

Dine @ The Runholder (Lunch) x 1

**Bike hire**

Green Jersey



Green Jersey is one of the original cycle tour operators on the Remutaka Cycle Trail. While specialising in Remutaka Cycle Trail Adventures, their cycle trail also extends to other North Island Cycle Tours, and Martinborough Wine Tours,

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2025 at 2:15 pm

 End: 12 May 2025 at 4:00 pm

Details

Bike hire (per day) x 1

**Transfer Wairarapa to Wellington**

Martinborough, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 12 May 2025 at 4:30 pm

 End: 12 May 2025 at 6:00 pm

Location

 Start: Martinborough, New Zealand

 End: Wellington, New Zealand

**Dine at Hippopotamus Restaurant**

QT Wellington



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The Hippopotamus presents French-inspired cuisine encased in an unforgettable fine dining experience, with expansive views of Wellington's Te Aro and harbour. Named after the world's giant aquatic ballet dancer, Hippo has a real taste of the majestic. Decadent degustation by multi award-winning chef Jiwon Do. French flavours pirouette with locally grown produce. Sip in Harbour-view sparkle with wine to match the delicacies. We're pouring green fairy-inspired cocktails for a night of liberté and vogue. By day, indulge in the strawberry shortcake and be treated to the exquisitely sweet. Golden hour breakfasts and high tea worthy of glamour royalty.

Date and time

Start: 12 May 2025 at 7:00 pm



End: 12 May 2025 at 9:00 pm

Details

Dine at Hippopotamus Restaurant (Dinner) x 1

Check-in instructions

Welcome drinks and dinner in a private dining area of the QT Wellington.

Day 5 Tuesday, 13 May 2025



Wellington Scenic Tour

Kaewa Tours



Experience the best of Wellington on a guided scenic drive around our beautiful capital city.

Take in the majestic lookout points of Mt Victoria and the Brooklyn Hill Wind Turbine, sit back and enjoy a scenic drive around the Eastern and Southern Bays, immerse yourself in the movie making world as you wander through the Weta Cave, ride the iconic Wellington Cable Car and much much more!

Date and time



Start: 13 May 2025 at 8:45 am (Check-in 8:30 am)



End: 13 May 2025 at 11:45 am

Details

Wellington Scenic Tour (Adult) x 1

Check-in instructions

3 hour scenic foody tour with a drop off at Interislander ferry terminal.



Interislander Cook Strait Crossing

Interislander • None,



Proudly New Zealand's original Cook Strait ferry - Interislander has been connecting the North and South Islands for nearly 60 years! Along with the breathtaking views, enjoy our locally sourced food and beverages, cinema's, free kids activities and premium lounges on board all our ferries.

Date and time



Departure: 13 May 2025 at 1:00 pm (Check-in 12:30 pm)



Arrival: 13 May 2025 at 4:00 pm

Contact



+64 800 802 802



<https://www.greatjourneysofnz.co.nz/interislander/>

Details

Interislander Cook Strait Crossing (Picton to Wellington) x 1

Interislander Cook Strait Crossing (Wellington to Picton) x 9



Transport

The Original Marlborough Wine Tours •

The Original Marlborough Wine Tours, 191 Middle Renwick Road, Springlands,, Blenheim 7201, New Zealand

If you're looking to experience the finest wine New Zealand has to offer, look no further than Marlborough Wine Tours! Renowned for their unmatched flavours and vivid aromas, Marlborough's wineries showcase the very best of New Zealand's culinary delights. Our expert guides will take you on an unforgettable journey through this stunning landscape, where lush vineyards stretch as far as the eye can see and award-winning wines await your tasting.

Date and time

Pick up: 13 May 2025 at 4:00 pm

Drop off: 14 May 2025 at 4:15 pm

Location

191 Middle Renwick Road, Springlands,, Blenheim 7201, New Zealand

Details

Transport (Adult - Return) x 9



Transfer with The original Marlborough wine tours from Interislander to Picton yacht Club

Picton Interislander Vehicle Check-In, Lagoon Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand

Date and time

13 May 2025

Location

Lagoon Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand



Picton Yacht Club Hotel (1 night)



With spectacular vistas over the Marlborough Sound, the Picton Yacht Club Hotel is an ideal destination for both leisure and business travellers alike. 48 comfortable spacious rooms and contemporary apartments to choose from we have options to suit every traveller's preference. The onsite restaurant, outdoor bar, conference centre and swimming pool complement the property perfectly. Close proximity to the Picton Ferry terminal and Marlborough wineries. Picton Yacht Club is part of the CPG Hotel Family with 9 other hotels around New Zealand, ranging from 3-star to Boutique 5-star.

Date and time

📅 Check-in: 13 May 2025 at 4:15 pm

📅 Check-out: 14 May 2025 at 9:00 am

Details

Picton Yacht Club Hotel (Room & Breakfast) x 9



Refresh and rest at Picton yacht club

Picton Yacht Club Hotel

Date and time

📅 Start: 13 May 2025 at 4:30 pm

📅 End: 13 May 2025 at 5:30 pm

Location

📍 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand



Transfer from Picton to The Marlborough Hotel for site tour at 18:00 followed by dinner

Picton Yacht Club Hotel, 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand

Date and time

📅 Start: 13 May 2025 at 5:30 pm

📅 End: 13 May 2025 at 6:00 pm

Location

📍 Start: 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand

📍 End: 776 Rapaura Road, Blenheim 7273, New Zealand



Harvest Restaurant

Harvest Restaurant Blenheim



At Harvest, the ethos is simple - authenticity...We aim to create a space that celebrates authentic hospitality where you can relax, enjoy and have your every need anticipated. All aspects of the restaurant is guided by this philosophy, creating a place where guests are genuinely welcomed and farewelled as friends. Relax in one of the stunning dining rooms or enjoy the Marlborough sun on our large garden deck area and enjoy the gastronomy on offer. Alternatively, find a shady spot in the beautiful gardens or vineyard with a small bite and refreshing beverage.

Date and time

 Start: 13 May 2025 at 6:30 pm

 End: 13 May 2025 at 8:00 pm

Details

Harvest Restaurant (Dinner) x 9

**Transfer from Harvest to Picton Yacht Club**

Harvest Restaurant Blenheim, 776 Rapaura Road, Rapaura 7273, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 13 May 2025 at 8:00 pm

 End: 13 May 2025 at 8:30 pm

Location

 Start: 776 Rapaura Road, Rapaura 7273, New Zealand

 End: 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand

Day 6 Wednesday, 14 May 2025



Walk to the Wilderness guides from Picton Yacht Club at 6.50 am

Wilderness Guides, Wellington Street, Picton 7220, New Zealand

Date and time

14 May 2025

Location

Wellington Street, Picton 7220, New Zealand



Queen Charlotte Sound Guided Kayak

Guided Kayak Wilderness guides • Queen Charlotte Sound / Tōtaranui, New Zealand



Experience the beauty and seclusion of the Marlborough Sounds with this awesome little one-day guided sea kayak trip. This tour takes in the western end of Queen Charlotte Sound with its sheltered coves, beautiful beaches, azure blue waters and lush native bush – stopping at a secluded beach for a yummy lunch. Learn about the history of the area from our knowledgeable, relaxed and friendly guides.

Date and time

Start: 14 May 2025 at 7:30 am (Check-in 7:00 am)

End: 14 May 2025 at 8:30 am

Location

New Zealand

Details

Queen Charlotte Sound Guided Kayak (Adult) x 9



Time to change and check out

Picton Yacht Club Hotel

Date and time

Start: 14 May 2025 at 8:30 am

End: 14 May 2025 at 9:00 am

Location

25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand



Transfer from Picton to St Leonards Vineyard Cottages

Picton Yacht Club Hotel, 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 9:00 am

 End: 14 May 2025 at 9:30 am

Location

 Start: 25 Waikawa Road, Picton 7220, New Zealand

 End: 18 Saint Leonards Road, Blenheim 7271, New Zealand



Site tour

St Leonards Vineyard Cottages • 18 Saint Leonards Road, Springlands,, Blenheim 7201



Set in the heart of Marlborough, St Leonards is a luxurious retreat amongst the vines for guests on vacation, at work or celebrating special occasions.

Our [boutique cottage accommodation](#) is a special collection of traditional buildings on a former sheep farm that have retained their original charm while offering luxurious comfort and privacy.

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The [cottages are located](#) close to the famous Marlborough Wine Trail and are within two minutes' drive from Marlborough Airport and five minutes from Blenheim's CBD.

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During your stay, wander the park-like grounds and meet our friendly sheep, alpaca and deer, along with the resident hens that supply your breakfast eggs.

Relax looking out to the surrounding hills and mountains, hit the tennis and petanque courts, or relax in our pool and hot tub.

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 9:30 am (Check-in 9:30 am)

 End: 14 May 2025 at 10:30 am

Location

 18 Saint Leonards Road, Springlands,, Blenheim 7201

Details

Site tour (Adult) x 9



Transfer from St Leonards to French fields Marlborough

St Leonards Vineyard Cottages, 18 Saint Leonards Road, Blenheim 7271, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 10:30 am

 End: 14 May 2025 at 10:40 am

Location

 18 Saint Leonards Road, Blenheim 7271, New Zealand



Site tour

French Fields Marlborough • Marlborough, 21 Fairbourne drive, Fairhall,, Blenheim 7201, NZ

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 10:40 am

 End: 14 May 2025 at 11:30 am

Location

 21 Fairbourne drive, Fairhall,, Blenheim 7201, NZ

Details

Site tour (Adult) x 9



Transfer from French Fields Marlborough to Allan Scott Winery

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 10:30 am

 End: 14 May 2025 at 10:40 am

Location

 Start: null

 End: 229 Jacksons Road, Rapaura 7273, New Zealand



Lunch with wine pairing

Allan Scott Winemakers



Just like the vines themselves, the family's story is entwined in the very roots of Marlborough winemaking. In 1990, Allan and his wife Catherine founded Allan Scott Family Winemakers, one of the region's first independent wineries. Just as the name promises, it has always been a family affair, and now it has evolved into a true family calling.

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 11:40 am (Check-in 11:40 am)

 End: 14 May 2025 at 1:00 pm

Details

Lunch with wine pairing (Adult) x 9

**Transfer to Cloudy Bay**

Allan Scott Family Winemakers HQ, 229 Jacksons Road, Rapaura 7273, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 1:00 am

 End: 14 May 2025 at 1:10 am

Location

 Start: 229 Jacksons Road, Rapaura 7273, New Zealand

 End: New Zealand

**Site Visit and Wine Tastings**

Cloudy Bay Vineyards - Marlborough

In Marlborough we farm 163 parcels of vines and 65 grower blocks. Those parcels closer to the Wairau River have stony, sandy and free-draining soils ideal for the iconic Sauvignon Blanc. Further south of the river in the Southern Valleys, the Pinot Noir and Chardonnay vineyards love the heavy clay-based soils. These soils and Marlborough's maritime climate work in harmony to set the stage for Cloudy Bay's captivating style of wine.

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 1:10 am (Check-in 1:10 am)

 End: 14 May 2025 at 2:30 am

Details

Site Visit and Wine Tastings (Adult) x 9

**Transfer to Omaka Muesuem**

Cloudy Bay, New Zealand

Date and time

 Start: 14 May 2025 at 2:30 am

 End: 14 May 2025 at 2:40 am

Location

 Start: New Zealand

 End: Aerodrome Road, Blenheim 7272, New Zealand



Knights of the Sky WW1 & Dangerous Skies WW2 Exhibitions

Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre



Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre has combined a rare collection of WW1 and WW2 aircraft with creative, contemporary display techniques, to present a remarkable, immersive experience; one that grips the senses and engages the imagination of the tens of thousands who are attracted to visit. Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre, is a world-class destination for the appreciation of historic aircraft. Not just for enthusiasts, the centre tells the story of aviation during two World Wars, the time in which the most intense period of aviation development took place.

Date and time



Start: 14 May 2025 at 2:45 am (Check-in 2:45 am)



End: 14 May 2025 at 4:15 am

Details

Knights of the Sky WW1 & Dangerous Skies WW2 Exhibitions (Adult) x 9



Transfer to airport

Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre, Aerodrome Road, Blenheim 7272, New Zealand

Date and time



Start: 14 May 2025 at 4:15 am



End: 14 May 2025 at 4:30 am

Location



Start: Aerodrome Road, Blenheim 7272, New Zealand



End: 1 Tancred Crescent, Blenheim 7206, New Zealand