

# New Zealand 2021/22

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## Classic Journeys

All the must-visit destinations by coach,  
while staying in the finest hotels.

## Walking Holidays

Take to some of New Zealand's best trails  
with an expert guide.

## Rail Journeys

Cross enchanting landscapes aboard  
the world's greatest rail journeys.

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The 'Land of the Long White Cloud'. Familiar yet intriguing. Falling in love with the world all over again. Worlds away. So close to home. Finding luxury in hidden corners. Uncovering Māori traditions held proud and strong. Fiords. A bay of islands. Snowcapped mountains. River valleys. The rush of rivers wild. Bubbling mud pools. Caves lit by the magic of nature. Middle-earth. Paddock to plate and award-winning kitchens in between. Sitting back. Laughter. Saying why not? Sweet. Kia ora. Choice. Local charm. Charming locals. Savouring a Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc in situ. Riding rail through impressive valleys. Following trails on foot to discover wilderness, ancient yet fragile. Knowing the little things have been looked after so you can Live Fully in each and every unforgettable moment.

Extraordinary moments in travel.

Made possible every day with APT.

# Travel on Your Terms

For more than 90 years, APT has cared for Australian travellers. We know that now, more than ever, you want flexibility when making your holiday plans. That's why we're ensuring you can travel on your terms.



## **Freedom to Change Your Plans**

To give you greater flexibility, you can now leave it closer to your departure date to postpone your holiday and transfer your deposit for another time or trip.

## **Lower Deposits**

We want to make it easier for you to make that important decision to travel again. So we've reduced our deposit amounts, which means you have to pay less up front.

For full details visit [aptouring.com.au/onyourterms](https://aptouring.com.au/onyourterms)



Te Waonui Forest Retreat, Franz Josef

### **Prices Guaranteed Once Booked**

When you've made your reservation with APT, your holiday price is set. You know what you'll be paying, you'll get great value, and there'll be no surprises.

### **Extended Payment Dates**

To further give you financial flexibility, we've ensured your final payment is not due until closer to your holiday departure date.

# Welcome to New Zealand

A journey through New Zealand has so much to offer. From the island paradise that is the Bay of Islands in the country's subtropical north, to the remote wilderness of Franz Josef and the spectacular fiords waiting to be explored in the south-west corner. Charming locals endear their country to all who visit, where you can set your own pace, from kicking back with a glass of Queenstown's finest wine, to exploring the volcanic wonderland around Rotorua, APT is for you. Simply head to the Trip Finder – you're on your way.

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# Travel Styles

At APT, we understand how to get the most out of each and every place we visit. Experience New Zealand through a selection of travel styles, and let the landscapes, culture, wine and food take centre stage. As you travel by coach, rail, boat and on foot, an APT tour director is on hand, to help you get the most out of your holiday.



## Classic Journeys

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On a Classic Journey, visit New Zealand's most iconic and lesser-known sights, along with ample leisure time to craft your own experience. Your journey will include travel on best-in-class coaches, while some also take you on scenic train rides, cruise on majestic fiords or sail around subtropical islands. Each journey involves stays in convenient and central locations, as well as quality dining, with many meals expertly prepared by passionate and innovative chefs who bring you the flavours of each region.





## Rail Journeys



RAIL

Rail travel often places the otherwise inaccessible within your reach. At APT, we're equally passionate about rail travel and taking you on journeys to the planet's remote reaches. Cross the enchanting landscapes of New Zealand aboard some of the world's greatest rail journeys, including the TranzAlpine Train and the Taieri Gorge Railway.



## Walking Holidays



WALKING

Pull on your boots and head for spectacular scenery on a walking holiday along some of New Zealand's favourite tracks. Wander off-course for picnics, swims and locally guided experiences. Put your feet up in comfortable eco cabins or boutique lodges. And refuel on gourmet meals that honour the extraordinary local produce. What better way to experience the heart and soul of New Zealand than by foot?



# Hand-picked Accommodation

Complementing your journey through New Zealand, we go to great lengths to ensure the hotels and resorts we select deliver memorable experiences. Each accommodation perfectly captures the essence of your stunning natural surrounds, or places you right in the heart of a buzzing city, making certain that your visit is one to remember.



The Hermitage, Mt Cook



# No matter where you lay your head, rest assured of a blissful night's sleep.

## North Island

Amid a hub of lively locals and metropolitan indulgences, you'll have the opportunity to stay in idyllic North Island locations and immerse yourself in modern delights. From Auckland's Grand Millennium Hotel, to the Bay of Islands Copthorne Hotel and Resort and the stunning waterfront at the InterContinental Wellington, you'll stay in iconic hotels and resorts that highlight quintessential New Zealand.

## South Island

Spectacular mountains, magical fiords and breathtaking surrounds encompass your South Island accommodation. You'll stay tucked between hushed wilderness and wildlife at Te Waonui Forest Retreat, and enjoy stunning views at The Hermitage Hotel in Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park. From Queenstown to Te Anau, you'll also traverse serene wilderness and lively cityscapes before resting in comfort.



# Locally Inspired Dining

Incorporating modern cuisine, home-style country meals and unique Freedom of Choice Dining experiences, the culinary highlights of an APT journey through New Zealand offer a delicious taste of every region.

## **Tantalising Flavours**

Featuring unique flavours with irresistible Polynesian influence, New Zealand is famous for its delicious cuisine. Prepared using only the freshest ingredients and served with a gastronomic passion, chefs at every location ensure that your meals are an experience in their own right.

## **Warm Hospitality**

No matter where you dine, you can expect meals served with a friendly smile and professional service. The dedicated staff are completely committed to your enjoyment, and proud of their produce. So, indulge in a wondrous array of dining experiences and celebrate the cuisine for which New Zealand is renowned.

## **Freedom of Choice Dining Inclusions**

To broaden your culinary horizons, we're excited to offer an array of restaurants you can choose from during your time in Queenstown. Here, you're able to select from our range of eateries and indulge your personal culinary preferences. From boarding a vintage steamer that takes you to a carvery dinner, to dinner with a view of the entire city and a visit to a craft brewery, you can choose how you'd like to treat your tastebuds.





# Personalised Service

Outstanding service and an unrivalled insider's perspective are hallmarks of every APT journey. You're free from obligation, stress and anxiety, so you can make every holiday moment count, knowing our experts have taken care of everything.

## **APT Tour Directors & Drivers**

No one else can offer the level of advice and expertise our APT Tour Directors can. Along with our experienced and friendly drivers, they're with you every step of the way and are committed to going the extra mile to ensure your journey exceeds every expectation.

## **Local Guides – Real Insight**

Taking you on a private journey through their own home towns, our friendly guides reveal insights that only a local could offer. With these guides, each experience, its history, people and their culture will come to life before you.

## **The Perfect Travel Companions**

At APT, we're committed to ensuring you have a memorable holiday experience. To us, this means that when you step off your flight, there's a friendly face to greet you and a vehicle already outside waiting to whisk you away. What's more, your luggage will be delivered promptly to your room so you can focus more of your energy on enjoying your holiday.



# Signature Experiences

Scratch well beneath the surface of New Zealand with our Signature Experiences, which carry you on an inspiring journey into local history, culture and traditions. The following are just a taste of what we have prepared especially for you.

☼ Look for the logo throughout itineraries for your Signature Experiences.





### TranzAlpine Train

Experience the romance of rail travel aboard the TranzAlpine train on one of the world's most scenic rail journeys. Admire ever-changing landscapes and spectacular gorges as you journey through the famous Southern Alps and alongside the Waimakariri River.

### Milford Sound Cruise

A cruise through Milford Sound draws you into a magical world of snow-dusted mountains, roaring waterfalls and engaging wildlife. Edge close to tumbling falls and to colonies of seals and penguins, all beneath the ramparts of mighty peaks that rise sheer from the water as they stretch for the vast sky above.

### Waitangi Treaty Grounds

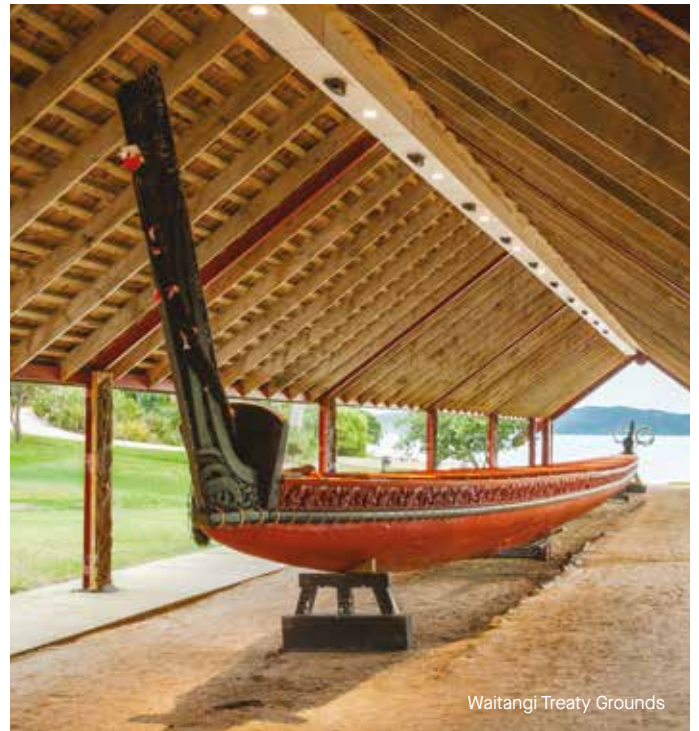
Discover New Zealand's most historic site, the Waitangi Treaty Grounds, known as the Birthplace of a Nation. You'll visit the ceremonial War Canoe in the Māori Meeting House and admire the carvings representing Māoris from all over New Zealand.

### Traditional Hāngī Feast

Immerse yourself in traditional Māori culture while in Rotorua by taking part in an authentic Hāngī feast. Using a centuries-old method, food is cooked underground in earth ovens and shared throughout the community.



Milford Sound



Waitangi Treaty Grounds



TranzAlpine Train



# Freedom of Choice

We might take care of all the finer details, but we leave the exciting decisions up to you. Our Freedom of Choice experiences allow you to personalise your journey according to your interests. Enjoy the freedom of flexibility as you choose the option that best suits you.



**🏛️ Culture & Heritage**

Whether it's a guided tour through a city or town, a visit to a local museum or historic site, or perhaps an art and culture experience, you'll enjoy a genuine insight into the history and lifestyle of New Zealand.

**🍷 Gourmet Delight**

Let your nose lead the way on our enticing selection of culinary experiences, including award-winning wine tours and tastings through the country's celebrated wine regions.

**🌿 Nature & Wildlife**

Get back to nature on a range of wilderness-based experiences. Whether it's discovering the native flora and fauna on a wildlife experience or embarking on a wilderness cruise, each option celebrates the beauty of New Zealand.

**🚶 Get Active**

For the explorers, adventurers and lovers of the great outdoors, we offer you everything from exhilarating jet boat rides to 4WD experiences passing rocky cliffs and river gorges.

See pages 40-41 for a full list of Freedom of Choice inclusions in each destination.



Winery, Queenstown





# All-Inspiring Experience

At APT, we like to make things as easy as possible. Our holidays are what we like to call an All-Inspiring Experience. Our prices always cover everything as detailed, including airport transfers, portorage and more, so you can rest assured knowing those details have been taken care of. Plus, all prices are guaranteed once your deposit has been paid. And when you're away, everything is covered as detailed. It's the sort of luxury that sets you free.





## Live Fully

With every detail taken care of behind the scenes, you're 100% free to be whoever you want to be. Reveal the true heart of each destination and explore on your own, finding paradise in unique regions bursting with culture and history. These days are yours.



## Luxury Redefined

Whether it's the freedom to explore a town independently or join in on one of our guided tours, our New Zealand Tours are all about the luxury of chasing your own adventure with the comfort of knowing we're always there to lend a hand.



## Award-Winning Travel

Among numerous accolades, APT was voted Best Domestic Tour Operator from 2012 to 2016 and 2018 to 2019 by the Australian Federation of Travel Agents. We're also proud of the 98% satisfaction rating we receive from our travellers.



## Best-in-Class Coaches

Stay comfortable on the road knowing that the coaches used by APT are among the safest of their kind. They also offer amenities including Wi-Fi access, reclining seats and restroom facilities.



# APT Concierge

When you arrive somewhere new, the first thing you want to do is get out there and explore. With our exclusive APT Concierge App, you'll feel like a local wherever you are, so you can live fully in each and every unforgettable moment. APT Concierge is available as a free download on Apple and Android devices.



#### Interactive Maps

Discover hidden gems anywhere you go and build a personal travel guide. With detailed maps available for download and offline use, continue to explore even without a Wi-Fi connection.

#### Day-to-Day Essentials

Enjoy a wealth of meteorological data for each city you visit, track how you are spending your holiday funds, search multiple currencies, make quick currency conversions and check the time back home. Feel prepared wherever you go!

#### Personalised Information

Free yourself of pages and pages of trip information – this is an easy, hassle-free way to view your personalised travel itinerary and overall central hub for all of your daily movements and journey.

#### Real-Time Updates

Keep abreast of the rest and receive daily updates and travel advice from your APT cruise or tour director. To ensure that you receive your real-time, valuable and relevant updates, push notifications must be enabled.



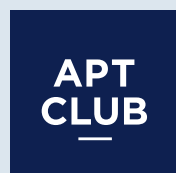
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## Live Fully as a valued APT Club Member

When you book your first adventure with us, you'll become an APT Club member, and the more you experience with us, the greater the rewards. This means invites to special events and member-only special offers, including a welcome home voucher to use towards your next journey. Enjoy access to a dedicated APT Club line to answer any questions you might have no matter how big, or small.



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# New Zealand Superdeals 2021/22



# Early Booking Benefits

- Book early to secure the best Superdeal offer available. Superdeal offers are strictly limited and will sell out
- Choose the itinerary that suits you and start planning your holiday
- Choose the departure date that best suits your holiday needs

**Book by 31 May 2021\*, unless sold out prior – strictly limited**

## Earlybird Savings\*

**Save up to \$1,000  
Per Couple\***

Book any holiday by 31 May 2021 and enjoy Earlybird Savings of up to \$1,000 per couple.

## Solo Traveller Saving\*

**Save up to \$1,400\***

Receive a 50% discount on the solo supplement on selected tours and dates. Enquire at the time of booking.

## Travel with Friends & Save\*

**Save up to \$400  
Per Couple\*\***

When six or more people book an APT New Zealand holiday together, APT offers the following savings:

Holidays of 16 days or more, save \$200 per person\*

Holidays of 5 to 15 days, save \$100 per person\*

^Savings not applicable to APT Walking Holidays

## Early Payment Discount\*

**Save up to \$400  
Per Couple\*\***

Book any APT New Zealand holiday and pay in full 10 months prior to departure and you'll enjoy the following savings:

Holidays of 16 days or more, save \$200 per person\*

Holidays of 5 to 15 days, save \$100 per person\*

^Savings not applicable to APT Walking Holidays

\*See page 44 for full terms and conditions.

Visit [aptouring.com.au/specialdeals](https://www.aptouring.com.au/specialdeals)



# Trip Finder

Your dream holiday awaits in one of these handcrafted journeys designed just for you. Select your preferred itinerary and you're on your way.



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**New Zealand Wonderland**

Auckland to Christchurch

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**Southern Tourer**

Christchurch Return

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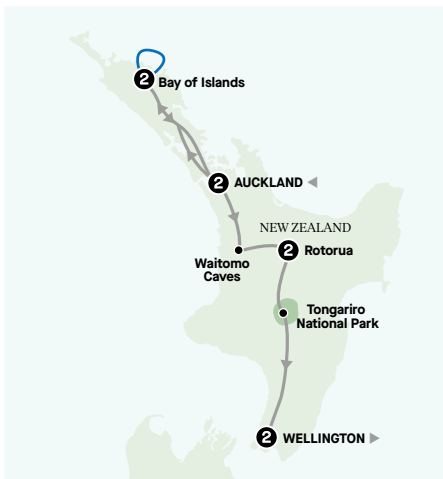


**Great Northerner**

Auckland to Wellington

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**Brilliant Bay of Islands**

Auckland Return

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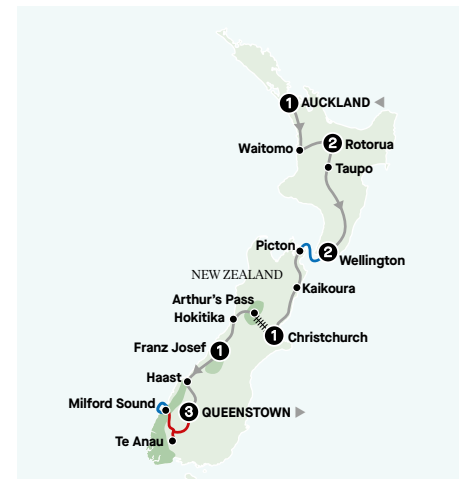


**Scenic Sights**

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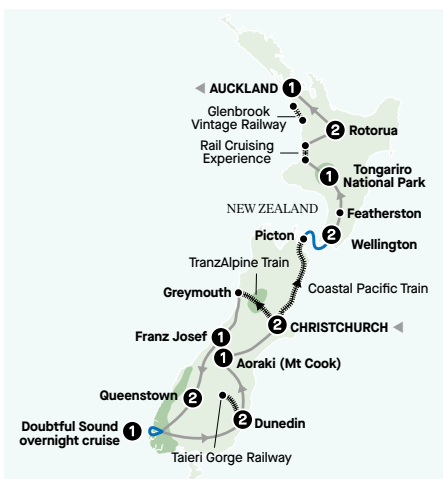


**Rail & Cruise Experiences of New Zealand**

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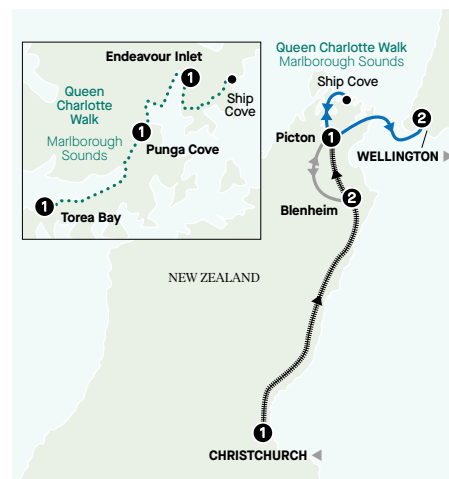


**Queen Charlotte Track & Marlborough Sounds 10-Day Walking Holiday**

Christchurch to Wellington

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# New Zealand Wonderland

Auckland to Christchurch 17 days / 16-night Classic Journey

Visit 20 places / Go For A TranzAlpine Rail journey and a traditional Hāngī Feast

## Signature Experiences

- ✦ Visit the Waitangi Treaty Grounds.
- ✦ Enjoy a cruise through the Bay of Islands to Cape Brett.
- ✦ Experience true Māori culture at a traditional Hāngī Feast.
- ✦ Cruise across Cook Strait on the Interislander ferry.
- ✦ Embark on an impressive rail adventure aboard the TranzAlpine train.
- ✦ Take in idyllic surrounds at Franz Josef.
- ✦ Cruise pristine Milford Sound.
- ✦ Enjoy a Taste of Fiordland Dinner.
- ✦ Discover Australasia's highest peak in Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park.

**Day 01: Arrive Auckland** We'll meet you on arrival and transfer you to your hotel.

Stay: Auckland, Grand Millennium Hotel.

**Day 02: Auckland, Bay of Islands** Visit the Kauri Museum and Waitangi Treaty Grounds. **BD**

Two Nights: Bay of Islands, Copthorne Hotel and Resort.

**Day 03: Bay of Islands** Join a nature-spotting cruise aboard a catamaran to Cape Brett and the Hole in the Rock. **B**

**Day 04: Bay of Islands, Auckland** Take in Auckland's sights on a guided tour. Choose your included activity (see page 40). **BD**

Stay: Auckland, Grand Millennium Hotel.

**Day 05: Auckland, Waitomo Caves, Rotorua** Travel to Waitomo and see the Glowworm caves. Continue to Rotorua where you'll enjoy a traditional Hāngī Feast and performance. **BD**

Two Nights: Millennium Rotorua.

**Day 06: Rotorua** Explore Rotorua on your included activity (see page 40). **B**

**Day 07: Rotorua, Taupo, Wellington** En route to Wellington, see Wairakei Steam Valley, Huka Falls and Lake Taupo. **BD**

Two Nights: InterContinental Wellington.

**Day 08: Wellington** Set off on a guided tour of Wellington's sights. How you spend the rest of the day is up to you. **B**

**Day 09: Wellington, Christchurch** Step aboard the Interislander ferry to cruise through Marlborough and Queen Charlotte sounds to Picton. Back on land, head for Kaikoura en route to Christchurch. **BD**

Stay: Christchurch, Commodore Hotel.

**Day 10: Christchurch, TranzAlpine Train, Franz Josef** Board the TranzAlpine train for one of the world's greatest rail adventures to Arthur's Pass. Continue to Franz Josef and enjoy dinner. **BD**

Stay: Franz Josef, Te Waonui Forest Retreat.

**Day 11: Franz Josef, Queenstown** Skirt along the Haast River Valley towards Queenstown. Choose your dining option (see page 41). **BD**

Two Nights: Novotel Queenstown Lakeside.

**Day 12: Queenstown** This morning, choose your included sightseeing activity. **B**

**Day 13: Queenstown, Milford Sound, Te Anau** Continue along the Milford Road into Fiordland National Park. Continue to Milford Sound, for a cruise. Afterwards, arrive at Te Anau. Tonight, enjoy a special Taste of Fiordland Dinner. **BD**

Stay: Distinction Te Anau Hotel & Villas.

**BLD:** Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner





## Highlights & Inclusions

- ✓ Experiences in 15 destinations.
- ✓ Freedom of Choice inclusions in five locations.
- ✓ Finest dining – a total of 27 meals.
- ✓ 16 nights hand-picked accommodation.
- ✓ Services of an APT tour director and driver.
- ✓ Return airport transfers and portorage.



**Day 14: Te Anau, Dunedin** In Dunedin, choose your included activity (see page 40). **BD**

Stay: Distinction Dunedin Hotel.

**Day 15: Dunedin, Aoraki (Mt Cook)** See the Moeraki Boulders. At Aoraki (Mt Cook), choose your included activity (see page 40). **BD**

Stay: Aoraki (Mt Cook), The Hermitage Hotel, in a room with alpine views.

**Day 16: Aoraki (Mt Cook), Lake Tekapo, Christchurch** Travel to Lake Tekapo and visit the Church of the Good Shepherd. End the day in Christchurch with a farewell dinner. **BD**

Stay: Rydges Latimer Christchurch.

**Day 17: Depart Christchurch** Be transferred to the airport for your flight. **B**

## From \$7,495 per person twin share

Dates and Prices (A\$)	Twin From	Solo From
<b>17 Days Auckland to Christchurch (NCC17)</b>		
<b>2021</b>		
Jan. <b>23</b> ; Feb. <b>6, 20, 27</b> ; March <b>6, 20</b>	\$8,295	\$11,095
April <b>3, 17</b> ; May 8; July 17; Sept. 4, <b>18, 25</b>	\$7,495	\$10,095
Oct. <b>2, 16, 30</b> ; Nov. <b>6, 13, 20</b> ; Dec. 11, 26	\$8,295	\$11,095
<b>2022</b>		
Jan. <b>8, 15, 22, 29</b> ; Feb. <b>3, 12, 19, 26</b> ; March <b>5, 19</b>	\$8,295	\$11,095
April <b>2, 16</b> ; May 7	\$7,495	\$10,095
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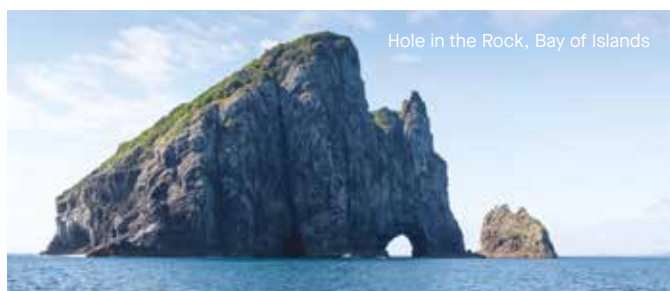
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Hole in the Rock, Bay of Islands



# New Zealand Highlighter

Auckland to Christchurch 14 days / 13-night Classic Journey

Visit 19 places / Go For Rotorua's geothermal wonders

## Signature Experiences

- ✦ Experience true Māori culture at a traditional Hāngī Feast.
- ✦ Cruise across Cook Strait on the Interislander ferry.
- ✦ Embark on an impressive rail adventure aboard the TranzAlpine train.
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- ✦ Cruise pristine Milford Sound.
- ✦ Enjoy a Taste of Fiordland Dinner.
- ✦ Discover Australasia's highest peak in Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park.

**Day 01: Arrive Auckland** We'll meet you on arrival and transfer you to your hotel. This afternoon choose from a range of Freedom of Choice activities (see page 40). Tonight, meet new friends at a welcome dinner. **D**

Stay: Auckland, Grand Millennium Hotel.

**Day 02: Auckland, Waitomo Caves, Rotorua** Today, you'll travel to Waitomo, home to the world-renowned Glowworm caves. Continue to Rotorua. This evening, enjoy a traditional Hāngī Feast and performance. **BD**

Two Nights: Millennium Rotorua.

**Day 03: Rotorua** Explore Rotorua on your included activity (see page 40). **B**

**Day 04: Rotorua, Taupo, Wellington** Follow the Thermal Explorer Highway and see the Wairakei Steam Valley, Huka Falls and Lake Taupo. Travel across World Heritage-listed Tongariro National Park to Wellington in time for dinner. **BD**

Two Nights: InterContinental Wellington.

**Day 05: Wellington** Set off on a guided tour of Wellington's sights. Spend the rest of the day at leisure. **B**

**Day 06: Wellington, Christchurch** Board the Interislander ferry to cruise through Marlborough and Queen Charlotte sounds. **BD**  
Stay: Christchurch, Commodore Hotel.

**Day 07: Christchurch, TranzAlpine Train, Franz Josef** Board the TranzAlpine train. Continue to Franz Josef before a delicious dinner. **BD**  
Stay: Franz Josef, Te Waonui Forest Retreat.

**Day 08: Franz Josef, Queenstown** Skirt along the Haast River Valley en route to Queenstown. Tonight, choose your dining (see page 41). **BD**  
Two Nights: Novotel Queenstown Lakeside.

**Day 09: Queenstown** Choose your included activity (see page 40). **B**

**Day 10: Queenstown, Milford Sound, Te Anau** Continue to Milford Sound, where you'll enjoy a cruise. Afterwards, arrive at Te Anau. Tonight, enjoy a Taste of Fiordland Dinner. **BD**  
Stay: Distinction Te Anau Hotel & Villas.

**Day 11: Te Anau, Dunedin** In Dunedin, choose your included activity (see page 40). **BD**  
Stay: Distinction Dunedin Hotel.

**BLD:** Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner





Aoraki (Mt Cook)

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Stay: Aoraki (Mt Cook), The Hermitage Hotel, in a room with alpine views.

**Day 13: Aoraki (Mt Cook), Lake Tekapo, Christchurch** Travel to Lake Tekapo and visit the Church of the Good Shepherd. Continue to Christchurch and enjoy a farewell dinner. **BD**

Stay: Rydges Latimer Christchurch.

**Day 14: Depart Christchurch** After breakfast, your New Zealand adventure concludes. We say goodbye before we transfer you to the airport for your flight. **B**

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Oct. <b>5, 19</b> ; Nov. 2, <b>9, 16, 23</b> ; Dec. 14, 29	\$7,195	\$9,695
<b>2022</b>		
Jan. <b>11, 18, 25</b> ; Feb. 1, <b>6, 15, 22</b> ; March 1, <b>8, 22</b>	\$7,195	\$9,695
April <b>5, 19</b> ; May 10	\$6,795	\$9,095
Sept. 6, 20, 27; Oct. 4, 18; Nov. 1, 8, 16, 22; Dec. 13, 29	\$7,195	\$9,695

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## Fiordland Cruising

### Milford Sound Cruise

As breathtaking as it is iconic, Milford Sound is a sight to behold. Get up close to the plunging waterfalls and towering cliffs as you set sail on a cruise through the magnificent fiord.



Milford Sound

# Southern Tourer

Christchurch Return 9 days / 8-night Classic Journey

Visit 11 places / Go For A cruise along Milford Sound



## Signature Experiences

- ✪ Embark on an impressive rail adventure aboard the TranzAlpine train.
- ✪ Take in idyllic surrounds at Franz Josef.
- ✪ Enjoy a Taste of Fiordland Dinner.
- ✪ Discover Australasia's highest peak in Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park.

## Trip Overview

Day	Destination
01	Arrive Christchurch
02	Christchurch – TranzAlpine Train – Franz Josef
03	Franz Josef – Queenstown
04	Queenstown
05	Queenstown – Milford Sound – Te Anau
06	Te Anau – Dunedin
07	Dunedin – Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park
08	Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park Lake Tekapo – Christchurch
09	Depart Christchurch

## Highlights & Inclusions

- ✓ Experiences in 8 destinations.
- ✓ Locally inspired – a total of 15 meals.
- ✓ Eight nights hand-picked accommodation.
- ✓ Services of an APT tour director and driver.
- ✓ Return airport transfers and portorage.

From **\$4,595** per person twin share

Dates and Prices (A\$)	Twin From	Solo From
<b>9 Days Christchurch Return (NCC09)</b>		
<b>2021</b>		
Jan. <b>31</b> ; Feb. <b>14, 28</b> ; March <b>7, 14, 28</b>	\$4,995	\$6,795
April <b>11, 25</b> ; May 16; July 25; Sept. 12, <b>26</b> ; Oct. 3	\$4,595	\$6,195
Oct. <b>10, 24</b> ; Nov. 7, <b>14, 21, 28</b> ; Dec. 19	\$4,995	\$6,795
<b>2022</b>		
Jan. 3, <b>16, 23, 30</b> ; Feb. 6, <b>11, 20, 27</b> ; March 6, <b>13, 27</b>	\$4,995	\$6,795
April <b>10, 24</b> ; May 15	\$4,595	\$6,195
Sept. 11, 25; Oct. 2, 9, 23; Nov. 6, 13, 21, 27; Dec. 18	\$4,995	\$6,795

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Queenstown



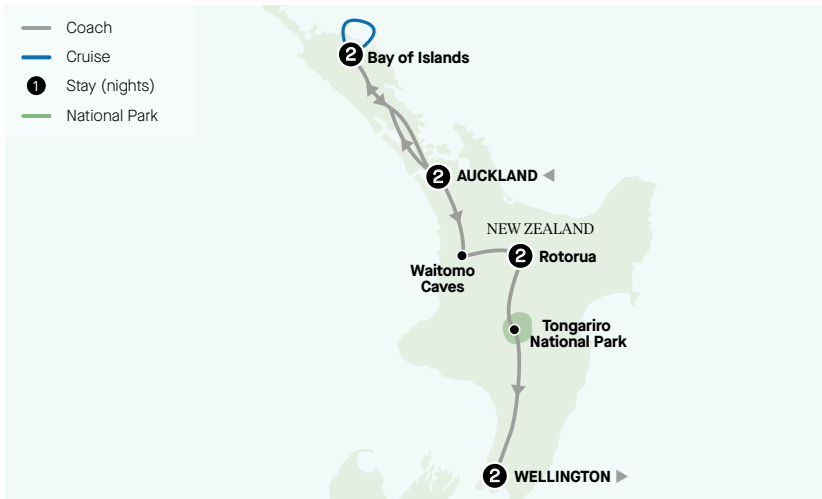


Māori carving

# Great Northerner

Auckland to Wellington 9 days / 8-night Classic Journey

Visit 6 places / Go For Waitomo's famous Glowworm caves



## Signature Experiences

- ★ Experience true Māori culture at a traditional Hāngī Feast.
- ★ Visit the Waitangi Treaty Grounds.
- ★ Enjoy a cruise through the Bay of Islands to Cape Brett.

## Trip Overview

Day	Destination
01	Arrive Auckland
02	Auckland – Bay of Islands
03	Bay of Islands
04	Bay of Islands – Auckland
05	Auckland – Waitomo Caves – Rotorua
06	Rotorua
07	Rotorua – Taupo – Wellington
08	Wellington
09	Depart Wellington

## Highlights & Inclusions

- ✓ Experiences in 6 destinations.
- ✓ Locally inspired dining – a total of 12 meals.
- ✓ Eight nights hand-picked accommodation.
- ✓ Services of an APT tour director and driver.
- ✓ Return airport transfers and portorage.

From **\$3,595** per person twin share

Dates and Prices (A\$)	Twin From	Solo From
<b>9 Days Auckland to Wellington (NCW09)</b>		
<b>2021</b> Jan. <b>23</b> ; Feb. <b>6, 20, 27</b> ; March <b>6, 20</b>	\$3,995	\$5,495
April <b>3, 17</b> ; May 8; July 17; Sept. 4, <b>18, 25</b>	\$3,595	\$4,895
Oct. <b>2, 16, 30</b> ; Nov. <b>6, 13, 20</b> ; Dec. 11, 26	\$3,995	\$5,495
<b>2022</b> Jan. <b>8, 15, 22, 29</b> ; Feb. <b>3, 12, 19, 26</b> ; March <b>5, 19</b>	\$3,995	\$5,495
April <b>2, 16</b> ; May 7	\$3,595	\$4,895
Sept. 3, 17, 24; Oct. 1, 15, 29; Nov. 5, 13, 19; Dec. 10, 26	\$3,995	\$5,495

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Rotorua



Bay of Islands

# Brilliant Bay of Islands

Auckland Return 5 days / 4-night Classic Journey

Visit 2 places / Go For a cruise to Cape Brett and the Hole in the Rock

## Signature Experiences

- ★ Visit the Waitangi Treaty Grounds.
- ★ Enjoy a cruise through the Bay of Islands to Cape Brett.



## Trip Overview

Day	Destination
01	Arrive Auckland
02	Auckland – Bay of Islands
03	Bay of Islands
04	Bay of Islands – Auckland
05	Depart Auckland

## Highlights & Inclusions

- ✓ Experiences in two destinations.
- ✓ Freedom of Choice inclusions in one location.
- ✓ Locally-inspired dining – a total of six meals.
- ✓ Four nights hand-picked accommodation.
- ✓ Services of an APT tour director and driver.
- ✓ Return airport transfers and portorage.



Cape Brett

From **\$1,995** per person twin share

Dates and Prices (A\$)	Twin From	Solo From
<b>5 Days Auckland Return (NCCB5)</b>		
<b>2021</b>		
Jan. <b>23</b> ; Feb. <b>6, 20, 27</b> ; March <b>6, 20</b>	\$2,195	\$3,195
April <b>3, 17</b> ; May 8; July 17; Sept. 4, <b>18, 25</b>	\$1,995	\$2,795
Oct. <b>2, 16, 30</b> ; Nov. <b>6, 13, 20</b> ; Dec. 11, 26	\$1,995	\$2,895
<b>2022</b>		
Jan. <b>8, 15, 22, 29</b> ; Feb. <b>3, 12, 19, 26</b> ; March <b>5, 19</b> ; April <b>2, 16</b> ; May 7; Sept. 3, 17, 24; Oct. 1, 15, 29; Nov. 5, 13, 19; Dec. 10, 26	\$1,995	\$2,895

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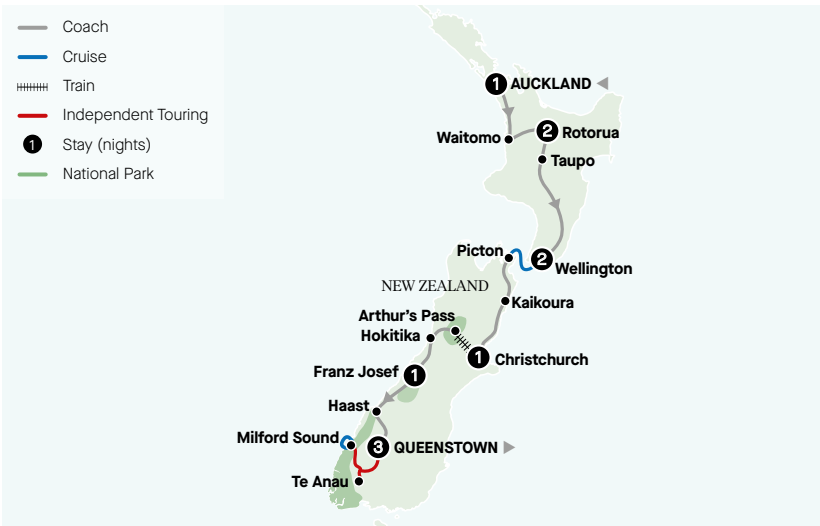


Queenstown

# Scenic Sights

Auckland to Queenstown 11 days / 10-night Classic Journey

Visit 15 places / Go For Three nights in Queenstown, the adventure capital



## Signature Experiences

- ⊛ Experience true Māori culture at a traditional Hāngī Feast.
- ⊛ Cruise across Cook Strait on the Interislander ferry.
- ⊛ Embark on an impressive rail adventure aboard the TranzAlpine train.
- ⊛ Cruise pristine Milford Sound.

### Trip Overview

Day	Destination
01	Arrive Auckland
02	Auckland – Waitomo Caves – Rotorua
03	Rotorua
04	Rotorua – Taupo – Wellington
05	Wellington
06	Wellington – Christchurch
07	Christchurch – TranzAlpine Train – Franz Josef
08	Franz Josef – Queenstown
09	Queenstown
10	Milford Sound – Queenstown (Independent touring)
11	Depart Queenstown (Independent touring)

From **\$5,595** per person twin share

Dates and Prices (A\$)	Twin From	Solo From
<b>11 Days Auckland to Queenstown (NCH11)</b>		
<b>2021</b> Jan. <b>26</b> ; Feb. <b>9, 23</b> ; March <b>2, 9, 23</b>	\$5,995	\$8,195
April <b>6, 20</b> ; May 11; July 20; Sept. 7, <b>21, 28</b>	\$5,595	\$7,595
Oct. <b>5, 19</b> ; Nov. 2, <b>9, 16, 23</b> ; Dec. 14, 29	\$5,995	\$8,195
<b>2022</b> Jan. <b>11, 18, 25</b> ; Feb. 1, <b>6, 15, 22</b> ; March 1, <b>8, 22</b>	\$5,995	\$8,195
April <b>5, 19</b> ; May 10	\$5,595	\$7,595
Sept. 6, 20, 27; Oct. 4, 18; Nov. 1, 8, 16, 22; Dec. 13, 29	\$5,995	\$8,195

## Highlights & Inclusions

- ✓ Experiences in 10 destinations.
- ✓ Freedom of Choice inclusions in three locations
- ✓ Locally-inspired dining – a total of 16 meals.
- ✓ 10 nights hand-picked accommodation.
- ✓ Services of an APT tour director and driver.
- ✓ Return airport transfers and portorage.

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Cook Strait



# Rail & Cruise Experiences of New Zealand

Christchurch to Auckland 16 days / 15-night Classic Journey + Rail Journey

Visit 15 places / Go For world-famous scenic rail journeys

## Signature Experience

- ✪ Ride the famous TranzAlpine train.
- ✪ Take in idyllic surrounds at Franz Josef.
- ✪ Enjoy a Doubtful Sound overnight cruise.
- ✪ Board the Taieri Gorge Railway.
- ✪ Journey aboard the Coastal Pacific Train.
- ✪ Cruise Cook Strait on the Interislander ferry.
- ✪ Explore Fell Locomotive Museum.
- ✪ Discover a self-drive Rail Cart experience in the Taumarunui Ranges.
- ✪ Experience true Māori culture at a traditional Hāngī Feast.
- ✪ Board the Glenbrook steam train.

**BLD:** Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

**Day 01: Arrive Christchurch** We'll meet and transfer to your hotel. Enjoy an afternoon city sights tour before a special welcome dinner. **D**  
Stay: Christchurch, Commodore Hotel.

**Day 02: Christchurch, TranzAlpine Train, Franz Josef** Board the TranzAlpine train and enjoy stunning views from the open-air viewing platform. Disembark at Greymouth and travel by coach to Franz Josef. **BD**

Stay: Franz Josef, Scenic Hotel.

**Day 03: Franz Josef, Queenstown** Travel along the Haast River, which offers sublime views. Arrive in Queenstown and choose your dining option (see page 41). **BD**

Two Nights: Novotel Queenstown Lakeside.

**Day 04: Queenstown** Today, choose your included activity (see page 40). **B**

**Day 05: Queenstown, Doubtful Sound**

Journey into Fiordland National Park to Doubtful Sound. During your visit, board an overnight cruise to discover rugged peaks, hidden islets and pristine rainforests. **BD**

Stay: Doubtful Sound overnight cruise.

**Day 06: Doubtful Sound, Dunedin** Travel to Dunedin. Wander the streets and admire the preserved historical buildings. **BD**

Two Nights: Distinction Dunedin Hotel.

**Day 07: Taieri Gorge Railway, Dunedin** Board the Taieri Gorge Railway for a picturesque journey. Spend the rest of the day at leisure. **B**

**Day 08: Dunedin, Aoraki (Mt Cook)** Continue to Aoraki/Mt Cook National Park, then head to the Sir Edmund Hillary Alpine Centre. **BD**

Stay: Aoraki (Mt Cook), The Hermitage Hotel, in a room with alpine views.

**Day 09: Aoraki (Mt Cook), Lake Tekapo, Christchurch** Drive to Lake Tekapo and visit the Church of the Good Shepherd. This afternoon, continue to Christchurch. **B**

Stay: Rydges Latimer Christchurch.

**Day 10: Christchurch, Coastal Pacific Train, Picton, Wellington** Board the Coastal Pacific train before boarding the Interislander ferry, cruising across Cook Strait to Wellington. **BD**

Two Nights: InterContinental Wellington.

**Day 11: Wellington** Discover Wellington on a sightseeing tour. Afterwards, visit Te Papa Tongarewa, renowned for its interactivity. **B**

**Day 12: Featherston, Tongariro National Park** In Featherston, visit the Fell Locomotive Museum. Continue to Tongariro National Park and take in dramatic landscapes of volcanoes, emerald lakes, lava flows and forests. **BD**

Stay: Chateau Tongariro Hotel.





## Highlights & Inclusions

- ✓ Experiences in 17 destinations.
- ✓ Freedom of Choice inclusions in two locations.
- ✓ Finest dining – a total of 26 meals.
- ✓ 15 nights hand-picked accommodation.
- ✓ Services of an APT tour director and driver.
- ✓ Return airport transfers and portorage.



**Day 13: Tongariro National Park, Rail Cruising Experience, Rotorua** Travel to Taumarunui for a self-drive rail experience. Later, board your coach for Rotorua and enjoy a traditional Hāngī Feast and cultural performance. **BLD**

Two Nights: Millennium Rotorua.

**Day 14: Rotorua** Explore Rotorua on your included activity (see page 40). **B**

**Day 15: Rotorua, Glenbrook Vintage Railway, Auckland** Travel to Glenbrook and board the Glenbrook Vintage Railway. Arrive in Auckland and enjoy a farewell dinner. **BD**

Stay: Grand Millennium Auckland.

**Day 16: Auckland** We say goodbye with a transfer to the airport for your flight. **B**

## Trip from \$7,995 per person twin share

Dates and Prices (A\$)	Twin From	Solo From
<b>16 Days Christchurch to Auckland (NRR16)</b>		
<b>2021</b>		
Jan. 19; Feb. <b>23</b> ; March 23	\$7,995	\$10,795
Oct. <b>12</b> ; Nov. 16	\$7,995	\$10,595
<b>2022</b>		
Jan. 11; Feb. <b>15</b> ; March 15; Oct. 11; Nov. 15	\$8,195	\$10,895

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## Travel Back in Time

### Glenbrook Vintage Railway

Step back in time as you experience the history of Glenbrook Vintage Railway. Board this historic steam train and glide through the North Island's enchanting landscapes.



Marlborough Sounds

# New Zealand's Queen Charlotte Track & Marlborough Sounds 10-day Walking Holiday

Christchurch to Wellington 10 days / 9-night Walking Holiday

**Visit** 9 places / **Go For** Epic views along the Queen Charlotte Track walk

## Signature Experiences

- ✦ Journey aboard the Coastal Pacific Train.
- ✦ Discover the Marlborough wine region, with a delicious lunch including wine tastings.
- ✦ Walk through pristine locations including Queen Charlotte and Kenepuru Sounds.
- ✦ Cruise the Interislander ferry with breathtaking views from the South to the North Island.
- ✦ Spend time discovering the New Zealand capital of Wellington with a walk or electric bike tour.

**Day 01: Arrive Christchurch** Be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel.

Stay: Novotel Christchurch or similar

**Day 02: Christchurch to Picton** Board the Coastal Pacific train for a scenic ride to Picton. Attend a pre-walk briefing before dinner. **BD**

Stay: Picton Yacht Club

**Day 03: Picton, Queen Charlotte Track to Endeavour Inlet** Board a ferry and cruise to Motuara Island where you'll set off on a short walk to the island's lookout. Head to Ship Cove and begin the first section of the Queen Charlotte track. Tonight, enjoy a gourmet dinner of local produce and Marlborough wine. **BLD**

Walking distance, 15 kilometres (5 hours)

Stay: Endeavour Inlet, Furneaux Lodge

**Day 04: Queen Charlotte Track, Endeavour Inlet to Punga Cove** Your walk takes you from the native bush surrounds of Endeavour Inlet. Enjoy the coastal views and a gourmet picnic lunch. Later, arrive at Punga Cove. **BLD**

Walking distance, 11.5 kilometres (4 hours)

Stay: Punga Cove Resort.

**Day 05: Queen Charlotte Track Punga Cove to Torea Bay** Today you may choose to embark on a challenging section of the walk, or opt to spend the day at leisure. The walkers will trek across the ridgeline from Punga Cove to Torea Saddle, with breathtaking views overlooking the Queen Charlotte and Kenepuru Sounds.

After a full day on the track, enjoy a dinner of contemporary New Zealand cuisine paired with Marlborough region wine. **BLD**

Walking distance, 23 kilometres (8 hours)

Stay: Torea Bay, Portage Hotel.

**Day 06: Queen Charlotte Track, Torea Bay to Anakiwa, Blenheim** Set off for the last day of the Queen Charlotte Track walk. The full day's walk includes a gourmet picnic lunch and plenty of rest breaks to enjoy the epic views. Arrive at Anakiwa Jetty where a boat will take you back to Picton, followed by a transfer to the town of Blenheim. **BL**

Walking distance, 20.5 kilometres (7 hours)

Two nights: Blenheim, Hotel Durville or Scenic Hotel, Marlborough Sounds.

**BLD:** Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner





## Highlights & Inclusions

- ✓ Experiences in 9 destinations.
- ✓ Locally inspired dining – a total of 19 meals.
- ✓ 9 nights luxury stays in boutique lodges and city hotels.
- ✓ Services of an APT Walking Leader and local walking guides.
- ✓ Guests (and luggage) travel between accommodation and trail-heads aboard a comfortable vehicle with an expert Driver-Guide.



**Day 07: Blenheim** This morning you may choose to relax or set off and explore the town of Blenheim. Enjoy lunch at a winery and tastings in the afternoon. **BL**

**Day 08: Blenheim to Wellington** Travel to Picton and board the Interislander Ferry. Cruise across Cook Strait through Marlborough and Queen Charlotte sounds. Arrive into Wellington and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure. **B**

Two Nights: Wellington QT Hotel.

**Day 09: Wellington** Discover Wellington on a walking or electric bike tour. Celebrate your walking holiday with a farewell dinner. **BD**

**Day 10: Depart Wellington** Be transferred to the airport for your flight home. **B**



## Marlborough Wines

Taste of the region

A trip to New Zealand's Marlborough region isn't complete without a delicious lunch perfectly paired with the region's finest wines, from Pinot Noir to Chardonnay and world-renowned Sauvignon Blanc.

## Trip from \$6,495 per person twin share

Dates and Prices (A\$)	Twin From	Solo From
<b>10 Days Christchurch to Wellington (DWNZQ10)</b>		
<b>2021</b>		
January 18; February 22	\$6,495	\$8,195
March 15; April 6		

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# Freedom of Choice™ Sightseeing

Personalise your holiday with a choice of included sightseeing options.



Nature & Wildlife



Culture & Heritage



Gourmet Delight



Get Active

## Auckland



**Ted Ashby Auckland Harbour Cruise**  
Board a heritage sailboat for a cruise on Auckland Harbour. See the city skyline, Sky Tower and Auckland Harbour Bridge from the water before visiting the Maritime Museum Gallery.



**All Blacks Experience**  
Immerse yourself in a guided encounter that connects you to the history, culture and people who have made the All Blacks such an important part of New Zealand's story.



**Make Believe - A Weta Workshop Experience**  
Journey behind the cinema curtain with the Academy Award-winning team at Weta Workshop and see how blockbuster films such as The Hobbit are created.



**Te Wao Nui - The Living Realm at Auckland Zoo**  
At Auckland Zoo, explore six stunning habitats showcasing the native flora and fauna of New Zealand. See the iconic kiwi, cheeky kea and more than 50 other native species.



**Bush and Beach Wilderness Adventure\***  
Escape the bustle of the city on a half-day tour to Auckland's wild, black sand beaches and lush rainforest. Join an experienced guide and learn about the forest's unique plants and wildlife.

## Dunedin



**Olveston Historic Home**  
Wander through the historic home of a wealthy merchant family built in the early 1900s. Inside, admire fine art, furniture and artefacts which have been collected from around the world.



**Speight's Brewery Tour & Tasting**  
Located on the same site since its inception in 1876, Speight's Brewery has become one of Dunedin and Otago's biggest and best known icons.



**Larnach Castle**  
Discover the history of Larnach Castle and its beautiful gardens on a guided tour. Nestled on the stunning Otago Peninsula, it is New Zealand's only castle and dates back to 1871.

## Aoraki (Mt Cook)



**Sir Edmund Hillary Alpine Centre**  
Visit the state-of-the-art Sir Edmund Hillary Alpine Centre and discover the history of this iconic region. The museum documents the pioneering heart of Aoraki (Mt Cook).



**Stargazing**  
Learn all about the stars of the southern night sky with an expert astronomer.



**Glacier Explorer Cruise**  
Step aboard a MAC boat for an up-close encounter with stunning icebergs on the Tasman Glacier Terminal Lake (summer months only).

## Queenstown



**Safari of the Scenes**  
Marvel at the beautiful scenery of this region on a 4WD safari. Based around several breathtaking sites where The Lord of the Rings trilogy was filmed, this tour takes you to thrilling and iconic locations.



**Wine Tour**  
This tour offers a personalised sightseeing experience of wineries in New Zealand's foremost wine region, and of course, tastings of the fine produce.



**Skippers Canyon**  
Enjoy an exciting 4WD adventure following the Shotover River Valley. Admire rocky cliffs, sheer drops and breathtaking river gorges along the way.



**Million Dollar Cruise**  
Glide across the mystical waters of Lake Wakatipu, keeping your eyes peeled for local bird life as well as enormous trout which freely swim about the lake's waters.



**Dart Wilderness Jet**  
A wilderness jet boat journey takes you deep into the World Heritage area of Mt Aspiring National Park on a glacier-fed river. Here, your guide will share the area's rich history.

## Rotorua



**Rotorua Icons**  
Embark on a Rotorua adventure. Experience the Agrodome Farm Show and visit Te Puia Thermal Reserve.



**Hobbiton Movie Set Tour**  
A must for any The Lord of the Rings fans, this tour explores locations where some of the famous scenes were filmed. You'll feel as though you're a part of the massive blockbuster trilogy.



**Eco-Thermal Tour**  
Drive through a unique mix of forest and farmland to visit New Zealand's largest boiling mud pool and a series of colourful hot springs at the calming Wai-O-Tapu.



# Freedom of Choice™ Dining

Personalise your holiday with a choice of included dining options.

## Queenstown



### Walter Peak

Cruise aboard a vintage steamer to Walter Peak High Country Farm and enjoy dinner at the Great Kiwi Carvery.



### Skyline Restaurant

Take a magical gondola ride up to the Skyline Restaurant. Enjoy stunning views and an extensive menu.



### Canyon Food & Brew Co.

Admire views over the Shotover River and canyon while enjoying quality crafted beer and flavoursome cuisine at Canyon Food & Brew Co.



### Your Hotel Restaurant

Enjoy a contemporary fusion of local and international cuisine conveniently located at your hotel.



## Freedom of Choice – Notes

Please refer to itinerary pages to determine which sightseeing activities apply to your chosen itinerary. Due to venue closures on some dates, some options may not be available as listed. Minimum and maximum numbers may apply on some activities for them to operate. Dining options are subject to availability and seasonal opening times of restaurants. Limited numbers and dining times apply.

\* Indicates activity cannot be combined with Auckland City Sights.

# Enrich Your Experience

Personalise your journey with our range of additional New Zealand experiences.

## Twin Glacier Helicopter Flight

Prepare to fly over famous West Coast glaciers, with rivers of ice winding down glacial valleys. You'll also enjoy a landing in the Franz Josef or Fox Glacier region.

Prices from \$345 per person.

## Haast River Jet Boat

This Jet Boat ride through the Haast River Valley takes you to the heart of the South Westland World Heritage area. Experience an untouched landscape of sharp peaks, and all their remarkable features.

Prices from \$120 per person.

## The Grand Traverse

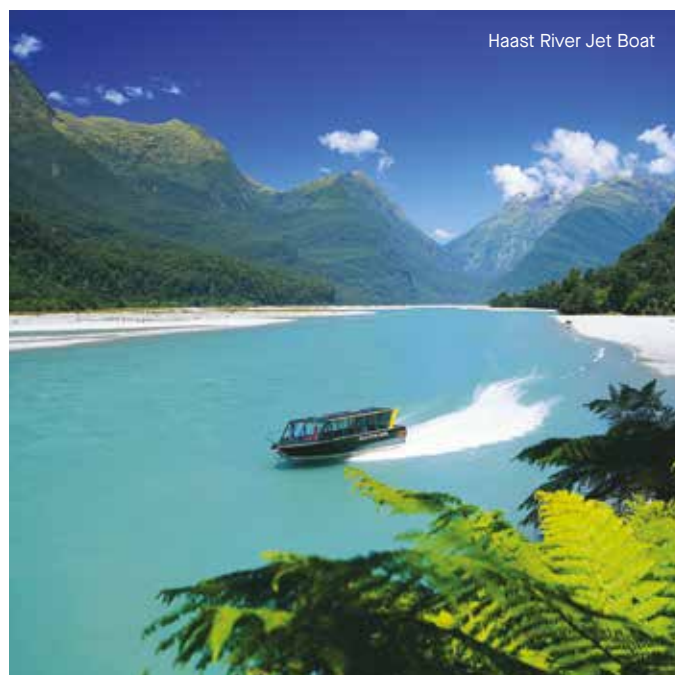
Take in all the glaciers and highest mountains of Westland Tai Poutini and Aoraki/Mt Cook National Parks. A guaranteed window seat will also ensure remarkable views.

Prices from \$375 per person.

## Alpine Vista

Fly by helicopter past the Ben Ohau mountain range to experience panoramic views of Aoraki (Mt Cook) and the Tasman Glacier. Savour a snow landing and superb views from this high alpine setting.

Prices from \$275 per person.



# Pre & Post Accommodation

Extend your stay with our selection of properties throughout New Zealand.

(A\$) Per Person, Including breakfast from	Twin From	Solo From
<b>Auckland</b>		
Grand Millennium Auckland	\$160	\$280
<b>Christchurch</b>		
The Commodore Hotel	\$150	\$265
Rydges Latimer Christchurch	\$130	\$225
<b>Queenstown</b>		
Novotel Queenstown Lakeside	\$200	\$365
<b>Wellington</b>		
InterContinental Wellington	\$160	\$275

All pre/post accommodation availability and rates are indicative only and may vary depending on trade fairs and seasonal events.



## Linger Longer

Your APT adventure draws to a close. You've enjoyed every minute but wouldn't it be great to have one last hurrah! Have more time. We offer extended stays at some of the best hotels in New Zealand where you can stay longer and spend more time. Exploring. Sightseeing. Dining. Turning those last pages of your holiday novel beside the hotel pool.

We choose our hotels and resorts for their location, reputation and ability to effortlessly enhance your holiday experience. Even when you've waved goodbye to your APT adventure, you'll experience the same exemplary level of attention and service as before. We've made your decision to linger a while an easy one.

Please note that all options may be weather dependent and minimum/maximum numbers may apply. Prices are in A\$, are indicative only and are subject to change. Some options may replace day's touring.



# Frequently Asked Questions

Tips and information about your New Zealand adventure with APT.

## **Are there a lot of walks on the tour?**

There are walks on our tours, however, they are mostly short in distance, with the exception of our Walking Tours, and many stops are available. Your tour director will be able to advise you of different options you can take.

## **How do I book Freedom of Choice Sightseeing and dining?**

Your Freedom of Choice sightseeing and dining options are booked on tour with your tour director. However, in some locations these will need to be pre selected at the time of booking.

## **Can I travel alone?**

Of course! Many of our passengers are solo travellers, though there is a limited number of solo rooms available on each trip.

## **What mobility is required?**

A good level of health and fitness is required to participate on an APT holiday. You will be required to embark and disembark the coach unaided, climb stairs and walk on uneven terrain. We recommend being able to walk unaided for a minimum of a kilometre. For APT's Walking Holidays, further distances will be travelled on foot. If there are any mobility issues you will be required to complete an APT Health and Fitness Mobility Form. Please speak to your booking agent regarding this.

## **When is the best time to travel to New Zealand?**

We operate tours in New Zealand all year round. With a varying climate, the best time to travel in New Zealand is based on what kind of experience you're after. Peak travel times fall between October and November, and February and March when the weather is warmer. You may prefer the quieter shoulder season between April and May when the weather is cooler and the popular attractions are less crowded.

## **What clothing should I bring?**

Naturally this depends on personal preferences, however it is recommended that passengers take into account the time of year they are travelling and bring a variety of warm and cool clothing. Pack sufficient lightweight, comfortable clothing and footwear – wearing layers is the best option. You should also ensure your walking shoes fit well and have been broken in prior to your trip, to ensure they are comfortable for all types of terrain. Most guests dress casually on tour, however, if heading into town for a night you may want to wear something smarter.

## **How often does the coach stop for rest breaks?**

This depends on what is planned each day. The coach will make regular stops for morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea, touring and photo stops. Your tour director can advise specific timings on tour.

## **Is there a toilet on the coach?**

Yes, there is a toilet on board all of our Classic Tours for guest use. We also make regular rest breaks as well.

## **I get motion sickness and have a doctor's certificate advising this, can I sit in the front row of the coach?**

To ensure all passengers have the opportunity to enjoy sitting at the front of the coach, we have implemented a daily seat rotation system. This system is not able to be adjusted to suit individual needs. Therefore, you may wish to bring along some natural remedies and medication to assist with motion sickness.

## **I have special dietary requirements, can this be catered for?**

All dietary requests will be taken into consideration and fulfilled where possible. The wide selection of menus and choice of dishes available will help in meeting special dietary requests. Please advise your booking agent as soon as possible of any dietary requests.

## **Will I need travel insurance?**

Travel insurance must be arranged prior to departure to ensure that you are covered for any unforeseen circumstances that may arise on tour (including cancellations, fees, medical and curtailment expenses, loss of luggage etc).

## **If my flight arrives in later than the suggested time, will I miss any touring?**

This will be dependent on the tour you are booked on. We have carefully considered our touring on the first day to ensure we cater for flight arrivals. If the flight does not arrive in time for this then any applicable touring will be forfeited and no refund provided.

## **How much luggage can I bring?**

We have a limit of one piece of luggage with a weight of no more than 20kg per person with sizing regulations. OHS regulations apply to the lifting of overweight items. This is regardless of any airfare luggage limits available in your flight booking class.

# Terms & Conditions

## GENERAL INFORMATION & CONDITIONS:

The following terms and conditions ('booking conditions') form the basis of your contract with Australian Pacific Touring Pty Ltd ('APT', 'we' or 'our'). Please read them carefully as they set out your and our respective rights and obligations.

**Our terms and conditions are divided in two sections - those of generic nature that are consistent across all APT holidays; and those of a specific nature that relate to particular holiday packages.**

By asking us to confirm your booking, we are entitled to assume that you have had the opportunity to read and have read these booking conditions, that you agree to them and that you agree to them applying to your holiday arrangements that you book with us and which we agree to make, provide or perform (as applicable) as part of our contract with you. References in these booking conditions to your 'holiday package' are references to the tour package you have booked with APT. References to 'excursions' are references to short trips or tours included or available as part of your holiday package.

### Governing Law

These booking conditions are governed by the law in force in Victoria, Australia.

## BEFORE YOU BOOK

### Price Validity

Published prices are valid at the time of publication but are subject to change. They may be varied by advertising or special offers, or changed after the publication date for any reason, including without limitation, to cover changes in government taxes and charges, exchange rate variations, fuel surcharges, airline charges, a force majeure event or other material increases by suppliers. The most up to date pricing may be found on our website - [www.aptouring.com.au](http://www.aptouring.com.au). Prices will be confirmed at time of booking and honoured for up to seven days. Once the security deposit is paid the price will be guaranteed.

**Please see important information listed under Special Conditions for relevant deposit and final payment terms.**

### Transfers

Airport transfers are included on the first and last day of the holiday package at designated times. No refund will be given for unused transfers. Transfers cannot be re-routed to other pick-up points or destinations. Passengers who miss the pre-booked transfers must make their own way to/from the hotel at their own expense. A group transfer is generally a shared transfer and the type of vehicle used will normally be dependent upon the size of the group.

### Freedom of Choice™ & Signature Experiences Excursions

Minimum and maximum group numbers apply on some Freedom of Choice or Signature Experience excursions. If your first choice of Freedom of Choice or Signature Experience excursion is unavailable you may be asked to choose an alternative.

### Public Holidays & Festivals

Most countries have public holidays, religious or otherwise. Festivities may temporarily disrupt your holiday and some religious holidays may result in a reduction of facilities and entertainment.

### Superdeals & Special Offers

Conditions Apply. For full terms and conditions relating to any Superdeal or special offer on your booking, please go to [www.aptouring.com.au/specialdeals](http://www.aptouring.com.au/specialdeals).

### Other Special Offers

Special Deals and Special Offers other than those advertised herein may be promoted by APT after the program is released. These new special deals/offers do not apply to existing bookings unless otherwise stated.

## BOOKING & PAYING FOR YOUR HOLIDAY

### Airfares

Air travel is arranged with independent airlines. APT will arrange air travel as advertised in connection with your holiday package or otherwise arranged with APT. All airfares are subject to flight and booking class availability. Airfares will be booked and ticketed upon receipt of your deposit to avoid price or tax increases. Airport taxes vary for each departure point and routing of airline. Airline schedules are subject to change without notice. Once air tickets are issued, airline amendment and/or cancellation fees apply and, in some cases, are non-refundable. Name changes and voluntary date and schedule changes will incur fees. APT is not liable for delays or disruptions of air travel. Once tickets are issued APT will have no other liability and will not be responsible for refunding the cost of any services booked in conjunction with the flights.

### Airline Loyalty Points Eligibility

APT uses the services of a range of airlines in its packages. APT does not warrant that its airfares attract loyalty points as airlines control the application of loyalty points in all cases. Requests to use loyalty points to upgrade travel need to be directed to the airline concerned by the member.

### APT Deposit Cancellation Peace of Mind

Applicable when an upfront fee of \$95 per person is paid with your deposit. The holiday package can be cancelled prior to the final payment date and your deposit will be retained as an APT holding credit to be used for future bookings. If Deposit Cancellation Peace of Mind is claimed, monies held must be used on a future tour and cannot be redeemed against the original tour departure date. Deposits

held in credit will exclude fees imposed by third parties, including but not limited to air travel, rail travel and hotels. When booking airfares through APT (including when taking advantage of a special offer that includes air travel), standard airline cancellation fees will apply. In some cases, airfares will be non-refundable. In the event of cancellation, these fees will be deducted from the deposit paid, and therefore the credit being held. APT Deposit Cancellation Peace of Mind applies to new bookings only and is only valid up until 100 days prior to travel. After three years, unused credit funds will incur the original cancellation conditions. This does not replace travel insurance, which you are required to purchase at the time of booking.

### Travel Insurance

Travel Insurance is not included in your holiday package. For your protection, you are required to purchase comprehensive travel insurance that includes (without limitation) coverage for the full cost of your holiday package, medical expenses, loss of luggage, land content and airfare charges that may occur due to cancellation, impossibility of performance or other frustration, disruption, loss of deposit or strikes, and provide a copy to us.

### Travel Information & Documents

After booking you will receive an invoice with all important information relevant to your holiday package. We strongly recommend you check the details carefully and read the included information. Please ensure that you check your flight timings carefully on your tickets, particularly early am departures. Approximately 21 days before departure you will receive your e-ticket together with your final itinerary. However in the case of late bookings, charges or late payment, tickets may be emailed to you.

### Special Requests

Where a special request (e.g. diet, room location, twin or double bedded room, a particular facility at a hotel, flight seat requests and/or particular meals) is an important factor in your choice of holiday, you must advise us when your booking is made. APT will pass your request onto the hotel, airline or other supplier but cannot guarantee that it will be accommodated. APT will also pass on any dietary requests to the airline but we strongly recommend that you check directly with the airline once your tickets have been issued. The provision of any special request does not constitute a term of your contract with us. Confirmation that a special request has been noted or passed on to the supplier or the inclusion of the special request on your confirmation invoice or any other documentation is not confirmation that the request will be met. Unless and until specifically confirmed, all special requests are subject to availability.

### Credit & Debit Card Surcharges

If you pay APT by credit or debit card, surcharges will apply. In the case of credit cards a surcharge of between 1% and 3% (depending on the card used), will be added to the tour price. In the case of debit cards a charge of 0.5% will be added to the tour price.

### Accuracy

APT has endeavoured to ensure that the information provided about accommodation, itineraries etc., is correct to the best of its knowledge at the time of publication. However, advertised descriptions and facilities and prices may change after publication. We recommend that you confirm the details of your chosen holiday package at the time of booking. Additionally, flight times, carriers and routes are given for guidance only as there may be changes. Final details will be shown on your tickets. Holiday package or excursion itineraries may change or be different from those described in our collateral as a result of local conditions, weather conditions, annual events. APT will endeavor to notify you of any significant changes prior to your departure.

### Flight Changes

The flight timings detailed on your confirmation invoice are for guidance only and are subject to alteration and confirmation. Flight timings are set by airlines and affected by events outside our control. Scheduled and charter flight timings, and days of operation are also subject to change. APT will advise you of any significant changes as soon as it is informed by the airline. Minor timing changes will be shown on your flight tickets. Any change in the identity of the airline, flight timings or aircraft type (if advised) will not entitle you to cancel or change to other arrangements without paying any applicable cancellation fees except where specified in these booking conditions.

### Force Majeure

Force Majeure means the occurrence of an event that is beyond APT's reasonable control and which could not have been reasonably prevented by APT, which includes, but is not limited to: (a) war, armed conflict, criminal damage, riot, civil strife, industrial dispute, terrorist activity or the threat of any such acts; (b) natural disaster (including but not limited to flooding, fire, earthquake, landslide), adverse weather conditions, high or low water levels; (c) nuclear or other industrial accident causing environmental pollution or contamination; or (d) change in law, meaning, enactment, amendment (including repeal) in the law or administration of any law in Australia or any jurisdiction or territory relevant to the booking contract, which includes changes in statute, regulation, determination, by-law, declaration, license and the common law as applicable from time to time, including changes or amendments in regulations or access to

services, sites or countries caused by declared epidemic or pandemic events.

### Termination of Booking Contract or Change of Travel Arrangements due to Force Majeure

If APT, in its reasonable opinion, considers that any Force Majeure event prevents APT (whether directly or through its employees, contractors, subcontractors and agents) from lawfully or safely providing any products or services subject of the booking contract with you, APT may immediately by written notice: (a) terminate the booking contract (in whole or in part); or (b) change your travel arrangements as reasonably practicable to ensure your safety and invoice you for any additional costs.

### Limitation of Liability in the Event of Force Majeure

In the event of a force majeure event making it impossible or unsafe for APT to deliver all or part of the Holiday Package, APT will refund the customer for the unperformed part of the Holiday Package less any reasonable losses incurred before cancellation. Losses may amount to a substantial proportion of the booking price. APT will use reasonable endeavours to minimise losses incurred by customers. Customers must take out travel insurance to protect themselves against loss in the circumstances.

### Local Purchases

APT is not responsible for any items you may purchase locally i.e. jewellery/furniture etc. You acknowledge that you are solely responsible for any import duty or freight costs.

### Disruption to Itinerary Arrangements

Itineraries are intended as a guide only and are subject to alteration without notice. Alterations may be necessary for various reasons including, without limitation, road or weather conditions, strikes or other reasons beyond APT's reasonable control. If conditions render any routes unsafe for navigation, APT reserves the right to provide alternative services including but not limited to accommodation. Under normal conditions, itineraries will operate as far as possible as detailed. However, sometimes for reasons beyond our control, it may be necessary to make alterations to your itinerary. For example, it may be necessary to operate part of the itinerary using another form of transport and alternative sightseeing may be included. APT will not be liable for any direct or indirect costs that you incur as a result of any event or other factor beyond our control which necessitates a change in your itinerary. APT cannot guarantee exact arrival and departure times for carriers and operators used by APT and APT will not be liable for failure to make connections with any other services or attractions beyond its control.

### Personal Belongings & Lost Items

For security reasons, valuables should be kept to a minimum and packed in your hand luggage along with your medicines. It is your responsibility to look after your property at all times and you must ensure you are adequately covered by comprehensive travel insurance in the event of any loss.

### Data Protection Policy

Any personal information (including sensitive information and health information) that APT obtains and retains from you or about you is necessary for our business purposes. Our Privacy Policy details why we collect this information, who we may disclose it to (including overseas recipients), and the main consequences if we do not collect it. Our Privacy Policy also contains information about how you may seek access to, or correction of, the personal information held about you, and our complaint resolution procedures. Our Privacy Policy is available at [www.aptouring.com.au/privacy](http://www.aptouring.com.au/privacy) or by request to us. By providing personal or sensitive information to us, you are agreeing to the terms of our Privacy Policy.

### Limitation of Liability

1. Our holiday packages include the services of independent providers, such as hoteliers, airlines, cruise companies and other operators, who are not agents, servants or employees of APT. Although we take care in selecting the independent service providers and the optional excursions conducted by some independent service providers, APT is not responsible for the conduct of the independent service providers, their servants and agents or for any ramifications of that conduct. Optional excursions may, depending on your holiday package, include activities such as climbing, exploring, bike riding, swimming and snorkelling. You accept and assume the risk involved with these activities.

2. If, in the opinion of any representative of APT, your mental or physical condition, or general behaviour is such as to affect your own health and safety, render you incapable to care for yourself, cause you to become a hazard to yourself or other passengers or result in you becoming objectionable to other passengers or staff, you will not be permitted to embark or continue on the whole or any part of the holiday package. APT representatives are empowered to ask guests to depart a holiday package if they are displaying known COVID-19 symptoms. Abuse or harassment of any kind toward crew, contracted suppliers or other guests may result in immediate removal from a holiday package. Guests will be responsible for arranging and paying for their own transport home if they are asked to leave the tour. APT is not liable to you for any costs associated with such decision and you will not be refunded for any part of the holiday package.

3. APT accepts no responsibility for any death, injury, illness, loss (including loss of enjoyment), damage, detention, delay (including mechanical breakdown) beyond its control.

4. Any term, condition or warranty expressed or implied by statute or otherwise in respect of the holiday packages contained in any of our collateral are excluded to the full



extent permitted by law. Nothing in these booking conditions excludes, restricts or modifies the application of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth) as amended, consolidated, supplemented or replaced.

5. To the full extent permitted by law, APT's liability arising under or in connection with these booking conditions: (a) is limited to the re-supply of the products or services or the payment of the cost of re-supply of the products or services to you; and (b) excludes liability for any indirect or consequential losses suffered by you or any third party, howsoever caused, including but not limited to pure economic loss or any special, extraordinary or punitive damage to you or any other party.

6. Your travel agent will forward deposits and other payments to us on your behalf, but your travel agent is not our agent for the purpose of receipt of monies. Receipt of deposits and subsequent payments by the travel agent does not constitute receipt of those monies by us and the travel agent has no authority expressed or implied to receive monies on our behalf. There is no liability on the part of APT in respect to any monies paid to your travel agent unless and until APT notifies you (by way of a booking confirmation advice or payment receipt advice) that monies have been received by APT. APT reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or refuse to carry any passenger where payment has not been received by APT within the specified time.

7. Specific meal requests are requests only and cannot be guaranteed.

#### Medical Assistance

APT does not employ medical staff on its tours. If you require medical attention, local medical services can be contacted immediately. You are responsible for all charges that result from a visiting a medical facility, or for a medical practitioner visiting you. APT is not responsible for the type or quality of the medical services you may receive.

#### Smoking

Government regulations forbid smoking in tourist coaches, however frequent stops are made for those wishing to smoke. Smoking is not permitted in hotel rooms. Requests for smoking/non-smoking rooms will be passed on to hotels but cannot be guaranteed.

#### Service Enquiries

If a problem occurs during your holiday you should, in your own interests, advise your tour director so that steps can be taken to resolve the matter. If you remain dissatisfied, any complaint must be made in writing to APT within 30 days.

#### Luggage Limits

Each passenger is entitled to take one piece of luggage that does not exceed 160cm (63 inches), or weigh more than 20kg (44 pounds). Dimensions for checked baggage are calculated by adding together the width, height and depth of the piece of baggage. An extra charge will be imposed to cover portage handling of any additional luggage. Your tour director will advise you of the exact additional charge.

### ADDITIONAL SPECIAL CONDITIONS PERTAINING TO NEW ZEALAND HOLIDAY PACKAGES:

**Classic Journeys & Rail Journeys:** A \$200 security deposit per person, per holiday package is required within seven days of booking confirmation. Final payment of the balance of your holiday package price is due 100 days prior to departure unless stated in the terms of a special offer.

**Walking Holidays:** A \$500 security deposit per person, per holiday package is required within seven days of booking confirmation for all Walking Holidays. Final payment of the balance of your holiday package price is due 65 days prior to departure for departures in 2020, and 100 days prior to departure for departures in 2021 unless stated in the terms of a special offer.

Deposit requirements may vary when booking a special offer. APT reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or, refuse to honour any price or carry any passenger where any payment has not been received by APT within the specified time. All fares and charges are in Australian currency. Payment in full is required at time of booking for all reservations made less than 100 days before departure from Australia or New Zealand. If APT is unable to confirm your reservation, all monies will be refunded. Hotels may apply surcharges for late booking requests.

#### Travelling with Minors

**Classic Journeys & Rail Journeys:** Children under 15 when sharing accommodation with one adult receive 20% off the holiday price. Children under 12 years of age are not recommended to participate in a coach tour. Children under 18 years must be accompanied by an adult.

**Walking Holidays:** Children under 15 years of age are not permitted on walking holidays. Children under 18 years must be accompanied by an adult and share their accommodation with an adult.

#### Included in Holiday Package Price

All coach and travel, accommodation, airport transfers on the first and last day, sightseeing, specified excursions, meals, tour, admissions. Classic Journeys & Rail Journeys include the services of a tour director (if minimum numbers are not met, the tour director's duties may be covered by a driver guide) as stated in your itinerary. Walking Holidays include a walking tour leader.

#### Not Included in Holiday Package Price

Airfares (unless stated), airport taxes, laundry, passport and visa fees, gratuities, food not on the regular table d'hôte menu, drinks may or may not be included as indicated in

your itinerary, excess baggage, fuel surcharges and optional excursions and gratuities not specified in your itinerary.

#### Choosing Your Holiday

Holidays operate on nominated dates as shown on each itinerary only. To maximise your enjoyment and to ensure that it lives up to your expectations, it is important that you choose the right holiday package for you. Our marketing collateral contains limited information, however, there is more information online at [www.aptouring.com.au](http://www.aptouring.com.au) and our qualified staff are available to discuss your options.

#### Hotels:

**Classic Journeys & Rail Journeys:** In more remote places, hotel standards may not be quite as high as in major centres. APT endeavours to utilise the most suitable accommodation available in each destination to ensure that passengers enjoy high levels of cleanliness, comfort and service. The hotels listed will be used on almost all holiday packages.

**Walking Holidays:** Guided walks use eco sustainable accommodation, which may not be considered as high standard as hotels in major cities, although they are considered to offer a high level of comfort in these remote and pristine locations. However, if a change is necessary for any reason, if alternative accommodation is needed it will be of an equivalent standard.

#### Twinn or Double Rooms

Accommodation in all hotels, regardless of the rating, is in standard rooms (sometimes named superior/deluxe) based on twins or doubles unless otherwise stated.

#### Triple Rooms

Triple room prices are subject to availability and based on existing room size, hotel bedding (twin/double beds) and the third bed may be a rollaway.

#### Solo Travellers

A limited number of single rooms may be available at time of booking. Single rooms may be smaller than twin or double bedded rooms and may have a single bed.

#### APT Welcomes Passengers with Disabilities or Special Needs However, Please Note the Following:

1. Any disability or medical condition requiring special attention must be reported to APT at the time of booking including all important information relating to your health, mobility and fitness which may affect your partial or total participation in the cruise or tour. This information is also crucial to allow APT to ensure the tour you have chosen is suitable and meets your needs. Any changes to health, mobility and fitness must also be reported to APT as soon as possible and prior to departure. Where possible APT will make reasonable adjustments to the tour to accommodate your special needs however, it cannot do so if the adjustment required would be unreasonable in all of the circumstances, including if such adjustments would affect your safety and/or the safety and/or enjoyment of other passengers.

2. If you require special assistance or care (such as pushing a wheelchair, assistance with dressing or assistance with walking or hearing emergency alarms unaided), you must travel with a companion capable of providing the required assistance or care. APT is unable to assist any passenger with walking, dining, boarding or disembarking any transportation vehicles (including river and ocean cruise ships and trains). To safely participate in embarkation and disembarkation you must be able to do so without the need for special assistance. You must also be able to do so without unreasonably impacting other passengers' safety and/or enjoyment.

3. While APT will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of disabled passengers, it is not responsible for any denial of services by any third party entities it has travel arrangements with, such as carriers, hotels, trains, restaurants or other independent suppliers, or for any additional associated expenses charges by those parties.

4. Please note coaches and minibuses are not equipped with wheelchair ramps. Wheelchairs and walkers cannot be carried on coaches, due to space limitations.

#### Passengers Needing Special Assistance – Important Additional Information for Walking Holidays

As this product by its very nature is a walking tour and traverses uneven ground, APT is unable to accept passengers who are unable to walk at a reasonable pace (please check tour notes for the particular tour for details). APT regrets that wheelchair passengers or those requiring other mobility assistance cannot be accepted.

#### Health and Fitness

A good level of fitness and health is required to participate on APT's holiday packages. In some destinations there are extensive sightseeing excursions by foot which includes the climbing of stairs. Mobility is needed boarding or alighting coaches, river cruise ships and trains. We recommend a visit to the doctor before travelling to overseas destinations and consult with them regarding any vaccinations which may be required. It is your responsibility to advise APT of any pre-existing medical conditions that may affect the normal conduct of a holiday package and the enjoyment of other passengers. A Health, Fitness & Mobility Questionnaire will be provided and requested to be completed at the time of booking if you advise of any health, fitness or mobility issues. APT is not liable for any injury, illness, or loss of enjoyment which could have been reasonably prevented had we been made aware of a pre-existing condition and been provided an opportunity to review it. We will not be responsible for any costs associated with cancellation

penalties or the return of passengers from a tour, and a refund for lost touring cannot be claimed.

#### Health and Fitness – Important Additional Information Walking Holidays

It is your responsibility to thoroughly read the Itinerary and any trip notes to ensure that you have adequate levels of fitness to participate in the tour. Passengers must be in good health and able to walk up to 8 to 10 hours a day to undertake any of our walks. Some training and preparation work is required prior to departure. The more physically prepared you are, the more enjoyable your walk will be. Please refer to Individual Itineraries for distances walked each day. APT or its walking tour providers reserve the right in their absolute discretion to refuse a guest the right to participate in a trip on medical or fitness grounds. This includes the inability to walk up to 8 hours a day with breaks. Some days may be challenging with steep ascents and climbing of steps.

#### IF YOU WANT TO CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY Changes or Additions to Your Holiday

If you want to change any part of your holiday arrangements after the invoice has been issued, we will do our best to make the change, but it may not be possible. Any request for changes must be made in writing by the person who made the original booking, or his or her travel agent. If it is possible to make the change, it will be subject to an administration charge of \$70 per person and payment of any further costs incurred as a result of the change.

#### Cancellation Policy

The following APT cancellation fees apply:

#### Days of Notice

Prior to Departure:	Fee Per Person
100 days or more	Loss of deposit
99-81 days	35% of holiday package price
80-61 days	50% of holiday package price
60-0 days or less	100% of holiday package price

All cancellations must be received in writing by APT and are not effective until this notification has been received.

If your holiday has commenced, 100% of the full holiday package price is charged. There is no refund for unused services or if portions of the holiday package are missed. Additional cancellation fees may also be charged in respect of accommodation reserved outside the holiday package dates. These cancellation fees are in addition to any fees that may be levied by APT and your travel agent (if any). You acknowledge that the amounts estimated under the Cancellation Policy are reasonable and represent a genuine pre-estimate of APT's loss and are otherwise reasonably necessary to protect the legitimate interests of APT. If you request changes, or amend your booking in any way after APT has issued your documents, APT may charge you an administration and processing fee of \$70 per person in addition to any applicable cancellation fees.

#### Cancellation of Ticketed Airfares

An APT cancellation fee of \$50 per person applies for ticketed airfares, in addition to any airline cancellation fees that are applicable.

#### Changes to Ticketed Airfares

If you wish to amend the date or routing on your ticketed air booking, an APT amendment fee of \$30 per person for the first change and \$85 per person for any subsequent changes will be charged in addition to airline change fees and additional taxes that are applicable. If, for any reason, a name change to a ticketed Airfare is required, a \$125 per person name change fee will apply for every change in addition to any applicable airline fees.

#### IF WE NEED TO CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY

APT endeavours to provide you with all the services confirmed to you at the time of your booking. However, we plan arrangements a long time in advance of your departure date using independent suppliers such as airline, hotels etc., over whom we have no direct control. On occasions changes do have to be made, and APT reserves the right to cancel or amend holiday packages/excursions accordingly.

#### ON HOLIDAY

#### Freedom of Choice Dining Inclusions

APT reserves the right to change restaurants should circumstances warrant.

#### Seat Allocation on Coach Tours

To ensure all passengers enjoy forward and window facing seats, we have incorporated a daily seat rotation system. This system is not able to be adjusted to suit individual needs under any circumstances.

#### APT Club Terms & Conditions

Details including the range of benefits are available on our website at: [www.aptouring.com.au/APTClub](http://www.aptouring.com.au/APTClub)

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Australia is a land of environmental extremes. Due to natural disasters and a global pandemic, the Australian rural communities are facing some of their toughest times yet. By supporting Rural Aid, APT is helping our farming and rural communities when they need it most.

### A World of Difference

At OneTomorrow we believe in travel as a platform for change. Across the APT Travel Group, we've partnered with a range of organisations and implemented initiatives to help protect the environment and ensure the wellbeing of local people wherever we go.

### Making Travel Mean More

Working together, we can support not-for-profit organisations to continue helping their communities. The best part? Donations through OneTomorrow are tax deductible\*, and all donations will be matched dollar for dollar. So together we can double our impact.

With your help, we can continue to shape the world together

Visit our website to learn more about the causes we support

[onetomorrow.com.au](http://onetomorrow.com.au)



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## **Proudly Australian Owned**

It has been a privilege to welcome so many guests aboard APT's award-winning journeys, and a joy to see those guests fall in love with each new experience the world presents. For many years, the unique spirit of our family-owned and operated company has set us apart – 2021 will be no exception. So it is with great pleasure that I invite you to Live Fully with APT.

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