

New Zealand

the dream destination



Auckland | Rotorua | Queenstown | Christchurch

Auckland

DAY 1

Arrive into Auckland, the 'City of Sails'. An afternoon *orientation tour* familiarises guests with the harbour city. This evening, enjoy a *Welcome to New Zealand* dinner in Auckland's *SkyTower* offering 360° views of Auckland city and its stunning harbour.

DAY 2

Experience Auckland's Waitemata Harbour on an exclusive *sailing regatta*, followed by lunch at the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron – former home to the prestigious *America's Cup*. Tonight guests will have the opportunity to dine in the home of a *local New Zealand family*, sharing food, wine, views and opinions.



From Left to Right: Sky Tower. Auckland Harbour Bridge at Sunset. Sailing, Auckland Harbour. Thermal Lake, Rotorua.

Rotorua

DAY 3

Depart the city and experience New Zealand countryside on the way to *Rotorua*, home of *geothermal 'hotspots'* and *New Zealand Maori Culture*. Enjoy a tasty BBQ lunch at a working New Zealand dairy farm en route.

DAY 4

Today offers a sightseeing tour including the *Waimangu Volcanic Valley*, a unique scenic reserve. Waimangu is a tranquil, uncrowded place with walkways designed to allow intimate involvement with outstanding *geothermal features* and plants. The tour ends at the *Skyline Gondola* where lunch is enjoyed overlooking Rotorua and its beautiful lake. This evening guests experience a traditional Maori Concert and *hangi dinner*.



From Left to Right: Steaming geothermal pools, Rotorua. Maori Cultural Performance. Bubbling geothermal mud pools, Rotorua. Bungy Jumping, Queenstown.

Queenstown

DAY 5

This morning is at leisure before transferring to Rotorua Airport to fly to *Queenstown* – 'The Adventure Capital of the World'. On arrival board a waiting jet boat at a jetty next to *Queenstown Airport* for an unforgettable arrival into the area. *Wine tasting and lunch* is enjoyed at a local vineyard surrounded by picturesque scenery. A stop is made at the famous *Kawarau Bungy Bridge* giving guests the opportunity to watch this adventure sport, and perhaps be inspired to return and try it themselves. Dinner will be at leisure this evening allowing guests to wander into town and choose from one of the many dining options *Queenstown* has to offer.

DAY 6

Travel from *Queenstown* to *Glenorchy* – a quaint township situated at the head of *Lake Wakatipu*. Here, guests will join the *Dart River Safari* for a scenic trip into the foothills of *Mount Aspiring National Park*. This trip is conducted by coach and jet boat. The *jet boat* offers a way to see parts of the spectacular *National Park* otherwise only accessible by foot. A lunch box is included in this excursion. This evening the group dines together at a restaurant located at *Steamer Wharf* overlooking *Lake Wakatipu*.

Queenstown

DAY 7

Today is at leisure and free for individual pursuits. There is no shortage of activities in Queenstown! Guests may like to *bungee jump*, *parapente*, fish for trout, go horseback or quad bike riding, *white water rafting*, play a round of golf, blast up the *Shotover River* on a Shotover Jet boat, fly to the '8th Wonder of the World' – Milford Sound, take the historic TSS Earnslaw steamship to Walter Peak Station &

Homestead, relax with a massage or facial, or take in the Queenstown shops. Tonight's evening function will be held at the *Skyline complex* (accessed by gondola) sitting high above the lake and town, and overlooking the magnificent *Remarkables mountain range*. Watch the setting sun cast its shadow on the mountains and enjoy fabulous food, wine and entertainment.



From Left to Right: Four wheel driving Queenstown. Golf, Queenstown. Aoraki - Mount Cook Lily. Avon River, Christchurch

Christchurch

DAY 8

Today the group travels by coach to Christchurch – 'The Garden City'. A lunch stop is made at the beautiful *Mount Cook Village*, home of New Zealand's highest mountain. Time is allowed to walk around the Alpine Village or visit the Sir Edmund Hillary Alpine Centre. (Optional *flightseeing* options can be offered to the group). Dinner is at leisure in Christchurch tonight.



DAY 9

This day offers a combination of *scenery*, *wildlife*, *wine* and *cheese*... with a *French Flavour*. Crossing the Port Hills, take in the stunning views of Christchurch and the Canterbury plains before continuing onto the historic French and British settlement of Akaroa. *Wine tasting* and lunch is enjoyed at a French inspired winery offering boutique wines and beautiful grounds.



Following lunch, a *harbour cruise* gives the opportunity to sight Hector's or New Zealand *Dolphins* and little *White Flipped Blue Penguins* before time is set aside to explore the *historic French Whaling town*.

This evening's farewell to New Zealand dinner is held at a well known and loved Christchurch restaurant/venue. Located in a Tudor-style house, situated in the heart of Christchurch and looking out over the lawn to the River Avon it provides the perfect setting to farewell Christchurch.



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Transfer to Christchurch Airport for the departure flight from New Zealand.

Images right, from top to bottom: Hooker Valley and Aoraki, Mount Cook. Dolphins, Akaroa. Frankton Arm, Queenstown.

From **€2,099***

Per person,
share twin/double,
land only

*Does not include the Rotorua to Queenstown flight. This should be purchased in-conjunction with the international ticket.

Terms & Conditions: The above itinerary is land only and has been quoted in EUR based on the current exchange rate (01 May 2011 – EUR1 = NZD1.77). Airfares and airport taxes are additional. Prices are based on a group size of 40 persons or more. Beverages have not been included into the pricing where meals have been quoted. Prices are valid until 01 May 2012 – subject to availability and seasonality.

Includes: Coach transportation throughout the itinerary • Auckland Orientation Tour • Welcome dinner in Auckland SkyTower • Sailing regatta • Lunch at the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron • Home-Hosted Dinner • Full day tour to Rotorua • BBQ Lunch at a working dairy farm • Rotorua Orientation and visit to Waimangu Volcanic Valley • Lunch at Skyline Rotorua • Traditional Maori Concert and Hangi dinner • Jet boat arrival into Queenstown • Lunch, vineyard tour and tastings at a local winery • Dart River Safari and boxed lunch • Dinner at a Queenstown restaurant • Evening function at Skyline Queenstown • Full day tour to Christchurch • Lunch at Mount Cook Village • Akaroa tour, morning tea, lunch, wine tasting, harbour cruise • Farewell dinner • Local guide.



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