

# New Zealand

the dream destination



## Auckland Contemporary, Multicultural, Vibrant

**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’ reception commencing with a traditional greeting from the *local Maori people*, and followed by a *cultural performance*.

**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.

**DAY 3** Today is at leisure and free for individual pursuits. Activities are plentiful in Auckland. Guests may like to climb the *Harbour Bridge*, play golf at the Gulf Harbour or Formosa Country Clubs, explore dormant *Rangitoto Island*, take a *Dolphin and Whale watching safari*, *kayak*, enjoy lunch at a *Waiheke Island vineyard*, jump from or climb the *Sky Tower*, *tandem skydive*, visit the Auckland War Memorial *Museum*, take to the skies in a *helicopter*, explore the shops of the central city or surrounding suburbs, enjoy a *spa treatment*

– or simply relax! This evening a local dine-around will take place – allowing guests to sample one of the many *award-winning restaurants* Auckland has to offer.

**DAY 4** Depart the city to experience New Zealand’s *countryside*. Enjoy a tasty *BBQ lunch* on a privately-owned working farm, taking a look into the life of a typical New Zealand farmer. The evening is at leisure. Many restaurants can be found just a short walk from the hotel and recommendations will be provided.

**DAY 5** Today is at leisure and free for individual pursuits. Guests choose their final Auckland activity to conclude their New Zealand experience. Tonight, a *gala farewell function* will be held at one of Auckland’s special evening venues.

**DAY 6** Transfer to Auckland Airport for the departure flight from New Zealand. Alternatively, create a program which combines other New Zealand destinations.

From USD **\$3,400\*** per person, share twin – ex West Coast USA (\*\$3600.00 Dec-Feb)

From USD **\$3,800\*** per person, share twin – ex East Coast USA (\*\$4000.00 Dec-Feb)

**Includes:** • Round trip airfare from USA • 5 nights in a first-class hotel (incl. breakfast) • Coach transfers • Welcome function including Maori cultural performance and dinner • City Orientation Tour • Lunch at the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron • Home-hosted dinner • Dine-Around evening • Countryside tour – including lunch on a private farm • Farewell function

From Left to Right: Sky Tower. Auckland Harbour Bridge at Sunset. Hilton Auckland. Maori Cultural Performance.



## Queenstown Adventurous, Breathtaking, Majestic

**DAY 1** Arrive into Auckland and transfer on to Queenstown – “The Adventure Capital of the World.” 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 held on site at the hotel this evening, and a *Maori performing group* will welcome and entertain the group prior to being seated for dinner.

**DAY 2** 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. Following the excursion, lunch will be served in Glenorchy. This evening a local dine-around will take place - allowing guests to sample one of the many *award-winning restaurants* Queenstown has to offer.



From Left to Right: Golf, Queenstown. Bungy Jumping, Queenstown.



From Left to Right: Jet Boating, Queenstown. View of Lake Wakatipu, Queenstown. Frankton Arm, Queenstown.

**DAY 3** 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 for morning tea and a farm show, relax with a *massage or facial*, or take in the *Queenstown shops*.

**DAY 4** Today, *4WD vehicles* take guests along the rugged and isolated *Skippers Canyon road* – one of the most significant gold mining access routes left in New Zealand today, and considered to be Queenstown's most spectacular back country trip. The vehicles cross the *Skippers Canyon Swing Bridge* and stop for guests to enjoy a brew of tea and an opportunity to try their hand at *gold panning*. The historic and restored *Skippers Canyon township* is visited before taking the winding trail road back to Queenstown. This evening the group dines exclusively in a charming, historic and *iconic Queenstown restaurant*.

**DAY 5** Today is at leisure and free for individual pursuits. Guests choose their final Queenstown activity to conclude their New Zealand experience. Tonight's farewell 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 - in true 'Kiwi' style.

**DAY 6** Transfer to Queenstown Airport for the departure flight from New Zealand. Alternatively, create a program which combines Queenstown with Auckland.

From USD **\$3,650\*** per person, share twin – ex West Coast USA (\*\$3850.00 Dec-Feb)

From USD **\$4,050\*** per person, share twin – ex East Coast USA (\*\$4240.00 Dec-Feb)

**Includes:** • Round trip airfare from USA • 5 nights in a first-class hotel (incl. breakfast) • Round trip domestic airfare to Queenstown • Coach transfers • Jet boat arrival into Queenstown • Lunch, vineyard tour and tastings at a local winery • Welcome function including Maori cultural performance and dinner • Dart River Safari and lunch • Dine-around dinner • Exclusive Restaurant dinner • Skippers Canyon 4WD Safari • Farewell function at Skyline

## Auckland and Queenstown The Best of Both Destinations

### Auckland 3 nights & Queenstown 3 Nights

From USD **\$3,850\*** Per person, share twin – ex West Coast USA (\*\$4050.00 Dec-Feb)

From USD **\$4,250\*** Per person, share twin – ex East Coast USA (\*\$4450.00 Dec-Feb)

**Includes:** Round trip airfare from USA • Round trip domestic airfare to Queenstown • Coach transfers

**Auckland:** 3 nights in a first-class hotel (incl. breakfast) • City Orientation Tour • Welcome function including Maori cultural performance and dinner • Sailing regatta • Lunch at the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron • Home-hosted dinner

**Queenstown:** 3 nights in a first-class hotel (incl. breakfast) • Jet boat arrival into Queenstown • Lunch, vineyard tour and tastings at a local winery • Dart River Safari and lunch • Dine-around dinner • Farewell function at Skyline

Images, clockwise from L-R: Sailing, Auckland Harbour. Fine dining Auckland. Four wheel driving Queenstown.



**Terms and Conditions:** The above itineraries have been quoted in USD based on the current exchange rate (07 June 2011). Airfares are based on economy seating, a current fuel surcharge & taxes are included. Prices are based on a group size of 40 persons or more. Beverages have not been included into the pricing where dinners have been quoted for. Prices are valid until 30 June 2012 - subject to availability and seasonality.

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