



Beach & Thermal New Zealand – 7 Days

SYNOPSIS of PROGRAM

This 7-day beach & Thermal program is a mild pace holiday trip and is designed to help you relax and enjoy the Far North region – Bay of Islands - (winterless North as we locals like to call it) and see the primordial wonderland of Rotorua on day trip with the requisite amount of experiences included to give you a preview of this pleasing country. You will then top it with some urban living in Auckland voted as one of the top 10 cities to live on the planet.

Destination Flow excluding arrival and departure locations

1. Auckland – Paihia – by road
2. Paihia – Auckland – by road
3. Auckland – Waitomo- Rotorua- by road
4. Rotorua – Auckland – by road

Included Experiences

- Hole in the Rock Cruise
- Entrance to Glowworm Caves in Waitomo
- Agrodome Sheep Show
- Rainbows Springs Wildlife Park
- Te Puia Daytime Experience Combo with Maori Concert

IN BRIEF

Days /Nights		7 Days / 6Nights	
Start/Finish Point		Auckland, New Zealand	
Program Cost per guest on twin share basis in	Executive Class	Premier Class	Prestige Class
Self Drive Rental Car	NZ\$ 1,295	NZ\$ 1,455	NZ\$ 1,585
Seat in Luxury Coach	NZ\$ 1,590	NZ\$ 1,750	NZ\$ 1,875

Day	Location
Day 1	Arrive Auckland – Private Transfer to your accommodation – relax, take it easy after your long flight.
Day 2	This morning you will head to Bay of Islands along the way you will stop at Kawakawa home of the famous Hudertwasser - architect from Germany – Toilets before reaching Paihia (a seaside town) in the Bay of Islands region. The rest of the day is for you to relax & chill or you could go the Hole in the Rock Cruise and get to see Dolphins as well in the afternoon cruise. Self drive guests you can pick up your car today that will be your transport for the next 6 days.
Day 3	Self-drive guests can choose to stay the night here. Seat in Coach guests your coach will leave this afternoon back to Auckland so you have the entire morning to explore this lovely place and possibly even take a ferry across to Russell for some lunch before you head back.
Day 4	After breakfast its time to head out to Waitomo Glowworm Caves and then on to Rotorua. You will go on a guided tour of the world famous Waitomo Glowworm Caves including an underground boat ride viewing the millions of Glowworms on the cavern roof. Tonight you will



	check in to your chosen STAY in Rotorua
Day 5	This morning its time to go to Te Puia Thermal Reserve for the song & dance show of Maori culture, see Pohutu Geyser, Kiwi Birds and boiling mud pools. Then onward to Rainbow Springs to see New Zealand's trout, birds and wildlife before continuing to the famous Agrodome for the Sheep Show featuring sheep dog demonstrations and sheep shearing. Afternoon is yours to do what you please.
Day 6	Say farewell to this thermal landscape as you make your way back to Auckland for your final night in this short yet satisfying trip to the North Island.
Day 7	Time to bid adieu to this beautiful land with a promise of coming back for more. Don't forget to drop of your car at Auckland Airport or private transfer if you had opted for the luxury coach program. SAFE TRAVELS

FULL INCLUSIONS	EXCLUSIONS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STAY Location - (Stay Class is as per guest selection) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 6 nights with breakfast (Please note some accommodation will be with continental breakfast and not cooked breakfast) ○ Auckland – 3 nights ○ Paihia – 1 night (<i>for self drive guests, you can opt to stay 2 nights in Paihia and drive straight to Rotorua instead of staying 3 nights in Auckland</i>) ○ Rotorua – 2 nights • Private Transfer for Self Drive Guests: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Auckland Airport to Hotel • Private & Shuttle Transfers for Seat in Coach Guests: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Auckland Airport to Hotel ○ Hotel to Auckland Airport • Rental Vehicle for Self Drive Guests <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Toyota Corolla or similar with standard insurance ○ Unlimited Mileage ○ We highly recommend an upgrade to an intermediate Sedan or mid-size or full size SUV if you are four or more Adult guests • Seat in Luxury Coach Day Tours <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Auckland to Rotorua via Waitomo ○ Rotorua tour • Seat in Luxury Coach Transfers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Auckland to Paihia 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All flights international and domestic as applicable 2. Visa and other travel related fees 3. Holiday protection and travel insurance 4. All meals other than already specified 5. All items other than specified in the inclusions



<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Paihia to Auckland ○ Rotorua to Auckland ● Included Experiences & Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hole in the Rock Cruise with Dolphin Viewing ○ Guided Waitomo Glowworm Caves ○ Te Puia Daytime Experience Combo ○ Agrodome Farm Show ○ Rainbow Springs 	
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RENTAL VEHICLE OPTIONS & INFORMATION:

1. Toyota Corolla (compact) is the default car for all three travel class
2. All vehicles come with standard Collision Damage Waiver
3. For Peace of Mind we recommend you opt for Total Collision Damage Waiver
 - a. Price varies depending on the type of vehicle hired
4. Airport Pick and Ferry Pick if any are included and varies according to airport/ferry and vehicle rental company
5. Rental Vehicle considered are from Hertz, Thrifty & Go Rentals
6. All rental vehicles are subject to availability
7. If primary driver and/or any driver is under 25 there will be additional charge
8. Fuel, Parking, Road & Toll and Additional Driver charges if any are not included and is the responsibility of the hiring guest
9. Add \$3 per day for an Intermediate Sedan like Toyota Camry or similar
10. Add \$5 per day full sized sedan such as Toyota Aurion 3.5L or similar - V6 engine
11. Add \$55 per day for a mid sized 4WD SUV like Toyota RAV 4 Or similar
12. Add \$65 per day for Full Size SUV like Toyota Highlander or similar – 3.5L to 4.0L AWD
13. Add \$75 per day for Premium SUV Toyota Prado – 3.0L – up to 7 guests can be seated
14. For other vehicles such as Vans and People Movers please enquire

SPECIAL NOTE FOR CHILDREN:

1. **Seat in Coach:**
 - a. Children under age of 12 travelling with two adults sharing existing bedding may travel at **50% of normal adult cost**
 - b. Children under age of 12 travelling with two adults requiring additional bedding may travel at **67% of normal adult cost**
2. **Self Drive:**
 - a. Children under 12, who share a room and existing bedding with two adults, will not be subject to room costs, however any meals such as breakfasts that form part of our programs will attract 50% of adult cost
 - b. Children under 12 who share a room with two adults and requires additional bedding will be priced as triple share on adult triple share cost



3. Sightseeing, experiences and other activity providers:

- a. Child price and age of child varies widely from these providers and the same will be given on request. We have given the child cost in each of our highly recommended options below

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED OPTIONS – these prices are valid only if purchased in advance from us

1. **Auckland City Highlights** - \$69 for Adult and \$34 for child 3-14 years
2. Upgrade Waitomo Glow Worm Caves to double cave system of **Ruakuri & Glow Worm Cave** for \$35 Adult & \$12 Child 4-14 years
 - a. Not available for Seat in Coach Guests
3. If you are not a vegetarian and open to try traditional Maori Style Feast (called Hangi) then we recommend the **Te Po Indigenous Evening Experience** on Day 3 - \$93 Adult/\$55 Child 5 -15 years
4. **Kaikoura Whale Watch** - \$135 adult/\$55 child 3-15 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
5. **Neve Discoverer (Scenic Helicopter Flight)** - \$207 adult/\$145 child 4-14 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
6. **Twin Glacier Scenic Helicopter Flight** - \$270 adult/\$190 child 4-14 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
7. **Upgrade to Doubtful Sound Cruise** - \$169 adult/\$53 child 4-14 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
 - a. Please add \$27 for Seat in Coach Guests
8. **Hot Air Balloon Ride** - \$445 adult/\$295 child 4-12 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
9. **Shotover Jet Boat Ride** - \$118 adult/\$63 child 4-14 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
10. **Tandem Skydive** - \$269 for 9000FT, \$305 for 12000FT, \$395 for 15000FT – **N/A (not part of route)**
11. **Gondola** - \$32 adult /\$20 child 5-14 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
12. **Ziptrek Ecotours**– **N/A (not part of route)**
 - a. Moa Line (4 Zipline) - \$118 adult/ \$72 youth 6-14 years
 - b. Kea Line (6 Zipline) - \$163 adult/ \$118 youth 6-14 years
13. **Boutique Wine Tour** - \$175 adult/ \$117 child 6-17 years – **N/A (not part of route)**
 - a. Includes gourmet platter lunch at Carrick Winery
14. **Glacier Valley Guide Walk** - \$68.50 adult/ \$59 child 6-16 years – **N/A (not part of route)**

Terms & Conditions*

1. Price is valid for travel dates between April 1, 2015 and June 30, 2015
2. All prices are per guest on Twin Share basis
 - a. Single, Triple and Multi Share prices are available on request
3. Price is inclusive of 15% New Zealand GST (Goods & Services Tax)
4. All bookings must be made as follows:
 - a. Booking must be confirmed **60 days** prior to actual date of arrival
 - b. **25%** of the price must be made at the time of booking confirmation
 - i. **If booking is made within 45 days from date of arrival – 100% payment is required at time of confirmation**
 - c. Balance **75%** the price to be remitted **20 working days** prior to date of arrival
 - d. Please note if full payment is not received we will be forced to cancel all reservations held under your name
 - e. If program is cancelled prior to making full payment we will refund your booking amount less 10% of the program price for service charges



- f. All applicable bank and credit card services fees are to your account either during payment or refund
- g. If program is cancelled after making full payment and is 72 hours before actual date of arrival the service charge fee will be 25% of the program price
- h. If program is cancelled within 48 hours of arrival date there will be no refund
- 5. All experiences are provided by our experience partners
- 6. For any reason the scheduled experience is cancelled by the provider or postponed due to unsuitable conditions
 - a. They will try to reschedule a suitable alternate time failing which a refund for the specific experience will be made
- 7. All accommodation is subject to availability at time of booking
 - a. If specific accommodation is unavailable suitable alternate accommodation will be arranged within the same price category
 - b. Please note it is not always possible to offer accommodation in the same price category. On such occasion the next best alternative accommodation class will be offered

* For full details please see our "Terms & Conditions" page