



# AUCKLAND

SEASONS	Ryldges / Copthorne Harbour City (3*)		Sky City (4*)	
	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	<b>213</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>401</b>

## ITINERARY

### DAY 01

#### ARRIVAL AUCKLAND (No Meals)

Transfer from the airport (or from another independent itinerary) on a share shuttle basis to your hotel.

### DAY 02

#### AUCKLAND SIGHTSEEING (No Meals)

This morning you will be collected from your hotel and taken on a sightseeing tour of the City and the waterfront travel across the Harbour Bridge for views of Auckland City and the Waitemata Harbour before returning to the summit of volcanic crater of Mount Eden. Visit the Auckland Domain and drive through Parnell with it's many boutique shops before driving the beautiful Tamaki Drive along the waterfront. You will disembark at Kelly Tarltons Underwater World & Antarctic Encounter (Includes pick up/drop off)

### DAY 03

#### DEPART AUCKLAND (No Meals)

Join one of our [INDEPENDENT VACATIONS](#) from 3 days to 11 days.



# CHRISTCHURCH

SEASONS	The Elms / Camelot Square (3*)		Copthorne Central / Durham (4*)	
	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	<b>204</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>439</b>

## ITINERARY:

### DAY 01

#### ARRIVAL CHRISTCHURCH (No Meals)

Transfer from the airport (or from another independent itinerary) on a share shuttle basis to your hotel.

### DAY 02

#### CHRISTCHURCH SIGHTSEEING (No Meals)

This morning you will be taken on a sightseeing tour of Christchurch known as the Garden City. Visit Cathedral Square, Art & Crafts Center, Canterbury Museum and the Botanical Gardens. On leaving the city center, the tour travels around Hagley Park before arriving at the Mona Vale homestead and gardens. (Includes pick up/drop off).

### DAY 03

#### DEPART CHRISTCHURCH (No Meals)

Join one of our [INDEPENDENT VACATIONS](#) from 3 days to 11 days.



## INCLUSIONS:

- Roundtrip transfers (Seat In Coach)
- 2 nights hotel accommodation
- Half day sightseeing tour



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# BAY OF ISLANDS HISTORICAL NORTH

AUCKLAND - BAY OF ISLANDS - PAIHIA - CAPE REINGA

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b>AUCKLAND - BAY OF ISLANDS</b>	NO MEALS
<p>Travel north from Auckland along the beautiful Hibiscus Coast to the <a href="#">Bay of Islands</a>. Afternoon is at leisure to enjoy the many activities of the area that was the stage for much of New Zealand's early history. This included settlement by Polynesian adventurers, discovery by Captain Cook, the unruly whaling era and then the signing of the Treaty of Waitangi in 1840 which cemented European and Maori into nationhood.</p>		
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b>PAIHIA - CAPE REINGA - BAY OF ISLANDS</b>	LUNCH
<p>From <a href="#">Paihia</a> enjoy the historical and scenic journey to <a href="#">Cape Reinga</a>. Drive along the mighty <a href="#">Ninety-Mile Beach</a>, beneath gigantic <a href="#">sand dunes</a>. If you dare - ride the sand sledges. At Cape Reinga, wander out to the lighthouse where spectacular views of the two oceans - Pacific &amp; Tasman meet. Lunch is included.</p>		
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b>BAY OF ISLANDS - AUCKLAND</b>	NO MEALS
<p>Board the luxury catamaran at the Paihia Maritime Wharf and cruise to Cape Brett. This most popular cruise in the Bay of Islands will whisk you on a comfortable journey out through game fishing waters to the <a href="#">Cape Brett Lighthouse</a> and the famous <a href="#">Hole in the Rock</a>. On the return journey, time is taken to meander through the islands. View sandy beaches, beautiful bays and marine wildlife before an island stopover allowing you to enjoy a scenic walk swim and browse through the local souvenir shop. Upon return to Paihia, your coach will return you to downtown Auckland at approximately 9:15pm.</p>		

VALIDITY	STANDARD HOTEL		SUPERIOR HOTEL	
	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	<b>386</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>498</b>



# ROTORUA GEYSERLAND

AUCKLAND - WAITOMO - ROTORUA

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b><u>AUCKLAND - WAITOMO - ROTORUA</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Travel south over the Bombay Hills, follow the Waikato River to Hamilton, then on via Te Awamutu to <a href="#">Waitomo</a> . Lunch at own arrangement before visiting the <a href="#">Waitomo Caves</a> . Tour to cave include the magical boat ride through the <a href="#">Glow-Worm Grotto</a> , continue on via Lake Karapiro to arrive in Rotorua. Evening enjoy a <a href="#">Maori Hangi</a> (feast) and concert.	
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b><u>ROTORUA SIGHTSEEING</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Rotorua is the center of the geothermal region of New Zealand and is als the main certer of Maori culture. <a href="#">Boiling mud</a> , <a href="#">Geysers</a> and <a href="#">Silica</a> deposits surrounding the lade attract visitors from all over the world. Enjoy a half day termal tour - visit <a href="#">Whakarewarewa Thermal Reserve</a> , <a href="#">Rainbow Springs</a> , <a href="#">Farm Show</a> and <a href="#">Lake Rotorua</a> . Lunch at own arrangement. Afternoon you will be collecting from you host at meeting point and transfer to <a href="#">farmstay</a> tonight.	
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b><u>ROTORUA - AUCKLAND</u></b>	NO MEALS
	After breakfast with your host, you will be taken on a Farm Tour in the farm. Lunch at own arrangement. Return to Rotorua in the afternoon for your coach to Auckland. You will return to downtown Auckland at around 8:15pm.	

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	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	<b>547</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>722</b>



# SOUTH ISLAND - GLACIER WONDERLAND

AUCKLAND - WAITOMO - ROTORUA

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b>CHRISTCHURCH-MT COOK-QUEENSTOWN</b>	NO MEALS
<p>From Christchurch, travel South across the Canterbury Plains, through farming communities before climbing up to high plains of the McKenzie Country, pausing at the Church of the Good Shepherd to view Lake Tekapo. Continue to Mt. Cook village nestled under New Zealand's highest mountain. Mt. Cook. The mountain overlooks a network of glaciers that feed Lakes Tekapo and Pukaki. There are a number of activities including walks, tramps, and scenic flights that will enable views of Mt Cook and the glaciers (<b>own expense</b>). From Mount Cook return along the length of Lake Pukaki then head South through Twizel and Omarama to the Scenic Lindis Pass. Once over the pass follow the Clutha Valley to it's junction with the Kawarau Gorge at Cromwell. Queenstown is reached by following the "gold trail" alongside the winding Kawarau River. Queenstown nestles up to the northern shore of Lake Wakatipu from where it commands an expansive view of the peaks that surround the Lake.</p>		
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b>MILFORD SOUND DAY EXCURSION</b>	LUNCH
<p>Drive through the magnificent beech forests of the Eglinton and Hollyford Valleys, through the Homer Tunnel to Milford Sound for a launch excursion on the fiord. Enjoy the breathtaking scenery including the awe - inspiring Mitre Peak with a full commentary on the natural history of the fiord. Lunch is included. Upon conclusion return to Queenstown.</p>		
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b>QUEENSTOWN - FRANZ JOSEF GLACIER</b>	NO MEALS
<p>This morning depart for a full day journey from Queenstown to Franz Josef. During the trip, you will traverse Kawarau Gorge, Hawera River and Lake Wanaka. Travel through Haast and continue on to Franz Josef (Lunch own expense)</p>		
<b>DAY 04</b>	<b>FRANZ JOSEF - GREMOUTH - CHRISTCHURCH</b>	NO MEALS
<p>Today travel to Greymouth and board the scenic Tranz Alpine for a rail journey famous for it's spectacular mountain scenery as it traverse the Southern Alps which divide the East and West Coasts of the South Island. Travel across the Canterbury Plains to Christchurch arriving at approximately 6:35pm.</p>		

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	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	<b>839</b>	<b>1026</b>	<b>902</b>	<b>1150</b>



# SOUTH ISLAND - COAST TO COAST

CHRISTCHURCH - DUNEDIN - QUEENSTOWN - MILFORD SOUND - FRANZ JOSEF - GREYMOUTH

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b><u>CHRISTCHURCH - DUNEDIN</u></b>	<b>NO MEALS</b>
<p>Today, travel by motorcoach through the Canterbury Plains and on to Dunedin. The city's attractions include museums, gardens and galleries, two great baronial houses and the nearby Otago Peninsula with its Albatross and Puffin Colonies. On arrival, you will be taken on a tour of the Otago Peninsula including the renowned Royal Albatross Colony (seasonal)</p>		
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b><u>DUNEDIN - QUEENSTOWN</u></b>	<b>NO MEALS</b>
<p>Enjoy the spacious elegance of the Taieri Gorge train as it follows the Taieri River from Dunedin to Pukerangi. View stone work and iron latticework viaducts that cannot be seen by road, follow part of the Otago Gold Trail and visit the gold mining town of Naseby. From Pukerangi you will connect with your coach on which you will continue your journey to Queenstown.</p>		
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b><u>MILFORD SOUND DAY EXCURSION</u></b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
<p>Drive through the magnificent beech forests of the Eglington and Hollyford Valleys, through the Homer Tunnel to Milford Sound for a launch excursion on the fiord. Enjoy the breathtaking scenery including the awe-inspiring Mitre Peak with a full commentary on the natural history of the fiord. Lunch is included. Upon conclusion return to Queenstown.</p>		
<b>DAY 04</b>	<b><u>QUEENSTOWN - FRANZ JOSEF GLACIER</u></b>	<b>NO MEALS</b>
<p>This morning depart for a full day journey from Queenstown to Franz Josef. During the trip, you will traverse Kawarau Gorge, Hawera River and Lake Wanak. Travel through Haast and continue on the Franz Josef. (Lunch own expense)</p>		
<b>DAY 05</b>	<b><u>FRANZ JOSEF - GREYMOUTH - CHRISTCHURCH</u></b>	<b>NO MEALS</b>
<p>Today travel to Greymouth and board the scenic Tranz Alpine for a rail journey famous for its spectacular mountain scenery as it traverses the Southern Alps which divide the East and West coasts of the South Island. Travel across the Canterbury Plains to Christchurch arriving at approximately 6:05pm.</p>		

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	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	<b>975</b>	<b>1211</b>	<b>1042</b>	<b>1344</b>



# NEW ZEALAND HIGHLIGHTS

AUCKLAND - WAITOMO - CHRISTCHURCH - FRANZ JOSEF - GREMOUTH - MILFORD SOUND - MT. COOK

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b>AUCKLAND - WAITOMO - ROTORUA</b>	NO MEALS
	Travel south over the Bombay Hills, following the Waikato River to Hamilton, then on via Te Awamutu to Waitomo. Lunch at own arrangement before visiting the Waitomo caves. Tours to the caves include the magical boatride through the Glow-worm Grotto. Continue on via Lake Karapiro to arrive in Rotorua. This evening enjoy a Maori Hangi (feast) and concert.	
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b>ROTORUA SIGHTSEEING</b>	NO MEALS
	Rotorua is the center of the geothermal region of New Zealand and is also the main centre of Maori culture. Boiling Mud, Geysers and Silica deposits surrounding the lake attract visitors from all over the world. Enjoy a half day thermal tour - visit Whakarewarewa thermal Reserve, Rainbow Springs & Farm Show and Lake Rotorua. Lunch at own arrangement. In the afternoon, you will be collecting from your host at the meeting point and transfer to farmstay tonight.	
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b>ROTORUA - CHRISTCHURCH (Airfare Not Included)</b>	NO MEALS
	Today fly from Rotorua over the majestic Southern Alps to Christchurch. On arrival you will be transferred to your hotel. (domestic airfare not included)	
<b>DAY 04</b>	<b>FRANZ JOSEF - GREYMOUTH - CHRISTCHURCH</b>	NO MEALS
	From Christchurch, travel South across the Canterbury Plains, through farming communities before climbing up to high plains of the McKenzie Country, pausing at the Church of the Good Shepherd to view Lake Tekapo. Continue to Mount Cook village nestled under New Zealand's highest Mountain, Mt Cook. The mountain overlooks a network of glaciers that feed Lakes Tekapo and Pukaki. There are a number of activities including walks, tramps and scenic flights that will enable views of Mt Cook and the glaciers (own expense). From Mount Cook return along the length of Lake Pukaki then ahead South through Twizel and Omarama to the Scenic Lindis Pass. Once over the pass follow the Clutha Valley to its junction with the Kawarau Gorge at Cromwell. Queenstown is reached by following the "Gold Trail" alongside the winding Kawarau River. Queenstown nestles up to the northern shore of Lake Wakatipu from where it commands an expansive view of the peaks that surround the Lake.	
<b>DAY 05</b>	<b>MILFORD SOUND DAY EXCURSION</b>	LUNCH
	Drive through the magnificent beech forests of the Eglinton and Hollyford Valleys, through the Homer Tunnel to Milford Sound for a launch excursion on the fiord. Enjoy the breathtaking scenery including the awe - inspiring Mitre Peak with a full commentary on the natural history of the fiord. Lunch is included. Upon conclusion return to Queenstown.	
<b>DAY 06</b>	<b>QUEENSTOWN</b>	NO MEALS
	Today is free to enjoy the many leisure pursuits. The local staff at " The Station " can assist with information and reservations for the huge selection of things to see & do.	
<b>DAY 07</b>	<b>QUEENSTOWN - MT. COOK - CHRISTCHURCH</b>	NO MEALS
	Coach pick up and travel back to Christchurch. Arrive in Christchurch at approximately 6:30pm	

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	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	1197	1544	1302	1750



# KIWI EXPERINCE

UCKLAND - ROTORUA - WELLINGTON - PICTON - CHRISTCHURCH - MT. COOK - QUEENSTOWN - MILFORD SOUND - FRANZ JOSEF - GREYMOUTH

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b><u>AUCKLAND - WAITOMO - ROTORUA (No Meals)</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Travel south the Bombay Hills, following the Waikato River to Hamilton, then on via Te Awamutu to Waitomo. Lunch at own arrangement before visiting the Waitomo Caves. Tours to the caves include magical boat-ride through the Glow-worm Grotto. Continue on via Lake Karapiro to arrive in Rotorua. This evening enjoy a maori Hangi (feast) and concert.	
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b><u>ROTORUA SIGHTSEEING</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Rotorua is trhe center of the geothermal region of New Zealand and is also the main centre of Maori culture. Boling mud, geysers and silica deposits surrounding the lake attract visitors from all over the world. Enjoy a half day thermal tour - visit Whakarewarewa Thermal Reserve , Rainbow Springs & farn Show and Lake Rotorua. Lunch at own arrangement. In the afternoon , you will be collecting from your host at the meeting point and transfer to farmstay tonight.	
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b><u>ROTORUA - WELLINGTON</u></b>	NO MEALS
	This morning travel by coach to Otorohanga where you will join the Overland train to the capital city of Wellington.	
<b>DAY 04</b>	<b><u>WELLINGTON</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Today is at leisure. Make time to visit "Te Papa" the museum of New Zealand, which uses the most advanced technology to combine the features of museums and entertainment centres. Admission free. Nominal Fees for rides.	
<b>DAY 05</b>	<b><u>WELLINGTON - PICTON - CHRISTCHURCH</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Depart Wellington for Picton on the inter-island ferry. Upon arrival in Picton board the Coastal Pacific Train which wends it's way along the East Coast, to Christchurch. On arrival you will be met and transferred to your hotel.	
<b>DAY 06</b>	<b><u>CHRISTCHURCH</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Today is at leisure, to enjoy the "Garden City".	
<b>DAY 07</b>	<b><u>CHRISTCHURCH - MT. COOK - QUEENSTOWN</u></b>	NO MEALS
	From Christchurch, travel South across the Canterbury Plains, through farming communities before climbing up to high plains of the McKenzie Country, pausing at the Church of the Good Shepherd to view Lake Tekapo. Continue to Mount Cook village nestled under New Zealand's highest mountain, Mt. Cook. The mountain overlooks a network of glaciers that feed Lakes Tekapo and Pukaki. There are a number of activities including walks, tramps, and scenic flights that will enabl views of Mt. Cook and the glaciers (own expense). From Mount Cook return along the length of Lake Pukaki then head South through Twizel and Omarama to the Scenic Lindis Pass. Once over the pass follow the Clutha Valley to it's junction with the Kawarau Gorge at Cromwell. Queenstown is reached by following the "gold trail" alongside the winding Kawarau River. Queenstown nestles up to the northern shore of Lake Wakatipu from where it commands an expansive view of the peaks that surround the Lake.	
<b>DAY 08</b>	<b><u>MILFORD SOUND BAY EXCURSION</u></b>	LUNCH
	Drive through the magnificent beech forests of the Eglinton and Hollyford Valleys, through the Homer Tunnel to Milford Sound for a launch excursion on the fiord. Enjoy the breathtaking scenery including the awe - inspiring Mitre Peak with a full commen-tary on the natural history of the fiord. Lunch is included. Upon conclusion return to Queensland.	
<b>DAY 09</b>	<b><u>QUEENSTOWN</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Today is free to enjoy the many leisure pursuits. The local staff can assist with information and reservations for the huge selection of activities.	
<b>DAY 10</b>	<b><u>QUEENSTOWN - FRANZ JOSEF GLACIER</u></b>	NO MEALS
	This morning depart for a full day journey from Queenstown to Franz Josef. During the trip, you will traverse Kawarau Gorge, Hawera River and Lake Wanaka. Travel through Haast and continue on the Franz Josef. (Lunch own expense).	
<b>DAY 11</b>	<b><u>FRANZ JOSEF - GREYMOUTH - CHRISTCHURCH</u></b>	NO MEALS
	Today travel to Greymouth and board the scenic Tranz Alpine for a rail journey famous for it's spectacular mountain scenery as it's traverse the Southern Alps which divide the East and West Coasts of the South Island. Travel across the Canterbury Plains to Christchurch arriving at approximately 6:35pm.	

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	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	1937	2501	2139	2899



# NORTH ISLAND HIGHLIGHTS

AUCKLAND - ROTORUA - BAY OF ISLANDS - WAITOMO

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b>AUCKLAND - BAY OF ISLANDS</b>	NO MEALS
<p>Travel north across Auckland's Harbour bridge, along the beautiful Hibiscus Coast to the Bay of Islands. On arrival in the Bay of Islands visit the Waitangi Treaty Grounds. Considered to be the birth place of New Zealand as a bicultural nation, the Waitangi Treaty Grounds are set in an extensive park-like reserve. Learn about the first Maori canoes to New Zealand, the signing of the treaty of Waitangi and visit Te Whare Wunanga, a fully carved Maori Meeting House which is representative of all Iwi (regional tribes) in New Zealand.</p>		
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b>BAY OF ISLANDS - AUCKLAND</b>	NO MEALS
<p>Board the luxury catamaran at the Paihia maritime Wharf and cruise to Cape Brett. This most popular cruise in the Bay of Islands will whisk you on a comfortable journey out through game fishing waters to the Cape Brett Lighthouse and the famous "Hole in the Rock". On the return journey time is taken to meander through the islands. View sandy beaches, beautiful bays and marine wildlife. Upon return to Paihia your coach will return you to Auckland around 9:15pm.</p>		
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b>AUCKLAND - WAITOMO - ROTORUA</b>	DINNER
<p>Travel south over the Bombay Hills, following the Waikato River to Hamilton, then on via Te Awamutu to Waitomo. The Waitomo Caves are considered to be one of the world's great wonders. An unspoiled cave and karst landscape is covered by a vast expanse of farmland with backdrop of bush clad hills and forest. Beneath this tranquil landscape is 50km of cave passages, part of a limestone network sculpted by water into underground arches, valleys and outcrops. Enjoy lunch before continuing on to the famous race-horse stud of Cambridge before travelling over the Mamaku ranges to Rotorua. Evening enjoy a Maori Hangi (feast) and concert.</p>		
<b>DAY 04</b>	<b>ROTORUA - AUCKLAND</b>	NO MEALS
<p>Nau mai, haere mai - Welcome to Rotorua! Join us for a morning sightseeing excursion of New Zealand's thermal wonderland, rich in Maori culture and heritage and famous for its geothermal reserves, wildlife sanctuaries and fascinating landscape. New Zealand Maori Arts and Crafts Institute - a guided tour shows you traditional crafts of flax weaving, wood and jade carving, and a Maori pa. Te Puia Thermal Reserve - boiling mud pools, hot springs and exploding geysers, including lively Pohutu geyser which erupts up to 100 feet! Rainbow Springs Nature Park - a guided tour of the freshwater springs. View the rainbow and brown trout from an underwater viewing gallery and see New Zealand's national icon, the Kiwi. Agrodome Show - a "must see" entertaining stage show starring sheep shearing, live sheep auction, cow milking (you try it!), feeding cute cuddly baby lambs and an outdoor sheep dog trial.</p> <p>You will travel back to Auckland via express coach at 2.00pm, arriving approximately 6.00pm (no pick up and drop off for this express service).</p>		

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	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	680	827	726	916



# FIORDLAND - SOUTHERN HIGEAWAY

CHRISTCHURCH - MT COOK - QUEENSTOWN - TE ANAU - MILFORD SOUND

## ITINERARY

<b>DAY 01</b>	<b><u>CHRISTCHURCH - MT COOK</u></b>	NO MEALS
<p>Depart Christchurch and travel across the Canterbury Plains, the largest area of flat land in New Zealand. Climb the foothills of the Southern Alps over the top of Burkes Pass before descending into the Mackenzie Country. Pause at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Twizel and follow the shoreline of Lake Pukaki before entering Mt Cook National Park where a stop is made for lunch (own expense). After lunch continue through Omarama and through the Kawarau Gorge to Queenstown, arriving late afternoon.</p>		
<b>DAY 02</b>	<b><u>DOUBTFUL SOUND EXPERIENCE - TE ANAU</u></b>	LUNCH
<p>Your Doubtful Sound adventure begins as you cruise the crystal clear waters of Lake Manapouri – a stunning lake renowned for its numerous islands and deserted beaches. Then it's over Wilmot Pass, on one of New Zealand's remotest and prettiest sub-alpine roads, stopping along the way to experience some of Fiordland's densest rainforest and to view Doubtful Sound glistening far below. On reaching Deep Cove, you will board the Patea Explorer our spacious catamaran, for a three hour cruise that takes in the most dramatic scenery of Doubtful Sound. Our nature guides provide an engaging commentary and point out highlights. Keep a look out for wildlife as bottlenose dolphins frequently swim alongside our vessel, fur seals bask on the rocks around the fiord and rare penguins can at times be observed.</p> <p>Return to Te Anau on conclusion. Picnic lunch is included today.</p>		
<b>DAY 03</b>	<b><u>TE ANAU - MILFORD SOUND - QUEENSTOWN</u></b>	LUNCH
<p>Drive through the magnificent beech forests of the Eglington and Hollyford Valleys, through the Homer Tunnel to Milford Sound for a launch excursion on the fiord. Enjoy the breathtaking scenery including the awe- inspiring Mitre Peak with a full commentary on the natural history of the fiord. Picnic lunch included. Upon conclusion of the cruise, return to Queenstown.</p>		
<b>DAY 04</b>	<b><u>QUEENSTOWN</u></b>	NO MEALS
<p>Today is free to enjoy the many leisure pursuits.</p> <p>From luminescent blooms to subtle pastels, treat yourself to a feast of nature in Queenstown during spring. Colourful flowers and plants in Queenstown Gardens can be admired while playing frisbee golf or dawdling by the lakeside. Clear, glacial-fed rivers swell in spring, making rafting and jetboating escapades an exciting option. Queenstown is the birthplace of commercial jetboating and braided rivers provide fantastic water adventures.</p>		
<b>DAY 05</b>	<b><u>QUEENSTOWN</u></b>	NO MEALS
<p>Your tour arrangements conclude this morning. Coach (or air) Options to Christchurch or further afield are available on request – additional charge.</p>		

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	TWN	SGL	TWN	SGL
APR 01, 2010 - SEP 30, 2011	<b>877</b>	<b>1104</b>	<b>946</b>	<b>1241</b>

