Marlborough



Imagine a getaway where food, wine, scenery and a touch of adventure all meld into one brilliant experience. Where, within minutes of arriving in the region, you're tasting incredible wines at a celebrated cellar door, and by evening, you're ensconced in a remote waterfront resort, enjoying a gourmet dinner of

TOP 10 MUST DOS

- 1. Mountain bike the Queen Charlotte Track
- 2. Have lunch at a local winery restaurant
- 3. Kayak the calm water in the Marlborough Sounds
- 4. Deliver the mail on board a Mailboat Cruise
- 5. Go dolphin and seal spotting
- Head out on a fishing charter
 Visit Motuara Island Bird
- Sanctuary
- 8. Stay the night at a seaside lodge
- 9. Party at the Marlborough Wine and Food Festival
- 10. Soar over the Sounds on a scenic flight

local produce surrounded by nothing but natural beauty and tranquility.

Welcome to Marlborough, where all the best ingredients for a brilliant holiday are in one amazing place.

Walk or ride a section of the Queen Charlotte Track and marvel at the brilliant views. Discover the many wine varieties that flow year-round at the 30+ cellar doors – although it's New Zealand's largest wine region, this is still a place where winemakers will pop in for a chat with visitors.

TOP 5

Many Coves

Cloudy Bay

for EMPTY NESTERS

Paid Activities & Accommodation

1. Indulge in luxury at Bay of

2. Do the Land Rover Tour at

3. Enjoy local seafood on the

Greenshell Mussel Cruise

Marlborough Wine Tours

5. Overnight in style at Scenic

Hotel or Chateau Marlborough

4. Explore the cellar doors with

Uncover Marlborough's hidden gems and unique experiences, ranging from the astounding Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre, to a journey through its rich and diverse Māori and European heritage at locations like Ship Cove/Meretoto.

Discover Marlborough's many sides, from family adventures to romantic escapes or getaways with friends and families. Enjoy relaxation, adventure, culture, heritage and the most incredible food and wine – or a brilliant blend of it all, in one amazing place.

TOP 5 for COUPLES Paid Activities & Accommodation

- 1. Cycle through the vines with Explore Marlborough
- 2. Book a fishing charter with Sounds Connection
- 3. Join the Nature Cruise with Marlborough Tour Company
- 4. Relax at Punga Cove or Furneaux Lodge
- 5. Take the Hobbit Kayak Tour with Pelorus Eco Adventures



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Getting There

Your journey to Marlborough is almost as good as being there.

Whether you're arriving by car (1.5 hours from Nelson, 4.5 hours from Christchurch); a 4-hour Interislander or Bluebridge ferry from Wellington into Picton; or by plane via Air New Zealand or Sounds Air from all the main centres in New Zealand (with a shortest flight time of 15 minutes from Wellington), the scenery is more beautiful the closer you get.

TOP 5 for FAMILY ADVENTURES Paid Activities & Accommodation

- 1. Jump on the Mailboat in Picton or Havelock
- 2. Visit Lochmara's Wildlife Recovery & Arts Centre
- 3. Stay among the vines at Vintners Retreat
- 4. Discover aviation history at Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre
- 5. Join a kayak tour with Wilderness Guides

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