



Cecil Peak, Queenstown



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# GROUP ITINERARY

**5 DAY | UP TO 200 PAX**

## DAY ONE: AUCKLAND

**Lunch on the waterfront** Wynyard Quarter and Viaduct Harbour are ideal places to enjoy lunch. Located on Auckland's waterfront, both offer spectacular views over the harbour and a wide range of dining options for groups of various sizes.

**Set sail for adventure** Feel the thrill of sailing an authentic America's Cup yacht. Take the helm to help steer on course or work hard on the grinders to hoist the mainsail during a hands-on sailing adventure on the Waitemata Harbour.

**Bridge climb or bungy** Join an Auckland Harbour Bridge climbing tour to scale the city's iconic bridge and take in stunning views of the city and harbour. The brave can try bungy jumping from the purpose-built jump pod suspended beneath the bridge.

**Welcome dinner** Complete your first day in Auckland with a sumptuous welcome dinner. There are dozens of venues for incentive groups of all sizes, from waterfront function centres to historic buildings and elegant hotel ballrooms.



Waitemata Harbour, Auckland

## DAY TWO: AUCKLAND

**Island time** Take the ferry or board a luxury super yacht and cruise to Waiheke Island for a guided tour of the island's award-winning vineyards, olive groves and beautiful golden beaches. Sample wines at a local vineyard, try olive oil tasting at an olive plantation, or admire the view while soaring high above the vineyards and treetop canopies on the island's EcoZip zipline attraction.

**Dinner and drinks** After a busy day, it's time to unwind and enjoy Auckland's vibrant nightlife. The central city has restaurants catering to all tastes and group sizes, while Ponsonby is packed full of stylish bars, all within a stone's throw of each other.



Waiheke Island, Auckland

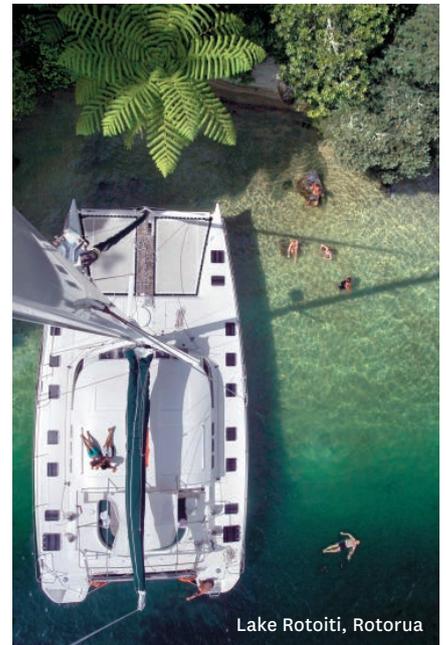
## DAY THREE: ROTORUA

**Take to the lake** Travel from Auckland to Rotorua, with options including private coach tours or regular scheduled flights. Explore Rotorua's unique geothermal landscape from the water. Cruise beautiful Lake Rotoiti and take a dip in the natural hot pools only accessible by boat. The more adventurous may want to explore the lake by kayak, while a luxurious option is chartering the 53-foot catamaran Tuia, operated by Pure Cruise New Zealand, before enjoying a lakeside lunch.

**An Ogo adventure** Up the tempo with an Ogo experience, spinning down a hill in a giant inflatable ball for an afternoon of fun.

**A cultural feast** Experience a traditional cultural performance at the famous Māori Arts and Crafts School Te Puia. Witness captivating displays of traditional weaponry, before taking a turn and trying poi dancing and the fearsome haka. Dine under the stars on indigenous cuisine in the midst of Te Whakarewarewa Thermal Reserve, with the Pohutu geyser and steam vents illuminated as a natural, spectacular backdrop.

**Rejuvenate at the spa** Wind down for the evening at the Polynesian Spa, bathing in the hot mineral spring bathing pools and taking in picturesque views of Lake Rotorua at this acclaimed thermal spa.



## DAY FOUR: ROTORUA TO QUEENSTOWN

**Amusement park adrenaline** Continue the excitement at Agroventures Adventure Park. The park offers fast-paced jet boat rides, 'Shweeb' monorail racing, a 'Swoop' through the air at up to 130 kilometres per hour, and classic bungee jumping. Incorporate a gourmet barbecue lunch to refuel.

**Journey to Queenstown** It's time to fly from Rotorua Airport, via Christchurch, to the beautiful South Island city of Queenstown. Travel from Queenstown Airport to your accommodation like a VIP with a jet boat transfer across Lake Wakatipu, or take in the amazing views from a luxury coach.

**Valley of vineyards** Start your Queenstown visit with a relaxing trip to the nearby Gibbston valley wine region to enjoy lunch at one of its renowned vineyards. The scenic, high-altitude region is known for its Pinot Noir and its fine selection of gourmet, award-winning cheese. Spend the afternoon sampling the local vintages on a boutique wine tour of the region.

**Exclusive dining** Travel back to Queenstown for dinner at an exclusive restaurant alongside Lake Wakatipu. There is a wide range of world-class restaurants on the waterfront, serving some of the region's best fresh produce and wines.



## DAY FIVE: QUEENSTOWN

**Sky-high scenery** Begin the day taking in awe-inspiring views of Lake Wakatipu and Queenstown on a scenic helicopter flight, before landing on top of mile-high Cecil Peak. The magical scenery will make it clear why the area was used in the filming of *The Lord of the Rings* Trilogy.

**Adventure capital** Make the most of your time in the world's adventure capital, choosing either a Nomad Safari, an exhilarating jetboat ride with Shotover Jet, or feeling the rush on a Shotover Canyon Swing.

**A scenic lunch break** Eat lunch in style at Mount Soho Winery Estate, with its stunning 360-degree mountain views. Dine on a menu designed to meet your group's requirements and sample fine Central Otago wine, including Mt Soho Pinot Noir.

**Finish your trip in style** Take the gondola up Bob's Peak to Skyline's Stratosfare Restaurant and Bar for panoramic views and a mouth-watering buffet dinner. It's a great spot in Queenstown to watch the sun go down and the ideal place to end your New Zealand experience.

