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Day 1: Arrive Auckland

On arrival to Auckland Airport please make your way to the Budget Rental Car counter located within the arrivals hall to collect your Budget rental car and make your way to your accommodation.

***AUCKLAND** - an exciting, sporting and cultural city, sprawled on a narrow isthmus, between two harbours. The Waitemata and Manukau Harbours, are a main feature of the city, along with numerous volcanic cones such as Mount Eden and Rangitoto Island. The city's many beaches, marinas and parks, make it ideal for outdoor pursuits such as yachting, rugby, cricket or a day at the beach. The Auckland metropolitan area is New Zealand's biggest city, and the population mix of European, Maori, and Pacific Islander, make Auckland the largest Polynesian city in the World.*

Day 2: Auckland

Skytower – Sky Deck Admission

Admission is included to both sky deck and the main observation deck of Sky Tower.

Auckland War Memorial Museum

Auckland War Memorial Museum where exciting stories of the Pacific, New Zealand's people, and the flora and fauna and landforms of our unique islands, are told within a memorial dedicated to those who have sacrificed their lives for our country. In one of New Zealand's most outstanding historical buildings, boldly situated in the Domain - a central city pleasure garden - you encounter exhibitions that will excite you with the artistic legacy and cultures of the peoples of the Pacific; the monumental carvings, buildings, canoes and taonga (treasures) of the Maori; and the diversity of cultures which now combine to form the rich tapestry of race, nationality and creed which is modern New Zealand. The Museum is a key destination for families. Children are encouraged to develop an understanding of the world around them by exploring cultures, the arts, science and the environment.

Day 3: Auckland / Matamata / Rotorua

Auckland / Matamata (approx. 162kms)

Depart Auckland and travel south over the Bombay Hills, through the Hauraki Plains to Matamata – "Hobbiton". A 2 hour guided excursion into Middle Earth.

Hobbiton Movie Set Tours (duration 2.5 hrs)

Please report to the Shire's Rest, 501 Buckland Road for your Hobbiton Tour.

Experience the real Middle-earth with a visit to the Hobbiton Movie Set, the bucolic setting for The Shire that featured in the Peter Jackson directed films, The Lord of the Rings.

Your tour starts with a drive through the picturesque 1,250 acre sheep farm with spectacular views across to the Kaimai Ranges. Your guide will escort you through the ten acre site recounting fascinating details of how the Hobbiton set was created.

The Hobbit holes, Green Dragon Inn, Mill and other structures created for The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit films can be viewed and you will see how this beautiful piece of Waikato farmland was transformed into The Shire from Middle-earth.

Following your tour enjoy a gourmet buffet lunch in the Marquee.

Upon completion of your tour of the set you will return to The Shires Rest.

Matamata / Rotorua (approx. 87kms)

Depart Matamata and return to Tirau where you join State Highway 5 to Rotorua.

Te Puia – Guided Tour + Te Po Hangi & Concert

Today you will be collected from your hotel for your Cultural experience. Enjoy a guided tour of the valley with one of Te Puia's world renowned guides. As part of the tour you will visit New Zealand's national carving and weaving schools and witness these disciplines in practice, under the guidance of our full-time master carvers and weavers. You will visit award winning interactive galleries, see a kiwi bird up close, and most importantly, hear our stories as told by the descendants of the valley. To conclude the tour you will visit the geyser and mud pools and then be invited to have a short rest prior to the beginning of the evening experience. Traditionally, Te Po is an intimate time for sharing knowledge. Te Po is also Te Puia's authentic evening cultural experience – a feast of food, culture and friendship. It begins every night at Te-Heketanga-a-Rangi (The Heavenly Origins). The space comprises twelve monumental carvings reaching skywards, each one representing a Maori diety. Hear the stories of the past and see how these traditions live on today. Feeding guests is regarded by Maori as an honour and a sign of a tribe's mana (standing), so a sumptuous banquet is provided during the evening. This banquet combines contemporary cuisine with a traditional hangi (earth-cooked oven meal), where kai (food) is steam-cooked by hot rocks in the earth, giving it a delicious smoky flavour. Following dessert, you will be transported by our people movers to enjoy the spectacular lighting of the Whakarewarewa Geothermal Valley. Guests can wander around the illuminated natural attractions, including Pohutu geyser.

***ROTORUA** - located on a volcanic plateau, and formerly a spa town, Rotorua is most famous for its geothermal activity. Rotorua is the main place in New Zealand where aspects of Maori traditions can be seen, from wood carvings, and meeting houses, to a Hangi Dinner and Maori dances. Native and introduced tree species abound locally and combined with several picturesque lakes, Rotorua is a fascinating mix of culture and nature.*

Day 4: Rotorua - Christchurch

Waimangu Thermal Valley is home to the Waimangu Geothermal System which is the newest in the World. Here you can see the Frying Pan Lake, Inferno Crater, and some rare and unusual plants and regenerating rainforest. Your admission today is for a Waimangu Valley Walk.

Today return your rental car to Rotorua Airport.

Fly from Rotorua to Christchurch (flight not included).

Upon arrival to Christchurch collect your new car and make your way to your accommodation.

Day 5: Christchurch / Wanaka

Christchurch / Wanaka (approx 429 km)

Drive through the endless expanse of the Canterbury Plains and along the foothills of the Alps to the turquoise glowing Lake Tekapo. From here you can take a flight over the Mount Cook National Park. On a clear day an unforgettable experience. Or you can drive to the summit of Mt. John in Tekapo, from where you have a fantastic panoramic view of the Alps, glaciers and lakes. Continue via Omarama by a picture-book landscape, sheep and mountain peaks dominate the scenery. The last stage will start on known Lindis Pass, a photo stop is worthwhile. In the town of Tarras then branch off onto State Highway 8A to Wanaka.

WANAKA - faces north across Lake Wanaka, to views of the surrounding mountains, which are often reflected on the Lake's surface on calm days. Poplars and willows grow around the Lake's edge, affording a colourful show during Autumn. Wanaka is best known for boating, fishing and skiing at the Cardrona and Treble Cone ski-fields.

Day 6: Wanaka / Queenstown

Wanaka / Queenstown (circa 117kms)

Today depart Wanaka, and take State Highway 6 through Lowburn, Cromwell and Gibbston to Queenstown. {WARNING: Do not attempt to take the Crown Range Road (the short-cut to Queenstown) through Cardrona during winter as it is a dangerous winding road}.

Suggested optional activity, not included in costing:

Real Journeys Walter Peak Farm and BBQ Lunch ex Queenstown

1200/1530 All year

Report to the Real Journeys Visitor Centre, at the Steamer Wharf, in Queenstown. Board the TSS Earnslaw (unless she is on survey, in which case it will be a launch) and take the 40 minute voyage to the Walter Peak High Country Farm. Enjoy the chance to wander around the beautiful lakeside gardens, and then enjoy a BBQ lunch at the Colonel's Homestead. The farm demonstrators take you on a walking tour of the farmyard, and take the chance to view the animals, sheep, red deer, and Scottish highland cattle. Watch sheep shearing, and sheep dogs working stock. After your time, return via the TSS Earnslaw, to Queenstown Wharf.

Nett to you: NZD118.00 per person

QUEENSTOWN - is the South Island's most popular resort, set alongside the shores of Lake Wakatipu, under the gaze of the Remarkables Ranges. See the contrast of smooth glacier rounded hills, and jagged mountain summits that reach high above the ancient ice floor. The town is renowned for its jet boating, bungy-jumping, skiing and awe-inspiring scenery. Local story has it, that the gold prospectors of the 19th century pronounced the town as "fit for any Queen", and so she was called Queenstown.

Day 7: Milford Sound

Real Journeys Coach/Milford Sound Nature Cruise/Coach

(01 Oct - 31 Oct & 1 May – 30 Sep departs 6.55am returns 7.45pm & 01 Oct - 30 Apr departs 7.15am returns 8.15pm)

Today, you will be collected from your hotel by Real Journeys and travel from Queenstown along the shores of Lake Wakatipu, and through rolling countryside to Te Anau. After a short break at Te Anau, continue via the spectacular Milford Road, to Milford Sound. Board the Milford Mariner for a relaxing cruise of Milford Sound. The cruise provides excellent viewing opportunities and plenty of time is available to enjoy waterfalls, rainforest, mountains and wildlife. An on board nature guide provides interpretation in English only. Return transport by luxury coach to Queenstown.

MILFORD SOUND: *Stunning surroundings at the heart of Te Wahipounamu World Heritage Area. In Maori legend, the fiords were created not by rivers of ice, but by Tu Te Raki Whanoa, a godly figure who came wielding a magical adze uttering incantations. Milford Sound (Piopiotahi) is without doubt his finest sculpture. Luxuriant rainforest clings to sheer rock walls washed with waterfalls. In the foreground stands Mitre Peak, dominating the skyline. Whatever the fiord's mood, teeming with rain or with sun glistening on deep water, it will inspire you.*

Picnic lunch included on board your cruise

Day 8: Free Day Queenstown

Skyline Return Gondola Ride

Please make your way to the Skyline Gondola base and take a Gondola ride to Bob's Peak.

Suggested optional activity, not included in costing:

Dart River Jetboat Safaris Wilderness Safari (departs 1 Oct - 31 May 8am & 12pm, 1 Jun – 30 Sep 8am, duration 6 hours)

The world famous Dart River Safari 1/2 day option, Jetboat, short guided bush walk and 4wd backroad adventure. A total wilderness experience. Things to know - Always dress warmly, wear comfortable walking shoes/boots and bring eyewear (sunglasses or prescription glasses). Bring a sunhat and sunscreen in summer and warm hat and gloves in winter. If using Safari transfer to Glenorchy, approximately 45 minutes is allowed for refreshments prior to the coach departing Glenorchy for Queenstown. Upon completion of your tour you will be returned to Queenstown. Please Note: Minimum passenger numbers may apply

SUMMER departs Queenstown at 8am and 12.30pm from 1 November to 30 April

WINTER departs Queenstown at 8am and 12 Noon from 1 May - 30 September.

Life jackets are mandatory and supplied along with optional spray jackets

Summer - Sunglasses, sun hat, sunscreen, Insect repellent and warm outer layer recommended

Winter - Wear warm clothing plus hat, gloves, windproof outer jacket, insect repellent and sunglasses

Year round - Please ensure you wear suitable supportive footwear. The guided walk is 30 minutes long on a rolling track through the forest. Minimum height: must be 100cm tall or taller.

Nett to you: NZD239.00pp

Day 9: Depart Queenstown

Today return your rental car to Queenstown Airport before checking in for your departure flight.

	3*	4*	5*
Auckland (2)	Adina Apartment Hotel Auckland Studio Room	Grand Millennium Superior Room	Skycity Grand Hotel Premium Luxury City View
Rotorua (1)	Sudima Lake Rotorua Superior room	Millennium Rotorua Superior Room	Regent of Rotorua Boutique Suite
Christchurch (1)	Heartland Hotel Cotswold Standard Studio Room	Distinction Hotel Christchurch Classic Room	The George Executive Room
Wanaka (1)	Mercure Oakridge Standard room	Edgewater Hotel Hotel Studio	Wanaka Haven Superior King Room (B&B)
Queenstown (3)	Heartland Queenstown Standard room	Copthorne Hotel & Resort Lakefront Superior Lakeview Room	Queenstown Park Boutique Hotel Gondola Room (Incl breakfast)

Rates are Nett per person (includes 15%) – including all admissions as above

Tourist	01 May – 30 Sep 2021	01 Oct 21 – 30 Apr 2022
1 pax travelling alone	NZD 2,705.00pp	NZD 3,155.00pp
2 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,649.00pp	NZD 1,889.00pp
3 pax – share Triple	NZD 1,505.00pp	NZD 1,739.00pp
4 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,539.00pp	NZD 1,779.00pp
Breakfast Supplement	NZD 255.00pp	NZD 255.00pp
Single Supplement	NZD 775.00pp	NZD 939.00pp

Rates are Nett per person (includes 15%) – including all admissions as above

Deluxe	01 May – 30 Sep 2021	01 Oct 21 – 30 Apr 2022
1 pax travelling alone	NZD 3,239.00pp	NZD 3,695.00pp
2 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,915.00pp	NZD 2,159.00pp
3 pax – share Triple	NZD 1,655.00pp	NZD 1,859.00pp
4 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,809.00pp	NZD 2,049.00pp
Breakfast Supplement	NZD 255.00pp	NZD 255.00pp
Single Supplement	NZD 1,045.00pp	NZD 1,209.00pp

Rates are Nett per person (includes 15%) – including all admissions as above

5*	01 May – 30 Sep 2021	01 Oct 21 – 30 Apr 2022
1 pax travelling alone	NZD 4,225.00pp	NZD 4,739.00pp
2 pax – share Twin	NZD 2,419.00pp	NZD 2,690.00pp
3 pax – share Triple	NZD 2,129.00pp	NZD 2,350.00pp
4 pax – share Twin	NZD 2,310.00pp	NZD 2,580.00pp
Breakfast Supplement	NZD 155.00pp	NZD 155.00pp
Single Supplement	NZD 1,529.00pp	NZD 1,720.00pp

Nett per person (includes 15%) – EXCLUDING all admissions outlined below

Tourist	01 May – 30 Sep 2021	01 Oct 21 – 30 Apr 2022
1 pax travelling alone	NZD 2,139.00pp	NZD 2,589.00pp
2 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,080.00pp	NZD 1,320.00pp
3 pax – share Triple	NZD 937.00pp	NZD 1,170.00pp
4 pax – share Twin	NZD 970.00pp	NZD 1,210.00pp
Breakfast Supplement	NZD 255.00pp	NZD 255.00pp
Single Supplement	NZD 775.00pp	NZD 939.00pp

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1 pax travelling alone	NZD 2,675.00pp	NZD 3,129.00pp
2 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,349.00pp	NZD 1,590.00pp
3 pax – share Triple	NZD 1,089.00pp	NZD 1,290.00pp
4 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,240.00pp	NZD 1,480.00pp
Breakfast Supplement	NZD 255.00pp	NZD 255.00pp
Single Supplement	NZD 1,045.00pp	NZD 1,209.00pp

Rates are Nett per person (includes 15%) – EXCLUDING all admissions as above

5*	01 May – 30 Sep 2021	01 Oct 21 – 30 Apr 2022
1 pax travelling alone	NZD 3,659.00pp	NZD 4,170.00pp
2 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,850.00pp	NZD 2,125.00pp
3 pax – share Triple	NZD 1,560.00pp	NZD 1,785.00pp
4 pax – share Twin	NZD 1,745.00pp	NZD 2,015.00pp
Breakfast Supplement	NZD 155.00pp	NZD 155.00pp
Single Supplement	NZD 1,529.00pp	NZD 1,720.00pp

Costs include -

- Documentation Fee
- Accommodation in hotels as specified, share twin subject to availability.
- Goods & Services Tax 15%
- Travel documentation including Travel Wallet, detailed itinerary, and Welcome letter
- Budget Rent A Car (BCNZZ588X): CVAR (G) - Compact Auto SUV Vehicle (1-2 pax)
- Budget Rent A Car (BCNZZ588X): IFAR (P) - Intermediate SUV (3 – 4 pax)
- Admissions as outlined for inclusive admission prices only:
 - SKYCITY Hotel Auckland: Total Tower Experience - Sky Tower/Sky Deck
 - Auckland Museum: General Admission Only
 - Hobbiton Movie Set Tours: FIT Guided Tour including Lunch
 - Te Puia: Te Po Hangi and Concert + guided tour
 - Waimangu Thermal Valley: Self Guided Walk
 - Real Journeys: RJ201 Coach/Milford Sound Nature Cruise/Coach
 - Real Journeys: RJ 11 or 12 Picnic Lunch
 - Skyline Queenstown: Gondola ride

Costs exclude

- Airfares National or International
- Personal expenses & tips
- Drinks during meals (except water/tea/coffee)
- Any items of personal nature
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 - Skyline Queenstown: Gondola ride
- Optional activities
- Parking fee at hotel, if applicable
- Road toll and car ferry fee, if applicable
- Fuel for rental car
- Additional rental car charges (eg Airport pickup charges)
- Insurance excess and additional accessories (eg GPS unit, child car seat)

Subject to

- Subject to surcharges beyond our control
- Accommodation subject to availability
- Subject to public holiday/special event/Chinese New Year surcharges, refer to our online tariff.
- Subject to any increase in Goods & Services Tax (GST) currently 15%

Rental car conditions:

Budget rental car terms

Effective Immediately Regarding Driver's Licences - It is mandatory that a customer **produce their driver licence in English** when renting from Budget New Zealand. If their driver licence is in any language other than English, it must be accompanied by an approved translation, such as with an International Driver Permit.

- Where the customer does not have an approved translation on vehicle pickup Budget staff will need to send a scan copy of the front and back of your licence to TransNational for translation.
- A Fee of NZD 69.00 per translation will apply and is payable direct by the client to TransNational (can be paid over the phone or via PayPal) www.transnational-ltd.co.nz
- If translation cannot be obtained or the licence is invalid or incorrect Budget New Zealand have been instructed by NZ Police - "If without an English translation you must not rent."

Remember:

All drivers must be registered on the Rental Agreement prior to driving the vehicle

In order to register, they must visit a branch of Budget NZ with their full and valid driver's licence, and must be aged 21 years or above.

By 'Full and Valid' this means that the licence must not be a provisional licence with any restrictions, it must be appropriate for the vehicle class rented and it must be a valid drivers licence.

TravelsafeNZ app

Offer your clients the TravelsafeNZ app so they keep up to date with the latest weather, civil defence, marine, road closure and airport information while in New Zealand.

TravelsafeNZ is a FREE, nationwide smartphone application specifically developed to help international self-drive travellers enjoy safer and less disruptive NZ road trips with a focus on the State Highway network outside of the City Centres.

Currently available on Android devices with development underway for Apple. Available to download on Googleplay.

<http://travelsafenz.co.nz/>

English - Rental Vehicle Driver Safety Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k_dz24pnyX8

Chinese - Rental Vehicle Driver Safety Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=05jMThMO-G0>

French - Rental Vehicle Driver Safety Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J-Q_oUPMp8c

German - Rental Vehicle Driver Safety Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U8A-l2yU3oY>

Budget T&C: <https://goo.gl/mv5pr2>

All drivers must be 21 years old or over and hold a current non-probationary driver's license (with an English translation shown on the license) from their home country. If the customer presents an international driver's permit, this must be accompanied with their home country licence. There is no charge for additional drivers or any young driver's surcharges. There is no maximum age for hiring a car in New Zealand.

One way rentals One Way Hires

NZD \$50 + GST *(NZD 57.50) One Way Fee for any hire less than 7 days nett and non-commissionable - charged DIRECT BY BUDGET ON VEHICLE PICKUP.

Note that cars cannot be taken across on the Interislander Ferry between Wellington and Picton or vice versa.

Budget are now a 100% smoke free fleet. We have implemented an inspection process to ensure a fresh, clean, odour free vehicle. A cleaning fee of up to \$250 + GST may be charged if the vehicle is returned smelling of smoke. Customers will find a sticker on their vehicle to identify it as smoke free.

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Optional Extras: Should clients wish to upgrade on pickup to Budget Protection Plan For Car Groups: An additional daily payment of NZD 25 + GST per day reduces insurance excess of NZD 3,500.00 + GST to NZD 350 + GST. For Group F,P,W, V & K -

Optional Extras: Should clients wish to upgrade on pickup to Budget Protection Plan For Car Groups: An additional daily payment of NZD 25 + GST per day reduces insurance excess of NZD 3,500.00 + GST to NZD 350 + GST. For Group F,P,W, V & L - An additional daily payment of NZD 29 + GST per day reduces insurance excess of NZD 4,250.00 + GST to NZD 350 + GST. Personal Insurance is also included in this package. Should you wish to upgrade to Incl BPP

Before arrival please check with your PDNZ consultant about arranging this and applicable costs involved.

Bond: All rentals require a NZD 150 security bond to be paid at the commencement of the hire.

Airport/Ferry Fee: A charge of NZD 45 + GST will apply to hires commencing or dropping at all airport locations and ferry terminals. This is to be paid directly to Budget Rent a Car at the commencement of hire. **This is paid only once per rental.**

A LATE FERRY FEE of \$50+GST will apply for vehicle collection from a Ferry location after 1800hrs.

Driving to Milford Sound in winter months (June-November) - It is highly recommended that clients take the option of snow chains at NZD 12.50 per day up to NZD 160.00 per hire. Available from all South Island locations. Not available on group A or E vehicles. If clients do not take chains and drive into Milford Sound on days where snowy weather has made chains a requirement, they may risk a NZD 750 fine from the NZ Police.

Cost of Where2 GPS unit with BUDGET RENT a CAR is \$9.95/day. The weekly rate will be \$49.95 to a maximum of \$99.95 per month (+ GST for all GPS costs)

The customer must pay these charges DIRECT to Budget Rent a Car.

If a unit is damaged, lost or stolen, the customer will be charged \$350+GST for the unit. (Please note: vehicle excess reduction does not reduce this cost).

For payment conditions and cancellation policy please refer to our company terms and condition available on our on-line tariff: <http://www.pacificdestinations.co.nz/en/privacy-policy>

You can visit our services and products on www.pacificdestinations.co.nz

Please contact Cara Dabb if you require log in details: cara@pdnz.co.nz

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you require any further assistance.