

Nelson Tasman

NEW ZEALAND



Trade Manual 2026



TOKA NGAWHĀ
SPLIT APPLE ROCK



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Voted NZ's # 1 destination for visitor satisfaction 2024/25

With sparkling seas, golden beaches, abundant plains and mighty mountains - Nelson Tasman offers endless adventure, fantastic attractions and delicious local flavours. This is the place to slow down, relax and realise all your holiday dreams all year round.

Be immersed in the dramatic landscapes of 3 National Parks. Discover our region on easy walks or overnight hikes, or soak up the scenery by bike. Take to the water, get up in the air, or tour top sights with local guides.

Encounter arts and culture, and tantalise your tastebuds as you explore our exciting culinary scene. Get to know people who are passionate about this place, and be prepared to fall in love.

Nelson Tasman's pleasant climate makes for great stays any time of year with sensational seasonal colours a highlight. Stay as long as possible and start planning your next trip, there is always much more to enjoy!



[Play on YouTube](#)

Why Nelson Tasman

Nature

3 National Parks
2 of NZ's Great Walks:
Abel Tasman Coastal Track
& The Heaphy Track

Creativity

300 local artists
Boutique Wines, Craft
Beers, Ciders and
Artisan Foods

Cycling

2 of NZ's Great Rides:
Tasman's Great Taste Trail & The Coppermine Trail
Over 400km of gold-rated bike trails



 THE BOAT HOUSE
NELSON CITY



Getting to Nelson Tasman

Located on the South Island's northern coastline, at the geographical centre of New Zealand, Nelson Tasman is easily accessible by air, land and sea.

Arriving by Air

Nelson is the busiest regional airport in New Zealand. Frequent domestic flights on Air New Zealand Q300 Bombardier and Airbus ATR 72-600 aircraft provide convenient, direct access to the region from international gateways in Auckland, Wellington and Christchurch.

In addition, Origin Air and Sounds Air operate scheduled flights between Nelson and Wellington. Golden Bay Air operates scheduled flights all year to Takaka in Golden Bay.

Arriving by Road and Sea

The Nelson Tasman region is accessible by road from Christchurch through the Lewis Pass and Murchison. A worthwhile detour from this route will take you through the alpine village of St. Arnaud at the edge of Nelson Lakes National Park. An alternative route from Christchurch brings you up the East Coast through Kaikoura and Marlborough.

A short drive over the Whangamoia Ranges links Nelson with Picton in the Marlborough Sounds – where passenger ferries arrive from the North Island.

Connectivity

Driving times:

2 hours from Picton

3 hours from Westport

5.5 hours from Christchurch

Flying times:

75 mins ex Auckland

45 mins ex Wellington

55 mins ex Christchurch



Getting around Nelson Tasman

Over land tours

- Wine, Art & Wilderness
- The Better Bus
- Nelson City Taxis
- Nelson Coachlines

In the Air

- Helicopters Nelson
- Golden Bay Air

Cycling & Mountain biking

On the Sea

- Cruises
- Sea Shuttles
- Aquataxis
- Sailing
- Private Charters
- Waka
- Kayaking



Seasonality

Nelson Tasman is a year-round destination, offering a mild climate, high sunshine hours and distinct seasonal experiences for every traveller.



Summer (December – February)

Average temperatures: 20–30°C

Summer is warm, sunny and lively, with long daylight hours ideal for beaches, hiking, cycling and kayaking in Abel Tasman National Park. Festivals, markets and outdoor dining showcase the region's vibrant food and wine scene.



Autumn (March – May)

Average temperatures: 15–25°C

Autumn delivers settled weather, golden vineyards with orchard colours, and fewer visitors. Warm days and cooler evenings suit walking, cycling, wine touring and photography, offering a relaxed and visually rich travel experience.



Winter (June – August)

Average temperatures: 5–15°C

Winter is mild and uncrowded, with crisp days and snow-capped mountain views. It's a great time for scenic walking, galleries, wineries and cosy dining, while national parks remain accessible and peaceful.



Spring (September – November)

Average temperatures: 10–20°C

Spring brings fresh energy, blossoming gardens and lush landscapes. Increasing warmth and daylight make it ideal for nature-based travel, outdoor activities and travellers seeking colour, freshness and value outside peak season.

Nelson City



 CENTRE OF NEW ZEALAND
NELSON CITY



Nelson City

- Regional Population approx. 100,000
- Nelson City Population approx. 50,000
- Vibrant city with top class cafes, restaurants and art galleries
- Centre of NZ walk
- Tāhunanui Beach
- Paddle boarding
- Tāhuna Fun Park
- Ride trails from the heart of the city with Cycle Nelson
- Cable Bay



Flamedaisy Glass Design



Tāhuna Beach Holiday Park



Pic's Peanut Butter World



Jens Hansen
Gold & Silversmith



Brook Waimārama
Sanctuary



Cable Bay



Jens Hansen™
THE RINGMAKER

Timeless jewellery from the makers of the world's most famous ring.

- Wedding & Engagement Rings
- Custom Design: Your Story, Hand-Crafted
- Fine Jewellery
- Makers of the 'One Ring' from Lord of the Rings

Handmade Custom Jewellery & Engagement Rings

jenshansen.co.nz



THE Brook Waimarama Sanctuary
NELSON NEW ZEALAND

- The South Island's largest fully fenced eco-sanctuary
- 690 hectares of protected native forest
- Alive with rare and threatened species
- Home to iconic species like:
 - Kiwi
 - Tuatara
 - Kākāriki
- 15km of walking tracks
- Trade friendly Guided Day and Night tours
- New romantic dinners for 2

brooksanctuary.org.nz





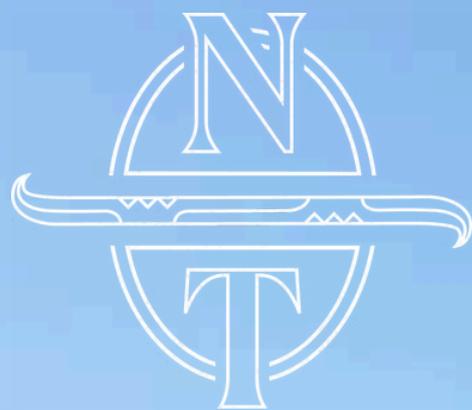
Pic's ^{REALLY GOOD} PEANUT BUTTER

- Home of the Good Stuff - Pic's Peanut Butter
- Smell the roasting peanuts
- Enjoy a tasting of all the delicious spreads
- Discover the history of peanut butter
- Learn about founder Pic Picot
- Ride a bike to make your own peanut butter
- New trade-friendly tours and packages

picspeanutbutter.com/tours

Name	Website	Details	Qualmark
The Suter Art Gallery	thesuter.org.nz	One of the oldest galleries in NZ, with a rich history dating back to the late 19 th century	
Nelson Classic Car Museum	nelsonclassiccarmuseum.nz	150 Classic Cars from more than 120 years of motoring	Gold
Paddle Nelson	paddlenelson.co.nz	Paddleboarding and kayaking from Tāhunanui Beach in Nelson	
Nelson Fun Park	nelsonfunpark.co.nz	Go Karts, Trampoline Park, Bumper Boats, Spa Pools, Hydro Slide, Mini Golf, Laser Tag all at Tāhunanui Beach	
Natureland Wildlife Trust	natureland.nz	Education and conservation in action, meet the animals!	Gold

Abel Tasman National Park





Abel Tasman National Park

New Zealand's smallest national park, celebrated for its golden beaches, lush native forest, crystal-clear waters and easily accessible coastal walking and kayaking experiences.

Open year-round, this is one of New Zealand's Great Walks, spanning 60 kilometres and typically completed over three to five days. Flexible half-day to multi-day options are available, with guided or self-guided walking, kayaking, cruising and a range of accommodation options from beachfront lodges to campsites and DOC huts.

The park has three main gateways: Mārahau and Kaiteriteri, one hour from Nelson City, and Golden Bay in the north. Access is by boat or on foot, with daily transport connections from Nelson City.





Walking/hiking

Golden beaches, native forest and coastal views are explored via well-formed tracks, offering flexible half-day to multi-day options.



Waka

Explore the coastline by traditional Māori waka, passing golden beaches and sheltered bays in crystal-clear waters.



Sailing

Sail along the coast, discovering golden beaches, sheltered bays and turquoise waters from a relaxed on-water perspective.



Cruise

Cruise the coastline to access golden beaches, coastal tracks and sheltered bays, with flexible hop-on, hop-off options.



Fly

Soar above the park by helicopter, taking in sweeping coastal views, golden beaches and turquoise waters from the air.



Kayak

Paddle along the coastline, exploring golden beaches, sheltered bays and crystal-clear waters at a relaxed pace.

ABEL TASMAN Kayaks

EST. 1986



[Remote Marine Reserve Video](#)

Timed with the tides to experience the Marine Reserve and lagoons at the absolute best.

1 Day guided kayak inclusive of lunch.

Option: Half day guided kayak on Remote Marine Reserve and half day walk - Two Guides Tour.



[2, 3 & 5 Day Classic Video](#)

Classic trips serve up everything that is special about the Abel Tasman National Park

Multi-day, beach side camping fully catered and hosted. Luxury camp mattresses...

Option: 3 Day Classic Walk hosted in the evening only.

New Zealand's first Sea Kayak company - Est. 1986
No prior experience needed. All equipment provided.
Seamless service - Purpose built base, lunches and overnight meals prepared onsite, two water taxis, transport to and from Nelson, secure parking for campervans and cars.
Age 12+ - Open Sept - May
Reputation for in-depth story telling and interpretation.



abeltasmankayaks.co.nz

[1000's of reviews over 4.9](#)

[reviews www.abeltasmankayaks.co.nz/reviews](http://www.abeltasmankayaks.co.nz/reviews)



- Your day trip specialists in the Abel Tasman National Park
- Purpose built catamaran
- Excellent view areas
- Onboard toilets and easy walk on-off access
- Transfers from Nelson City and Motueka
- Full day & Half day tour options
- Package combos
- Fun for the whole family

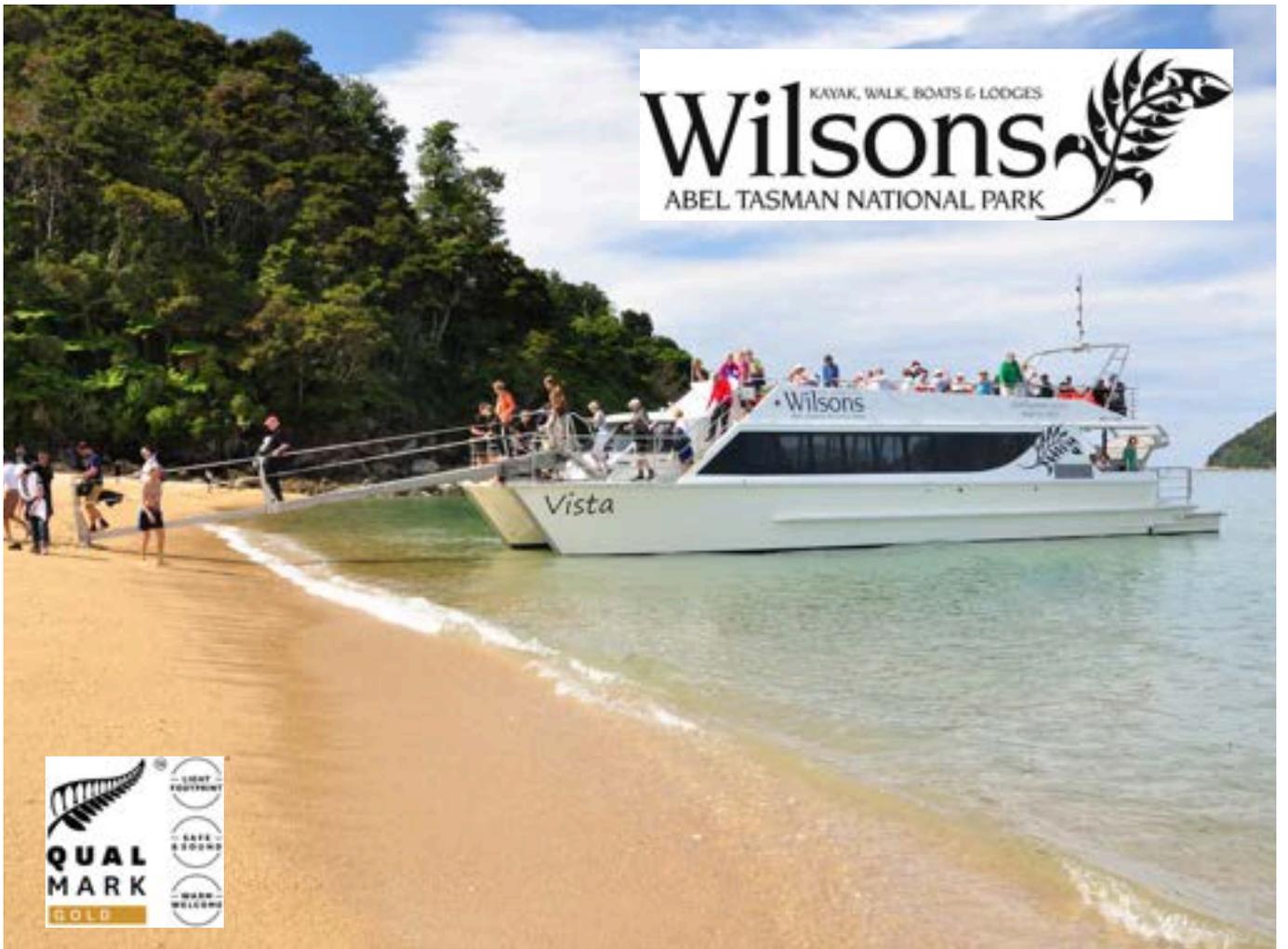
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Experience magic! Like nothing else...

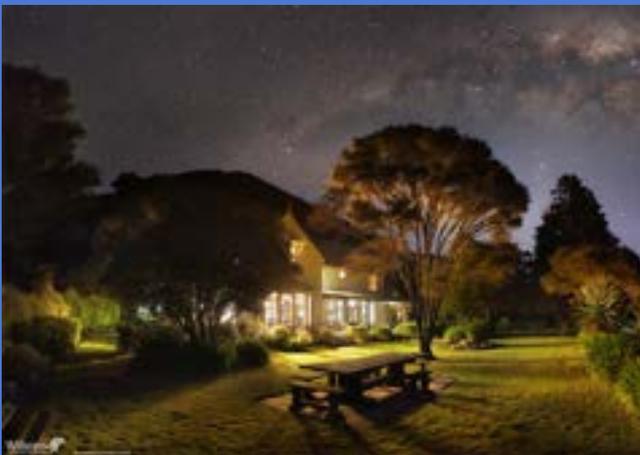
- An authentic, unique, cultural experience for all ages
- 100% Māori owned and operated
- Small, friendly, famil owned business
- #1 Outdoor Activity in Kaiteriteri
- Families are welcome, minimum age is 2years
- Build your itinerary with our 3 hour experience in it choose from our:
- Private trip – bespoke, something just for you
- No minimum number, maximum 7
- Choose from three time options: sunrise, morning, sunset
- Group trip – minimum number 8 – maximum 40+
- Public trip – minimum number 4
- All the information is in here [Trade Manual](#)

wakaabeltasman.nz



- Cruise, walk, kayak & enjoy the Abel Tasman with Wilsons
- ½ day to 5 day tours & everything in between
- Guided and self-guided options
- 2 stunning all-inclusive lodges in the heart of the park
- Water Taxi transfers
- Kayaking and walking options
- Knowledgeable, friendly guides
- Packages for Groups and FITs
- Something for everyone

abeltasman.co.nz





- Ultimate Adventure
- Abseil, Jump, Slide & Zipline through unspoiled native forest, pure water and natural rockpools
- Trips include Torrent River, Waterfall Creek and dry canyoning in Kahurangi National Park
- Awesome Combos with Skydive Abel Tasman and Abel Tasman Kayak

abeltasmancanyons.co.nz



- Much more than a boat tour
- A journey into the rich history and ecology of the stunning Abel Tasman National Park
- New electric motor to cruise in the estuaries and inlets of the park in silence, hear the wildlife around you
- Small, intimate groups
- Reconnect with nature
- Fun and relaxing day, personalised to suit



abeltasmanecotours.co.nz

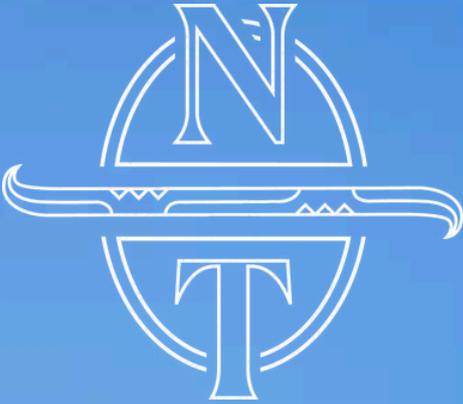


- Peaceful, quiet & relaxing
- Anchor in secluded bays & swim directly from the boat
- **Scheduled Day Tours** - small groups
- Combination sail, walk, water taxi & kayak tours
- **EXCLUSIVE Private Day Charters** (customised to suit)
- **Multi-day Sailing Holidays** (3-7 days)

sailingadventures.co.nz

Operator	Website	Details	Qualmark
Abel Tasman Guides	abeltasmanguides.co.nz	Wonderful walking trips	
Kahu Kayaks	kahukayaks.co.nz	A range of kayaking tours and freedom rental sea kayaking trips in the Abel Tasman	Gold
Kaiteriteri Kayaks	seakayak.co.nz	Guided Kayaking in Abel Tasman and rental kayaks and SUPS at Kaiteriteri Beach	Silver
R&R Kayaks	rrkayaks.co.nz	Small family owned sea kayaking company specialising in kayak tours and rentals	

Cycling, Mountain Biking and Adventure



 WAIMEA INLET
GREAT TASTE TRAIL





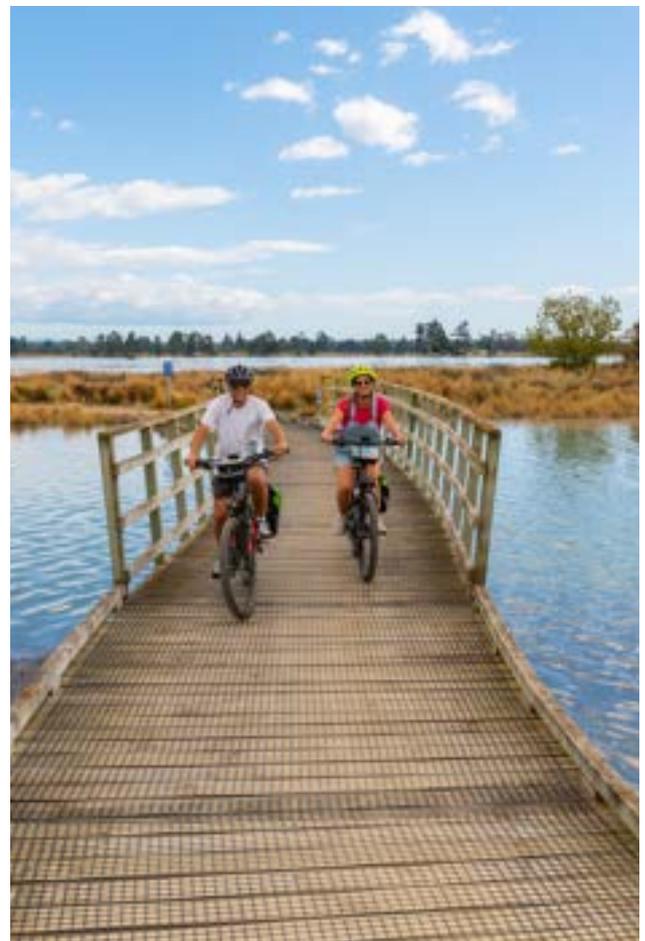
RUBY COAST
GREAT TASTE TRAIL

Tasman's Great Taste Trail

New Zealand's Great Ride, a scenic year-round cycling loop showcasing 200km of coastal and cross-country cycling through vineyards, orchards, estuaries and vibrant towns.

Open year-round, the trail offers short, easy rides or multi-day journeys linking Nelson, Richmond, Motueka and Kaiteriteri. Along the way are vineyards, cafés, galleries, historic railway sections and the remarkable Spooners Tunnel. A short ferry connects Moturoa | Rabbit Island with the charming village of Māpua. Enjoy fish & chips, locally brewed craft beer and boutique wines at the wharf.

Beginning in Nelson, the trail loops through Wakefield, Brightwater, Motueka, Māpua and Moturoa | Rabbit Island, with multiple access points, bike hire services and well-signposted sections throughout.



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 KOATA PARK
NELSON CITY

Mountain Biking

New Zealand's mountain biking mecca, delivering gold-rated trails, epic backcountry rides and technical singletrack just minutes from the city.

Ride over 400km of year-round standout trails, including the Coppermine Trail Great Ride, Koata Park and Waitarake, plus Cable Bay Adventure Park, Kaiteriteri MTB Park, Wairoa Gorge and Silvan Forest. Over the hill in Golden Bay, Rameka and the new Pikikirunga track reward with flowing descents and big views.

Nelson sits at the heart of the action, with trail networks accessed within minutes of the city. The Coppermine Trail links Nelson to Richmond, while the Heaphy Track (May–Nov), Old Ghost Road and Paparoa Trail offer multi-day wilderness adventures.



 COPPERMINE TRAIL
GREAT RIDE

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Cable Bay
ADVENTURE PARK
NELSON - NEW ZEALAND



- Just 15 mins from Nelson City
- Skywire - one of the world's longest flying fox journeys
- Scenic Quad Bike Tours - 1.5hr or 2.5hr tours through beautiful native forest
- Paintball
- Mountain Biking - 35km+ of trails through the native bush
- Grade 3 to 6
- E-Biking & Bike Hire
- Animal Petting Zone
- On-site licensed cafe open daily
- Exclusive/private tours with add ons, picnic hampers, honeymoon options etc
- Year round operation
- Group and FIT bookings

cablebayadventurepark.com

[@cablebayadventurepark](https://www.instagram.com/cablebayadventurepark)

CYCLE NELSON



For some, it's a gentle weave between Tasman grape vines with the joy of great company.
 For others, it's the thrill of carving down forested trails.
 For us, it's about bringing people closer – to each other and to this special place.

Bases at:

- Tāhuna Beach Holiday Park (Nelson)
- Nelson Airport (fly in, ride out)
- Kaiteriteri Beach (Abel Tasman NP)

Great Taste Trail:

- Bike hire
- Single day tours
- Guided tours
- Multi day tours
- Shuttle services

Mountain biking:

- Bike hire
- Single day adventures
- Heli biking
- Old Ghost Road & Heaphy
- Bespoke multi day tours



cyclenelson.co.nz



- Premium cycle tours that explore the Great Taste Trail
- Local experts offering personalised, carefully selected and modified itineraries
- Focus on multi-day luxury bespoke e-bike tours
- Tours designed to let your clients see the best of the region
- Customer-centric planning and booking process
- Boutique company focusing on customer service

wheeliefantastic.co.nz

Operator	Website	Details	Qualmark
Cycle Journeys	cyclejourneys.co.nz/great-taste-trail/	Great Taste Trail Cycle Tours and Services	Gold
Skydive Abel Tasman	skydive.co.nz/abel-tasman/	The most astonishing skydive over mountains, beaches and the Ocean!	Gold
Kiwi Journeys	kiwijourneys.co.nz/nelson	Scenic, Adventurous and Immersive rides on Tasman's Great Taste Trail	Gold

Luxury Nelson



 PIHOPA RETREAT
NELSON CITY



Established in 2005 amidst the picturesque landscapes of Nelson, New Zealand, Wine, Art & Wilderness offers exclusive and small group experiences tailored for discerning travellers. Our mission is to seamlessly blend luxury stays with meticulously curated activities. Nestled within a province graced by mountains, lakes, three national parks, and the Tasman sea, Nelson boasts a diverse and breathtaking landscape. Blessed with abundant sunshine hours, the region stands as a premier producer of wine, craft beer, fruit, and artisanal foods. Whether for a single day or an extended adventure, our guests can trust our experienced guides to unveil hidden treasures and orchestrate the finest activities showcasing the splendour of our region. Our passion, expertise, and enthusiasm drive us to exceed expectations and leave lasting impressions.



- Luxury provider of Exclusive & Small Group day tours
- Guided wine, art, hiking, cycling, golf & flyfishing tours
- Tour options in 3 unique National Parks
- Airport, Train & Ferry Transfers
- Extended Transfers and Touring throughout the South Island



<http://tinyurl.com/nz-product>

wineartandwilderness.co.nz



Helicopters Nelson is the largest privately owned helicopter company in the Top of the South Island, proudly owned and operated by the passionate Darling family.

Helicopters Nelson has grown into one of New Zealand's most respected and well-known aviation companies.

They specialise in creating luxury, bespoke, and unforgettable helicopter tours and transfers throughout the Top of the South Island, home to some of NZ's most breathtaking and remote locations.



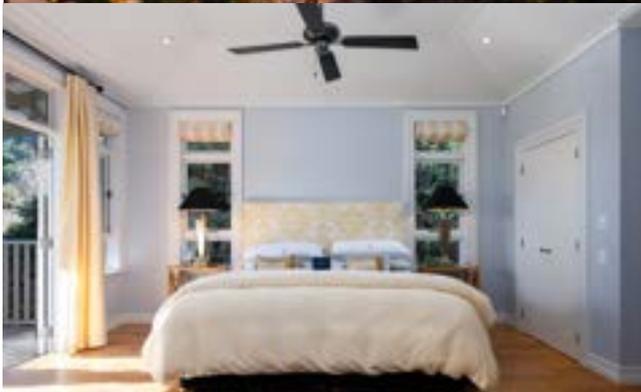
helicoptersnelson.co.nz



- Small group personalized charters into the stunning Abel Tasman National Park, ensuring an intimate and memorable experience.
- High quality, full day tours include beautiful beaches, forest walks, local wildlife, and engaging conversation with excellent New Zealand guides.
- Luxury charter boats that are clean and comfortable, with a crew dedicated to finding the calmest waters and showcasing the highlights throughout the day.
- Experienced and knowledgeable skippers and crew take care of guests for the entire 6-hour day, starting at 10am to allow a slower start when travelling from Nelson or beyond.
- Everything is included – kayaks, a locally sourced antipasto lunch, drinks and towels.
- Tours offer something for everyone, whether guests want to hike, swim, kayak, or simply relax.
- Perfect for small groups with varying energy levels, allowing guests to do as much or as little as they please.
- Offering a variety of tours in combination with other luxury operators in Nelson to showcase the best the region has to offer

abeltasmancharters.co.nz

ABEL TASMAN CHARTERS Trade Manual.pdf



Pihopa Retreat

LUXURY ACCOMMODATION

- 5-star Boutique Hotel, 6 luxury suites in park-like setting
- Historic Nelson Diocese estate with Bishopdale Chapel
- Chef cooked breakfast, complimentary mini-bar, pre-dinner drinks & canapes and taxi service to award winning dining
- Recognised globally, rank 1st in NZ and 8th in Australasia in the Conde Nast Travelers UK Readers' Choice Awards and ranked 2nd in NZ and 7th for Australia & the Pacific in the Conde Nast Travelers US Readers' Choice Awards

pihoparetreat.nz



Lodge by the beach

Boutique retreat - Abel Tasman

- Hidden Boutique luxury retreat, near the Abel Tasman National Park.
- Four suites, each on its own level, with beautiful architect-designed interiors and curated art throughout.
- Small number of guests hosted at one time, personal attention
- Each suite has ocean views and a super king-size bed
- Some feature a private outdoor spa bath (jacuzzi) or a bathtub, a deck or terrace, and some include a gas fire pit on the deck.
- Private path to a large, secluded beach near Split Apple Rock, perfect for swimming, kayaking and relaxation.
- Gourmet breakfast and a three-course dinner by professional private chef; lunch available on request.
- Complimentary Kayaks and paddleboards for guests.
- Natural spring water runs throughout the lodge.
- Wide range of organic NZ-made skincare in every bathroom.
- Welcome flowers, chocolates, berries, and a bottle of each guest's favourite drink in their suite on arrival.
- Optional add-ons: massages, bespoke celebration décor, romantic surprises, flowers, cakes — arranged on request.

lodgebythebeach.com



MOTUEKA River Lodge

- Premiere accommodation in the stunning Motueka River Valley
- Recently redesigned with stylish country living in mind
- 4 luxurious Suites provide views of nature and valley, private ensuite bathrooms, and King size beds with high-quality linens.
- Rates include cooked breakfast, evening appetisers, and a delicious 5 course Chef's select dinner for two.
- The charming rustic Cottage, with stunning valley views.

motuekaaccommodation.com



Lodge	Website	Details	Qualmark
Okoro Villa	okorovilla.com	Exclusive use for up to 8 guests or 2 suites can be reserved separately or 2 guests in each	Gold
Maruia River Retreat	maruia.co.nz	7 Boutique Villas at NZ's Nature & Well-being Desitnation	Gold
Split Apple Retreat	splitapple.com	Each of the 3 guest suites has 2 private decks overlooking the sea	
Te Koi the Lodge at Bronte	tekoithelodge.com	2 Suites and 2 Villas overlooking the tranquil waters of the Waimea Estuary	
Domu Retreat	domuretreat.co.nz	Brand New 6 rooms, with sharing good food and slowing down at the heart	
Stonefly Lodge	stoneflylodge.co.nz	New owners, 4 guest rooms. A truly off-grid retreat, specialising in fly-fishing and hunting holidays	
Clifftops Retreat	clifftops-retreat.co.nz	Luxury self-contained cottage for 2 perched high on the cliffs overlooking Ruby Bay	



 TE WAIKOROPUPŪ
SPRINGS, GOLDEN BAY

Mohua | Golden Bay

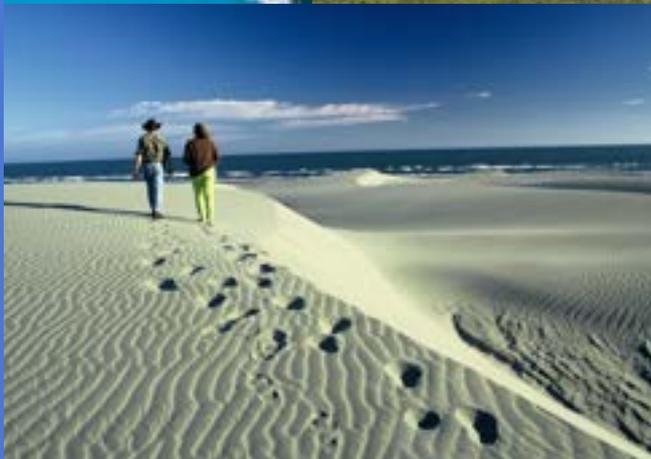
Golden Bay | Mohua is a sun-kissed coastal gem over Tākaka Hill, where turquoise waters, pristine beaches, vibrant arts communities and outdoor adventure meet.

Accessible year-round, this enchanting region invites you to explore the 176m Harwoods Hole, crystal-clear Te Waikoropupū Springs, iconic Wharariki and Tōtaranui beaches, plus scenic estuaries and coastal walks. Taste local craft beer, boutique produce and New Zealand's only tequila at Kiwi Spirit Distillery in vibrant Tākaka.

Golden Bay's stunning settings include Farewell Spit, New Zealand's longest sandspit nature reserve, surrounded by abundant birdlife. Classic towns like Tākaka and Collingwood are cultural hubs with markets, galleries and dining.



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- Farewell Spit Nature Reserve, bird sanctuary and wetland of international importance
- 35 km long, vast beaches, huge sand dunes, historic lighthouse
- Public access restricted to the first 4kms.
- Full day tours in 4WD bus to Cape Farewell, Fossil Point, sand dunes, the lighthouse and Gannet Colony
- One of the oldest tourism businesses in NZ still in the same family

farewellspit.com



RATANUI

LODGE - GOLDEN BAY

- Beachside Lodge & Restaurant at Pohara in Golden Bay
- 10 recently refurbished, contemporary, stylish and comfortable rooms
- Welcoming restaurant & lounge bar open 7 days a week for breakfast, cocktails and dinner
- Small outdoor saltwater pool and hot tub for guests
- Spacious ensuites with walk-in showers and handmade bathroom amenities
- All room rates include a delicious breakfast in the sunny breakfast room
- New onsite Day Spa

ratanuilodge.com



Operator	Website	Details	Qualmark
Golden Bay Air	goldenbayair.co.nz	Flights connecting with Wellington, Takaka, Nelson and Karamea. Scenic flights over Farewell Spit	Gold
Golden Bay Kayaks	goldenbaykayaks.co.nz	Guided or independent tours, gateway to the northern end of the Abel Tasman National Park	Gold
Drift Off Grid	driftoffgrid.com	Luxury eco glamping, 2 stunning tents, surrounded by native bush and overlooking the ocean, the perfect spot to slow down and reconnect.	Silver
Kiwi Spirit Distillery	kiwispiritdistillery.co.nz	A unique range of spirits brewed in Golden Bay, including NZ's only Tequilana, TeKiwi! Brand new onsite Cocktail & Tapas Bar!	
Mussel Inn	musselinn.co.nz	Family friendly cafe, bar and music venue, producing all their own beers, ales, ciders, soft drinks, occasional house wines and great food	

Accommodation

 DRIFT OFF GRID
GOLDEN BAY



Te Rāhui Rēhia o Kaitereterē

Kaiteriteri

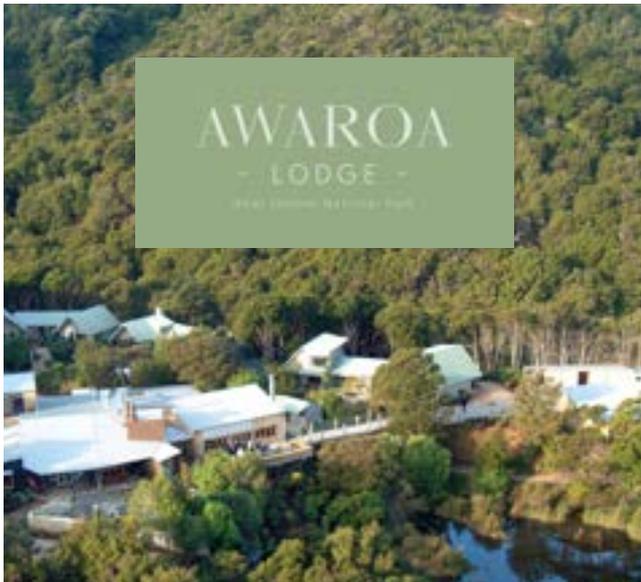
Recreation Reserve



- A destination beyond the beach
- Beach front accommodation over beautiful Kaiteriteri Beach
- 9 stunning Self-Contained Luxury Apartments
- Ensuite Cabins
- Shared facility cabins
- Powered Camp sites
- New The Waterfront by Toad Hall Cafe + Restaurant
- Kaiteriteri Store
- Kaiteriteri Mountain Bike Park

Stay, Play, Relax and Recharge

experiencekaiteriteri.co.nz



- Surrounded by native bush in the heart of the Abel Tasman National Park
- Accessible only by Walking, Boating or Helicopter, No Road Access
- Constructed to make the most of the secluded location
- Charming accommodation options; Standard or Family rooms or Superior Suites
- Dining options include seasonal flavours from the onsite organic garden at Harakeke Restaurant, or gourmet pizzas and drinks al fresco beneath the native trees in summer
- Onsite day spa and massages

awaroalodge.co.nz



R RUTHERFORD HOTEL
NELSON
A HERITAGE HOTEL

- Premium Nelson City Accommodation
- 113 rooms in the heart of the city
- Variety of room types and apartments sleeping 1-6 people
- In house dining at Oceano Restaurant
- 24 hour room service
- Walking distance to Nelson City's many shops, cafes, restaurants, galleries and more
- Gateway to the Abel Tasman National Park
- Conference facilities

rutherfordhotel.nz



the Waters



- Boutique Bed & Breakfast
- 4 luxury waterfront suites with beautiful sea views; Aria (accessible), Oriwa, Moana and Tahuna
- Brand-new Fisherlap SwimSpa
- Petanque course overlooking the Tasman Sea
- Stones throw access to Kina Beach
- Windhover Estate

Aumoana Beach Bach - Celebrations venue or day use playroom at the beach

thewaters.co.nz



Tāhuna Beach Holiday Park is located 4.5 kilometres from Nelson city centre and adjacent to the long welcoming sands of Tāhunanui Beach. It covers 54 acres of parkland that has been available for almost 100 years for holidaymakers to enjoy.

Today Tāhuna Beach Holiday Park offers accommodation that suits every holidaymaker's and traveller's budget – from unpowered campsites to cosy cabins to modern, fully self-contained motel units. The Holiday Park's location gives you direct access to the beach, playing fields and local beachside attractions.



- One of New Zealand's largest holiday parks, offering 600 campsites and 89 accommodation units, including self-contained, accessible, dog-friendly, and sea-view options.
- On-site Café & Store plus a Conference and Events Centre with four meeting rooms and catering services.
- A wide range of activities: bike hire and wash stations, five playgrounds, mini-golf, giant jumping pillow, pétanque, volleyball, flying fox, and a mega swing.
- Home to Cycle Nelson, providing bike hire, guided tours, and transport between the Airport, City, and Kaiteriteri beach.
- Committed to sustainability by reducing impact, protecting wildlife, and engaging guests in eco-friendly practices.
- Celebrating 100 years of beachside holiday memories in 2026, with various events over the year recalling the stories of the people and land from the past.



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TIDES HOTEL

- Central City hotel, conference centre, bar & eatery
- Located on the Maitai river
- An easy walk into Nelson City's cafes, shops, galleries and more
- 47 rooms

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DELORENZO'S

- 30 Studio Apartments including interconnection apartments, accessible rooms, 2-bedroom and 3-bedroom units.
- Close to cafes, theatres, galleries, and Nelson's vibrant shopping centre
- Proudly locally owned and 'local' in style atmosphere and service

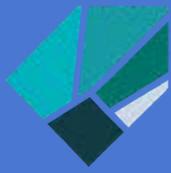
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Other accommodation operators

Operator	Website	Rooms	Qualmark	Location
Abel Tasman Ocean View Chalets	accommodationabeltasman.co.nz		Gold	Marahau
Admirals Motor Inn	admiralsmotorinn.co.nz	22		Nelson
Drift Off Grid	driftoffgrid.com	2	Silver	Golden Bay
Greens Motel	greensmotel.co.nz	18		Tahunanui
Kimi Ora Eco Resort	kimiora.com	22		Kaiteriteri
Abel Tasman Lodge	abeltasmanlodge.co.nz	15	Gold	Marahau
Accents Nelson - YHA	accentshostel.nz			Nelson
Ah House B&B	ahhouse.co.nz	2		Nelson
Apple Pickers' Cottages B&B	applepickers.nz	3		Mapua
Appleby House & Rabbit Island Huts	applebyhouse.co.nz	12		Appleby
Balmoral Motel	nelsonmotel.co.nz	14	Silver	Tahunanui
Bella Vista Motel Nelson	bellavista.co.nz/	18	Silver	Tahunanui
Beachcomber Motel	beachcomber.co.nz	82		Tahunanui
Eden's Edge Lodge	edensedge.co.nz	2	Bronze	Motueka
Grand Suites Murchison	grandsuitesmurchison.co.nz		Silver	Murchison

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Karu o te Kiwi	karuotekiwi.com	1	Silver	Golden Bay
Korari B&B	korari.nz	1		Mapua
Mohua Motels	mohuamotels.co.nz	11		Golden Bay
Nautilus Lodge	nautiluslodge.co.nz	12		Motueka
Palazzo Motor Lodge	palazzomotorlodge.co.nz	16		Nelson
Peak View Retreat	peakviewretreat.com	2	Gold	Whangamoas
Pepin Island Farm & Hut Stay	pepinisland.co.nz	3		Cable Bay
Quail Farm B&B	quail-farm.com	2		Brightwater
Quest Apartments	questapartments.co.nz	40		Nelson
Quinney's Bush Camp	quinneysbush.co.nz		Bronze	Motupiko
Ruby Bay Seaview Cottage	rubybayseaviewcottage.nz	1		Mapua
Saxton Lodge Motel	saxtonlodge.co.nz	48	Silver	Stoke
Tasman View Accommodation	tasmanview.co.nz	3		Lower Moutere
The Barn	barn.co.nz			Marahau
The Gates	thegatesaccommodation.co.nz	6		Mapua
The Hotel Nelson	thehotelnelson.co.nz	80		Nelson
The Pear Orchard	thepearorchard.co.nz			Richmond
The Sails Nelson	thesailsnelson.co.nz	15		Nelson
Twin Waters Lodge	twinwaters.nz	4		Golden Bay



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