

## Best of New Zealand (M-ID: 2717)

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**from €6,550.00**

Dates and duration (days)

On request

24 days

02/22/2023 - 03/17/2023 24 days

### The unique "Best of NZ" tour has been thrilling participants for several years!

This trip combines outstanding highlights of New Zealand, leads off the beaten track and gets a very intense "New Zealand touch" by the genuine "Kiwi" as a tour guide, especially since he accompanies you on a motorcycle!

With the "Best of NZ" tour we combine the outstanding highlights of our other three New Zealand tours in one tour - the name "Best of NZ" perfectly fits the character of this tour!

You will visit Cape Reinga at the 90-Mile Beach, the northernmost and Mt. Cook, the highest point of the country. You will get to know the unique Maori culture during a Maori Cultural Event and have enough time to hike the volcanic area around the Tongariro. You will get an impression of the country's up-and-coming wine culture by visiting an exclusive winery incl. wine tasting. You will experience the fascinating world of the sounds particularly intensively during an overnight boat trip. It goes without saying that we will ride breathtakingly beautiful motorcycle routes, enjoy spectacularly diverse landscapes and stay in great accommodations.

#### Tour schedule (subject to change)

Day 1: Departure to New Zealand  
Flight from D/CH/A (not included, we will be happy to book it for you as a separate travel service)

Day 2: Flight day due to time difference  
Due to the time difference today is usually a flight day.

Day 3: Arrival in Christchurch  
Transfer to the hotel, familiarization in the "Garden City", meeting with the other participants and the tour guide. In the evening dinner together and first tour briefing.

Day 4: From Christchurch to Lake Ohau, approx. 350 km  
The day starts with the pick up of your motorcycle! Afterwards you ride through the interior of the country and via Fairlie to the bright blue Lake Tekapo and then on to the idyllically situated Lake Ohau. On the way there is the possibility to make a detour to Mt Cook.

Day 5: From Lake Ohau to Queenstown, approx. 330 km  
Via Omarama you ride over the Lindis Pass and through the Kawarau Gorge to Queenstown on Lake Wakatipu.

Day 6: From Queenstown to Doubtful Sound, approx. 200 km  
Along the shores of Lake Wakatipu, through vast farmland and spectacular boat ride across Lake Manapouri and out into Doubtful Sound. Overnight on the boat in the Sound!

Day 7: Out of Doubtful Sound to Wanaka, 300 km  
Back out of the Sound, along Lake Wakatipu to Queenstown and via the Cardrona Valley to Wanaka in Mt Aspiring National Park.

Day 8: From Wanaka to Fox/Franz Josef Glacier, approx. 280 km  
Impressive route over the Haast Pass and the West Coast to the glacier region.

Day 9: From Fox/Franz Josef Glacier to Punakaiki, approx. 250 km  
The rugged Tasman Sea on one side, the deep rainforest on the other make the curves along the West Coast unique.

Day 10: From Punakaiki to the Abel Tasman National Park, approx. 280 km  
Visit the Pancake Rocks and ride through Buller Gorge into the Abel Tasman.

Day 11: Free day in the Abel Tasman National Park  
Endless sandy beaches, kayak tours or hiking in the Abel Tasman National Park are your choice - or a winding tour to Takaka.

Day 12: From the Abel Tasman to Wellington, approx. 180 km  
Dream route, the 'Queen Charlotte Ride' to Picton. Ferry through the Marlborough Sounds and the Cook Strait to Wellington, capital of New Zealand.

Day 13: From Wellington to Martinborough, approx. 100 km  
In the morning we have the possibility to visit the city or the Te Papa National Museum. Then we set off on a slightly shorter stage from bustling Wellington along the New Zealand Wine Trail into the vast and secluded farm and wine growing area around Martinborough. We spend the night on a winery.

Day 14: Free day in Martinborough  
Enjoy the day in the vineyards. Take a guided tour or taste the wines at a wine tasting. Alternatively, take a detour to Cape Palliser.

Day 15: From Martinborough to Stratford, approx. 270 km  
Today you follow the west coast north to Mt. Taranaki!

Day 16: From Stratford to Taupo, approx. 350 km  
You might get dizzy on the "Forgotten World Highway". Of course we also visit the "Republic of Whangamomona". In the early evening arrival at Lake Taupo at the foot of the volcanic region.

Day 17: From Taupo to the Coromandel Peninsula, approx. 320 km  
On the way to Rotorua we stop at the geothermal Wai-o-Tapu area, after that it's a winding ride along the Coromandel coast. Just before the day's destination you can visit Hot Water Beach and Cathedral Cove.

Day 18: From Whitianga to Orewa, approx. 350 km  
Once around the Coromandel Island ... the curves will inspire you. Along the coast we ride until shortly before Auckland. We leave the metropolis behind us first when we cross the Harbour Bridge. From the highest point of the bridge the view is spectacular - but still watch out for the traffic as well!

Day 19: From Orewa to Ahipara, approx. 280 km  
We leave the east coast and head west. On the way we ride through the impressive Kauri Forest and visit "Tane Mahuta", the God of the Forest. In the evening the coast welcomes us again with the mighty dunes around Ahipara.

Day 20: From Ahipara via Cape Reinga to Paihia, approx. 350 km  
With Cape Reinga we reach the northernmost point of New Zealand, stop at the 90-Mile Beach before more winding coastal roads await us until we reach Paihia.

Day 21: Free day in Paihia  
A boat trip through the islands of the Bay of Islands is an option - or do nothing on the beach? In the evening Maori Cultural Experience.

Day 22: From Paihia to Auckland, approx. 280 km  
A last impressive stage along the Old Russell Road,

southwards along the East Coast to Auckland. Return of the motorcycle.

Day 23: Departure from Auckland  
Return flight (not included) Depending on when your flight leaves New Zealand, you still have time today to explore the metropolis of Auckland. Take a city tour, visit one of the numerous museums, the different districts or the "America's Cup Village".

Day 24 : Arrival back home  
Today you return home - with unforgettable impressions of an eventful motorcycle tour through New Zealand in your luggage!

Category	Motorcycle Tour
Terrain	Onroad
Vehicle	motorcycle rent incl.
Tourguide / Coach	yes (guided)
Accommodation	Hotel / B&B or similar
	3 star hotel
	4 star hotel
Flight to / from	no, not incl.
	on request
Ferry	yes, incl.
Support vehicle (luggage/service)	optional
Level of difficulty	easy
	medium
Customer payment protection	yes
Special	Winter escape
* PRICING	Minimal without optional extras, see pricing

## Pricing

per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: KTM 390 Adventure	€6,550.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Suzuki DL650 V-Strom	€6,790.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Honda NC750X	€6,790.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Yamaha Tracer 700	€6,790.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Yamaha 700 Ténéré	€7,150.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: BMW F700GS	€7,150.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: KTM 790 Adventure R	€7,350.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Harley Davidson Sportster Low	€7,350.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: KTM 1090 Adventure R	€7,490.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: KTM 1190 Adventure R	€7,490.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Honda Africa Twin CRF 1000L	€7,490.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: BMW F750GS	€7,490.00

per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: BMW F800GS	€7,490.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Triumph Tiger 800XC	€7,490.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: BMW F850GS	€7,850.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: BMW R1200GS	€8,290.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: BMW R1200RT	€8,290.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Harley Davidson Road King	€8,790.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Harley Davidson Heritage Softail	€8,790.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Harley Davidson Ultra Limited	€8,790.00
per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: Harley Davidson Street Glide	€8,790.00
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per rider in shared double room / motorcycle: BMW R1250GS	€8,990.00
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per pillion passenger in shared double room	€5,090.00
per person single room - (surcharge, only available with an additional selection of the basic price "per rider in shared twin/double room")	€1,790.00

## Included

19 days motorcycle of your choice

Motorcycle insurance incl. third party liability with deductible/co - payment depending on motorcycle model (The deductible/co - payment can be covered by an optional insurance at a current rate of € 6,90 per day).

Unlimited kilometres

2 hard shell cases

Tank bag

Topbox

One way rental Christchurch - Auckland

19 nights in selected hotels and motels (upscale category)

1 x overnight stay on the Doubtful or Milford Sound Overnight Cruise

3 x dinner

New Zealand tour guide on motorcycle

Escort vehicle & 2nd tour guide (from 10 motorcycles)

Maori Hangi & Cultural-Experience

Visit the Wai-O-Tapu Thermal Area

1 x wine tasting  
Detailed logbook in German  
Ferry crossing North / South Island  
Airport transfers  
Extensive travel/route information  
Maps  
T-shirt  
Travel price insurance certificate according to BGB §651

### **Not included**

Flights (optional, on request)  
Fuel  
Escort vehicle & 2nd tour guide (if less than 10 motorcycles)  
Everything that is not specified under features

### **More details**

Single travelers can book a ½ twin room. In this case, the room will be shared with another participant (of the same sex), provided that a corresponding booking has been made. In this case the single supplement is not applicable.

Flights: We would be happy to book the right flight according to your wishes as a separate travel service for you.

Extend your stay with extra days before or after the tour, with a stopover on the outward or return flight or a trip to the South Pacific - we are happy to arrange any extensions you require!

Important price information: Due to the continuously fluctuating exchange rates of the Euro, the listed prices may change! We are happy to adjust our prices to more favorable conditions at the time of your request - please ask for a non-binding offer!