

Australia New Zealand Golf
NEW ZEALAND
14 - DAY LUXURY GOLF TOUR
November 4th - 17th, 2010

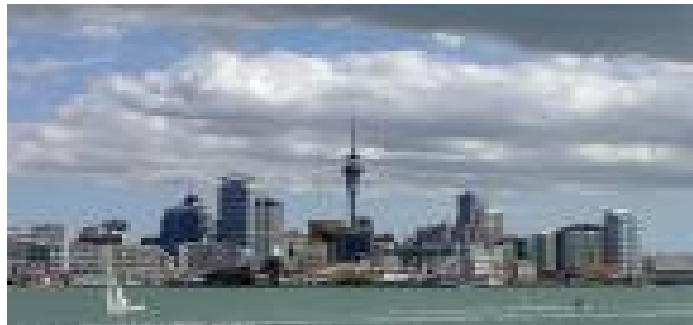
November

Thu 4th **LOS ANGELES to NEW ZEALAND (Flight Details TBA)**
Depart Los Angeles to the land "Down Under".

Fri 5th **36,000 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL**
Day lost crossing the International Date Line. This is regained on return flight.

Sat 6th **ARRIVE AUCKLAND (Arrival Time TBA.)**
After clearing Immigration and Customs you will be met by your hosts.

AUCKLAND - known as the "City of Sails", is the country's largest metropolis and the commercial and industrial centre. Its greenness and uncrowded atmosphere provides a unique contrast as it spreads over a narrow isthmus separating the Waitemata and Manukau Harbours and is characterized by distinctive volcanic cones.



This afternoon a short city highlights tour is provided and then this evening we enjoy our Welcome Cocktail and Dinner Party.

Accommodation: Rendezvous Hotel (2 nights)

Sun 7th **AUCKLAND**
Today the golfers will have their first taste of golf in New Zealand at Gulf Harbour Country Club, one of Auckland's fine courses. Non golfers may take a harbour cruise and visit a number of the "Queen City's" scenic spots before we all meet for dinner at a top local restaurant.

GULF HARBOUR C.C. - A spectacular Robert Trent-Jones (Jr.) designed course. Situated on a peninsular with 360° panoramic views of the Hauraki Gulf, home of the Americas Cup in the year 2000. The course has a great variety of holes, superb bunkering and enough challenges for even the best golfers. A choice of several tees makes it playable for every level of golfers.

Mon 8th

AUCKLAND to TAUPO

We coach south from Auckland over the Bombay Hills and follow the longest river in New Zealand, the Waikato, to the inland city of Hamilton in the heart of New Zealand's dairy farming and thoroughbred horse breeding area. We visit a stud farm for morning tea and then continue on to Lake Taupo & check into your hotel.

TAUPO - A small town situated at the north end of Lake Taupo the largest lake in New Zealand and the source of many hydro-electric power stations along its river "The Waikato". The snow capped Mount Ruapehu and Mount Ngauruhoe are excellent backdrops for this beautiful lake, and Taupo is world renowned for its trout fishing.

This afternoon we all meet to go **trout fishing** (which can be enjoyed by those not experienced). You will really enjoy time out on this beautiful lake aboard a luxury launch where you can experience freshly caught trout barbecued to perfection by your skipper. An experience and onboard dinner never to be forgotten.



Accommodation: Millennium Manuels Resort (2 nights)

Tue 9th

TAUPO

Today the golfers take on New Zealand's best inland course - Wairakei International. For non golfers, there is plenty to see and do in this lakeside town. Visit Huka Falls, Craters of the Moon and the Geothermal Power Station.

WAIRAKEI INTERNATIONAL - Taupo. Designed by Commander John Harris and built in the early 1960's, this course is listed in the "Golf Digest" top 50 international courses. Easily New Zealand's best inland course, it is one you never tire of playing.

Dinner this evening with local members at Wairakei G.C.

Wed 10th

TAUPO to NAPIER

This morning enjoy the coach ride through the picturesque Kaimanawa Ranges to Hawkes Bay on the East Coast. One of the few gannet colonies in the world is located at Cape Kidnappers, just outside of Napier. Hastings is the centre of the region's orchards and vineyards.

NAPIER - Napier is the capital of the Hawkes Bay region, an area of Californian- Mediterranean climate dotted with colorful vineyards and orchards, with one of the highest sunshine averages in New Zealand. It is also the Art Deco capital of the world.

This afternoon we enjoy the expertise of local winemakers, visiting several 'boutique' wineries. We travel the 'Western Plains Wine Route' and then east to the Havelock North wineries. Hawke's Bay produces some of New Zealand's best red and white wines and is probably most noted for its Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon.

Enjoy a wonderful dinner at one of the wineries we visit.

Accommodation: Crown Hotel (2 nights)

Thu 11th

NAPIER

Golf today at the fantastic new golf course – Cape Kidnappers.



CAPE KIDNAPPERS GC – Situated on towering cliffs above Hawkes Bay, this new Tom Doak designed golf course is certain to become a classic. There are fantastic views throughout the course with many holes situated right at the edges of the cliffs. While the course can be visually very intimidating, it is actually extremely playable with flat lies in many areas despite some significant elevation changes.

Dinner at a fine local restaurant.

Fri 12th

NAPIER to QUEENSTOWN (Flight details TBA)

This morning you will be transferred to the airport for your flight to Queenstown. We fly into the midst of the majestic Southern Alps of the South Island. A view of Mount Cook, New Zealand's highest Peak and the mighty Tasman Glacier, the largest outside of the Antarctic, may be possible during our flight to Queenstown.

QUEENSTOWN - truly one of nature's scenic gems. Nestled on the edge of the deep glacial lake Wakatipu and at the base of majestic mountains aptly known as the "Remarkables". Queenstown is a recreational playground whether you are after adventure or relaxation.

Our accommodation commands outstanding views of the surrounding area. Dinner at one of our hotel's fine restaurants.

Accommodation: Millbrook Resort (3 nights)

Sat 13th

QUEENSTOWN

Today we golf at Millbrook.

MILLBROOK - Designed by internationally renowned New Zealand professional golfer and former British Open winner, Bob Charles, Millbrook's 18 hole Par 72 course is an exceptional golfing experience. Set amidst a spectacular alpine backdrop and fashioned from the original terrain, this course provides exciting and demanding golf

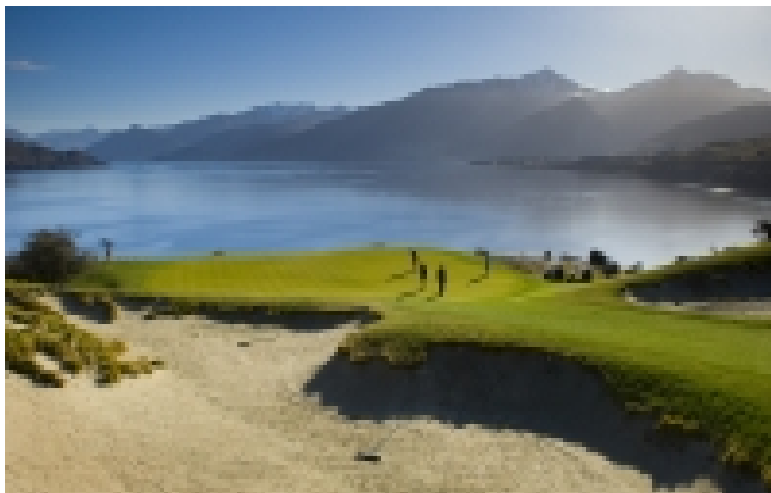
While in Queenstown you may wish to enjoy some other activities - jet boat rides, white water rafting, helicopter sightseeing, cable car experiences, gold panning, or a half-day trip to fantastic Milford Sounds?

Tonight we dine at one of Queenstown's character restaurants.

Sun 14th

QUEENSTOWN

We golf today on one of New Zealand's most scenically beautiful course, Jacks Point GC. We will also have time to leisurely wander around this beautiful township. Non-golfers have an abundance of activities to enjoy, plus a large choice of excellent shops to browse through.



JACKS POINT G.C. - This new course offers a great addition to the Queenstown golf scene. It is a magnificent course bounded by the Remarkables mountain range and Lake Wakatipu. The design has been praised for working with nature rather than against it. You will find yourself on holes that traverse natural wetlands and holes that are on the lake's edge with steep bluffs.

WALTER PEAK - In the evening it's off by launch to **Walter Peak**, on the shores of beautiful Lake Wakatipu. It is an opportunity to relax and experience a glimpse of New Zealand's high country life with an evening meal in the historic Colonel's Homestead.

All Walter Peak excursions include a cruise on the vintage steamship TSS Earnslaw.

Mon 15th

QUEENSTOWN to CHRISTCHURCH (Flight details TBA)

An afternoon flight of less than an hour leaves this morning at leisure. It is an ideal opportunity, though not included in the tour price, to take the world famous Flightseeing / Launch Tour of Milford Sound.

The spectacular flight has won international acclaim as the most magnificent flight in the world. From the famed Sutherland Falls, to Cleddau Canyon, it finally arrives at Milford Sound itself. A stop is made at Milford Sound for an enchanting launch cruise prior to a return flight to Queenstown.

Milford Sound is in the Fiordland National Park, one of the largest National Parks in the World.



THE LAUNCH CRUISE - on the Sound is breathtaking, the focal point being Mitre Peak rising majestically a mile from the floor of the ocean. While cruising you will see waterfalls, sheer cliffs and an abundance of dolphins and seals will follow your launch.

This afternoon we depart Queenstown for Christchurch.

CHRISTCHURCH - is known as the "Garden City" because of its beautifully picturesque gardens and private homes. It blends modern and traditional architecture while retaining the character of an English city.

This evening we enjoy dinner at one of the city's fine restaurants.

Accommodation: Crowne Plaza Hotel (2 nights)

Tue 16th

CHRISTCHURCH

Today we golf at Clearwater C.C. This is your last chance to set a course record. Non golfers may enjoy the many highlights that the South Island's largest city has to offer.

CLEARWATER C.C. - Another excellent course designed by Sir Bob Charles. A good variation of holes with water coming into play on several of them. Accurate tee shots are required to score well. Clearwater is a tribute to Sir Bob's ability as a designer and adds to the several excellent well established traditional courses in this area.

This evening we have our Farewell and Awards Dinner (wine & beer included).

Wed 17th

CHRISTCHURCH to AUCKLAND to LOS ANGELES (Flight details TBA)

An afternoon departure allows time for last minute shopping, further golf, or sightseeing. Your tour hosts will be available to assist with any requests.



TRAMWAY - Restored to their pristine glory these tramcars are a novel way to see the historic sights of Christchurch. The Tramway route has been specifically designed to take in many of the inner city’s “must see” sights - historic landmarks, cultural attractions, hotels, restaurants & cafe bars as well as some of the city’s most modern shopping complexes. The trams follow a 2.5km track from Cathedral Square. Stops are included along the way allowing you to hop on or off the trams to explore the sights up close.

Because you re-cross the Date Line you will arrive back in the States the same day as your departure from New Zealand.

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PRICE

US\$ 5,690 per person, double occupancy **US\$ 5,490 for non-golfer***

- Price is subject to any major currency fluctuation up until time of final payment
- Price is based on a minimum of 12 people in the group

INCLUSIONS

- All New Zealand land travel and transfers by luxury air-conditioned coach
- All accommodation in first class hotels (11 nights)
- Welcome and Farewell dinners with refreshments
- Cooked breakfast daily
- Choice of menu evening meals as per the itinerary
- Green fees for 6 golf rounds
- All sightseeing as detailed in the itinerary
 - Auckland city tour
 - Lake Taupo trout fishing and dinner on luxury boat
 - Hawkes Bay winery tour
 - Walter Peak cruise with farm show and dinner
 - Christchurch tramway
- Fully escorted by ANZ Golf tour leader
- New Zealand Goods & Services tax (12.5%)
- Activities for non-golfers (5 days)*