



KIWI COASTAL SPLENDOUR WITH BILL PEACH JOURNEYS

Sojourn New Zealand Coastal Explorer

7 Days | 12 - 18 Oct 2024 | AUD\$7,995pp twin share | Single Supplement AUD\$595

EXCLUSIVE HIGHLIGHTS

- ✦ Stay at stylish accommodation throughout including Sofitel Wellington and Christchurch's newest boutique luxury hotel, The Mayfair
- ✦ Travel along the the South Island of New Zealand's spectacular east coast from Christchurch to Picton on the Coastal Pacific train. Travel in style as we enjoy stunning vistas from the exclusive new Scenic Plus premium carriage & regionally inspired cuisine
- ✦ Explore the dramatic and breathtaking landscapes of Abel Tasman National Park
- ✦ Enjoy a seafood and wine cruise through the Marlborough Sounds to view the natural beauty of this environment
- ✦ Touring of picturesque Picton, Marlborough, Nelson and Wellington
- ✦ All meals - breakfast, lunch and dinner
- ✦ Your own room with reduced single supplement charge
- ✦ Escorted throughout by a dedicated Journey Director

"I think the whole tour was fantastic. Everything was excellent. In all, a wonderful holiday. I am sure I will only travel in future on a Bill Peach holiday. As I am on my own I feel well looked after, fellow companions are very pleasant and easy to get on with."

Joy Barton, Blackalls Park, NSW

Join Bill Peach Journeys to discover the breathtaking vistas offered on New Zealand's South Island coast. With the Pacific Ocean lapping on one side and the Kaikoura ranges rising majestically on the other, travel in style on board the new and exclusive Scenic Plus premium carriage on the Coastal Pacific train, undoubtedly one of the world's most picturesque rail journeys. As the train skirts around secluded bays and across isolated beaches, have your camera ready as words cannot express the sights that unfold. From the scenic port town of Picton we discover the serene magnificence of the Marlborough Sounds indulging in the freshest of seafood and wine, for which the region is world-renowned. Moving on to the pristine spectacle of Abel Tasman National Park reveals yet more coastal splendour as we cruise this awe-inspiring waterway.

It is not hard to see why the south island of New Zealand is considered to be one of the most sublime places on earth! The stunning scenery and tranquil waterways highlight the remarkable diversity and beauty of this coastal region. Add stylish accommodation and exceptional meals and you have the perfect journey!

FULLY INCLUSIVE

When you travel on a Sojourn with Bill Peach Journeys everything is included and arranged before you even leave home. That includes all sundries like tips, taxes and transfers. In fact you won't even need to carry your bags.

Enjoy the finest level of accommodation, dining and service all in the one fare. From the very moment your journey begins, your seamless

travel experience with Bill Peach Journeys begins.

ABOUT SOJOURNS

Our Sojourn programmes are short break journeys put together in conjunction with themes, events or experiences.

These programmes range from breathtaking train journeys in New Zealand to unique experiences and world class sporting events throughout Australia and New Zealand.



DAY 1 | ARRIVE CHRISTCHURCH

Upon arrival in Christchurch transfer to The Mayfair, a luxury 5-star boutique hotel. Exuding a luxe yet relaxed ambience, The Mayfair offers a stunning location near to the picturesque Hagley Park and the River Avon. Tonight there will be a welcome dinner hosted by your Journey Director.

Overnight: The Mayfair or similar

DAY 2 | CHRISTCHURCH - PICTON - MARLBOROUGH

Travel in style today as we enjoy stunning vistas from the exclusive new Scenic Plus premium carriage and regionally inspired cuisine on board the renowned Coastal Pacific train. We depart Christchurch, heading north on our coastal journey along New Zealand's wild coastlines, pressed against the sea by rugged cliffs that rise from the Pacific Ocean to form the Kaikoura mountain ranges. It is pure seaside magic, with New Zealand's best scenery, wildlife and engineering feats filling the windows. We arrive in the picturesque seaside town of Picton in the heart of the Marlborough Sounds for lunch followed by a visit to the Edwin Fox Ship Museum. Transfer to Omaka where we enjoy a private tour of the fascinating Knights of the Sky exhibitions, one of the world's largest private collections of WW1 & WW2 aircraft and artifacts showcased in dramatic and realistic displays.

Overnight: Chateau Marlborough or similar

DAY 3 | MARLBOROUGH SOUNDS

This morning enjoy a tour of the Marlborough wine region which is renowned the world over, particularly famed for its award-winning Sauvignon Blanc. We then embark on a relaxing cruise of the stunning Marlborough Sounds accompanied by fresh local seafood and wine.

Overnight: Chateau Marlborough or similar

DAY 4 | BLENHEIM - NELSON

We transfer by coach to Havelock visiting the Havelock Museum to learn about the area's history. Discover why this town is named the mussel capital of the world before transferring to Nelson. As the second oldest city in New Zealand, this beautiful town has many historical sites for those wishing to explore and a chance to learn about the history and settlement stories of old.

Overnight: The Quest Nelson or similar

DAY 5 | ABEL TASMAN NATIONAL PARK

A full day to discover the pristine natural wonderland of Abel Tasman National Park. A gourmet cruise is the perfect way to explore this stunning coastline, from the rugged, rocky headlands to the crystal clear waters where seals can be seen in their natural habitat. We return to Nelson for dinner this evening.

Overnight: The Quest Nelson or similar

DAY 6 | NELSON - WELLINGTON

Step back in time with a visit to Nelson's Classic Car Museum before flying commercially to Wellington where we tour the acclaimed Te Papa Museum depicting the arts, culture and heritage of New Zealand. This evening is our farewell dinner at acclaimed restaurant, Logan Brown.

Overnight: Sofitel Wellington or similar

DAY 7 | DEPART WELLINGTON

After breakfast, transfer to Wellington Airport. Say farewell to new friends and take away memories of a delightful Coastal New Zealand Sojourn.



Please contact Bill Peach Journeys or your local travel agent for assistance with airfares.



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