

Glenwood Springs Chamber Resort Association presents...

Exploring New Zealand's Wonders

with Optional 3-Night Fiji Post Tour Extension

January 24 – February 11, 2024



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\$200
Per Person

SPECIAL TRAVEL PRESENTATION

Date: Sunday, March 20, 2023 Time: 5:30 PM

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Small Group Travel rewards travelers with new perspectives. With just 12-24 passengers, these are the personal adventures that today's cultural explorers dream of.

19 Days • 25 Meals: 16 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 7 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Auckland, Bay of Islands, Rotorua, Maori Cultural Experience, Wellington, Christchurch, Mt. Cook Region, Dunedin, Milford Sound, Queenstown, Lake Wakatipu Cruise & Sheepdog Demonstration, Choice on Tour

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1, 2	Overnight Flight
Days 3, 4	JW Marriott Auckland, Auckland
Days 5, 6	Copthorne Hotel and Resort Bay of Islands, Bay of Islands
Days 7, 8	Millennium Hotel Rotorua, Rotorua
Days 9, 10	Novotel Wellington, Wellington
Days 11, 12	Distinction Christchurch Hotel, Christchurch
Day 13	The Hermitage, Mount Cook Natl. Park
Days 14, 15	Scenic Hotel Southern Cross, Dunedin
Days 16 – 18	Novotel Queenstown Lakeside, Queenstown

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1 – 2: January 24 – 25, 2024 Depart from Home Cross the International Dateline and begin the adventure of a lifetime by skipping a day ahead.

Day 3: Friday, January 26, 2024 Auckland, New Zealand - Tour Begins Your tour opens in Auckland, the “City of Sails,” consistently rated one of the world’s best places to live. Auckland’s Polynesian population instills into its chic atmosphere the vibrant feel of the Pacific Islands. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner. (D)

Day 4: Saturday, January 27, 2024 Auckland Come to know the best of Auckland during a panoramic city tour featuring the America’s Cup Village, the War Memorial, bustling Queen Street, and the Auckland Harbour Bridge. The afternoon is yours to explore New Zealand’s largest city on your own. Perhaps you will choose to go on an optional America’s Cup sailing experience. (B)

Day 5: Sunday, January 28, 2024 Auckland - Bay of Islands Depart Auckland and travel north to the Bay of Islands, your home for the next 2 nights. This sun-soaked region boasts more than 144 islands and warm waters with abundant marine life. Visit the Waitangi Treaty House, the site where Maori and British leaders signed the 1840 treaty establishing New Zealand as a nation. (B, D)

Day 6: Monday, January 29, 2024 Bay of Islands Begin the day with a cruise that features the bay’s famous Hole in the Rock. Look out at the Cape Brett Lighthouse, standing nearly 500 feet above sea level at the edge of the Cape Brett Peninsula. The rest of the day is yours to independently explore Paihia - the quaint town known as “the jewel of the Bay of Islands.” (B)

Day 7: Tuesday, January 30, 2024 Bay of Islands - Matakohē - Rotorua Leave the sparkling waters of the Bay of Islands behind and head to Matakohē in the heartland of the North Island. Make a stop at the Kauri Museum and come to know the stories surrounding the giant kauri tree that can live for 2,000 years. Discover how the early settlers used this abundant tree to build a life for themselves. Later, continue on to the town of Rotorua, known for geothermal activity and Maori culture. (B, D)

Day 8: Wednesday, January 31, 2024 Rotorua Find yourself amid the dramatic geothermal landscape of Rotorua, known as the Maori capital of New Zealand. Visit Whakarewarewa, a Maori cultural and geothermal experience. Explore an authentic Maori village where people live using natural geothermal resources to cook, bathe and heat their homes as they have done for centuries. In the evening, experience ceremonial Maori rituals at an authentic Hangi dinner and performance. (B, D)

Day 9: Thursday, February 1, 2024 Rotorua - Wellington Today we travel to Wellington, a coastal city nestled against the mountains. Embark on a tour of New Zealand's capital city, known as the “Windy City.” See the Beehive – New Zealand’s Parliament; historic St. Paul’s Church; and the Old Government Building, the largest wooden building in the Southern Hemisphere. (B, D)

Day 10: Friday, February 2, 2024 Wellington Explore the Te Papa Tongawera Museum, a fascinating center dedicated to art, history, and the Maori culture before enjoying an afternoon and evening at leisure. With your free time, perhaps you'll consider a ride on the Wellington Cable Car to the suburb of Kelburn for stunning panoramic views of the city. (B)

Day 11: Saturday, February 3, 2024 Wellington - Picton - Christchurch Board a ferry and sail across Cook Strait. Experience what is considered to be one of the most beautiful ferry rides in the world. Arrive in Picton on the South Island where you will have free time for lunch. Continue along the breathtaking east coast to the largest city on the South Island, Christchurch. (B)



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Included in Price: Round Trip Air from Denver International airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

Not included in price: Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$599 per person

** All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package from DEN*

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS: Your price is subject to increase prior to the time you make full payment. Your price is not subject to increase after you make full payment, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. Once deposited, you have 7 days to send us written consumer consent or withdraw consent and receive a full refund. (See registration form for consent.)

Day 12: Sunday, February 4, 2024 Christchurch Christchurch, the "Garden City," is recreating itself after a devastating earthquake in 2011. See firsthand how this city is evolving on a sightseeing tour that highlights the city's magnificent gardens and elegant park district. Pay a visit to Willowbank Wildlife Reserve, a leader in the conservation of New Zealand species. Here, you'll have the chance to view New Zealand's "Big 5" – kiwi, kaka, tuatara, kea, and takahe – up close and personal. (B)

Day 13: Monday, February 5, 2024 Christchurch - Mt. Cook Region Journey through New Zealand's unspoiled wilderness and arrive in the Mt. Cook region, where permanent ice fields and glaciers blanket the ragged peaks. The Maori word for Mt. Cook is *Aoraki*, which means "cloud piercer." This is where famed New Zealand mountaineer Sir Edmund Hillary honed his skills before conquering Everest. You can take a nature walk, enjoy an optional glacier flightseeing tour (weather permitting), or simply meditate on the beauty of the Southern Alps. (B, D)

Day 14: Tuesday, February 6, 2024 Mt. Cook Region - Dunedin Travel to Dunedin, situated on the southeast coast of New Zealand. One of the earliest European settlements on the islands, Dunedin holds proudly to its Scottish heritage and traditions. Enjoy time to explore this cultural city on your own. (B)

Day 15: Wednesday, February 7, 2024 Dunedin Start your morning with a panoramic tour, visiting Larnach Castle and Baldwin Street – the world's steepest public road. Later, spend time at the Royal Albatross Centre, the only mainland breeding location in the world for these otherworldly birds. Albatrosses are the focus in many seafaring myths, and their epic wingspan can reach nearly 10 feet. (B)

Day 16: Thursday, February 8, 2024 Dunedin - Queenstown Enjoy the rugged grandeur of the Hollyford Valley and the Homer Tunnel as you head to Queenstown, a mountainside town set against the shores of Lake Wakatipu. The rest of your day is yours to explore the city dubbed the "adventure capital of the world." (B)

Experience It! Bay of Islands

Just 150 miles north of Auckland is the beautiful Bay of Islands, located in New Zealand's balmy subtropical north. Over 144 islands dot these warm waters. The bay is abundant with thrilling marine life like marlin, whales, dolphins, seals and penguins. Once the refuge of ship deserters, sailors, whalers, ex-convicts and other rogues, the Bay of Islands is now a tranquil holiday destination. Enjoy a cruise on its pristine turquoise waters – the only way to truly appreciate the spectacular seascapes. A highlight of the cruise will be the journey through the famous "Hole in the Rock." Resembling the eye of a needle, the "hole" has been etched over time by wind and waves, allowing boats to travel through it when the tide is just right. Following your cruise, enjoy free time to explore this idyllic region on your own.

EXTEND YOUR VACATION WITH

Optional 4 Days 3-Night Fiji Post Tour Extension

Rate: \$1,199.00 USD per person, double, land & air inclusive

For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1165774>

Day 17: Friday, February 9, 2024 Queenstown - Milford Sound - Queenstown During a cruise of the beautiful Milford Sound, you will see why this fjord is one of the most visited sites on the South Island. With rock faces that rise nearly 4,000 feet on either side, the scenery will take your breath away. On your return to Queenstown, perhaps you will consider an optional scenic flight, allowing you to see the landscape from an entirely new perspective. (B, L)

Day 18: Saturday, February 10, 2024 Queenstown Cruise Lake Wakatipu surrounded by Queenstown's stunning landscape aboard an iconic coal-fired steamship. Then, enjoy a BBQ lunch lakeside followed by a sheepdog demonstration before sailing back. Later, **it's your choice!** Go bird watching at the Kiwi Birdlife Park **-OR-** take a gondola to Bob's Peak for stunning views of the area. Gather for a farewell dinner and enjoy a locally sourced meal. (B, L, D)

Day 19: Sunday, February 11, 2024 Queenstown - Tour Ends Your adventure comes to a close today, leaving you with many pleasant memories of a wonderful trip. (B)

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until Jun 26, 2023, valid on air inclusive packages only.
IDENTIFICATION

Passports and visas are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our guests traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

For US and Canadian citizens travelling to New Zealand: an ETA and Tourism Levy are required for entry. These must be processed in advance of travel through the New Zealand Immigration website <https://nzeta.immigration.govt.nz/> (approximate cost of 12 NZD for ETA) or through their mobile app NZeTA (approximate cost of 9 NZD for ETA.) The Tourism Levy has a cost of approximately 35 NZD when paid through either method. Rates are approximate and can be changed at any time based on governing authority.

Travel with just 16-24 guests on this tour where a smaller group setting means a more personal travel experience.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Due to early arrival times in some cities, rooms may not always be ready for immediate check-in.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

This tour is Activity Level 2. You like a balanced approach to travel. Walking two to three miles over the course of a day is no problem for you. You can partake in a two-hour leisurely walking tour, covering up to two miles (with included breaks). You can handle a variety of terrains, from cobblestone streets to moderate hills with relative ease and without assistance. You can climb two flights of stairs with ease. There may be 1 to 2 days on this tour when walking tours can cover 3 to 4 miles over uneven terrain. Expect some full days balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your



own adventure. You can handle altitudes up to 6,000 feet. While this level is appropriate for travelers that require mobility assistance devices, there could be times when you may have to sit out on some of the included activities.

Please be aware that if your flight schedule is via Dubai or if you are stopping over in Dubai and are carrying narcotic drugs, controlled or semi-controlled drugs, then you will be required to complete an electronic form prior to entering the country, to obtain approval to carry medication. Please use the link <https://mohap.gov.ae/en/services/issue-of-permit-to-import-medicines-for-personal-use> to view the guidelines. A user's guide is available to explain the application and the supporting documents required.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Due to changes in air schedules while on tour, the order of days in the itinerary may change.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of June 19, 2023 are based upon availability. Final payment due by November 25, 2023. Deposits are refundable up until June 26, 2023.

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For important reservation information visit
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1165774>.
You can also find this information on your tour documents.



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If paying by credit card, please complete this form and return to Glenwood Springs Chamber Resort Association. We can only charge your credit card for the amount noted if the signature, address and phone number are listed below. Thank you!

CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

BOOKING NUMBER: 1165774

TOUR: Exploring New Zealand's Wonders *featuring
the North & South Islands*

DEPARTURE DATE: January 24, 2024

GROUP NAME: Glenwood Springs Chamber Resort
Association

Name of Passenger:

Salutation: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____ Suffix: _____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

Cardholder Name: _____
(Please print as it appears on your Credit Card)

Cardholder Address: _____
(as it appears on your credit card statement)

Cardholder Phone: _____

Credit Card Type: ____American Express ____Discover ____MasterCard ____Visa

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Amount to be charged: \$ _____

Cardholder's Signature: _____ Date: _____

I agree to pay according to the card issuer agreement. I understand and accept Collette cancellation policy, terms and conditions.

Participating credit card companies are now requiring a billing address and phone number for **FRAUD PREVENTION**. All information **MUST** be provided. Thank you for your cooperation!
If using your credit card for payment, please return this Authorization Form by mail to:

Glenwood Springs Chamber Resort Association

Attn: Debbie Bannon

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Glenwood Spgs, CO 81602-1238

☐ Above credit card information has been called in to Collette.

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Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.

Auckland



America's Cup Sailing Experience

\$145 USD

Feel the wind in your hair and take the helm – it's time for a once-in-a-lifetime experience on a race yacht. Feel the thrill of riding on an actual America's Cup Yacht, belonging to one of the most esteemed sports competitions in the world. Become a temporary member of the crew and find out what it takes to race these sleek boats through the water. If you'd prefer a more leisurely trip, feel free to sit back and relax, marveling at the stunning view of the harbor as you pass by. No sailing experience is necessary – just get ready for an adventure and allow the crew to be your guide.

Duration: Approximately 2.5 hours. Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)

Salutation: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____ Nickname: _____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print **EXACTLY** as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

✓	Option	Price Per Person (USD)
	America's Cup Sailing Experience	145.00

Please make checks payable to Collette and send to:

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Attn: Debbie Bannon
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YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) **as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.**

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel <passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Nickname: _____ Gender: () Male () Female Date of Birth: month _____ day _____ year _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____ Email Address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Expiration Date: (month/day/year) _____ Date of Issuance: (month/day/year) _____

City, State, Country of Issuance: _____ Citizenship: _____

Should you become ill or injured, whom should we contact (not traveling with you): _____ Phone: () _____

ROOMING WITH: ☐ Check if address is the same as Passenger #1

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

AIR GATEWAY: Departure airport for this tour: _____

Air Seat Request: () Aisle () Window () Next To Traveling Companion

Collette cannot guarantee your seat preference. If you have not purchased air through Collette and wish to purchase transfers, you must transfer at our pre-scheduled times. Please be advised, when travelling as part of a group, many airlines do not provide seat assignments. Preferred seating may be available for an additional charge.

"Federal law forbids carriage of hazardous materials such as aerosols, fireworks, lithium batteries & flammable liquids aboard the aircraft in your checked or carry-on baggage. A violation can result in 5 years' imprisonment and penalties of \$250,000 or more. Details on prohibited items may be found on TSA's "prohibited items" web page: <http://www.tsa.gov/traveler-information/prohibited-items>."

TRAVEL PROTECTION: () Yes, I wish to purchase travel protection \$599 () No, I decline

If you choose not to purchase Collette's Waiver Insurance Plan, you will incur penalties for changes and cancellations. Travel Protection Payment is due with first deposit. The Waiver Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. The single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (There is coverage under Part B which includes a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons. See Part B for details.)

EXTENSION: I wish to purchase "3-Night Fiji" () Yes () No

ON TOUR ACTIVITIES: Please choose one of the following on tour activities

Please Choose One:

() Skyline Gondola

() Kiwi Birdlife Park

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Collette () Check () Credit Card

Waiver/Insurance Amount: \$ _____ Deposit Amount: \$ _____ Total amount enclosed: \$ _____

Cardholder Name (if paying by Credit Card): _____

Cardholder Billing Address: ☐ Check if address is the same as above _____

Cardholder Phone: _____ Amount: \$ _____

Credit Card Number: _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ Expiration Date: _ _ M M Y Y

SIGNATURE REQUIRED for acceptance of the below conditions and agreement to credit card use:

Date: _____

I agree to pay according to the card issuer agreement. I understand and accept the cancellation policy, terms and conditions. See <http://www.gocollette.com/about-collette/terms-and-conditions> for full terms and conditions of your purchase.

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Optional 4 Days 3-Night Fiji Post Tour Extension

Rate: \$1,199.00 USD per person, double, land & air inclusive

4 Meals: 3 Breakfasts, 1 Dinner

Day 19: Queenstown - Nadi, Fiji

Arrive in the beautiful tropical paradise of Fiji. Fijians are warm and friendly, with a welcoming, vibrant culture. The expansive sandy beaches and clear ocean waters draw visitors from around the world. Now's your time to sit back and recharge from your South Pacific journey.

Day 20: Fiji

Your day is free to discover everything that your resort has to offer. Relax by the beach and pool, or choose one of the many fun, adventurous activities available to you from the hotel activities desk. The friendly concierge will help you get the most out of your time. Tonight, enjoy a lovely dinner. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 21: Fiji

Enjoy another day of rest and relaxation. Today is your final day in Fiji to unwind before returning home. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 22: Fiji - Tour Ends

Your time in Fiji comes to an end today. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Please Note:

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 6 passengers is not met to operate.

Due to flight schedules, on some departures the optional Fiji extension is 2 nights and is slightly lower priced.

Extensions are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

A local representative will accompany you from the airport to the hotel and be available at designated times.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

Independently explore this destination! While this extension is not hosted or guided, it is intended to give you freedom and flexibility to explore a destination – or return to a favorite one.

Air inclusive rate is valid for guests who have purchased our air package for the full tour. Rate will vary for those who have purchased their own air.

The overall activity level of this extension is a level 1. This means you can handle at least one flight of stairs, board a coach, and walk for 15-30 minutes at a time with little difficulty.