
New Zealand's North Island Highlights

<p>6 Rounds including Cape Kidnappers, Kinloch, Te Arai Links & Kauri Cliffs</p>

Cape Kidnappers, designed by Tom Doak and ranked among the World's Top 100 Courses Kinloch Club, a challenging Jack Nicklaus layout ranked among the best in the Oceania Wairakei Golf + Sanctuary, a unique parkland course with abundant flora and fauna Te Arai Links - North, designed by Tom Doak and ranked among the World's Top 100 Courses Te Arai Links - South, designed by Coore-Crenshaw and ranked among the World's Top 100 Courses Kauri Cliffs, ranked among the World's Top 100 Courses

Sunday, February 1

This evening depart the United States. You will travel over the International Date Line and arrive in New Zealand two days after your departure.

Monday, February 2

Tuesday, February 3

On arrival at Napier Airport you will be met by PerryGolf personnel who will assist you with your luggage and transfer to your transportation.

OVERNIGHT: **Porters Boutique Hotel** - 2 Deluxe Room

Wednesday, February 4

Today play **Cape Kidnappers** . Renowned architect Tom Doak's first project outside of the U.S.A., Cape Kidnappers is perched on fingers of land nearly 500 feet above Hawke's Bay, this vertigo inducing course, creased by ravines and patrolled by gannets, belongs more to heaven than earth. It is seaside golf at its finest, you'll hit heroic shots over the tops of tea trees, and play cautiously along the edges of deep ravines, every hole has a view of the Bay. Enjoy your game and enjoy the setting. You will never play golf somewhere like this again.

WEBCAST - A Greenside Chat: "The Story of Cape Kidnappers & Kauri Cliffs" ~ Defining Luxury in New Zealand

OVERNIGHT: **Porters Boutique Hotel** - 2 Deluxe Room

Thursday, February 5

Play today at **The Kinloch Club** . Ideally situated in the central portion of the North Island, with spectacular views of Lake Taupo. At Kinloch, the land's characteristics feature fast-moving contours and knobs, and Nicklaus recreated that same look in the golf course. Many have described this links like layout as a course reminiscent of the coastal gems in Scotland, the birthplace of the game.

OVERNIGHT: **Hilton Lake Taupo Hotel** - 2 Deluxe Room

Friday, February 6

Today play **Wairakei Golf + Sanctuary** . The best inland course in the country, it has been rated by Golf Digest in the top 100 in the world. It provides everything one could wish for in a golf course. The signature hole is the 615 par 5 14th, aptly named 'The Rogue', a very demanding hole.

OVERNIGHT: **Te Arai Links** - 2 Suite

Saturday, February 7

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Sunday, February 8

Golf today at the **South Course at Te Arai Links** . The South Course was designed by world renowned golf architects Coore & Crenshaw. It is a uniquely special site for golf, comprised of sand dunes and landforms sculpted by the wind, adjacent to the sea. Te Arai's landforms vary from heaving sand ridges and meandering valleys to rumpled contours reminiscent of the classic seaside links on which the game began. These contours are the foundation and inspiration for the golf holes of Te Arai Links. The holes are as varied in appearance and character as the land itself. There are highly individualistic, some might even say, quirky holes like the shortish par fours at three, six and sixteen, each reflecting the drama and unique character of the landforms that created their concepts. There are more traditional yet equally dramatic holes like the inland second, the tenth and eleventh; and there are the visually spectacular seaside holes at seven, eight, nine and fifteen through eighteen. There are lengthy holes and finesse holes. There are holes with varying shapes and sizes, with character and golf strategic are based upon the natural contours. The South Course at Te Arai Links has sixteen ocean view golf holes and eight holes bordering directly on the sea making it a photogenic and visually stunning golf course. **Please note the course is a walking venue, best played with an accompanying caddie.**

OVERNIGHT: **Edgewater Palms** - 2 One Bedroom Apartment

Monday, February 9

Golf today at **Kauri Cliffs** . Designed by David Harman this world class course also offers unparalleled spectacular ocean views. Situated high above the ocean, 15 of the holes look out on the Pacific Ocean. Immaculately presented, it is a fantastic experience to play and the memories will last forever. Rated number 5 worldwide by David Seanor of Golfweek.

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OVERNIGHT: **Edgewater Palms** - 2 One Bedroom Apartment

Tuesday, February 10

Depart New Zealand from the Kerikeri Airport. You will cross the International Date Line and arrive in the US on the same date as departing New Zealand.

Your Lodging

[Porters Boutique Hotel](#)

Nestled in the heart of the charming Havelock North village and surrounded by the majestic hills of Hawkeâ€™s Bay, Porters Boutique Hotel offers unique luxury accommodation. Relax in elegantly appointed guest rooms, complete with plush, classic furnishings and adorned with original local artwork. Enjoy attentive luxury service and full amenities within a stylish, intimate space that reflects the beauty and grandeur of the breathtaking Hawkeâ€™s Bay region.

[Hilton Lake Taupo Hotel](#)

Hilton Lake Taupo hotel is located on the Napier-Taupo Highway, just minutes from the town centre and 15 minutes from Taupo airport and features sweeping views over the largest lake in New Zealand 'and Tongariro National Park. The original Terraces Hotel, built in 1889, forms the Heritage Wing with rooms that feature private balconies offering views of Lake Taupo or the picturesque Thermal Springs. The new Mountain Wing features 113 Guest Rooms, 23 suites, all rooms benefit from wireless internet access and complimentary use of the fitness centre and outdoor swimming pool.

[Te Arai Links](#)

Positioned alongside a pristine New Zealand coastline, Te Arai Links promises to be a world class golf destination, boasting two pure links golf courses designed by Tom Doak and the other by Bill Coore & Ben Crenshaw. The Suites at Te Arai Links are luxurious in design and offer 45m² (484sf) of beautifully appointed space with contemporary details. The Suites offer lovely views of the South Course and in some instances views of the Pacific Ocean and islands beyond. Located just a short walk from the South Clubhouse, Pizza Barn and practice facilities, the Suites are located in the heart of the property. Architecturally designed by Studio John Irving and interior design by Jenni Kayne these well-proportioned rooms come in two layouts, one king size bed or two queen beds.

[Edgewater Palms](#)

Edgewater Palms Apartments, set on the waterfront with tropical landscaping and exceptional facilities, is the perfect place to enjoy all that Northland has to offer. Golden sands of the Bay of Islands curve out to greet the wide blue south pacific ocean. Picture perfect sunrises stream over the hills of Russell. Dolphins play curiously in the late afternoon waters. Edgewater Palms offers a mixture of one and two bedroom 5 star apartments each with fully equipped kitchen and laundry facilities, spacious indoor living stepping out to a balcony or patio area.