11 Days Ultimate Warbirds over Wanaka

Day-by-Day Itinerary

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DURATION	FROM PRICE	TOUR TYPE	TOUR CODE
11 Days	**POA**	**Coach Tours**	**GPT**

Overview

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Itinerary

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Arrive Christchurch

Meals: Two Course Dinner

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Christchurch - Dunedin

Meals: Full Breakfast, Two Course Dinner

Enjoy a city sights tour of Christchurch, followed by a ‘behind the scenes’ visit to the Air Force Museum of New Zealand. Here you will witness restoration projects in progress and have a rare chance to climb inside a Bristol Freighter aircraft. Continue south to Oamaru, renowned for its stunning limestone architecture, before arriving in the charming city of Dunedin. Hotel Distinction Dunedin Hotel

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Dunedin – Queenstown (B)

Begin your day with a city tour of Dunedin, showcasing its remarkable architecture, including the iconic Dunedin Railway Station. Travel along the beautiful Otago Harbour viewing many scenic highlights. At Larnach Castle, enjoy a guided tour that delves into its tragic and scandalous history. Explore the castle’s Garden of International Significance before indulging in a delightful High Tea. Depart Dunedin and journey through the Central Otago region, renowned for its vineyards and wineries. ...

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Queenstown - Wanaka - Queenstown

Meals: Full Breakfast, Two Course Dinner

Today you have the choice of either a free day in Queenstown or travelling to Wanaka for the opening day of the Warbirds Over Wanaka Airshow. No flying will occur today, however there may be some practice happening overhead. On the ground check out the static displays which include classic cars and Warhorses (military vehicles), sport aircraft and aviation trade stands. This is also the opportunity to taste wine and food from the Central Otago region.

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Warbirds Over Wanaka

Meals: Full Breakfast, Two Course Dinner

Travel to Wanaka over the next two days where Wanaka Airport will become your home as you are entertained by the world’s best display pilots flying aircraft overhead. Your ticket will gain you access to the Gold Pass Enclosure. Enjoy the ultimate in Airshow luxury as you will be situated on the flight line with grandstand seating and a plush marquee where you can relax in comfort and watch the show from the best seats in the house.

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Queenstown – Franz Josef (B,D)

Travel to Arrowtown, an old goldmining village where you visit the Lakes District Museum. Continue via the Haast Pass to the West Coast, an area of stunning beauty. See the snow-capped peaks of the Southern Alps as you travel north to the township of Fox Glacier. Next you visit Franz Josef, where time is available to experience a scenic flight (optional, weather permitting) over the spectacular glaciers before arriving at your hotel for your overnight stay. Hotel Legacy Te Waonui Hotel, Franz...

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Franz Josef - Arthur's Pass - Christchurch

Meals: Full Breakfast, Two Course Dinner

Travel to Hokitika and visit the Greenstone Factory. Continue to Arthur's Pass and board the TranzAlpine, renowned as one of the great train journeys of the world. View rivers and valleys as you travel through the Waimakariri Basin, over massive viaducts and through the patchwork farmlands of the Canterbury Plains. On arrival into the elegant city of Christchurch, your Ultimate Coach will be waiting to transfer you to your hotel. Hotel Sudima Christchurch City

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Christchurch - Kaikoura

Meals: Full Breakfast, Two Course Dinner

Begin your day with a visit to the International Antarctic Centre, where you will embark on a fascinating journey through modern day Antarctica. Experience the thrill of an Antarctic storm, embark on an off-road adventure in a Hagglund vehicle, befriend a husky and mingle with the penguins. Depart Christchurch and travel along the East Coast to the seaside village of Kaikōura. Hotel Sudima Kaikōura

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Kaikoura – Picton – Wellington (B,SD)

Travel north to Blenheim and visit the Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre, home to one of the largest private collections of WW1 Aircraft, brought to life in sets created by the internationally acclaimed WingNut Films and Weta Workshop. Continue to Picton, where you will board the Interislander Ferry and experience the comfort and intimate setting of the Premium Lounge. Enjoy complimentary refreshments as you travel through the Marlborough Sounds to Wellington. This evening enjoy a farewell dinne...

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Depart Wellington (B)

Time to say goodbye. You will be transferred to the airport for your flight home after a memorable New Zealand holiday. B) Breakfast. (L) Lunch. (D) Dinner. (SD) Specialty Dinner. dates & pricing

Inclusions

AIRSHOW INCLUSIONS • 3 Day Warbirds Over Wanaka Gold Pass • Grandstand seating • Exclusive marquee access with CCTV • Souvenir Gold Cap and Badge • Airshow Programme • Opportunity to walk the flight line • Complimentary drink voucher • Complimentary tea, coffee and water throughout the Airshow PREPAID ATTRACTIONS • Air Force Museum of New Zealand • Larnach Castle and Ultimate High Tea • Lakes District Museum • TranzAlpine Rail Journey • International Antarctic Centre • Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre • Cruise on the Interislander Ferry, Premium Lounge • Christchurch City Sights Tour • Dunedin City Sights Tour COACH FEATURES • 20 Business Class seats on a full-size coach • 2 door access; dedicated seat side storage with tray table; cup holder • Restroom; daily onboard Wi-Fi allowance EXPERIENCE • Return airfares from your homeport • Personalised Meet and Greet on arrival • Return airport transfers in New Zealand • Professional Coach Captain • 10 nights 4.5 star hotel accommodation • 1 four night stay • Hotel porterage • 1 cruise • 1 rail journey • All sightseeing and prepaid attractions • Optional Activities • Ultimate Documentation Pack • BONUS GPT Tour Jacket MEALS • 10 cooked breakfasts • 9 sumptuous dinners including a complimentary pre-dinner drink at the Welcome Dinner and 1 specialty dinner: Intimate Farewell Dinner, selected beverages, Wellington • 1 Ultimate High Tea: Larnach Castle • Enjoy GPT Hotel Wine Time (discounted drinks) • Day 1: Dinner not included for anyone arriving later than 8pm.

Ready to Book?

Contact our travel experts to discuss this tour.

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