

# 2020 NZCA Conference

## Delegate tour offers



The International Antarctic Centre transports a slice of the world's most remote continent to Christchurch, with a range of immersive experiences that offer visitors a unique opportunity to become an Antarctic explorer and encounter a rich world – full of Antarctic heroes, astonishing wildlife and incredible scientific discoveries.

Our visitor experiences have been carefully developed to offer adrenalin and inspiration, education and entertainment.



Visit and learn about our Little Blue Penguins, get up close to our rescue huskies, take a Hägglund field trip, brave an Antarctic Storm and be awed by our HD film and immersed in our 4D theatre experience. And that's before you spend time in our Antarctic Gallery learning about the first expeditions, modern day life at Scott Base and the future of humanity on ice. Come and visit!

**50% discount on General Admission - \$30 pp**

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

Simply go to [www.iceberg.co.nz](http://www.iceberg.co.nz) and enter the promo code NZCA. Show your delegate ID or registration email at the time of check in to validate your offer. Contact: [Sarah.wu@iceberg.co.nz](mailto:Sarah.wu@iceberg.co.nz) 021 186 5330

The TranzAlpine is one of the world's great train journeys, travelling from one coast of New Zealand to the other, over the majestic Southern Alps.

Cross the fertile farmlands of the Canterbury Plains, and enjoy thrilling vistas over deep gorges as you travel alongside the ice-fed Waimakariri River. Traverse the mighty Southern Alps, where spectacular views of the chiselled alpine landscape will take your breath away at every turn.

You'll enjoy all this in the comfort of award-winning carriages featuring huge panoramic windows, an on board licensed café with a delicious selection of meals, snacks and beverages, and GSP triggered at-seat audio commentary. For a breath of fresh alpine air, step out onto the open air viewing carriage where nothing gets between your camera and the stunning scenery.



TranzAlpine journey is 4.5 hours each way. Either travel as a day return or overnight and experience the West Coast and return to Christchurch by the 23rd August

**Special rate for TranzAlpine \$56.00 one way per adult.**

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

Reservations can be made either online at [www.greatjourneysofnz.co.nz](http://www.greatjourneysofnz.co.nz) or via email to [bookings@greatjourneysofnz.co.nz](mailto:bookings@greatjourneysofnz.co.nz) and quote Promo Code NZCAC20. Show your delegate ID or registration email at check in to validate your offer entitlement



Otautahi, Christchurch is a city of exploration, where urban regeneration, Culture and heritage thrive. A city is constantly evolving, giving visitors something new to explore.

Ōtautahi, the first name of Christchurch from the Maori, refers to a specific site in the city. The iwi (tribe) of the South Island is Ngai Tahu, the largest in New Zealand.



On board your luxury helicopter you will take in the views of the newest city in New Zealand, sight the lush green expanse of Hagley Park and Botanic Gardens. "The Garden City".

The current red zone of Christchurch, once filled with homes prior to the earthquakes is now a holistic project to connect people, river and land. Known as the Ōtākaro Avon River Corridor project.

Travel over the Port Hills into Banks Peninsula, a extinct volcano making up Akaroa and Diamond Harbours

A coastline view of Pegasus Bay, Sumner and New Brighton Beaches towards the stunning Southern Alps and Canterbury Plains

**Enjoy a Christchurch City Scenic flight - Special price of \$168.00pp. Retail price normally \$240.00pp.**

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

6 seats per 25minutes and minimum numbers apply for the trip to depart.

Contact [info@helicopters.net.nz](mailto:info@helicopters.net.nz) and mention this special offer for the NZ Cruise Conference

**Coastal Walk & Visit to Maori Poi Whenua**

This stunning coastal walk meanders around the shoreline of some of Banks Peninsula's most beautiful bays, and includes a visit to Pony Point where guests will see a traditional Māori carved pole (Pou Whenua). This significant landmark and celebrates the goodwill and sharing between Pākehā and Māori forged in early colonial times. Guests will enjoy a picnic morning tea and plenty of history from their local guide. The walk is leisurely to moderate on an undulating forest track with some ascent and descent, covering a distance of 5.5km. Total walking time approximately 1hr 10m.

**Coastal Walk and Visit to Maori Poi Whenua - FOC for delegates**

**Date: Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> (9am – 12pm) including transport from Christchurch City**

**Gondola & Guided Crater Rim Walk**

Enjoy a ride up the iconic Christchurch gondola, combined with a leisurely guided 1-hour walk along the Crater Rim track with an experienced local guide. Look out over the beautiful Lyttelton Harbour as well as Christchurch City, and take in the fabulous 360 degree views. Visit the Pioneer Women's Memorial, and learn the fascinating history of early Christchurch and its people. This tour includes transport, water and a picnic morning tea overlooking the Lyttelton Harbour. The track is undulating with minimal climbing, approximately 3km and suitable for all levels of fitness.

**Gondola and Guided Crater Rim Walk – FOC for delegates**

**Date: Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August (9:30am – 1:00pm) including transport from Christchurch City**

Please contact [nicole@craterimwalks.co.nz](mailto:nicole@craterimwalks.co.nz) to book, please quote “NZCA 20 offer” to receive a return confirmation email to show to your guide on arrival.

All regular tours are available to book throughout the week 17-23 August, at 50% discount for delegates and partners. Please contact [Nicole@craterimwalks.co.nz](mailto:Nicole@craterimwalks.co.nz) for more information.

Āmiki Tours offer visitors to experience Ōtautahi | Christchurch in an intimate way with local storytellers, deep diving into the rich Maori and European stories as well as introducing the city's vibrant emerging food scene. On both the **CITY MEANDER** and **LUXURY HALF DAY** tours, Āmiki's passionate hosts bring to life the stories of the past and present and tell how they have been woven into our emerging city.

Our tours on foot take visitors through less known inner-city spots, sharing our own Māori and multi-cultural storytelling. We showcase hidden gems, combining natural beauty with urban trails, finishing with exquisite dining experiences. Our tours also connect participants with some exquisite hard to find local establishments, owned and operated businesses with inspiring stories to share, a unique way to meet these locals whose passion is to provide an exceptional experience.



**City Meander tour – 75% discount for delegates. Retail rate \$125.00 pp**

Booking period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

**Luxury Half Day tour – 75 % discount for delegates. Retail rate \$495.00pp**

Booking period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

To make a booking, please visit Āmiki Tours ([www.amikitours.com](http://www.amikitours.com)) and use the **NZCA** booking button, Rezdy. Or alternatively, please email directly at [info@amiki.nz](mailto:info@amiki.nz)

The Spirits Workshop operates a boutique, small batch, craft distillery in Christchurch, New Zealand.

Locally sourced Canterbury malted grain and pure Canterbury artesian water forms the backbone of our spirits.

It is what makes up the essence of our craft, embodying the “Grain to Glass” ethos across our range of products which includes Gin, Vodka and Single Malt Whisky.

Through our copper pot still, a double distillation turns the fermented Canterbury malted barley into a fine spirit with an alcohol content around 65%. This spirit can be barrelled for aging, to eventually become Whisky or further refined, through our copper column still, to make the base for other spirits such as Gin and Vodka.

When you’re enjoying your next drink, why not ask to try one of our authentically crafted spirits

**The Spirits Workshop Distillery Tour** is a great way to spend an hour or two. Learn direct from the talented distillers how Whisky and Gin are made, see the stills, soak up the smell of the barrel room and finish with a guided tasting. All our spirits are available to sample and purchase at the cellar door and if you purchase a bottle we will discount your tour fee.

Come on in and try the award-winning Curiosity Gin Range and Divergence Single Malt Whisky.

**Spirits Workshop Distillery Tour - 50% discount for delegates. Retail rate \$20.00 pp**  
**11am, 1pm and 3pm tours available 17<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> August**

Book online at <https://www.thespiritsworkshop.co.nz/product/distillery-tour/> use coupon code **NZCA10** to access your discounted tour.





Christchurch is undoubtedly a majestic city growing from the ground up and at the centre of its heart is a weave of trails and cycleways ideal for exploring and discovering the city. We know you'll experience the best of Christchurch with two wheels. For almost 10 years Chill has been offering visitors the opportunity to see the city and its exciting new future.

**Guided Tours**

Chill offers the chance to explore Christchurch's easy riding cycle trails with experienced local guides who are passionate about biking, sharing their story and caring for our environment. Through the Daily City Cycle Tours you can experience the peace and beauty of Hagley Park and the growth of the re-established CBD.

Daily City Cycle Tours (2.5 hours) starting at 9.30am or 1.00pm departing from Chill.

**Price @ \$105 / person**

**50% off for Conference Delegates. Min. two to run the tour.**  
Capacity 8 -10 people per guide

**Urban Hire**

Chill has been hiring bikes to visitors to explore Christchurch since 2010. We have a great range of new bikes and are happy to take the time to make sure your ride is comfortable and fun.

Bikes: Schwinn Step Thrus / Cannondale Road Bikes / GT MTB / Electric Bikes.

**Price from \$45 / day for urban bike**

**50% off for Conference Delegates.**

Please book directly by emailing [explore@chillout.nz](mailto:explore@chillout.nz) and mention this special offer for the New Zealand Cruise Association Conference.

The offer is available for a booking period from 17th August to 23rd August.





**Christchurch Tram City Tour**

Hop on and off as many times as you like at any of our 17 stops around the city centre. Enjoy your journey in style on these beautifully restored heritage trams, through the changing face of Christchurch's city centre. Our knowledgeable guides will inform you about the city, its landmarks and local sights. Each tram is different so if you hop off, just wait 15 minutes for the next one to come through. The tram will take you to the appropriate stops for Punting on the Avon, the Botanic Gardens Tour, and the Gondola shuttle bus. This is a must do as one of Christchurch's leading attractions.

**FOC for delegates. Retail rate from \$25.00 pp**

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Simply go to [www.christchurchattractions.nz](http://www.christchurchattractions.nz) and add the code **NZCA20A**. Show your delegate ID or registration email at the time of check in to validate your offer. Contact: [caryn@christchurchattractions.nz](mailto:caryn@christchurchattractions.nz)

**Christchurch Gondola**

Only 15 minutes from the city centre, the Gondola offers a unique sightseeing experience that you'll never forget. Soar suspended above the valleys as the birds fly beneath your cable car. At the summit station treat yourself to a coffee or lunch while enjoying 360-degree breath-taking views of the cityscape, over the Canterbury Plains out to the mighty Southern Alps and the dramatic hill of Banks Peninsula and over the picturesque Lyttelton Harbour. Your shuttle bus departs regularly from Cathedral Square or there is plenty of carparking at the base station.

**FOC for delegates. Retail rate from \$30.00 pp**

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### **Punting on the Avon – Worcester St Landing**

This tour departs from the Worcester Bridge in the heart of the city and travels through the Avon River Precinct past the site of Christchurch's Te Pae convention centre, Victoria Square, restored Town Hall and popular Margaret Mahy Playground. View various art pieces and memorials in and around the river, trailing riverside willow trees and drift through the picturesque Poplar Stretch with mature poplar trees flanking the river. The tour ends in scenic Victoria Square: a short stroll from your departure point with easy access to nearby Cathedral Square and New Regent Street.

**50% discount for delegates. Retail rate from \$30.00 pp**

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\*Bookings essential as limited capacity



Simply go to [www.christchurchattractions.nz](http://www.christchurchattractions.nz) and add the code **NZCA20B**. Show your delegate ID or registration email at the time of check in to validate your offer. Contact: [caryn@christchurchattractions.nz](mailto:caryn@christchurchattractions.nz)

### **Botanic Gardens Tour**

A visit to Christchurch is not complete until you visit the Botanic Gardens. Climb aboard one of our all-weather electric vehicles and tour in comfort. Explore one of the world's most historic Botanic Gardens. Our tour guides are knowledgeable and friendly and will take you through different areas of the gardens. Leaves entwine and flowers flourish in the steamy tropical heat of the conservatories. Compare sub-Antarctic daisies, tough enough to survive wind and sleet. Appreciate the outdoor circular Rose Garden containing 150 different varieties. This tour is an elegant way to enjoy these beautiful Botanic Gardens.

**50% discount for delegates. Retail rate from \$20.00 pp**

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The Christchurch Adventure Park is set on 358 private hectares in Christchurch's Port Hills and is a hub for the local community as well as a major attraction for domestic and international visitors.

The onsite village includes a café that seats over 120 with a large outdoor deck perfect for the post-adventure refuels and casual coffee catch-ups.

The chairlift is the first in New Zealand that is purposefully designed for bikes and their riders making for easy loading and dismounting. The chairlift provides access to the Southern Hemisphere's largest collection of lift-accessed bike trails, the zipline and for sightseers a stunning view that encompasses the city, Pacific Ocean and Southern Alps.

The Zipline Tour is a series of four dual-ziplines ranging from 400m to 1110m in length and up to 150m above the valley floor and will include the points of historical and geographical interest.

The lift-accessed mountain bike trails range from beginners through to intermediate and advanced with a mix of machine and hand-built trails. The coaches and lessons available at the Park will ensure the best experience for all guests and help to progress through the sport with confidence and safely.



**Zipline Tour – FOC for delegates. Retail rate from \$130pp**

Limited capacity to 10 people per tour.

Available 12pm, 2pm, 4pm. Duration 2 hours. weight limits 27kg minimum, 125kg maximum.

**Sightseer via Chairlift – self guided – FOC for delegates. Retail rate \$20pp**

Duration 30mins for sightseeing, 1.5 hours sightseeing with uphill hike

**Village Loop Walk – self guided**

Duration 40mins

**Downhill Mountain Biking, Private Guided Session. FOC for delegates. Retail \$155pp**

Includes Bike Rental, Lift Pass and Guide/Coach. Available 12pm or 2pm

**Native Tree Planting optional add on (\$10pp to cover the cost of the tree.)**

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

Please contact [team@christchurchadventurepark.com](mailto:team@christchurchadventurepark.com) to book, please quote "NZCA20 offer".

**Akaroa Harbour Nature Cruise**

Black Cat Cruises were the first to offer harbour cruises in Akaroa and are recognised by many as the first eco-Tourism operator in New Zealand. Experience majestic scenery and stunning wildlife on an Akaroa Harbour Nature Cruise. You'll see the rare, native dolphin – the Hector's or New Zealand Dolphin. There's also the chance to spot the world's smallest penguin, the White Flipped Little Blue Penguin, Fur Seals and other sea birds. Other cruise highlights are some majestic volcanic cliffs (including the impressive Cathedral Cave) and signs of Akaroa's fascinating past including early Maori, French and British settlements.

**50% discount for delegates. Retail rate from \$90.00 pp**

Trips depart at 11:00am or 13:30pm

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

**Swimming with Dolphins**

With Black Cat Cruises you will enjoy a once-in-a-lifetime experience, supported by experienced local crew with world class facilities. Our experience and dedication to our local environment delivers a New Zealand must do activity here in Akaroa. It's the ultimate dolphin experience as you will be swimming with the endangered Hector's dolphin, the world's rarest and smallest oceanic dolphin. Voted the number one bucket list activity in New Zealand – come tick it off the list with Black Cat!

YES – it will be cold, but oh so worth it! We will give you a hot chocolate and hot shower to warm you up after.

**50% discount for delegates. Retail rate from \$185.00 pp**

Trips depart at 11:30am

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug



Bookings can be made online @ [www.blackcat.co.nz](http://www.blackcat.co.nz) using the promo code NZCA or by emailing [akaroa@blackcat.co.nz](mailto:akaroa@blackcat.co.nz)



## Leisure Tours – Waipara Wine Trail with Lunch

[www.leisuretours.co.nz](http://www.leisuretours.co.nz)

This tour explores 4 of North Canterbury's boutique vineyards. From Christchurch we drive 45 minutes north through the New Zealand countryside to the Waipara Valley. Over 40 vineyards and wineries pepper the landscape of the valley, with Pinot Noir, Riesling, Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc dominating local plantings. We will stop for tastings at Pegasus Bay, Waipara Springs, Geystone Winery and Waipara Hills Winery. A platter lunch at Waipara Springs is included with tastes of both a regional and New Zealand flavour and is the perfect accompaniment to some of this wineries fine wines.

**25 % off** Waipara Wine Trail with Lunch – Retail \$135.00 pp

Please use the code **NZCA25** when making a booking online [www.leisuretours.co.nz](http://www.leisuretours.co.nz)



Tour Duration 5.5 hours (12 Noon to 5:30pm)

Available daily throughout the duration of the conference.

Phone: **0800 484 485** or email: [info@leisuretours.co.nz](mailto:info@leisuretours.co.nz) and quote code **NZCA25**

## Leisure Tours – Hanmer Springs & Waipara Wine

[www.leisuretours.co.nz](http://www.leisuretours.co.nz)

A full day tour from Christchurch to the picturesque setting of Hanmer Springs nestled in a valley surrounded by mountains and forest clad hills. Here you will enjoy the relaxing hot thermal pools. From Hanmer Springs the tour will return to the Waipara Wine Region where a platter lunch at Waipara Springs is included with tastes of both a regional and New Zealand flavour and is the perfect accompaniment to some of the wineries fine wines. Over 40 vineyards and wineries pepper the landscape of the valley, with Pinot Noir, Riesling, Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc dominating local plantings. We will stop for tastings at Pegasus Bay, Waipara Springs, Geystone Winery and Waipara Hills Winery.

**This bespoke tour to Hanmer Springs and Waipara Wine Region is available to conference delegates only on the 19<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> of August 2020. The tour includes entrance to the hot thermal pools, a platter lunch and wine tastings.**



Special Conference rate \$160 per person. For online bookings please visit [www.leisuretours.co.nz/day\\_tour/nzca-hanmer-springs-day-tour/](http://www.leisuretours.co.nz/day_tour/nzca-hanmer-springs-day-tour/)

**Please note 4 person minimum required for each tour to operate**

Phone 0800 484 485 or email [info@leisuretours.co.nz](mailto:info@leisuretours.co.nz) and quote code **NZCA25**

**Soaring Kiwi City Tour or Discovery Tour**

Hop aboard and prepare to take Christchurch head on! With an eclectic mix of new and old, Christchurch is truly a city like no other. Take in the historic sights from the top deck of our double decker bus and Hop On and Hop Off completely at your leisure.

**FOC for delegates. Retail rate from \$35.00 – 69.00 pp**

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

**Hassle Free Lord of the Rings: Edoras Tour**

Join us on the Lord of the Rings Tour and journey to the LOTR filming location: remote and beautiful Mt Potts High Country station, home of Mt Sunday. See how this peaceful mountain was transformed into Edoras, the capital city of the Rohan people in the Lord of the Rings trilogy. Immerse yourself in the natural, unspoilt beauty of this breathtaking area with its sparkling clear lakes, glistening blue rivers and fresh, crisp mountain air.

**50% discount for delegates. Retail rate from \$299.00 pp**

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug. \*Subject to availability and minimum numbers

**Hassle Free Kaikoura Day Tour**

This full day tour includes a scenic drive from Christchurch over the Canterbury plains before arriving in the majestic seaside village of Kaikoura.

Once in Kaikoura we will make our way to a lookout to enjoy spectacular views of this pretty seaside village, the majestic mountains and the beautiful Pacific Ocean.

Next we will visit a fur seal colony before heading into Kaikoura for some free time to explore and enjoy lunch.

(N.B. Kaikoura is filled with many wonderful eateries from cafés and restaurants to delicious seafood carts. Lunch is not included as part of your tour cost allowing you the flexibility to enjoy whatever dining option you prefer most.)

In the afternoon you can choose tour activities to 'get up close with the locals'.

**50% discount for delegates. Retail rate from \$350.00 pp**

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Bookings to: [bookings@hasslefreetours.co.nz](mailto:bookings@hasslefreetours.co.nz) please quote NZCA 20 Offer



**2-Hour Nature Tour**

Join our comfortable 4WD mini bus to discover the scenic back roads of the award-winning Wild Side Conservation area! Learn about the area's rich history, native flora and fauna and Pohatu's unique penguin conservation program. Our Nature Safaris offer stunning views of Akaroa Harbour, the outer coast, farm and forested hillsides. Be greeted by the farm's friendly pet sheep and see White-Flipped penguins up close as we monitor nesting sites.



Pohatu Penguins is a family-run business with a long-standing history of protecting the Korora (Little Penguin). The colony survival is accredited to Shireen and Francis Helps whom have cared for the penguins for 35+ years.

Their efforts continue to be fully self-funded via Pohatu Penguins' tours. When purchasing a tour you help our Little Korora!

Visit [www.pohatu.co.nz](http://www.pohatu.co.nz) and Enter NZCA0820 to get 30% off on our 2-hour nature tour.



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**Please note, departure at 1:30pm from Akaroa. Transfers available through a range of shuttle companies; Akaroa Shuttle and French Connection**

For more information contact us on [tours@pohatu.co.nz](mailto:tours@pohatu.co.nz) or call us on 021 246 9556.

**Braided Blast**

Departs from the Waimakariri Regional Park just 20 minutes north of Christchurch. Enjoy spins and speed in the shallow braided section of this amazing river.

30 minutes of jet boating on the Braided Shallows of one of New Zealand's most challenging and exciting rivers – the Waimakariri. Experience the thrills that only jet boating can offer – skim the shallows, spin in your own length, feel the power of our Hamilton Jets. Our skilled drivers are highly experienced and our purpose built boats are carefully maintained. No-one knows the Waimakariri like 'Alpine Jet Thrills'!



**Special rate \$52pp for delegates. Regular retail rate from \$95pp**

Duration: 30 minutes

Usual Departure: 10am and 2pm

Travel period: 17th Aug – 23rd Aug

Please contact [info@alpinejetthrills.co.nz](mailto:info@alpinejetthrills.co.nz) to book, please quote NZCA conference delegate tour programme.