

Day 4 Friday 25th June 2010
MT COOK REGION – QUEENSTOWN (BD)

Climbing through the Lindis Pass linking the Waitaki Basin with Central Otago we visit lakes Hawea and Wanaka. We **visit Wanaka**, one of New Zealand's fastest growing destinations. Departing Lake Wanaka we visit the **Warbirds Museum** with some of the world's best examples of flying WW II aircraft in the southern hemisphere. Moving on we follow the Kawerau River to Arrowtown - a historical town shaped around the large amount of gold extracted from the nearby Arrow, Kawerau and Shotover Rivers before arriving in Queenstown.

Day 5 Saturday 26th June 2010
QUEENSTOWN (BD)

Today is at leisure. Visit the Remarkable's or Coronet Peak. Experience the thrill of a jet-boat ride along the Shotover or Kawerau Rivers. Perhaps a scenic 4 wheel drive excursion through Skippers Canyon, or a tour to Glenorchy to visit Lord of the Rings movie sites, or maybe just browse in the many shops and galleries - it's up to you. **This evening we take a cruise across Lake Wakatipu on the steamer TSS Earnslaw to Walter Peak Station to dine at the Colonel's Homestead.**

Day 6 Sunday 27th June 2010
QUEENSTOWN – MILFORD SOUND – QUEENSTOWN (BLD)

Leaving Queenstown we skirt the shores of Lake Wakatipu, New Zealand's third largest lake. Then travelling via Lake Te Anau we reach the **beautiful Eglinton Valley** climbing to Homer Tunnel before descending through the spectacular Cleddau Canyon to reach **Milford Sound where we enjoy a cruise of the Sound.** The Sound is dominated by the grandeur of **Mitre Peak and the Bowen Falls.** Then return by coach to Queenstown

Day 7 Monday 28th June 2010
QUEENSTOWN – FOX GLACIER (BD)

Heading to Haast, you are surrounded by a landscape of rainforest, wetlands, sand dunes and surf-pounded shingle beaches. From the Haast River valleys and over the Haast Pass we travel to the Westland National Park. Driving north up the southern end of the South Island's West Coast Road, there is a strong sense of entering a primeval land, and a feeling of total isolation. This wilderness forms part of the **South West New Zealand World Heritage Area**, so designated because South Westland and Fiordland have some of the most dramatic forest and mountain scenery and natural resources in the world before arriving into Fox Glacier.

Day 8 Tuesday 29th June 2010
FOX GLACIER – CHRISTCHURCH (BD)

From Fox Glacier we travel again through the **Westland National Park** to Hokitika where a visit is made to the **Greenstone and Glass Blowing factories.** Then on arrival into Greymouth we **board the famous Tranz-Alpine rail journey to Arthurs Pass.** Your train climbs into the Southern Alps. Once we have crossed the Southern Alps we are met at the Village of Arthurs Pass by our coach. From your coach you'll see the spectacular gorges and river valleys of the Waimakariri River fields and then the Canterbury Plains and farmland as we continue our journey to Christchurch and our accommodation for the night



Day 9 Wednesday 30th June 2010

DEPART CHRISTCHURCH

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Commence your homeward bound flight

TOUR INCLUSIONS:

- Meet and Greet on arrival in New Zealand
- Services of professional tour driver/tour manager
- Technical site visit including: Deer Genetics NZ
- 8 Nights quality hotel/motel accommodation, twin/double rooms, (single rooms available with surcharge) all with private facilities
- Baggage assistance at each hotel
- Included Meals: Cooked Breakfasts (B), Lunch (L) and Dinners (D) where indicated on the itinerary
- Special Meal including: Walter Peak Dinner at the Colonels Homestead – Queenstown
- All Tour Admissions as per itinerary
- Scenic Boat Cruises including: TSS Earnslaw Cruise on Lake Wakatipu and Milford Sound Cruise
- Touring in modern air conditioned coach

TOUR PAYMENTS PER PERSON IN NEW ZEALAND DOLLARS

Share Twin Accommodation: \$2,670.00
Single Supplement: \$695.00
Deposit due at time of booking: \$200.00
Balance of tour payment due on or before 7th May 2010

