



# Te Anau Famil Tour Options Tourism Export Council Conference 2017

# Option A

# Jucy Cruise Coach & Cruise, Milford Sound

offering a premium experience with incredible features like no other vessel in Milford. Spread over three levels, Gem of the Sound offers passenger deluxe comfort in its seamlessly flowing indoor and outdoor lounging, dining and viewing decks. Unique Glass Roofs give guests views of the incredible scenery from the comfort of the plush indoor dining and lounge areas. Simply look up to see towering

cliff faces, waterfalls and the famous Mitre Peak.

Relax and enjoy your journey from Te Anau to Milford in our glass roof coach, hosted by our experienced coach driver with stunning scenic stops along the way.

A new kind of luxury is hitting the waters of Milford Sound – Come join JUCY on

On board the Gem of the Sound you will be treated to our delicious gourmet lunch prepared daily by our chefs at 'Flying Trestles' - You won't be disappointed.

https://www.jucycruize.co.nz/

# 18 & 19 August

10am-5pm

Full day Tour

# Option B

# **Real Journeys Doubtful Sound Wilderness Cruise**

Arguable New Zealand's most spectacular and remote fiord, and the place where Real Journeys began over 60 years' ago. Begin your day

with a cruise across island studded Lake Manapouri, before traversing the Wilmot Pass, stopping at the top to get the breath-taking views from the pass down in to Doubtful Sound. Upon arrival in to Deep Cove you'll board our spacious catamaran Patea Explorer for a three hour cruise exploring Doubtful Sounds hidden waterways. During the cruise the Nature Guide will share their knowledge and passion for this special place. Keep an eye out for wildlife as Doubtful Sound is home to bottlenose dolphins and New Zealand fur seals. Coach connection ex Te Anau available.

https://www.realjourneys.co.nz/

# real

15 August

8.45am—5.00pm

18 & 19 August

8.45am—5.00pm

Full day tour

# Option C

# Real Journeys Te Anau Glowworm Caves

Cruise to the western shores of Lake Te Anau before disembarking at Cavern House ready for this underground experience to a world of

waterfalls and incredible rock formations. In small groups, head in to the cave with a Cave Guide who will share their knowledge of the cave and its history. Deep within the cave, board a small boat and experience the silent hidden grotto inhabited but thousands of glowworms.

https://www.realjourneys.co.nz/



15 August

2pm and 7pm

Duration 2hours 15 minutes

#### Option D

# Real Journey's Milford Sound Coach & Cruise

Travel one of the worlds' most spectacular alpine roads in comfort on board a Real Journeys luxury glass roofed bullet coach. A Real Journeys Nature Cruise offers a close-up experience of Milford Sound's

spectacular scenery. During the two hour and 15 minute cruise, the Nature Guide provides in-depth commentary and shares stories of the fiord's history. This is a leisurely and informative cruise, allowing you the chance to relax and take in the incredible scenery while keeping an eye out for local wildlife like seals, penguins and dolphins.

https://www.realjourneys.co.nz/

# 15 August

9.50am-6pm

# 18 & 19 August

9.50am-6pm

**Full Day Tour** 

# Option E

# Real Journeys Stewart Island Visit including Village & Bays Tour

While you are in the deep south why not check out New Zealand's third island and ultimate eco-tourism destination – Stewart Island or Rakiura, "land of the glowing skies". With forested hills descending to a coastline of rocky outcrops and golden sand beaches – it is a paradise for marine and bird life. Travel by ferry across Foveaux Straight aboard from Bluff to Oban, once ashore explore the village and its surrounding bays on a Stewart Island Experience Village and Bays Tour. Your local guide will give you an entertaining and informative commentary about points of interest and life on the island. Highlights include a visit to the gateway of Rakiura National Park, Lee Bay, Horseshoe Bay and Observation rock with its stunning views over Paterson Inlet. Be sure to try the fresh local seafood at the South Seas Hotel before returning to your ferry for the crossing back to Bluff.

15 & 19 August

Ferry departs Bluff 9.30am, departs Stewart Island 3.00pm

Tour 11am—12.30pm or 1pm—2.30pm

Full day tour

https://www.realjourneys.co.nz/

# Option F

# Southern Discoveries, Milford Sound Coach, Cruise and Discovery Centre with optional Kayaking

Milford Sound has been described as the eighth wonder of the world, but at Southern Discoveries, we simply call it home. We offer the widest range of daytime cruises in Milford, convenient departures, fresh hot food options and over 50 years of experience in showing people our 'backyard'.

southern discoveries

18 & 19 August

8.30pm—5.30pm

Full Day tour

The trip includes a Milford Sound Cruise and entry to the Discovery Centre.

http://www.southerndiscoveries.co.nz/

# Option G

# **Trips & Tramps Routeburn Track Guided Walk**

A one-of-a-kind guided day walk.

This spectacular walk ascends through lush, temperate rainforest

and onto a unique alpine herb field. On the summit, hikers experience panoramic views of mountains, alpine lakes, and deep, glacial carved bush clad valleys. The Routeburn Track is an inspiring place to be and enjoy natural beauty.

Walking in a small group, your Trips & Tramps guide provides an excellent opportunity to learn about this stunning natural environment. This 8km return Routeburn Track walk begins at the Divide Shelter with a steady climb on a well maintained track. Gaining an elevation of 400 metres, the ascent takes approximately 2 hours at a leisurely pace.

https://tripsandtramps.com/



18 August

8am-5pm

Full day tour

# Option H

# Trips & Tramps Kepler Track 1/2 day guided walk

Wanting to get out and explore the landscapes surrounding Te Anau for half a day? Enjoy a fully-guided half-day walk to get a feel for the picturesque Kepler Track, a New



**Duration 3.5 hours** 

15 August

1.30pm

Zealand Great Walk. This easy hike on a well graded trail is great value and takes you around the South end of beautiful Lake Te Anau. Enjoy a superb walk following the lake edge through ancient beech forest. The track has a gentle gradient and is well maintained, suitable for all abilities. All ages will delight as we explore the area and listen for the call native birds in the lush forest.

https://tripsandtramps.com/

# Option I

# Trips & Tramps Milford Coach & Cruise

Departing from Te Anau, travel along the spectacular Milford Road. Your local, experienced nature driver/guide,

eager to share their stories, knowledge and passion for the area, will bring the mysteries of Fiordland to life. Our relaxed timetable allows more stops to enjoy this winter wonderland, with plenty of opportunities for photographs and short guided walks. The 2 hour cruise provides excellent viewing opportunities to enjoy the incredible waterfalls, rainforest and wildlife of Milford Sound.In the water, seals, playful dolphins and the rare Fiordland Crested Penguin may be spotted.

15 August

9am—4.50pm

18 & 19 August

9am-4.50pm

Full day tour

https://tripsandtramps.com/

# Option J

# Faith in Fiordland, Te Anau Lake Cruise

Join us for an elegant cruise on Lake Te Anau

aboard "Faith", a teak motor yacht built in Scotland in 1935. Prepare to be treated with elegant finger food, drinks, a guided walk in the glacier carved Fiordland National Park, help us hoist the sails, take the captains wheel, or sit back and enjoy the peace and quiet of one of the most untouched parts of the world. You'll be entertained by your local crew, take in personalised commentaries, and experience a considerate balance of hosting and private time during your 3 hours with us.

http://www.faith-in-fiordland.com/

# 15 August

2pm

# 18 & 19 August

9am

**Duration 3 hours** 

# Option K

#### Fiordland Cinema—Ata Whenua

See the real Fiordland in first class comfort. Fiordland Cinema was specially constructed o house daily

screenings of the locally filmed movie "Ata Whenua – Shadowland", filmed by award winning cinematographers, with outstanding original musical composition. Enjoy 32 minutes of breathtaking Fiordland scenery shot on 35mm film across the extremes of season, climate and terrain. Mysterious, evocative, exhilarating and utterly spectacular.

http://fiordlandcinema.co.nz/



Faith in Fiordland

15 August 6pm

18 & 19 August

4pm, 5pm, 6pm

**Duration 40 minutes** 

# Option L

# Wings and Water, Scenic Flight

Explore Fiordland's remoteness by floatplane, flying over

1.2 Million hectares while photographing the majestic mountains, rainforests and stunning fiords. Experience the Te Anau basin from the air with magnificent 360 degree views of Lakes Te Anau, Manapouri and the Hidden Lakes.

Maximum numbers apply, weather dependent

http://www.wingsandwater.co.nz/

# 18 August

Time TBC

2 x 10 minutes flights

# Option M

# Southern Lakes Helicopters, Scenic Flight

Explore Fiordland with a scenic helicopter flight. Southern Lakes

Helicopters offer a range of scenic flights into the spectacular fiords and

mountains of Fiordland. We've been taking scenic helicopter flights around this World Heritage

National Park for more than 25 years – Fiordland is our playground! We know it like the back of our hand! Spend 40—60 minutes flying over vast mountain ranges, hidden lakes and amazing glaciers.

Maximum numbers apply, weather and snow dependent

http://southernlakeshelicopters.co.nz/

# 18 August

Time TBC

Duration 40—460 minutes

# Option N

#### **Luxmore Jet**

A pinch of adrenalin and a heap of natural beauty makes this "the best jet boat ride ever". Journey deep into Fiordland National Park,

a World Heritage Area where unspoilt scenery and crystal clear water will amaze as you travel down the Upper Waiau River which flows between lake Te Anau and beautiful Lake Manapouri.

http://www.luxmorejet.com/

15 August

2pm

18 & 19 August 11am or 2pm

**Duration 2 hours** 

NB: Choices are not guaranteed due to limited capacity on some excursions.