



## ***"Exceeding Expectations"***

### **TOURISM EXPORT COUNCIL CONFERENCE 16-17 AUGUST 2017**

#### **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2017**

- Day and afternoon FOC famil programme with options being:
    - a. Jucy cruise coach & cruise, Milford Sound
    - b. Real Journeys Doubtful Sound Wilderness Cruise
    - c. Real Journeys Te Anau Glowworm Caves
    - d. Real Journeys Milford Sound Coach & Cruise
    - e. Real Journeys Stewart Island Visit including Village & Bay Tour
    - f. Southern Discoveries, Milford Sound Coach, Cruise & Discovery Centre with optional Kayaking
    - h. Trips & Tramps Kepler Track ½ day guided walk
    - i. Trips & Tramps Milford Coach & Cruise
    - j. Faith in Fiordland, Te Anau Lake Cruise
    - k. Fiordland Cinema- Ata Whenua
    - n. Luxmore Jet
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#### **Day 1 – Wednesday 16 August 2017**

- Delegates arrive during morning to Te Anau

#### **Start of Conference Programme:**

9.00am – 10.30am	Inbound tour operator member forum (90 mins)
10.30am – 11.30am	Biz 2 Biz Trade meet, Round 1
11.30am – 11.45am	<i>Morning tea for Biz 2 Biz group</i>
11.45am – 12.45pm	Biz 2 Biz Trade meet, Round 2
12.45pm – 1.45pm	<i>Networking lunch</i>

#### **MAIN CONFERENCE COMMENCES**

2.00pm – 2.45pm	Welcome
2.45pm – 3.15pm	Speaker – Shamabeel Equab (Economic)
3.15pm – 3.45pm	Speaker – Gary Taylor (Environment)
3.45pm – 4.15pm	<i>Afternoon tea</i>
4.15pm – 5.45pm	Political Panel Session interactive session w <b>Facilitated by Andrew Patterson</b>

#### **Suggested panellists:**

- Paula Bennett – National Party
- Kris Faafoi – Labour Party
- James Shaw – Green Party
- Fletcher Tabeteau – NZ First Party (or Winston)
- Gareth Morgan – The Opportunities Party

6.30pm – 8.00pm	Happy hour and Operator of Year Awards at Luxmore
8.00pm – 10.00pm	Buffet dinner at Villas with entertainment

## Day 2 – Thursday 17 August 2017

8.30am – 9.00am	Young TEC AGM
8.30am – 9.00am	TEC Annual General Meeting

### Plenary sessions starts:

9.00am – 9.45am	Speaker – Mike Tamaki (Social)
9.45am – 10.30am	Speaker – Mark Solomon (Cultural)
10.30am – 11.00am	<i>Morning tea</i>
11.00am – 12.30pm	Workshops: <i>possibly Bernie from Stats NZ; Andrew Patterson re Technology Chris Flynn? - others to be advised</i>
12.30pm – 1.15pm	Workshops
1.15pm – 2.00pm	<i>Lunch</i>
2.00pm – 2.30pm	Speaker – Stephen England-Hall, Tourism New Zealand
2.30pm – 3.30pm	Tourism New Zealand presentations: 20 mins each on the following: a) Regional dispersal b) Quality visitor experience c) Priority markets
3.30pm – 4.00pm	Q & A with Tourism New Zealand
4.00pm – 4.30pm	<i>Afternoon tea</i>
4.30pm – 5.30pm	Keynote speaker – to be advised
5.30pm – 5.45pm	Close of conference comments
7.30pm	Bus transfers to Fiordland Community Events Centre
	Buffet dinner & entertainment with dress theme " <a href="#"><u>Wild West</u></a> "
12.01am	Bus/walk back to hotel

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## Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August 2017

- FOC famil programme with options being:
  - a. Jucy Cruise Coach & Cruise Milford
  - b. Real Journeys Doubtful Sound Wilderness Cruise
  - d. Real Journeys Milford Sound Coach & Cruise
  - f. Southern Discoveries, Milford Sound Coach, Cruise & Discovery Centre w' optional Kayaking
  - g. Trips & Tramps Routeburn Track One Day Walk
  - i. Trips & Tramps Milford Coach & Cruise
  - j. Faith in Fiordland, Te Anau Lake Cruise
  - k. Fiordland Cinema – Ata Whenua
  - l. Wings & Water - Fiordland By Seaplane
  - m. Southern Lakes Helicopters Scenic Flight

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## Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> August 2017

- FOC famil programme with options being:
  - a. Jucy Cruise Coach & Cruise Milford
  - b. Real Journeys Doubtful Sound Wilderness Cruise
  - d. Real Journeys Milford Sound Coach & Cruise
  - e. Real Journeys Stewart Island Day trip
  - f. Southern Discoveries, Milford Sound Coach, Cruise & Discovery Centre w' optional Kayaking
  - i. Trips & Tramps Milford Coach & Cruise
  - j. Faith in Fiordland, Te Anau Lake Cruise
  - k. Fiordland Cinema – Ata Whenua