



How to get to Hawke's Bay

APPROXIMATE GUIDE FOR
TRAVEL TIMES TO HAWKE'S BAY



DRIVING

Auckland - Hawke's Bay / 5 hours

Taupo - Hawke's Bay / 1 hour 30 mins

Wellington - Hawke's Bay / 4 hours

Rotorua - Hawke's Bay / 2 hours 30 mins

Gisborne - Hawke's Bay / 3 hours

BY AIR

Auckland - Hawke's Bay / 60 mins



Art Deco Guided Tours

HAWKE'S BAY
WWW.HAWKESBAYNZ.COM

The Art Deco Trust operate Guided Walks and Tours of Napier.
Learn about the fascinating heritage and rebirth of the city
following the 1931 Hawke's Bay earthquake
Vintage Car Tours taking in Napier's Art Deco heritage are also
available from the Art Deco Trust and Hooters Vintage & Classic
Vehicle Hire
The Art Deco Festival is in its 29th year and attracts over 40,000
people to 200 events. Held the third weekend of February
every year, 14th - 18th February 2018

www.artdeconapier.com

www.hawkesbaynz.com



Craggy Winery


HAWKE'S BAY
WWW.HAWKESBAYNZ.COM

The oldest and second largest wine growing region in NZ
Over 100 vineyards with 35 cellar doors and restaurants
80% of NZ's red wine production – Merlot, Cabernet
Sauvignon, & Syrah grapes & the largest producer of
Chardonnay in NZ
The region is known for its Wine Trails – By cycle as well as
escorted vehicle- a great way to get out and about in the sunny
Hawke's Bay.

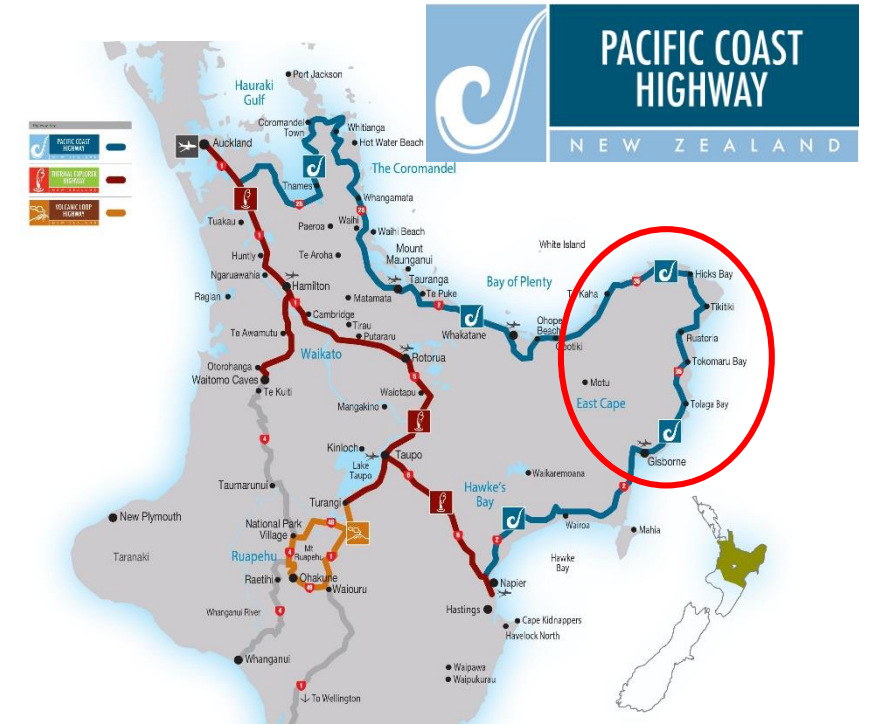
www.craggyrange.com



Cape Kidnappers Gannet Colony

Spectacular scenic wonder of Hawke's Bay, Cape Kidnappers. Visit the Gannet Colony by making a trip overland with Gannet Safaris or ride along the coast by tractor with Gannet Beach Adventures. The iconic cliffs are also home to one of New Zealand's premium golf courses.

<https://www.robertsonlodges.com/the-lodges/cape-kidnappers/golf>



Tairāwhiti Gisborne

First to see the light

3 places in region to be amongst the first in the world to witness the dawning of a new day

Gisborne is the first city in the world to see the sunrise

Mt Hikurangi is the highest point, tours with Ngati Porou Tourism

The most easterly point on mainland NZ is the East Cape Lighthouse along scenic SH35

<https://tairawhitigisborne.co.nz/>



Maunga Hikurangi

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Regarded as the first place in the world to see the sun rise, Maunga Hikurangi is steeped in legend and cultural significance for the Ngāti Porou people, and is the home of ancestral carvings 'Māui Whakairo'.

- Options for the Te Urunga-Tu Sunrise Experience, or the Haramai Day Experience
- All tours include an expert Ngāti Porou guide, native seedling to plant, breakfast or lunch atop Maunga Hikurangi, and a gift from the Ngāti Porou tribe.

Photo credit: Maunga Hikurangi

<https://maungahikurangi.com/>



Waka Voyagers

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Waka Hourua, translated to a double-hulled canoe, is a traditional Māori vessel that carried the first settlers to the land of the first light - Tairāwhiti Gisborne, New Zealand.

One of only nine double hulled wakas of this type in the world, you are invited to board Waka Hourua and learn first-hand, the ancient art of wayfinding that led to the discovery of Aotearoa New Zealand, as the last piece of the Polynesian Triangle around 1,000 years ago.

- From Maui to modern day, enjoy truly epic stories of Maori ancestors and New Zealand's great navigational history in and around the Pacific Ocean.
- Tour the Waka Hourua Tairāwhiti (traditional canoe called Tairāwhiti), get up close and personal with ancient sailing artefacts, as well as sailing and wayfinding techniques.
- The spectacular beauty of the traditional design, incredible power of construction and the awe-inspiring stories of its legendary feats, this is a once-in-a-lifetime experience that belongs to you.

<https://www.wakavoyagers.com/>



Dive Tatapouri

Dive Tatapouri is a highlight of the journey along the Pacific Coast Highway on State Highway 35.

- Famous for its interactive reef tour with wild stingrays, eagle rays and other reef dwellers, and its idyllic snorkelling experience with wild stingrays in their natural environment.
- This activity is of the most popular and unique things to do in NZ.
- Bookings are essential as the reef tours are popular!

Photo credit: Reef Ecology Tour and Stingray Encounter by Strike Photography

<https://www.divetatapouri.com/>

Gisborne Railbike Adventure



The Gisborne Railbike Adventure

Experience a world-first cycling adventure. This brand-new product (January 2019 opening) takes the form of a tandem ride along 90 unreal kilometres of coastal railway between Tairāwhiti Gisborne and Wairoa, unseen for decades.

- 1 hour, half day or multiday adventure available.
- A totally unique tandem cycle that allows you to pedal side-by-side along the actual rails. No balancing or steering required, just relax and take in the spectacular scenery.
- Manual or e-bikes available, and all fully guided.

Opotiki is the gateway to the East Cape on the Pacific Coast Highway and the jewel in it's crown is the Motu Trails.

- It's a start point for The Motu Trails, one of the great rides in the New Zealand Cycle Trails network.
- This trail offers riding for all levels from family friendly, to back-country track in challenging terrain to Heartland riding
- Ride, run, walk ... experience the freedom.

<https://www.railbikes.nz/>

Manutuke Eco Retreat



Accommodation

Accommodation in Tairāwhiti Gisborne ranges from hotels to boutique eco-camping retreats, to the best camping spots to see the sunrise.

- Gisborne city offers a range of accommodation from hotels to new apartments in the holiday park, and lots of B&B locations, as well as the new Manutuke Eco Retreat (pictured).
- Around the coast you will find many amazing camping spots and B&B's.

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www.canopycamping.co.nz/manutuke-eco-retreat

<https://tairawhitigisborne.co.nz/>