

NEW ZEALAND TRAILS



THE REAL NEW ZEALAND EXPERIENCE in comfort & style



• *Kiwi hospitality*



• *Flexible, small group travel*



• *Unique experiences*



• *All-inclusive trips*

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Your South Pacific Travel Specialists

YOUR NEW ZEALAND ADVENTURE — IT'S ABOUT YOU!

HE AHA TE MEA NUI O TE AO

What is the most important thing in the world?

HE TANGATA, HE TANGATA, HE TANGATA

It is the people, it is the people, it is the people

Māori proverb



Exploring Siberia Valley.

Our Unique Formula

- ✓ 100% New Zealand owned and operated
- ✓ World class guides
- ✓ Flexibility, choices and setting your own pace
- ✓ Adventurous yet indulgent travel
- ✓ Exclusive access to extraordinary places



Glacier boat trip.



Kepler Track



Kayaking Queen Charlotte Sound.



Hiking the Hollyford Track.

It was a truly memorable trip and one we will always treasure.

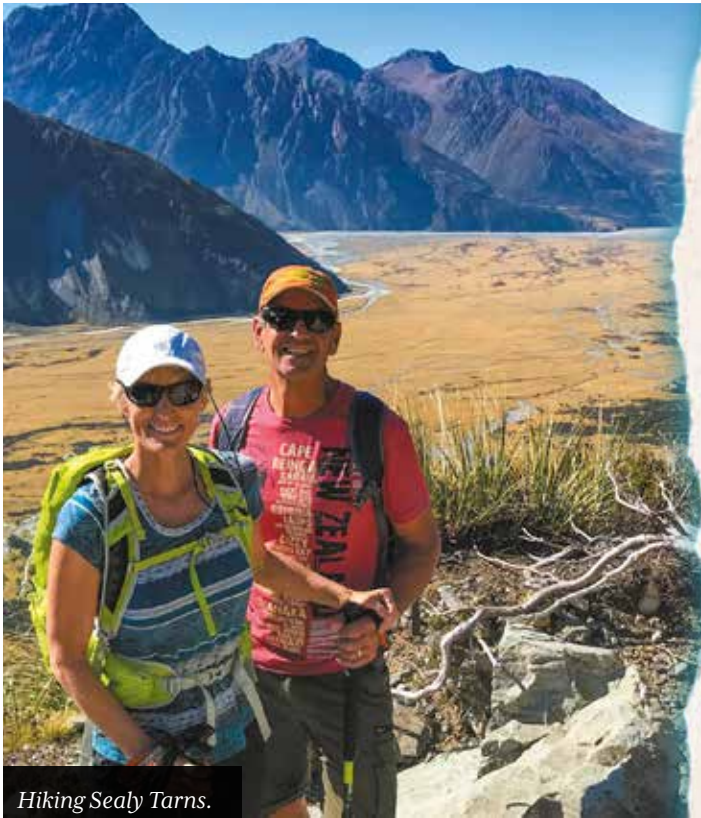
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Our experience on tour with New Zealand Trails was wonderful. Everyone (especially our wonderful guides) went above and beyond to ensure we had the best possible time in this spectacular country. It was truly a memorable trip and one I will always treasure.

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— Annie & Louise, Australia
 Kiwi Classic Trip



Hiking Sealy Tarns.



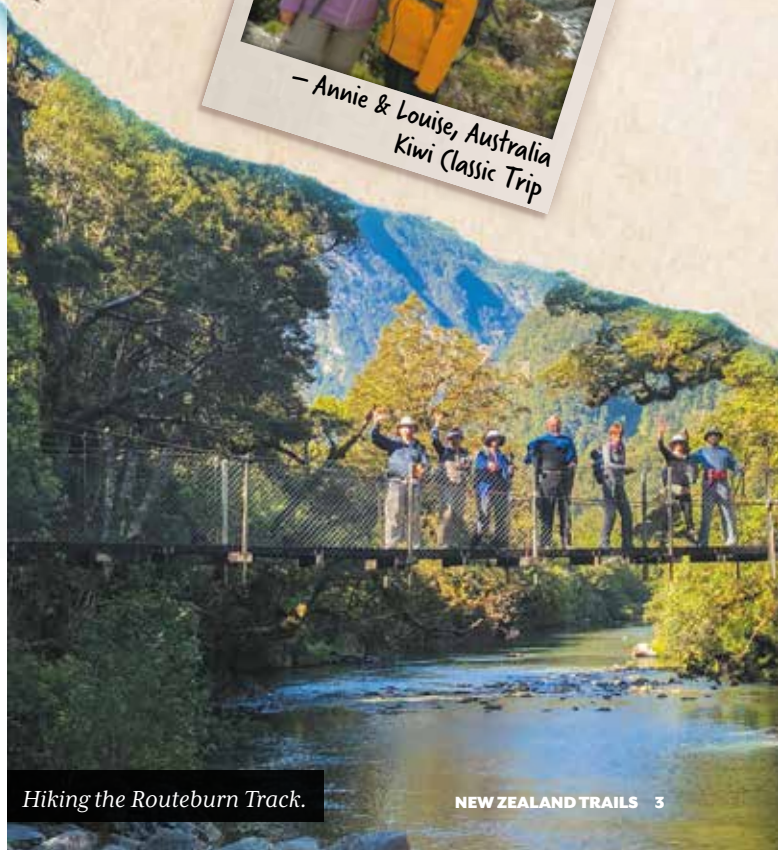
Mt Aspiring National Park.



Tasman Glacier Heli-hike.



Aoraki / Mt Cook.



Hiking the Routeburn Track.



Nelson Lakes National Park.

KIWI CLASSIC

Kiwi Classic

Get further off the beaten track on our original South Island hiking trip.

Perfect if you love adventure and want to hike deeper into the Kiwi backcountry. The Kiwi Classic is our most exhilarating adventure in New Zealand's natural wilderness.

14
days

South
Island



Activity Level



Style

You'll be served delicious Kiwi food to fuel your adventures and enjoy well-earned sleep in some of our favourite spots.



Start
Queenstown



Finish
Queenstown

The Kiwi Classic is your true-blue New Zealand adventure, full of the kinds of things we get up to every weekend. Way more than a typical New Zealand hiking tour, this action-packed trip will take you on an incredible multi-day adventure, scaling impressive heights and soaking in breath-taking views. Overnighting in the wilderness is at the heart of this trip. Taking in only what we can carry on our backs we'll hike to Department of Conservation huts in Nelson Lakes National Park and Pelorus Sound.

Every day we'll take on another exhilarating, fun and locally loved activity. These are our favourite backcountry experiences and we can't wait to share them with you. You'll hike, bike and kayak your way around the South Island, exploring places most visitors would never see. Escape into the backcountry and experience the clearest night skies. Wake to the early morning call of the kea – our native mountain parrot. Swim with dolphins in the South Pacific Ocean. Hike spectacular trails in the Southern Alps. Experience glistening



Aoraki / Mt Cook National Park.

“ The Kiwi Classic trip was incredible! Being with a small group made such a difference, I felt like we were on our own special adventure. We experienced each day's activities as a family ('whanau') and shared in some great adventures on amazing hikes, kayaking trips and by bike too. The knowledge, leadership and passion of the guides was a huge part of the success.

–Heather |

Victoria, Australia | December 2019 ”



Routeburn Track.

glaciers and hear the rumblings of distant ice falls.

The Kiwi Classic packs a big punch. You'll be amazed at just how much you're able to see, do and achieve over 14 days. We'll send you home elated and full of energy, with a big smile on your face.



Abel Tasman National Park.



Bushline Hut, Nelson Lakes National Park.



Cycle Central Otago.



Hooker Valley Track.



Dusky dolphins, Kaikoura.

5 reasons to book the Kiwi Classic hiking trip

1) To get the keys to our backcountry

Really get to know the people and places of New Zealand in a way only achievable through the Kiwi Classic. It's not just about the activities, it's all the bits in between too. Our guides will introduce you to their adventurous lifestyles and unique culture through some incredible journeys and hard-to-find experiences.

2) To challenge yourself physically and reach the wildest places

The best views and experiences take a bit more effort to achieve. Once you're there, you'll experience our wild spaces untamed and untouched as they should be.

3) To earn your views

Most people are content to drive to a popular viewpoint or tiki-tour round the busy tourist spots. But not us! With fresh air in your lungs and the world expanding below you, you'll achieve, see and do so much more on a New Zealand Trails trip as you reach further into New Zealand.

4) To travel with full wilderness guidance and support

No one knows our backcountry like we do. Planning the logistics of these adventures takes considerable time and effort. Travel with the support of our guides and behind-the-scenes team, and you're in the safest, most experienced hands.

5) Go home svelte and sleek!

The exercise you'll enjoy on the Kiwi Classic is a boon for body and mind.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS



1: Ben Lomond

A rewarding hike to summit Queenstown's most famous peak.



2: Franz Josef Glacier

Hike to the terminal face of this spectacular glacier on the West Coast.



3: Overnight hiking

We'll spend two nights backpacking in Nelson Lakes National Park & Pelorus Sound



4: Swim with dolphins

The ocean is calling! Meet these wonderful creatures in their natural environment.



5: Aoraki / Mt Cook National Park

Take on the steep steps of the Mueller Ridge hike, New Zealand's most spectacular day hike.



6: Milford Sound

Beat the crowds with an early morning boat cruise on the 'eighth wonder of the world'.



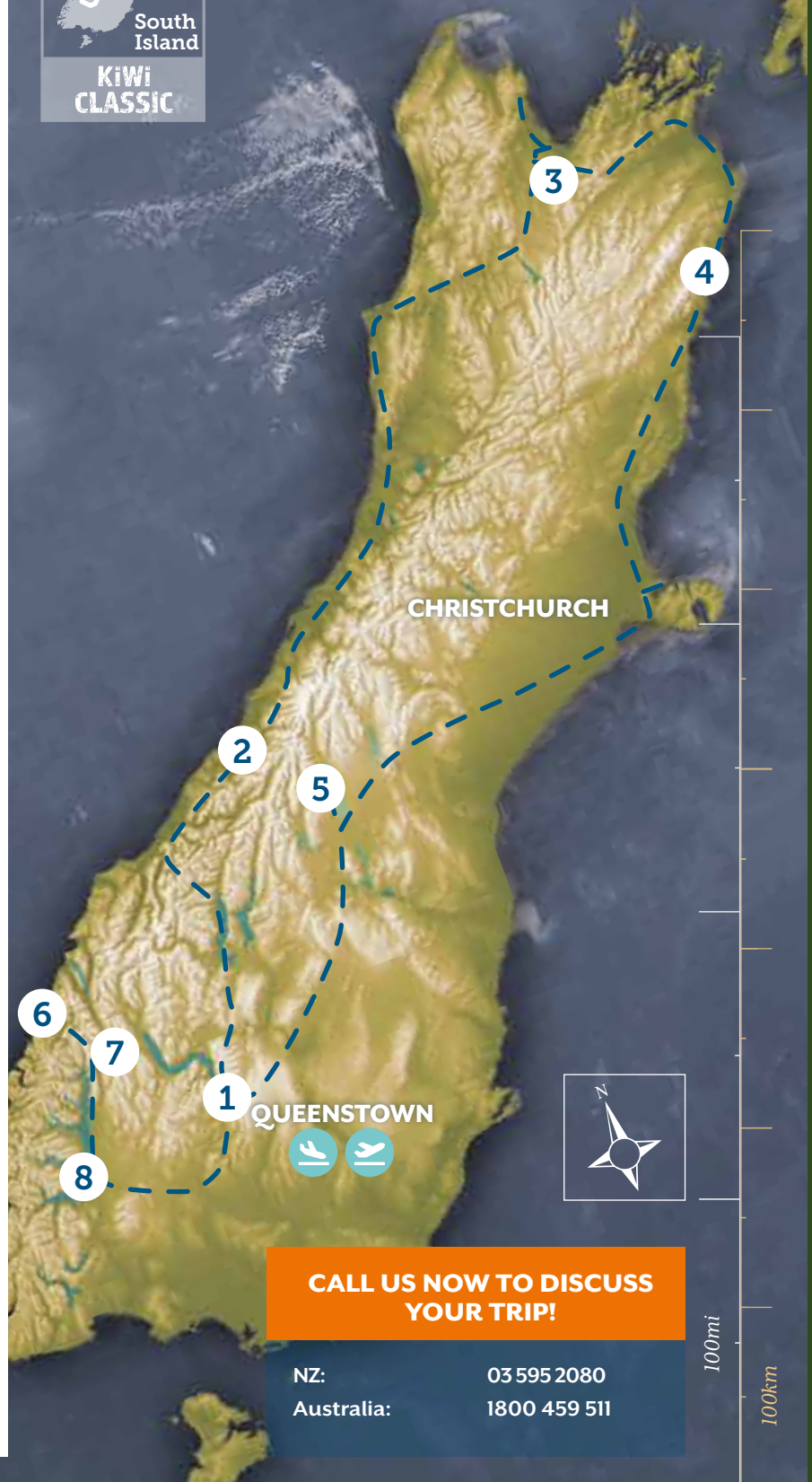
7: The Routeburn Track

Hike New Zealand's most magnificent Great Walk up to Key Summit.



8: The Kepler Track

Experience incredible lake and mountain vistas on this Great Walk.



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YOUR TRIP!**

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