

Incentive Menu – Attractions

Canterbury

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Hanmer Adventure Centre

Hanmer Adventure Centre is the place to come to experience a range of adventure activities all year round.

Located in the heart of Hanmer Springs, you'll find plenty of outdoor action for your incentive group, from soft adventure to adrenalin pumping action.



Incentive ideas:

- Combine claybird shooting, archery, and quad biking for an exciting outdoor adventure
- Unleash your group's competitive spirit in a village challenge with a twist, with Hanmer Rockets

Region: Hanmer Springs

| Time from CHC: 90 mins

| Group size: Up to 100 pax

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Hanmer Springs Attractions

Many adventures, one location. This is the ideal place to enjoy the outdoor activities that New Zealand is famous for in the stunning natural environment of Hanmer Springs.

Design your own day package packed full of adventure, and in the evenings enjoy the alpine environment of the village, restaurants, and incredible hot pools complex.



Incentive ideas:

- Combine a thrilling jet boat ride with a scenic helicopter flight and sumptuous high country lunch
- Pack your day full of excitement and rotate your group around activities – jetboat, paintball, rafting, canoeing and more

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| Group size: Up to 100 pax

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Hanmer Springs Thermal Pools & Spa

Hanmer Springs Thermal Pools & Spa is the natural place to unwind. Set in a breathtaking natural landscape surrounded by forests and mountains, the multi award-winning thermal pools offers you a wide range of experiences.

Hanmer Springs, New Zealand's alpine spa village, maintains a quiet, peaceful atmosphere to suit incentive groups of varying sizes.



Incentive ideas:

- Exclusive use of the complex including additional access outside of normal operating hours
- Fun group activities such as make your own pizza – trained by expert on-site chefs
- Combine the hot pools with a pampering spa experience, for an indulgent combo for your group

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North Canterbury Foraging

Canterbury is an incredible food producing region of New Zealand, and North Canterbury is home to stunning boutique wineries.

Angela Clifford from Tongue in Groove will take you on a foraging adventure where your group can delight in collecting local produce – there are plentiful options in any season.



Incentive idea:

- Forage delightful local produce from the land or the sea, then head to one of the local winery restaurants and see your collection created into a bespoke lunch menu just for your group, matched with award winning locally produced wines.

Region: Hurunui

| Time from CHC: 45 mins

| Group size: Up to 100 pax

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Natural High – Winery Bike Tour

New Zealand’s leading adventure biking company since 1996. Their range of one-day cycling tours are overflowing with everything that makes this region special.

Uncork the pleasures of the Waipara Valley, a region well-know for its award-winning aromatic wines and spectacular views of the Southern Alps. This tour offers relaxed, easy riding along an off-road cycle trail and quiet country roads, with leisurely stops for an antipasto lunch and wine tastings along the way.



Incentive idea:

- Enjoy an exclusive wine tasting experience at different wineries while having a fun day out exploring the North Canterbury Wine Region.

Region: Hurunui

| Time from CHC: 1 hour

| Group size: up to 65 pax

| [Website listing](#)



Iron Ridge Quarry Sculpture Park

Ridge Quarry Sculpture Park is nestled against the dramatic landscape of the North Canterbury Wine Region. Sculptor Raymond Herber has transformed this old abandoned Limestone quarry into a magical wonderland and stunning exhibition space like no other.

The property has been planted in native plants and trees creating a perfect setting for your group to picnic and enjoy the artworks.



Incentive ideas:

- Enjoy an exclusive foraging demonstration, group picnic in the sculpture park or a bespoke wine and beer tasting from the local winery and brewery.

Region: Hurunui

| Time from CHC: 1 hour

| Group size: Up to 100pax

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Dolphin Encounter

Dolphin Encounter offers incredible swimming with the dolphin tours but if swimming is not for you, watching from the comfort of the boat is equally as special an experience.

Kaikoura's Dusky Dolphins are particularly playful and acrobatic, ensuring a memorable experience with these incredible marine mammals.

Incentive idea:

- Enjoy this exclusive nature experience on a private charter and combine with a sumptuous multi-course tasting style lunch at the breath-taking Old Kaikoura Winery Restaurant



Region: Kaikoura

| Time from CHC: 2 ½ hours

| Group size: Up to 50 pax

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Whale Watch Kaikoura

Kaikoura is the whale watching capital of New Zealand, every whale watch tour is a unique experience and the sightings vary. A typical Whale Watch tour may encounter New Zealand Fur Seals, pods of Dusky Dolphins and the endangered Wandering Albatross.

Depending on the season you may also see migrating Humpback Whales, Pilot Whales, Blue Whales and Southern Right Whales. Your group is sure to have a whale of a time!

Incentive idea:

- For an experience of a lifetime, combine whale watching with a heli flight and dolphin encounter, all in one day.



Region: Kaikoura

| Time from CHC: 2 ½ hours

| Group size: 100 pax +

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Kaikoura Helicopters Tours

Kaikoura Helicopters offers a range of magnificent flight-seeing options for incentive groups. The scenery here is truly spectacular and most appreciated by air.

Helicopter direct from Christchurch, or travel by luxury coach or on the Coastal Pacific train journey. Their expert team will work with you to create the perfect experience for your incentive group.

Incentive idea:

- Pack in some adventure with a rafting combo, or fly to the summit of Mt Fyffe for spectacular views. Team up with a mountain-top picnic for the ultimate in New Zealand outdoor luxury.



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Dark Sky Project

Dark Sky Project is New Zealand's premier stargazing and observatory experience located in one of the best regions in the world for seeing the night skies.

Our world-first multimedia Dark Sky Experience allows your group to discover the night skies from a unique cultural and scientific perspective during the day and in all-weather conditions.

Incentive idea:

- An all year round activity where your group can have a private stargazing experience at one of the most iconic locations in New Zealand.



Region: Lake Tekapo | Time from CHC: 2 ¾ hours | Group size: Up to 100 pax | [Website listing](#)



Tekapo Springs

Tekapo Springs has the perfect mix of exciting and relaxing activities no matter the season! Relax in the hot pools all year round, enjoy the giant inflatable obstacle course and waterslide in summer or the snow tube and ice skating rink in winter.

By night, experience Tekapo Star Gazing! Try their stargazing tour with telescopes or explore the universe with the virtual reality tour! Both includes a soak and story-telling session in the hot pool.

Incentive idea:

- Rotate your group around experiences combining relaxation and adventure. Add a pampering touch in the day spa and a delicious high country meal in the café with stunning views across the lake.



Region: Lake Tekapo | Time from CHC: 2 ¾ hours | Group size: up to 100 pax | [Website listing](#)



Air Safaris

Explore New Zealand's highest mountains, ice and snowfields, see twelve major glaciers and fly over 200 kilometres of breath-taking alpine scenery.

Air Safaris aircraft are especially selected for flightseeing, ensuring that every passenger has a window seat and wings-above to ensure optimum viewing of the incredible vistas below. They have a range of aircraft and flights on offer to suit your group size and timeframes.

Incentive idea:

- Enjoy an experience of a lifetime with exclusive scenic flights and snow landings in amongst the most spectacular scenery in New Zealand, including the country's highest mountain – Aoraki Mt Cook, and largest glacier – the Tasman.



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Glacier Explorers

The only tour of its kind in New Zealand and one of the only accessible glacial lakes containing icebergs in the world.

An amazing encounter with New Zealand’s largest glacier, the Tasman Glacier. Explore the ever-changing glacial landscape as you journey across the terminal lake in their custom-built MAC Boats with experienced guides.

Incentive idea:

- Have exclusive use of their boats for your group to get up close to the glacier and icebergs. Combine with an exquisite chef’s experience lunch at The Hermitage Hotel.

Region: Mt Cook

| Time from CHC: 4 ¼ hours

| Group size: Up to 50 pax

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INFLITE Experiences

Enjoy the expansive icelands and breath-taking clean glaciers from the comfort of your luxurious helicopter or ski plane. These scenic tours sweep you over the best alpine views New Zealand has to offer.

Discover the stunning ice formations of the Hochstetter Icefall as you fly beneath the east face of Aoraki Mount Cook and along the Tasman Glacier. Experience the unique thrill of landing on the glaciers.

Incentive idea:

- A scenic flight like no other where you can split your group between helicopters and ski planes for a snow landing experience of a lifetime.

Region: Mt Cook

| Time from CHC: 4 ¼ hours

| Group size: up to 20 pax

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Alpine Guides

Based year-round in Aoraki Mount Cook National Park, Alpine Guides offers unparalleled access into this spectacular mountain environment.

Your group will have an experience of a lifetime whether it be backcountry ski touring, glacier hikes, heli hikes, rock climbing or ice climbing.

Incentive idea:

- Alternate your group around activities before coming together to swap stories over a delightful meal matched with exquisite regional wines.

Region: Mt Cook

| Time from CHC: 4 ¼ hours

| Group size: Up to 50 pax

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