



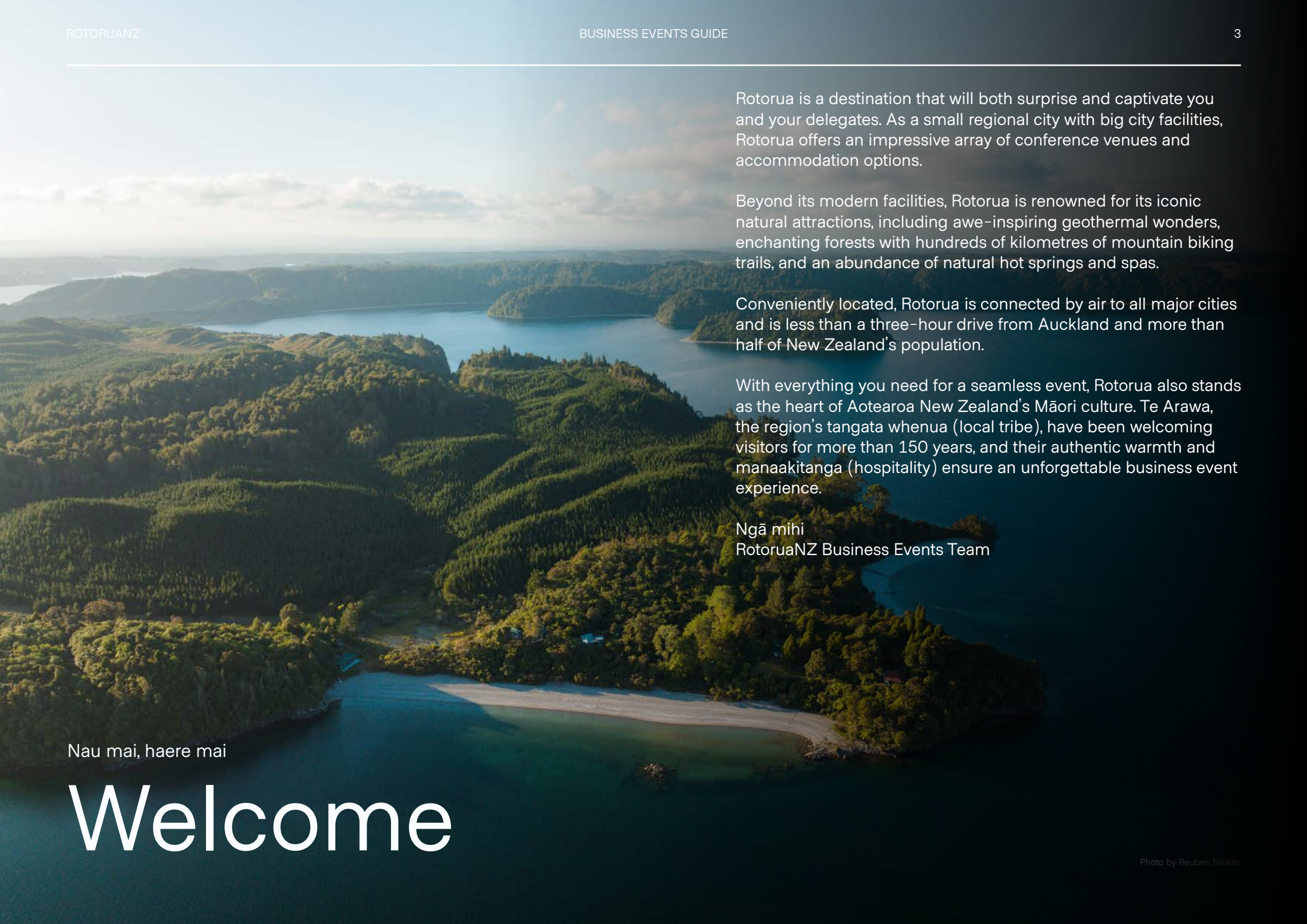
RotoruaNZ
Business Events Guide
He Rarangi Pātanga
Pakihi o RotoruaNZ

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Te Ihirangi

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Rotorua is a destination that will both surprise and captivate you and your delegates. As a small regional city with big city facilities, Rotorua offers an impressive array of conference venues and accommodation options.

Beyond its modern facilities, Rotorua is renowned for its iconic natural attractions, including awe-inspiring geothermal wonders, enchanting forests with hundreds of kilometres of mountain biking trails, and an abundance of natural hot springs and spas.

Conveniently located, Rotorua is connected by air to all major cities and is less than a three-hour drive from Auckland and more than half of New Zealand's population.

With everything you need for a seamless event, Rotorua also stands as the heart of Aotearoa New Zealand's Māori culture. Te Arawa, the region's tangata whenua (local tribe), have been welcoming visitors for more than 150 years, and their authentic warmth and manaakitanga (hospitality) ensure an unforgettable business event experience.

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Nau mai, haere mai

Welcome



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The RotoruaNZ Business Events team are your on-the-ground event specialists who know all things Rotorua. We're here to help you find the best venue, accommodation, activity or supplier to ensure you plan a successful business event.

Anei Mātau

Our Team



FREE EVENT
PROPOSAL



SITE
INSPECTIONS



PROMOTIONAL
MARKETING
COLLATERAL
AND DELEGATE
MARKETING
RESOURCES



CORPORATE
SOCIAL
RESPONSIBILITY
PROGRAMMES



ITINERARY
PLANNING



PRE-AND
POST-EVENT
ACTIVITY
PACKAGES



...AND LOTS
MORE, JUST
ASK!

Mā Mātau e Āwhinatia

How we can help



 Pōhiri

Welcome

Rotorua is less than three hours' drive from Auckland, Hamilton and Tauranga and is well connected by direct flights from Auckland, Wellington and Christchurch. Once you arrive, getting around is simple, with accommodation, venues, attractions and dining all within easy reach. Most locations are within a 10-minute walk or drive of one another, making Rotorua a highly convenient destination for business events.



 Sir Howard Morrison Centre

Meet

Rotorua offers a wide range of modern facilities, including purpose-built event venues, diverse accommodation options and eateries showcasing innovative cuisine. Whether you're planning a conference, incentive, meeting or special event, you'll find flexible spaces, experienced local suppliers and exceptional support. If you want to create a memorable event that stands out, start your planning in Rotorua.



 Rotorua Canopy Tours

Discover

Nestled on the shores of Lake Rotorua, the district's geothermal landscapes create a truly unique setting. Explore bubbling geothermal reserves, volcanic craters, ancient forests and 18 sparkling lakes. Rotorua also offers world-class mountain biking, golf and rejuvenating hot springs and spas. These remarkable natural attractions will leave delegates inspired and provide an unforgettable backdrop for their visit.



 Te Puia

Experience

The hospitality (manaakitanga) and the welcoming spirit of our people make Rotorua the best place to connect with indigenous Māori people. Welcome your delegates with a pōhiri (traditional welcoming ceremony), learn to dance with poi (pictured above), perform the haka or feast on a traditional hāngī. Whichever experience you choose, your delegates will come away enriched.

He Aha Ai a Rotorua?

Why Rotorua?



DOMESTIC

Approximate flight times to Rotorua



Auckland



Wellington



Christchurch

TRANS-TASMAN

Approximate flight times to Auckland



Brisbane



Sydney



Melbourne

TRANS-TASMAN

Approximate flight time to Hamilton



Sydney

Kei Hea a Rotorua?

Getting to Rotorua?

Venues

1. Rotorua International Stadium*
2. Energy Events Centre
3. Sir Howard Morrison Centre
4. Te Puia
5. Mitai Māori Village
6. Hobbiton Movie Set*
7. Motion Entertainment*
8. The Black Barn*
9. Terrace Kitchen
10. Skyline Rotorua*
11. Te Pā Tū*
12. Eastwood Café
13. Off Road NZ*
14. Secret Spot Hot Tubs Rotorua*
15. Agrodome*
16. Pohutu Conference and Events Centre
17. The Venue @ ZORB Rotorua
18. Wai Ariki Hot Springs and Spa

Venues

19. Sudima Lake Rotorua
20. Millennium Hotel Rotorua
21. Rydges Rotorua
22. Novotel Rotorua Lakeside
23. Ibis Rotorua
24. Arawa Park Hotel
25. Distinction Rotorua Hotel
26. Pullman Rotorua
27. JetPark Hotel Rotorua
28. Prince's Gate Hotel
29. Regent of Rotorua
30. Quest Rotorua Central



He Puka Wāhi Pārekareka

Venue Directory



Venues listed in order of theatre-style capacity	PG	Number of Meeting Spaces	 Theatre	 Classroom	 Boardroom	 U-Shape	 Banquet	 Cabaret	 Cocktail
Energy Events Centre	11	9	4,000	2,490	-	-	2,600	2,080	5,650
Sir Howard Morrison Centre	12	8	918	200	20	-	220	144	550
Agrodome	13	3	700	60	50	60	550	-	700
Te Puia	14	5	300	50	20	25	300	240	300
Motion Entertainment	15	6	150	80	90	50	90	90	878
Te Pā Tū	16	6	150	60	12	9	150	90	200
Hobbiton Movie Set	17	4	130	60	60	40	230	140	300
The Venue @ ZORB	18	1	90	50	50	40	80	40	90-150
Terrace Kitchen	19	2	50	-	20	-	80	-	120
Eastwood Café	20	0	-	-	-	-	140	-	250
Off Road NZ	21	1	-	-	-	-	120	-	150
Rotorua Airport	22	4	-	35	20	-	35-300	-	60-400
Secret Spot Hot Tubs Rotorua	23	1	-	-	-	-	65	-	65
Skyline Rotorua	24	3	-	-	-	-	350	350	1,000
The Black Barn	25	1	-	-	-	-	150	-	150
Wai Ariki Hot Springs and Spa	26	4	-	20	-	150	45-250	-	40-350

ENERGY EVENTS CENTRE



Positioned on the edge of Lake Rotorua in the picturesque Government Gardens, the Energy Events Centre is within an easy walk to the central city, Eat Street dining precinct and other cafés and restaurants, retail shops, Rotorua's iconic Polynesian Spa, and a range of accommodation options.

This versatile, purpose-built venue incorporates 10 flexible spaces, making it perfect for conferences, exhibitions, banquets, sporting events, concerts and more. Extensive parking is just outside the door and always free.

The venue is supported by a full suite of services and infrastructure to make your event one to remember – be it an intimate meeting or a grand gala dinner.

- The Grand Hall is a captivating space of epic proportions offering extensive lighting combined with traditional and contemporary Māori art.
- Majestic carved doors lead into the BayTrust Forum where floor-to-ceiling backlit wall patterns bring the space to life.
- The Unison Arena is a multi-functional area with more than 3,500m² of single-level, pillar-free, conference and exhibition space.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Unison Arena 1,2,3	4,000	2,490	-	-	2,600	2,080	5,650
Southern Trust Sportsdrome	1,210	1,160	-	-	700	560	1,800
Bay Trust Forum	850	600	-	-	500	560	2,100
Breakouts (5)	70-110 per room	40-60 per room	-	-	-	-	1,800
Grand Hall	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,130
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	9						



LOCATION



WEBSITE

SIR HOWARD MORRISON CENTRE



Following a multi-million dollar refurbishment, the Sir Howard Morrison Centre is an outstanding regional event facility with the 900+ seat Matangi Rau (Sir Owen Glenn Theatre) at its heart. This Category 1 heritage building combines Spanish Mission-style architecture with contemporary Māori design to offer a diverse and elegant venue for conferences, tradeshow and gala dinners.

Seven flexible spaces are matched with state-of-the-art audio-visual capabilities and an experienced and passionate events team.

Located in central Rotorua, the Sir Howard Morrison Centre is a brief stroll to major hotels, retail and dining precincts and the Rotorua lakefront.

- The spacious foyer offers eight-metre-high ceilings and is awash with natural light, perfect for exhibitions and plenary breaks.
- The 900+ theatre offers modern tiered seating and an adjustable stage so you can really put the spotlight on keynote speakers.
- Multiple spaces offer unique flexibility for business events (plenary, trade shows, breakouts and gala dinners) all in one venue.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CONCERT	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Matangi Rau (Sir Owen Glenn Theatre)	902	-	-	-	-	-	-
Te Whakaruruhau (Banquet Room)	300	340	-	-	-	-	350
Te Haumako (Black Box Theatre)	288	450	-	-	-	-	300
Te Haumihi (Foyer)	100	-	-	-	-	-	550
Matatea (Large Studio)	64	-	20	-	-	-	40
Kapua Nui & Kapua Roa (Studio 1 & 2)	35	-	10	-	-	-	-
Te Papa Huarewa (Mezzanine)	-	-	-	-	-	-	80
Kaihaukai (Café and Bar)	-	-	-	-	-	-	65
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	8						



LOCATION



WEBSITE

AGRODOME ROTORUA



In the heart of lush farmland, yet only 10 minutes from the Rotorua city centre, you'll find New Zealand's Agrodome. The Agrodome is located on a real farm with an orchard and a variety of animals including sheep, alpaca, cattle and working farm dogs.

Whether you're looking for a venue to host your event, getting the team together for some team building or just want to get away from the hustle and bustle of town, Agrodome is the place to be.

Choose between three unique indoor venues, paddock-to-plate dining options and a variety of add-on activities.

- Host your event in one of our unique farm venues, where old farm charm and rustic ambience create a magical setting.
- Indulge in a locally sourced farm-to-plate culinary journey with a unique Kiwi BBQ twist at The Agrodome.
- Enjoy our Farm Show and Farm Tour featuring 19 sheep breeds to explore the farm and hand-feed animals.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Hutchings Cattle Pavillion	700	-	-	-	550	-	700
Bowen Barn	120	60	50	60	120	-	200
Bowen House	-	-	-	-	30	-	50
Bowen House with outside lawn	-	-	-	-	80	-	120
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	4						



TE PUIA



Set amongst the backdrop of Te Whakarewarewa Geothermal Valley are unique venues and experiences.

Te Puia is an iwi-owned visitor attraction and home to a beautiful venue, Pātaka Kai restaurant, which overlooks the Southern Hemisphere’s largest active geyser, ‘Pōhutu’.

Many Te Puia kaimahi (staff) are direct descendants of the original guides of the valley who were world-famous for their incredible and warm hospitality. This philosophy, known as manaakitanga, is central to the experiences provided at Te Puia and throughout Rotorua.

- Te Puia offers venues that overlook Pōhutu Geyser, the largest active natural geyser in the Southern Hemisphere.
- Whether holding a cocktail or dining function, or enjoying a steamed pudding treat during a tour, the indigenous-inspired kai (food) at Te Puia infuses Māori herbs with unique cooking locations and experiences incorporating the natural environment.
- Māori Arts and Crafts Institute and the Kiwi Conservation Centre are also located at Te Puia.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Te Whakaruruhau Banquet Hall	350	-	-	-	280	220	500
Te Whare Tapere Meeting Room	100	-	20	20	70	42	-
Pātaka Kai Restaurant	-	-	-	-	130	-	-
Te Puke a Ruahine Geyser Marquee	-	-	-	-	50	-	-
Pōhutu Boardroom	-	-	18	18	-	-	-
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	5						

MOTION ENTERTAINMENT



Motion Entertainment is the ultimate venue, like no other in the country. With 10 epic attractions to choose from, Motion entertainment will give your guests an experience they'll always remember.

Try something new or stick with the classics – we've got you covered with 6,000 square metres of fun all under one roof. Tenpin bowling, mini golf, Hologate virtual reality, XD Dark Ride, tramp park, arcade, escape rooms, kids' playland, fully licensed bar and café, the options are endless at Motion Entertainment.

- Ten epic attractions under one roof with a licenced bar.
- Full and partial venue buyouts available.
- Flexible purpose-built conference centre upstairs with the latest AV equipment installed.
- Team building? We've got multiple options. Virtual reality challenges, tenpin bowling group competitions, adult obstacle courses or mini golf. We can customise the activities to suit your requirements.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Conference Centre	150	80	90	50	90	90	150
Full Venue Hire	-	-	-	-	-	-	878
Tenpin Bowling	-	-	-	-	-	-	84
Arcade	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Xtreme Air Trampoline Park	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
Lumberjax Mini Golf	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	6						

TE PĀ TŪ



Feast on song, drama, tradition and divine seasonal kai (cuisine) within a forest pā (village), with its towering tawa trees, blazing bonfires and forest-formed amphitheatre.

Te Pā Tū offers four-hour seasonal evening events aligned with the Māori lunar calendar. Traditional hāngī joins seasonal Māori delicacies prepared with fusion cooking techniques, which are perfect for a gala dinner or unique dining experience.

- Feast on a lavish but relaxed three-course fusion dinner where the world-famous traditional hāngī shares the table with other seasonal delicacies.
- Enjoy the breathtaking scenery.
- Gain cultural knowledge unique to each season.
- Te Pā Tū is intended as a tourism operation that gives more than it takes – sustaining land, place, stories and people.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Wharenui	150	-	-	-	-	-	-
Whakapiripiri	25	-	12	9	-	-	-
Te Ao Huri	25	-	12	9	-	-	-
Village Venue	-	-	-	-	-	-	200
Tōtara	-	60	-	-	150	90	-
Kauri	-	-	-	-	120	60	-
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	6						



HOBBITON MOVIE SET



Add some Middle-earth™ movie magic to your next event.

At Hobbiton Movie Set, your guests will be immersed in the natural beauty of Middle-earth with a two-and-a-half-hour fully guided tour of the famous movie set as seen in The Lord of the Rings and The Hobbit trilogies.

Your guide will escort you around the movie set, past Hobbit Holes, through the interiors of Bagshot Row™, past the Millhouse and into the Green Dragon™ Inn, where you can indulge in the tastes of Middle-earth. Hobbiton Movie Set offers a range of private function options to suit your needs.

- Hobbiton Movie Set offers a range of unique venues fit to host your next event and give your guests an experience to remember.
- The Millhouse venue is an expertly-crafted, themed venue, offering a warm and inviting atmosphere for intimate events and meetings.
- The Hub conference venue offers flexible meeting rooms and stunning views overlooking the surrounding farmland and rolling green hills.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
The Hub	130	60	40	40	-	60	160
The Millhouse	48	-	30	-	32	-	48
The Green Dragon Inn	-	-	-	-	64	80	180
The Party Marquee	-	-	-	-	230	-	300
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	4						



THE VENUE @ ZORB



Perched above the ZORB site, The Venue @ ZORB delivers the best of both worlds – peaceful pastoral countryside on one side, and stunning lake views to the other. It’s built for bringing people together in a way that’s relaxed, high-energy and genuinely memorable (with the right amount of epic).

Ideal for incentives, team building and corporate offsites, The Venue can be tailored as:

- Exclusive use of The Venue (and optional exclusive use of ZORB activities).
- Half-day or full-day offsites combining team meetings/training + breakout time + adventure.
- Hosted team building sessions with ZORB challenges designed to build connection, confidence and plenty of laughs.
- Reward and recognition days, leadership retreats, end-of-year celebrations and premium client hosting.

Food and dining is a major part of the experience. The Venue features a modern shipping container bar and kitchen, plus a stylish outdoor cooking area complete with a dual gas/wood-fired pizza oven and BBQ grill – perfect for anything from casual shared platters to a more elevated hosted meal. Outdoor bar leaners and picnic tables keep things social and easy.

A permanent marquee provides indoor seating for up to 80 guests banquet-style or 120 for cocktail events, with additional outdoor space expanding capacity to 150 pax.

Available year-round, The Venue @ ZORB can be booked as a standalone event space for meetings and functions or combined with ZORB’s world-famous downhill ball-rolling adventures for a truly one-of-a-kind Rotorua experience.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
The Venue @ ZORB	90	50	50	40	80	40	90-150
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	1						

TERRACE KITCHEN



Situated at the Rotorua Lakefront, this exceptional venue offers an array of beautifully designed spaces, paired with modern, seasonal menus.

Step inside the glass pavilion and be treated with the ultimate alfresco experience. With floor to ceiling glass and opening skylights, guests can comfortably enjoy celebrations adorned with natural light while looking through to a sheltered gravel courtyard complete with festoons, a mature olive tree and European influenced planting.

While the glasshouse acts as a blank canvas to your event theming, step outside and the landscaping is the star of the show. Split into two sections of roughly equal proportions, a row of native tītoki trees divide the courtyard into two intimate spaces.

- Food is at the heart of Terrace Kitchen’s ethos, with an open kitchen to catch a glimpse of the action and items grown in the onsite garden.
- All the spaces have been designed with attention to detail – white tiling, natural timbers, abundance of light and greenery aplenty.
- Located in the central city, just a stone’s throw from your conference hotel.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Dining Room	50	-	20	-	64	-	80
Glass Pavilion	-	-	-	-	64	-	80
Full Venue	-	-	-	-	150	-	250
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	3						

EASTWOOD



Arriving at Eastwood, you'll be captivated by the building and its design, as well as the Mediterranean-style pizza oven that takes centre stage in the modern, open-plan kitchen.

Eastwood is a great spot for a relaxed welcome event – available for exclusive use during the evenings with plenty of seating inside and out. Eastwood tailors a grazing-style dinner menu to suit your needs and appetite, including fabulous wood-fired pizzas.

You'll find Eastwood nestled at the feet of Whakarewarewa Forest on the bustling Scion Research campus.

- Located in the award-winning, carbon-zero building, Te Whare Nui o Tuteata.
- The specialty wood-fired pizzas are a must try. Watch them being made at the pizza bar.
- Ideal venue for a relaxed, delicious dinner.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Indoor	-	-	-	-	58	-	150
Outdoor	-	-	-	-	80	-	120
Indoor and outdoor	-	-	-	-	140	-	250
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	3						



OFF ROAD NZ



This rustic-style catering venue is the perfect setting for a catered 'feast in the wilderness'. Party on into the night with drinks, food and entertainment; or simply kick back with Mother Nature and soak up the tranquility with good food, good wine and good company.

Set amongst beautiful native forest, the Native Bush Camp dining area accommodates groups of all sizes in all weather. This space features a permanent sheltered structure with removable wall panels, offering excellent indoor-outdoor flow. Tables, seating, BBQ hire, campfire, lighting, toilets, hot and cold water, easy coach access and ample parking are all available on-site.

- Surrounded by native forest, soak up Mother Nature in a tranquil setting.
- No neighbours for noise disturbance.
- Activities available alongside the venue including Monster 4x4 Thrill Rides, Raceline Karting, 4WD bush safaris, claybird shooting and archery.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Native Bush Camp	-	-	-	-	120	-	150
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	1						



LOCATION



WEBSITE

ROTORUA AIRPORT



Rotorua Airport is the gateway to New Zealand’s central North Island. Situated on the shores of Lake Rotorua, with the iconic Mokoia Island providing a stunning backdrop, the airport offers a warm welcome and a convenient arrival point for visitors exploring the region.

Our vision is to be a uniquely Rotorua hub that our community can be proud of, welcoming and farewelling visitors with the manaakitanga (hospitality) that Rotorua is renowned for.

- A unique business lounge is located within the arrivals terminal, offering well-equipped conference facilities in an exceptional lakeside setting.
- Enjoy quality café dining overlooking the tarmac, with views of aircraft arriving and departing across Lake Rotorua and Mokoia Island.
- An ideal venue for meetings, conferences, workshops and community events, combining convenience with a distinctive Rotorua location.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Business Hub	-	35	20	-	-	-	-
Link Walkway	-	-	-	-	35	-	60
Hangar Café	-	-	-	-	40	-	80
Airside (Outdoor)	-	-	-	-	300	-	400
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	4						



SECRET SPOT



Secret Spot Hot Tubs has created BaseCamp, a luxe safari tent venue on the forest edge that's perfect for your next function.

BaseCamp seats 65 people, with two open firepits setting the scene. You can enjoy a range of craft drinks from the cedarwood bar and can choose from catered food options, such as authentic South African braai or tasty platters. There's also a range of street food, including smash burgers, available from the BaseCamp street food kitchen.

Explore Secret Spot further and enjoy a complimentary Shinny Dip foot hot tub or book a cedar hot tub or private sauna and cold plunge tub to melt away your stress.

- BaseCamp is a luxe glamping tent complete with a cedarwood bar, two firepits, antler chandeliers and a range of seating options. It is available for functions Monday to Thursday.
- BaseCamp offers Good George craft beer and cider, local wines, non-alcoholic beverages and a variety of tasty street food and catering options.
- Experience our unique BaseCamp street food café and bar, cosy up next to one of our outdoor campfires, or enjoy a Shinny Dip foot hot tub – free with any purchase.
- As a Qualmark Gold Accredited business, we prioritise low-carbon practices and maintain high-quality facilities, ensuring we have a minimal environmental footprint.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
BaseCamp	-	-	-	-	65	-	65
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	1						

SKYLINE ROTORUA



Stratosfare Restaurant is set amongst the stars atop Mount Ngongotahā. Stratosfare offers a truly unique event venue with exceptional cuisine, excellent service and unforgettable views that will ensure your next event is a success.

Ride the sweeping bends of Skyline's Tiki Tour luge track to the Hidden Forest Venue, which is nestled within the towering Redwood forest. This purpose-built, marquee venue offers a distinctive setting unlike any other in Rotorua.

The Volcanic Hills Tasting Room is a great venu to host a small executive dinner, event or an upmarket cocktail party.

- Access the venues via a scenic gondola ride.
- Enjoy amazing views of Lake Rotorua during the day and the twinkling lights of the city at night.
- Fantastic catering options are on offer, inspired by iconic New Zealand cuisine infused with international influences.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Entire Skyline site	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,000
Stratosfare Restaurant	-	-	-	-	350	350	450
Hidden Forest Venue	-	-	-	-	150	-	220
Pōhutu	-	-	-	-	-	120	150
Market Kitchen	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Volcanic Hills Tasting Room	-	-	-	-	-	40	80
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	6						



THE BLACK BARN



The Black Barn is a boutique venue for events of up to 150 guests. Set on 65 acres of native bush and farmland, its position atop a ridgeline provides you and your guests with privacy, tranquility and stunning lake and mountain vistas.

The Black Barn partners with the talented team at Terrace Catering (Plenty Group) on all corporate events who offer support with catering and beverage requirements at the property. From a plated five-course sit-down menu to more casual grazing – options can be provided to suit your style and budget.

- Feature stone firepit, a great focal point in the evening. Perfect for toasting marshmallows over an open fire, making s'mores or just reflecting on the day with a glass of the finest and great company.
- An event at The Black Barn has an atmosphere of intimacy and elegance while still retaining down-to-earth, relaxed Kiwi charm.
- The natural beauty of the landscape is a photographer's dream, with grassy meadows all around and gorgeous native bush, forest, lake and mountain backdrops.
- The Black Barn is available for the full calendar year.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
The Black Barn	-	-	-	-	150	-	150
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	1						

WAI ARIKI HOT SPRINGS AND SPA



Discover Wai Ariki Hot Springs and Spa – Rotorua’s premier destination for luxury, culture and transformative wellbeing.

Set on the stunning shores of Lake Rotorua, Wai Ariki (chiefly waters) blends world-class spa experiences with the powerful healing traditions of Ngāti Whakaue (local Māori tribe).

Immerse yourself in therapeutic thermal pools, a one-of-a-kind geothermal mud lounge, indulgent massages, premium facials and our signature wellness journeys: the restorative Wai Whakaora and the exclusive Āhuru Mōwai sanctuary.

Authentic, unforgettable and uniquely Aotearoa, Wai Ariki offers an elevated escape that inspires, restores and delights.

Your transformative spa experience awaits – step into pure luxury.

- Impress delegates in the expansive Main Foyer – a striking architectural showcase perfect for grand welcomes, elegant dinners and high-energy cocktail receptions.
- Elevate exhibitions and activations in the flowing Main Concourse – a premium, high-capacity space designed for seamless networking and immersive brand engagement.
- Deliver standout VIP experiences in the refined Sanctuary spaces – intimate, luxurious environments ideal for executive meetings, exclusive hosting and elevated private dining.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
The Foyer	-	-	-	-	250	-	350
The Main Concourse	-	-	-	150	-	-	220
The Sanctuary Concourse	-	-	-	-	60	-	150
The Sanctuary Lounge	-	20	-	-	-	-	40
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	4						

Ngā Hōtēra

Hotels



Hotels listed in order of theatre-style capacity	PG	 Rooms Available	 Number of Meeting Spaces	 Theatre	 Classroom	 Boardroom	 U-Shape	 Banquet	 Cabaret	 Cocktail
Distinction Rotorua Hotel	29	133	8	500	250	50	50	320	-	500
Rydges Rotorua	30	203	7	500	250	80	80	300	252	750
Millennium Hotel Rotorua	31	227	7	350	160	35	50	160	128	350
Novotel Rotorua Lakeside	32	199	11	350	144	30	70	300	240	500
Arawa Park Hotel Rotorua	33	135	7	320	160	80	80	300	160	600
Sudima Lake Rotorua	34	242	6	260	120	20	20	140	180	400
Pullman Rotorua	35	130	8	150	80	20	20	112	84	150
Prince's Gate Hotel	36	50	6	100	60	50	40	90	75	120
Regent of Rotorua	37	47	4	80	60	20	40	80	-	100
JetPark Hotel Rotorua	38	63	1	30	12	16	15	-	-	-
Ibis Rotorua	49	145	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quest Rotorua Central	40	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

DISTINCTION ROTORUA HOTEL



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Distinction Rotorua Hotel and Conference Centre is just a short drive from Rotorua's top activities and attractions and boasts a gorgeous garden setting, where your delegates can relax by the pool for morning/afternoon tea or lunch.

With six separate on-site conference rooms, the purpose-built Fenton Conference Centre is the largest of these and can cater up to 500 guests. Meeting spaces include the Grand Ballroom, Kauri function room, private boardroom, Cards Lounge, breakout areas, outdoor areas and a large exhibition foyer. Distinction also offers plenty of free off-street parking and complimentary, secure mountain bike storage.

Distinction Rotorua presents a full range of superior accommodation options, each offering a modern ensuite bathroom, SKY TV with sports channels, complimentary refreshments and free, unlimited Wi-Fi. Stylish hotel suites boast separate bedrooms, generous living and dining areas and balconies with views. Enjoy great facilities, top-quality hotel accommodation and a daily delegate rate, including venue hire, morning and afternoon teas and lunch.

- Distinction Rotorua Hotel has the largest hotel-based conference centre in Rotorua.
- Distinction Rotorua Hotel has been awarded Silver under the Sustainable Tourism Business criteria by Qualmark.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Fenton Ballroom	500	250	-	-	320	-	500
Fenton Foyer	-	-	-	-	-	-	350
Miro Room	130	80	40	40	100	-	180
Rimu Room	130	80	40	40	100	-	180
Tawa Room	130	80	40	40	100	-	180
Kauri Room	150	90	50	50	100	-	200
Cards Lounge	40	30	30	25	40	-	60
Boardroom	-	-	8	-	-	-	-
Kowhai Restaurant	-	-	-	-	180	-	-
Pavillion Restaurant	-	-	-	-	40	-	-
Mr Yakitori	-	-	-	-	24	-	-
Courtyard	-	-	-	-	40	-	60

NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES 8

HOTELS



LOCATION



WEBSITE

RYDGES ROTORUA



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In close proximity to the edge of Whakarewarewa Forest, overlooking the glistening waters of the Whakarewarewa Thermal Valley and surrounded by nature’s best work, people come to Rydges Rotorua from all over.

From intimate to elaborate, work to play, and day to night, Rydges has a selection of flexible spaces that will put the ease back into planning an event to remember. A large conference venue can comfortably host up to 500 people theatre-style, while our small meeting room is the perfect place to crunch the numbers and get down to business with your colleagues.

- The spacious venue of Pōhutu Conference Centre comfortably hosts up to 500 guests theatre-style, set in natural light and carved artwork.
- The location, adjacent to Whakarewarewa Geothermal Valley and Whakarewarewa Forest, makes it ideal for cultural or team-building experiences.
- Free onsite parking.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Pōhutu Conference Centre	500	250	-	-	300	252	750
Te Puna Aroha	300	-	-	80	160	144	300
Tōtara	150	-	40	50	100	81	200
Kauri	70	-	30	30	50	45	110
Kōwhai	50	-	30	20	40	45	60
Mānuka Boardroom	25	-	10	-	-	-	-
Rimu Boardroom	-	-	12	-	-	-	-
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	7						

MILLENNIUM HOTEL ROTORUA



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Centrally located, the Millennium Hotel Rotorua is ideal as an international conference venue and base from which to enjoy the many superb activities available in this diverse region. Designed to pamper, this deluxe hotel offers luxury accommodation and warm, hospitable service.

Millennium Hotel Rotorua is endorsed with a Qualmark 4 Plus Star and Gold rating for its sustainability practices. The hotel is also a member of the Rotorua Sustainable Tourism Charter.

- With 228 accommodation rooms, Millennium can hold small and large groups.
- Seven conference spaces of different sizes to cater for all conference needs.
- 15-metre thermally heated all-weather swimming pool with two hot pools.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Mokoia	350	160	-	50	160	128	350
Millennium 1	100	48	30	30	60	40	80
Millennium 2	40	20	18	16	20	16	25
Millennium 3	30	20	18	16	20	16	25
Millennium 4	80	40	25	30	50	42	80
Millennium 5	120	60	35	35	80	40	120
Boardroom	-	-	10	-	-	-	-
Kowhai Room	-	-	10	-	-	-	-
Poolside	-	-	-	-	200	-	400
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	8						



NOVOTEL ROTORUA LAKESIDE



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Check into 4.5-star comfort with the lake at your doorstep at Novotel Rotorua Lakeside Hotel. Rejuvenate in the spa's natural geothermal mineral pools and experience a delicious dinner in Atlas Restaurant. Then retire to your room – a calm haven with earthy colours, wood furniture and picture windows and soak in the spectacular scenery at Novotel.

- Novotel's location offers the best lake views and ample parking.
- Nine different meeting spaces including optional indoor–outdoor experiences for catering within garden areas.
- Private geothermal pools to relax in after a productive day in meetings.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Batten 1	80	40	–	30	100	64	150
Batten 2	170	72	30	48	150	120	200
Rutherford	260	108	–	55	200	160	260
Seddon	40	18	16	17	40	32	50
Hillary	40	18	16	17	40	32	50
Stafford	40	18	16	17	40	32	50
Dodd	40	18	16	17	40	32	50
Blake Boardroom	–	–	10	–	–	–	–
Matariki Room and Garden	100	80	30	40	150	112	200
Combination Rooms							
Batten 1 and 2	350	170	–	70	240	200	500
Stafford and Dodd	60	30	20	20	60	56	65
Pre-function	–	–	–	–	–	–	250
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	12						



LOCATION



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ARAWA PARK HOTEL ROTORUA



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Arawa Park Hotel Rotorua boasts panoramic views over Arawa Racecourse and the city of Rotorua. It features 135 stylish guest rooms including 90 deluxe rooms and five suites. The hotel’s conference venues boast over 560m2 of event space utilising seven separate rooms with free Wi-Fi. Arawa Park caters for conferences, meetings, events and functions from 10 to 600 guests.

- Seven flexible and functional venues.
- The spacious accommodation rooms are renowned for being the largest in the city.
- Quiet location yet close to Eat Streat and the Lakefront, with plenty of free parking on site.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Ascot	320	160	80	80	200	160	400
Aintree	180	100	60	60	110	100	180
Tōtara	80	40	40	35	65	45	80
Mānuka	80	40	32	30	65	40	80
Executive Boardroom	-	-	28	-	28	-	-
Nīkau	-	-	10	-	10	-	-
Atrium Restaurant	-	-	-	-	300	-	600
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	7						



SUDIMA LAKE ROTORUA



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At Sudima Lake Rotorua, you can't get any closer to the lake as the hotel sits right on the shore offering breathtaking vistas across the water. The hotel is just a short stroll from Rotorua's vibrant city centre and the Energy Events Centre.

This well-appointed home away from home has all the facilities and features you'd expect from a Qualmark four-star property. With one of the largest capacities of accommodation rooms in town, four function spaces, a kidzone and a thermal heated pool, Sudima Lake Rotorua offers it all.

- Walking distance to the Rotorua Energy Events Centre.
- One of the largest hotels in the region with 242 accommodation rooms.
- Four conference facilities catering for up to 200 theatre-style.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Rotoiti	200	120	-	-	160	140	200
Tikitapu	45	25	20	20	-	32	-
Rotomahana	80	40	20	20	50	40	40
Ōkaimana	-	-	18	-	-	-	-
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	4						

PULLMAN ROTORUA



 130 | ★★★★★

Pullman Rotorua is steps away from the lakefront and boasts excellent meeting facilities in a city known for its adventure and team-building activities. With 130 luxurious rooms and suites, the hotel has six versatile meeting spaces offering state-of-the-art technology, natural light and dedicated service access.

- 174m² of dynamic meeting and event spaces including a boardroom/private dining room, pre-function area and a range of meeting spaces.
- Innovative and bespoke catering.
- Dedicated event specialists.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Te Taumata	150	80	-	-	112	84	150
Whakarewarewa/ Waiotapu	70	26	20	20	40	30	70
Waimangu/Kuirau	70	36	20	20	64	48	80
Whakarewarewa	35	18	16	16	32	24	40
Waiotapu	35	18	16	16	32	24	40
Waimangu	35	18	16	16	32	24	40
Kuirau	35	18	16	16	32	24	40
Pukaki	50	16	12	16	32	24	50
Arawa	-	-	16	-	-	-	-
Mokoia	70	40	-	-	48	36	70
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	10						

PRINCE’S GATE HOTEL



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Welcome to the Prince’s Gate Hotel, where the best in New Zealand hospitality and comfort has been provided for more than 120 years.

Located in the heart of Rotorua, just a stone’s throw away from the famous Government Gardens, lakeside and city centre, this stunning property offers a perfect retreat from which to explore Rotorua’s wonderland of adventure and culture.

- Centrally located with ample free car parking and walking distance to major city locations.
- Tastefully designed rooms and venues provide a sense of luxury and boutique experience.
- Dedicated team provides personalised service to take your business conferences and events to the next level.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Monarch Hall	100	60	50	40	80	65	120
Monarch Library	30	20	20	20	20	15	40
Nellie Budd Room	90	50	40	40	80	65	95
Duke’s	90	50	40	40	80-90	65-75	95
Arawa Boardroom	25	16	12	12	12	12	25
Courtyard	-	-	-	-	-	-	60
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	6						



REGENT OF ROTORUA



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Step into a world of elegance and refinement at Regent of Rotorua, where every detail has been curated to ensure an exceptional stay. From the moment you arrive, our warm and attentive staff provide personalised service designed to exceed expectations.

Accommodation ranges from cosy Cutie Rooms, ideal for solo travellers or couples, to Premium and Superior Rooms, one- bedroom Boutique Suites, and spacious multi-bedroom options including two-bedroom rooms and a three-bedroom loft for families or groups. Each room is thoughtfully designed to blend modern décor with luxurious comfort, featuring luxe linens, modern furnishings, complimentary Wi-Fi and elegantly appointed bathrooms.

- The hotel features a heated outdoor swimming pool and a private indoor geothermal mineral pool, providing serene spaces for relaxation. Adventure seekers can take advantage of secure mountain bike storage and cleaning facilities.
- Savour the flavours of New Zealand at The Regent Room, offering breakfast, lunch, high tea, tapas, à la carte dining and indulgent degustation experiences seven nights a week, with plant-based options to suit every palate.
- With 47 elegantly appointed rooms and suites, Regent of Rotorua is a sanctuary of sophistication and tranquility in the heart of the city, offering an unforgettable stay for couples, families and travellers alike.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Club Lounge	20	16	12	-	-	-	20
Board Room	40	20	20	20	20	-	30
Regent Room	80	60	-	40	80	-	100
Poolside	-	-	-	-	50	-	50
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	4						

JETPARK HOTEL ROTORUA



 63 | ★★★★★

Located just minutes from Rotorua’s vibrant city centre, JetPark Hotel Rotorua offers warm, genuine New Zealand hospitality and a relaxed base for visitors discovering one of the country’s most distinctive destinations. With 63 well-appointed guest rooms, JetPark Hotel Rotorua welcomes a mix of travellers including corporate guests, families, and those visiting the region for leisure or adventure.

After a day exploring the region, guests can return to a comfortable environment designed for rest and relaxation. Unwind in the outdoor swimming pool or spa pools, enjoy the BBQ and family-friendly outdoor areas, or relax with breakfast, drinks and light dining at Te Puru Café and Bar.

- Central Rotorua location close to geothermal attractions, lakes and the Redwood Forest.
- Family-friendly spa pool and BBQ area. Kids 12 years and under stay free.
- Pet-friendly accommodation.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
The Matthews Room	30	12	16	15	-	-	-
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	1						



IBIS ROTORUA



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Just a short stroll from the shores of beautiful Lake Rotorua, ibis Rotorua is a fantastic accommodation option for guests seeking affordable comfort in the heart of New Zealand’s geothermal resort town, and just 15 minutes from the airport. Conveniently positioned within the heart of Rotorua, you’ll have easy access to local attractions, including Te Puia’s geothermal valley and cultural experience, Skyline’s gondola and luge as well as rejuvenating day spa experiences.

- Guests have access to all Novotel facilities.
- Secure gated car parking.
- Located near the lakefront.



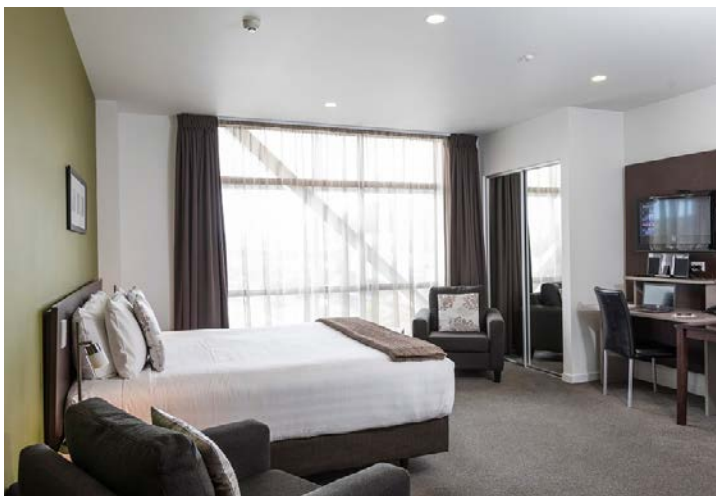
Meeting spaces are not available at this venue.

QUEST ROTORUA CENTRAL



Located in the heart of Rotorua, Quest Rotorua Central offers self-contained apartment hotel living. Quest is a short walk to Rotorua's shopping and restaurant precinct, city parks and conference venues. Ideal accommodation for business and leisure visitors alike. Apartments offer an open-plan environment to unwind and relax while providing full kitchen and laundry facilities to give you a home away from home. Executive apartments boast a private balcony and relaxing hot tub, perfect to soak in at the end of the day.

- Fully self-contained apartment hotel ideal for business, leisure and family visitors.
- Executive apartments with private hot tubs.



Meeting spaces are not available at this venue.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Ngā Rōti Hāneanea

Luxury Lodges



		 Rooms Available	Number of Meeting Spaces	 Theatre	 Classroom	 Boardroom	 U-Shape	 Banquet	 Cabaret	 Cocktail
Lodges listed in order of theatre-style capacity	PG									
On The Point – Lake Rotorua	43	11	3	50	-	24	-	70	-	100
Black Swan Lakeside Boutique Hotel	44	8	2	40	25	20	20	20	20	50
Hana Lodge	45	12	3	40	25	25	25	25	25	25
Treetops Lodge & Estate	46	14	4	31	24	14	-	60	-	60
Solitaire Lodge	47	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

ON THE POINT – LAKE ROTORUA



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- Surrounded by the sparkling waters of Lake Rotorua, On the Point is the perfect venue for your intimate corporate incentive event, elegant wedding, product launch or meeting.
- On the Point – Lake Rotorua is a destination in itself. The 1930s mansion is steeped in local history and surrounded by luscious green gardens, manicured lawns and impressive panoramic views. Ideally located just minutes from the heart of Rotorua and right on the shore of Lake Rotorua, this luxurious lodge delivers a relaxed and tranquil atmosphere.
- Minutes’ drive from the Rotorua city centre.
 - Ideal venue for corporate incentives or an exclusive buyout.
 - Unique spaces include an enchanting stone chapel with expansive glass windows providing views over Lake Rotorua and Mokoia Island. The chapel can be used for private lunches alongside the conservatory, which is also a perfect venue for meetings, private dining and events.
 - On The Point – Lake Rotorua is a Qualmark Gold property.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
The Dining Room	-	-	10	-	14	-	14
Chapel	50	-	15	-	40	-	70
The Conservatory	50	-	24	-	70	-	100
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	3						

BLACK SWAN LAKESIDE BOUTIQUE HOTEL



Black Swan is a luxury lakeside hotel only 10 minutes from central Rotorua. It is the ideal space for intimate corporate retreats with all the necessities for successful meetings, whilst also providing expansive grounds for team-building activities and recuperating.

- Centrally located only 10 minutes' drive to the city centre.
- Tastefully designed boutique rooms provide a sense of luxury, with expansive grounds for team-building activities and recuperating.
- A dedicated team provides personalised service to take your business conferences and events to the next level.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Restaurant	40	25	20	20	20	20	50
Conservatory	30	10	15	15	15	15	40
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	2						



HANA LODGE



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Hana Lodge is a luxury lodge with lake views, only 15 minutes from central Rotorua.

The Lodge has 12 luxury rooms with a mix of classic Kiwi country style and modernised facilities.

The Lodge is located on 50 acres of land containing many land sculptures and animals. It has various activities available onsite, which are ideal for a family or group retreat.

- 50-acre site with many iconic land sculptures, various animals and the largest bamboo forest in the Southern Hemisphere.
- Mixture of Kiwi lifestyle with modernised facilities within the rooms.
- Luxury fine-dining restaurant with a thoughtfully designed four-course menu, where you can enjoy the lake view whilst dining.



VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Restaurant	40	25	25	25	25	25	25
Bar	20	15	15	15	15	15	15
Private Dining Room	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	3						

TREETOPS LODGE & ESTATE

Sister property to Kinloch Manor & Villas



 **14** 14 total - 13 one-bedroom guestrooms and villas and one three-bedroom cottage

Nestled in 2,500 acres of 800-year-old native forest, award-winning Treetops Lodge & Estate is a sanctuary of breathtaking terrain, offering outstanding gourmet fare and the ultimate in world-class accommodation for up to 32 guests. Located in the Māori heartland and trout fishing capital of the world, the Lodge's elegant, ecology-inspired architectural style echoes the natural beauty and simplicity of the great outdoors. Treetops offers seven streams, on-site trout fishing, four lakes and over 70km of adventure trails, plus experiences that include horse riding, hunting, clay shooting, multiple treks to spectacular waterfalls, Māori food trails, and a 4WD experience. Additionally, discover a dedicated spa, outdoor jacuzzi hot tubs, our sister lodge Kinloch Manor, and the internationally recognised Jack Nicklaus Signature Golf Course at Lake Taupō.

- Our dining philosophy incorporates estate-reared and grown organic produce with 21st century twists. World-class game and trout are accompanied by 100% pesticide-free and organic heritage and indigenous varieties of vegetables.
- For meetings or incentives, embark on a journey of exploration and discover the wonders of 2,500 acres of 800-year-old virgin private forest and an abundance of onsite activities.
- Enjoy modern technology in the dedicated private Treetops Boardroom, which hosts up to 24 delegates. Private breakout rooms and fireside chats are available for exclusive use or small groups.

VENUE INFORMATION

SPACE	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BOARDROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	CABARET	COCKTAIL
Conference Room	31	24	14	-	-	-	50
Dining Room	-	-	-	-	40	-	-
Bar	-	-	-	-	60	-	-
Great Hall	-	-	-	-	-	-	60
NUMBER OF MEETING SPACES	One dedicated boardroom and three completely private meeting spaces for breakouts (Library with fireplace, Games Room with Day Room)						

SOLITAIRE LODGE



Solitaire Lodge offers secluded luxury accommodation and attentive hosting from a spectacular lakeside location. Styled with comfort in mind, all nine luxurious suites feature panoramic views over Lake Tarawera's still, deep waters. Renowned for its fine dining, Solitaire Lodge serves contemporary New Zealand cuisine prepared with fresh local produce and complemented by superb wines from selected New Zealand vineyards. Feeling adventurous? Embark on a scenic helicopter flight over the surrounding volcanic landscape, hike to 65-metre waterfalls or explore tranquil waters in a kayak or motorised dinghy.

- An idyllic location in both summer and winter, the grounds boast unobstructed panoramic views and the nearby hot waters provide year-round natural bathing. Ideal venue for corporate incentives or an exclusive buyout.
- The Lodge offers nine luxurious suites, lavish king beds, comfortable chairs for lounging, freestanding baths with spectacular lake views and private balconies.
- The talented chefs create daily changing fare, prepared with fresh local ingredients and complemented by a variety of superb wines from selected New Zealand vineyards.



Meeting spaces are not available at this venue.



LOCATION



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Ngā Ratonga o Ia Te Pātanga

Event Services





EVENT SERVICES

ĀIO MEDIA LIMITED

- Full-service photography and videography business creating high-quality digital content across New Zealand. And as a bonus? They're proudly Māori-owned and operated.
- Known and respected in the industry for their creativity and high-end visuals, trusted by some of the biggest names in the music, entertainment and corporate industries.
- Certified Part 102 drone operators, prioritising the latest technology in equipment and editing. Āio Media are known for their professionalism, ability to connect, and for creating a comfortable, collaborative experience on every project.



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BLACK LABEL BARBECUE

- Proudly Rotorua. Seriously smoked.
- Black Label Barbecue is run by locals Shaun and Alia Branson, serving authentic low and slow, wood-fired barbecue through their BBQ joint and mobile catering.
- From catering for private events, demos and classes as well as corporate challenges, Black Label Barbecue brings big flavours and proper low and slow barbecue wherever the smoke rolls.



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EVENT SERVICES

BOP EVENT + EXPO HIRE

- Bay of Plenty Event + Expo Hire is your proudly local exhibition and tradeshow hire company with everything you need for events and exhibitions right here in The Bay.
- Our experienced team can assist with computer aided design, concepts, logistics, shell scheme, installation and pack out. Our focus is service, service, service.
- We have shell schemes, furniture, flooring, signage and branding, AV, lighting and electrical and more talk to us.



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EVENT SERVICES

COUNT ME IN

- Count Me In has been the 'go-to' classic hits party band in Rotorua for more than two decades.
- Consisting of Kelly Makiha on lead vocals and guitar, Daryl Cogger on keyboard/ bass and vocals, Richard Anaru on lead guitar and vocals and Noel Lamberton on drums, the foursome have clocked up thousands of gigs between them to collectively bring a wealth of experience second to none.
- Count Me In always brings life to conferences and private events, and promises they can deliver from quiet background music to dance sets to get everyone in the party mood.



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EVENT SERVICES

DJ PETE

- Pete Makiha has been the sought-after DJ for conferences and private functions by major hotels and key event organisers in Rotorua for several years.
- He is a versatile and diligent DJ with incredible music knowledge and the ability to read the crowd and keep all age groups happy.
- He is a trusted DJ who will go the extra mile to make sure your event is a success.



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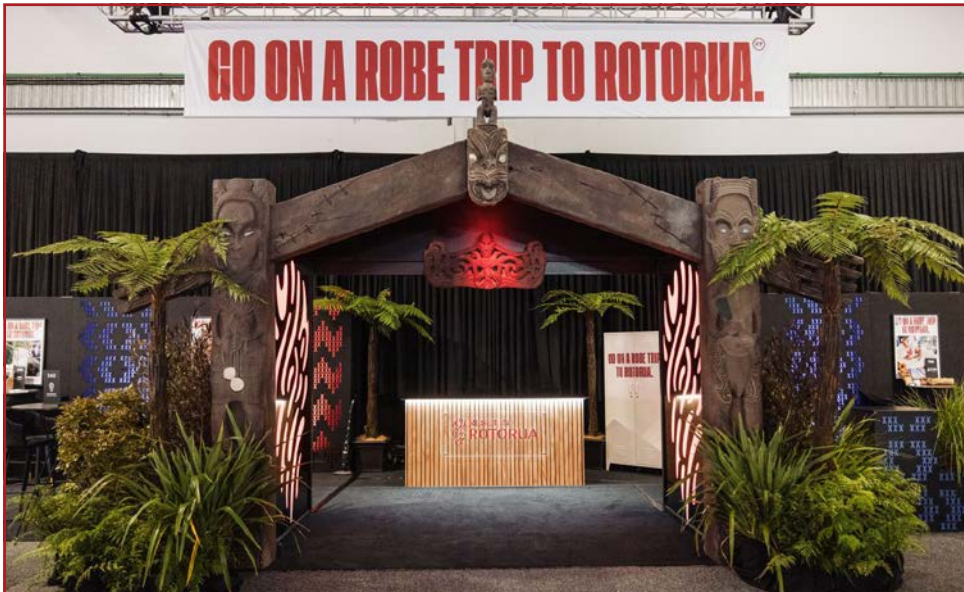
EVENT SERVICES

EVENT IMPRESSIONS

- Event Impressions is New Zealand's leading provider of bespoke event styling, specialising in gala dinners, venue transformations, stage décor and event furniture.
- With over two decades of experience, we deliver tailored styling solutions that align with your budget and vision. By combining creative insight, industry expertise, and the latest design trends, we bring your event to life with precision and flair.
- In Rotorua, we offer extensive experience across a wide range of venues and hotel spaces, with a comprehensive range of styling services for conferences, corporate events, awards ceremonies, gala dinners, breakout spaces, and branded photo backdrops.



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EVENT SERVICES

EXHIBITION HIRE SERVICES

- Exhibition Hire Services is part of Coast Group, a one-stop-shop family of companies with a diverse range of services dedicated to providing excellence across all facets of the events industry.
- Coast Group strives to provide effective solutions for all your display needs. From small 1.8m x 3m booth designs, to an entire show, trade show or conference. This can include walling, lighting and power, hire furniture, custom stands, marquees, carpet and flooring, signage and branding.
- Coast Group is an AMOTAI registered business; they pride themselves on dedication to getting the job done quickly and professionally and are consistently commended on their level of service and high-quality products.



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EVENT SERVICES

EZI CAR RENTAL

- With 24 key airport and city branch locations New Zealand-wide, collecting a rental car is fast and simple with Ezi – getting you and your delegates on the road quicker.
- Flexible booking options include book now and pay on collection, and no cancellation fees, allowing you to adjust your travel plans right up until you arrive to collect your rental vehicle.
- A fleet that offers the latest model vehicles, ranging from compacts, hybrids, SUVs and utes. With the highest safety ratings, 24/7 breakdown cover and unlimited kilometres, all your travel needs are covered.



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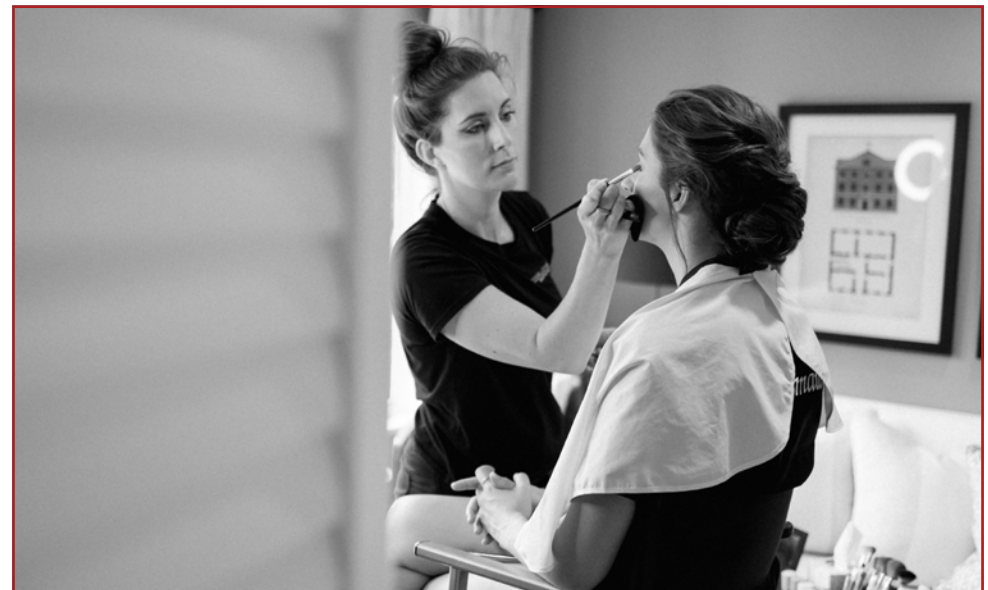
EVENT SERVICES

IN THE FRAME

- Rotorua born and bred, Thomas Falconer was raised in the corporate conference industry, allowing him to have an extensive understanding of what's required to not only operate as a professional cameraperson but for the event as a whole.
- Thomas offers a beautiful balance between being able to bring energy when when necessary and blend into the background when required.
- As a lover of the outdoors and an avid mountain biker, Thomas is able to shoot extra-curricular conference activities with ease.



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EVENT SERVICES

JOANNA JOHNSON ARTISTRY

- Makeup artist, spray tan artist, brow and lash artist – Joanna has all your event beauty needs covered. Offering a relaxing atmosphere at her private studio based in Springfield, Rotorua, or mobile makeup services at your accommodation or event.
- Joanna has notable industry experience in the areas of stage, print media and television. She has also provided makeup services within a number of professional industries including corporate functions, portrait photography, modelling agencies, beauty contests and dance studios.
- With over 15 years' industry experience as a makeup artist, Joanna is well-versed in corrective makeup techniques that enhance her client's best features.



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EVENT SERVICES

KĀNUKA BOUTIQUE FLORIST

- Kānuka Boutique Florist is your local florist based here in Rotorua. Our lovely experienced team is here to create on-trend and unique floral arrangements and displays for our valued customers. We are here to guide and help you to choose beautiful flowers for any occasion including corporate bouquets and event centrepieces.
- We also offer private events in our floral workshop or at your venue. Learn how to make your own terrarium, floral posy in a vase, floral hair crown, dried floral wreath or Christmas wreath. Enjoy being creative and inspired while learning a new skill that you can use again at home.



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EVENT SERVICES

KELLY MAKIHA

- Kelly Makiha is a sought-after solo performer who has provided either background or dance music for hundreds of conferences and private functions.
- Her versatile voice means she can cater to all musical tastes, be it a quiet dinner or raging dance party.
- She has been Rotorua's go-to performer for all major events and functions for several years and has an incredible work ethic to ensure you will not be disappointed.



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EVENT SERVICES

LOCAL GECKO PRODUCTIONS

- Specialists in broadcasting, videography, photography, livestreaming, drone operations and media design for large and small events, Local Gecko Productions captures your event in a high-quality and professional format.
- Specialising in short-form video for your project with high-quality produced videos. Quality sporting photography specialists and imagery that will last a lifetime.
- We create live-stream packages, filming and capturing for a livestream audience. As we are capturing the event in its entirety and capturing it live, we have invested in AV for smaller events to support with the livestreams and customer vision.



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EVENT SERVICES

MONTANA FOOD AND EVENTS

- Over 20 years of proven expertise delivering seamless, high-quality catering and event services, trusted by leading venues and clients across the Waikato and Bay of Plenty regions.
- Creative, chef-led menus using fresh, seasonal and locally-sourced ingredients tailored to suit your event style, budget and guests.
- A dedicated team that supports you from planning to pack-down, ensuring stress-free delivery, flawless service and unforgettable guest experiences.



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EVENT SERVICES

MOUNTAIN JADE

- Private carving studio experience with live demonstrations by our local Māori carvers. Each guest receives a unique piece of pounamu (greenstone) to take home. Ideal for corporate engagement, executive retreats and familiarisation visits.
- Bespoke corporate gifting and commission options available, creating considered taonga (valuable object) that carry intention and leave a lasting impression. Tailored options to suit all investment levels.
- Traditional and contemporary pounamu pendants, handcrafted in Rotorua using ethically sourced New Zealand jade.



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EVENT SERVICES

OUT HOUSE - VIDEO AND STILLS

- Out House is a full-service video production company with 10 years' experience across tourism, events, promotional, documentary and sport.
- Professional photography that creates impact. With an adaptable approach across diverse settings, our stills deliver clear, purposeful imagery.
- Edit studio based in Rotorua + FTP server for remote viewing. High-end 4K cinematic equipment including Sony FX6 & A7S + DJI Mavic 3 for licenced drone and aerials.



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EVENT SERVICES

READY 2 ROLL TOURS AND TRANSFERS

- If you are a visitor to Rotorua, Ready2Roll Tours and Transfers has all your Rotorua transportation needs covered. While you're in town, our friendly local guides can help you experience the very best of Rotorua with our custom tours.
- Our friendly Rotorua team offers airport transfer charters between Rotorua city and Rotorua Airport as well as Rotorua city to Auckland Airport. Ready2Roll also offers Auckland Airport transfers to and from the Waikato region, Taupō, Hamilton, Tauranga, Whakatāne and more.
- Our tours are customised and themed for each group based on some firm visitor favourites. You'll find our popular Rotorua Highlights Tour, which is great for groups who want to see Rotorua's top scenic spots.



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EVENT SERVICES

THE FANTAIL HOUSE ROTORUA

- Beautiful gift and souvenir store selling items that are 100% made in Aotearoa New Zealand.
- Gifts made from throughout New Zealand by more than 150 Kiwi creatives.
- We can help you find the perfect New Zealand-made conference, event or business gift and deliver these beautifully presented or gift wrapped.



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EVENT SERVICES

THE FACE OF NEW ZEALAND

- 'Inspirational', 'awesome', 'one of the most powerful experiences of my life', 'highly memorable and energetic' are all descriptions of Ngahihi o te ra Bidois.
- Based in Rotorua, his name Ngahihi o te ra means the rays of the sun. He is a Māori tribal leader, author, professional director and an award-winning international professional keynote speaker.
- Ngahihi holds a business marketing degree, a master's degree in education and a certificate in company direction.



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EVENT SERVICES

THE PRODUCTION AGENCY

- Audio-visual solutions | Entertainment specialists
- There's a reason why some of New Zealand's most influential brands and highest-profile events choose TPA to create unforgettable experiences for their audiences: we think outside the ordinary.
- TPA is an audio-visual company combined with top international and local talent. Along with our own high-performing audio-visual solutions and the creative vision of leading industry minds, TPA creates bespoke events that speak volumes for your brand.



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EVENT SERVICES

TOHU EXPERIENCES

- Customisable activity options means we can cater for groups both large and small. Our group of companies include activity operations and we have strong relationships with many other operators around New Zealand, allowing us to provide total activity solutions for you.
- Tohu Experiences has been in operation for 30 years and boasts extensive knowledge of New Zealand. We are a destination management company specialising in central North Island tourism and events sectors, operating small boutique luxury options right through to major New Zealand events attracting tens of thousands of visitors.
- We are an event management company as well as a transport and activity provider. This means we know what event organisers and PCOs need. We can provide as little or as much support as you require.



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EVENT SERVICES

TERRACE CATERING

- Terrace Catering is a Rotorua-based food and beverage company from the team behind the award-winning Eastwood Café and Terrace Kitchen also known as the collective - Plenty Group. We specialise in event catering across the Bay of Plenty.
- Our menus are constantly evolving to reflect trends, changing seasons and our passion for all things food. Our talented chefs work with the finest seasonal, sustainable and local ingredients to create menus that are exactly right for your occasion.
- Let's talk about your event, discuss a menu and organise a venue. We use our knowledge and culinary skills to create menus as unique as each special occasion, serviced by our very own hand-picked professionals.



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EVENT SERVICES

TOWN & COUNTRY TOURING

- Town & Country Touring can provide full transport for your conference group from the minute they arrive at the airport for the duration of your conference or incentive event.
- With many years' experience in New Zealand's tourism industry, Paul and Jane can answer any questions your group may have about the area, and know their market.
- They will provide excellent, professional customer service, and you can rest assured that your group's transport has been left in capable hands.



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EVENT SERVICES

VIDCOM NEW ZEALAND LIMITED

- Leading provider of audio-visual equipment and services for conferences, awards dinners and special events nationwide.
- Specialists in hybrid virtual events allowing clients to view or present from anywhere. Bonded internet solutions also allow for robust and stable streaming connectivity.
- Four offices across New Zealand, including three studios, allow Vidcom to support customers anywhere in the country. Regular investment into equipment and staff has resulted in a wide offering of tech and experienced staff to support clients.



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EVENT SERVICES

VISTAMAX

- Vistamax is a locally owned and operated audio-visual company based in Rotorua. Vistamax provides the very best in LED screen technology, amazing sound, staging and creative lighting. Our team will work with the client from conception to completion in our unique seamless style. The company has been involved in major outdoor and indoor events all across New Zealand.
- We also offer production and can live stream your event if required.
- Vistamax provides LED screens for large outdoor events such as sporting, kapa haka, concerts and festivals as well as indoor corporate events like TRENZ and MEETINGS.



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EVENT SERVICES

XQUIZIT

- Corporate transport and private transfers to and from Tauranga, Rotorua, Hamilton or Auckland airports.
- Enjoy luxury transfers in the opulent fully air-conditioned mini coaches, stretch limousines and corporate cars, with complimentary bottled water.
- For larger groups, Xquizit offers luxury mini coaches as well as an airport limousine service.



WEBSITE

Ngā Wharekai Me Ngā Pāparakāuta

Restaurants, Cafés and Bars





RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

EAT STREAT

Ever-changing fluorescent lighting and activity from hungry wanderers make this bustling inner-city dining precinct a go-to spot for locals and visitors alike. With 14 different eateries and bars to choose from, come here with plenty of time to wander your way from place to place. Burgers to beers, pizzas to pinot gris, Eat Streat is a haven for eating and drinking, and if you're wondering where everyone is on a Saturday night, this spot is your best guess.



LOCATION



WEBSITE



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

ROTORUA NIGHT MARKET

Every Thursday from 5pm to 9pm, the heart of Rotorua comes alive with music, food, crafts and plenty of people. It's a festive atmosphere thanks to the lively comings and goings of locals and visitors, attempting to fit in as many dumplings, doughnuts, burritos and burgers as possible.

A variety of ethnic cuisines as well as local kai (food) are all on offer here, and while you're snacking you can pull up a chair to a shared table and be entertained by local musicians.

When you've filled up on food, it's definitely worth perusing the art, craft and clothing stalls too as some of the best local makers come here to sell their wares, and there's nothing quite like chatting to the artisan responsible for making your new mittens, beanie, soap or satchel.



LOCATION



WEBSITE



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

ATTICUS FINCH

- Passionate, welcoming team serving distinctive local wine, craft beer and handcrafted cocktails with pride and accommodating hospitality.
- Carefully crafted share plates arrive in stages, offering balanced flavours and a thoughtfully-paced dining experience designed for connection and enjoyment.
- Located on Eat Street, enjoy vibrant indoor and covered patio seating that brings warmth, energy and character to every visit.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
130	140	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

BREW | CRAFT BEER PUB

- Home of Croucher Brewing's craft beer, Rotorua's only craft beer brewery boasting award-winning beers and roasted coffee.
- Five-time winner of Rotorua's Most Outstanding Bar, 12 tap beers and ciders. Award-winning wines and spirits.
- Craft food experience, locally-sourced foods tailored to suit your requirements. Craft menus, set menus and group discounts available.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
140	250	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

BLACK LABEL BARBECUE

- Proudly Rotorua. Seriously smoked.
- Black Label Barbecue is run by locals Shaun and Alia Branson, serving authentic low and slow, wood-fired barbecue through their BBQ joint, catering and food truck.
- From the BBQ joint to festivals and private events, Black Label Barbecue brings big flavours and proper low and slow barbecue wherever the smoke rolls.



Seating Inside	Seating Outside	Standing	Private Dining
100	60	230	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

CAPERS CAFÉ + STORE

- Part of the Rotorua community for over 25 years, delivering classic Kiwi hospitality to visitors and locals.
- All day breakfast, lunch and dinner menus available, along with a hearty selection of cabinet meals, salads and cakes.
- Fair-trade Organico Coffee served with local A2 milk from Volcanic Creamery or your choice of milk alternatives. Extensive tea menu from New Zealand producers Libertine Blends and Noble & Sunday Tea Merchants.



Seating	Standing	Private Dining
105	-	-



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

EASTWOOD

- Eastwood Café is located in Whakarewarewa Forest at Scion Research in the award-winning, carbon zero building Te Whare Nui o Tuteata.
- Our wood-fired pizzas are a must-try! Watch them being made at the pizza bar in the Mediterranean-style stone oven.
- Ideal venue for a relaxed dinner.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
140	250	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

EL MEXICANO ZAPATA CANTINA

- Traditional Mexican dishes made with fresh, locally sourced ingredients, delivering bold, genuine flavours while staying true to authentic Mexican roots.
- Recognised with multiple hospitality and TripAdvisor awards plus stellar five-star Google reviews showcasing top-tier food, service and consistency.
- Features a wide range of vegetarian, vegan and gluten-free options, along with a fully-stocked bar offering Mexican beers, margaritas, cocktails and soft drinks.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
45	-	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

GOOD EASTERN TAPHOUSE

- Good Eastern Tap House offers a dynamic and flexible venue ideal for corporate groups, functions and event delegates.
- Featuring the largest sports screen in Rotorua alongside multiple screens throughout the venue, we can showcase different sporting matches or tailored content simultaneously to suit your event.
- Our open-plan layout allows for a range of event styles, from casual networking to larger group bookings, with the ability to create semi-private or exclusive spaces. With a strong focus on efficient service, quality food and a premium beverage offering, Good Eastern delivers a seamless and engaging experience for business events.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
200	Large Venue	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

MR WOLF

- Located in a beautiful historic building in the heart of Rotorua, Mr Wolf has quickly become a favourite café for locals and working professionals.
- The locally-roasted coffee is a real drawcard, beautifully balanced flavours of floral, citrus and chocolate notes with a nutty aftertaste. Sourced by the team from South America and Africa, the coffee is then roasted locally at Okere Falls.
- With its stylish and unique interior, featuring a British racing green colour scheme, art deco designs and concrete walls, Mr Wolf offers a welcoming atmosphere to match its excellent food and coffee.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
30	50	No



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

PIG & WHISTLE

- Pig & Whistle Historic Pub offers great Kiwi hospitality with classic pub meals. Choose from 15 craft beers and ciders on tap, plus a great selection of New Zealand wine and gins.
- Centrally located in a classic piece of bold 1940s architecture, the Pig & Whistle is a local landmark with great history.
- Join us for live music on Saturday, Thursday quiz night and happy hour weekdays from 3.30 till 6pm on house wine, beer, spirits and cocktails.



LOCATION



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	Seating	Standing	Private Dining
Outside	100	150-200	Yes
Inside	50	100	
Upstairs	40	85	



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

POCO TAPAS & WINE

- Intimate, stylish space located in Rotorua’s city centre just off Eat Street.
- Delicious tapas-style menu that changes seasonally, making the most of locally-sourced ingredients.
- Warm and welcoming atmosphere, amazing service.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
45	45	No



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

PĀTAKA KAI AT TE PUIA

- Pātaka Kai is the only restaurant in the world that overlooks a geyser as magnificent as our powerful Pōhutu Geyser.
- Dine for brunch on the deck or lunch inside while enjoying the full view through our floor-to-ceiling windows.
- For unique evening dining, be sure to try our dinner buffet where you'll see Pōhutu lit up. Each dish has a twist of authentic Māori cuisine, and is crafted with locally sourced and freshly prepared ingredients by our award-winning chefs.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
120	-	No



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

STRATOSFARE RESTAURANT

- Set amongst the stars atop Mount Ngongotahā, with 180-degree views over the city, Stratosfare offers a totally unique event venue with exceptional cuisine, excellent catering and unforgettable views that will ensure the wow factor for your next event.
- Stratosfare Restaurant is suitable for every occasion that requires style with great atmosphere, delicious quality New Zealand cuisine, and an all-round wonderful experience.
- Stratosfare is also designed with the ability to be divided into three separate venues.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
350	1,000	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

SCOPE ROTORUA

- Café of the Year, People’s Choice Rotorua Hospitality Awards 2021.
- An oasis in the centre of town offering award-winning coffee, wine, beer and cuisine. Don’t just take our word for it, check out our reviews for what our customers have to say.
- Open seven days.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
55	60	-



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

THE FAINTING GOAT GASTROBAR

- The menu is designed to share and perfect for small and large groups.
- Our signature cocktail range features ingredients from New Zealand’s up-and-coming artisan distilleries.
- On tap includes some well-known and not-so-well known New Zealand craft brews.



LOCATION



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Seating	Standing	Private Dining
100	-	Breakfast



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

THE MAINS RESTAURANT

- The Mains Restaurant, located inside luxury lodge On The Point, offers locally-sourced produce, seasonal fruit and vegetables grown in their own garden and, wherever possible, everything is made from scratch.
- All this combined with a stunning outlook and location overlooking Lake Rotorua.
- Enjoy a meal from our talented team of award-winning chefs with international experience.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
65	100	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

THE REGENT ROOM

- The Regent Room is the perfect restaurant for everything from intimate dining to a business occasion.
- Experience a superb selection of award-winning, contemporary New Zealand cuisine designed to highlight locally sourced ingredients. Elegant cocktails and a sensational boutique wine list complement the menu.
- The Regent Room embodies an oasis of calm and charm with incredible service.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
80	100	Yes



RESTAURANTS, CAFÉS AND BARS

URBANO BISTRO

- Smart, casual café by day.
- Bistro dining by night.
- Suitable for casual and intimate dining, business meetings, family gatherings and corporate functions.



LOCATION



WEBSITE

Seating	Standing	Private Dining
90	100	No

Ngā Mahi a Rēhia

Activities





ACTIVITIES

ADVENTURE

Ngā Mahi Mātātoa

Rotorua is home to some of the most innovative people living in New Zealand who have invented and created incredible attractions. Here you'll find the pedal-powered monorail Shweeb Racer; ziplines and swing bridges through ancient forests; ZORB giant inflatable balls; rafts down the world-famous Kaituna River; or even jet boat rides flying across Lake Rotorua. For the mild adventurer to the most hard-core action seeker, there is something for everyone.



ACTIVITIES

MĀORI CULTURE

Te Ao Māori

Rotorua is the best place in New Zealand to experience the customs, practices and beliefs of our indigenous Māori people. Awe-inspiring and authentic, Māori cultural tours and performances provide a special view into the historic lifestyle, traditions, mythology, art and more of Māori past and present. Watch a spine-tingling traditional pōhiri (welcoming ceremony), hear the hauntingly beautiful call of the kuia (female elder), learn to dance with poi or perform the haka. Watch as your dinner is pulled from a traditional hāngī (steam-cooked meal) straight out of the ground.



ACTIVITIES

SPA & WELLNESS

Ngā Wāhi Hauora

Living in a volcanic environment means we're surrounded by mineral-rich geothermal waters and mud, which are revered for their healing properties. Since the late 19th century, people have travelled from all over the world to seek the famed health benefits. Today, we still work with Papatūānuku (Earth Mother) to harness her geothermal activity and natural resources, which has resulted in a world-renowned spa and wellness industry.



ACTIVITIES

GOLF

Hahaupōro

Book in for a round and enjoy a magnificent golfing experience with breathtaking scenery at one of Rotorua's golf clubs. Active geothermal areas and stunning vistas make our courses truly unique. Rotorua is a premier destination for corporate golf days with clubs close to major hotels and motels in the city, and one right next door to the Whakarewarewa Thermal Reserve and Te Puia. Come and see why one round here is never enough.

Haepapa Pāpori ā Rangatōpū

Corporate Social Responsibility





CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

CONSERVATION CREDITS

- Support worthy conservation initiatives through the Conservation Credit programme. Each project has been selected as ecologically significant, with an annual plan and annual budget that can verify the funds directed to them go directly to conservation initiatives. Rotorua based projects include: Kaharoa Kōkako Trust, the Biodiversity Bank and Wingspan Birds of Prey Trust.
- Conservation credits are purchased in increments of \$500 and are endorsed with the project and the year of support. Each business gets their name on the conservation credit website and joins a list of companies taking regenerative business seriously.
- The Biodiversity Bank has hands-on opportunities available from the purchase of five credits. These include track building, tree planting, weed clearing, bridge building and hands-on science.



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CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

DRESS FOR SUCCESS BAY OF PLENTY

- We help break the cycle of poverty by providing clients with professional attire to help them secure employment, as well as programmes to assist with their confidence and knowledge.
- Appropriate corporate attire will help a woman feel confident and present well during a job interview, giving her a better chance of securing an employment role and moving toward economic independence.
- Conference delegates can donate a piece of gently-used professional clothing at conference registration which is then picked up by our team. These items of clothing will either be given to a client to wear to an interview or new job, or it will be sold in our op-shop with proceeds supporting Dress for Success Bay of Plenty.



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CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

KĀNUKA BOUTIQUE FLORIST

- Talk to us about event flowers.
- Our stunning florals, including lush arrangements and presentation bouquets will make a beautiful addition to your event or gala dinner, and we will happily pick these up following your event and donate them to a local nursing home or women's refuge, or a charity of your choice, on your behalf.
- This is a simple way for your event to leave something nice for the community enjoy.



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CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

NATIONAL KIWI HATCHERY

- The largest and most successful kiwi hatchery in the world, the National Kiwi Hatchery is the leader in kiwi husbandry, egg incubation systems, hatching techniques and kiwi chick rearing.
- We welcome your conference delegates to take an immersive journey to learn about kiwi, their native environment and what makes them truly iconic the world over. One hundred percent of the ticket price goes straight back to our kiwi hatching program.
- Make a donation to the National Kiwi Hatchery and help support the work to save, hatch and release kiwi back into their native habitat. A donation of NZDS\$300 will feed a kiwi chick for a whole year or, for a donation of NZDS\$2787 we will assign an egg to you. You can let us know the name of your chick before it hatches! Your donation covers all the costs to raise your kiwi chick and you will be invited to visit your chick and be sent photos of its progress.



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CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

WAIARIKI WOMEN'S REFUGE

- Waiariki Women's Refuge offers support to women and children across Rotorua and surrounding areas in a variety of ways.
- Donations of conservative clothing, personal hygiene products and children's toys are made into packs that are given to families when they have to leave their home in a hurry.
- You can encourage delegates to bring an item to donate at registration. A team member from Waiariki Women's Refuge can attend the conference to pick up the donations and make a short thank you speech.



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CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

CUSTOMISED CSR OPPORTUNITIES

- The RotoruaNZ Business Events team supports and facilitates a range of ways for your delegates to give back to your conference destination.
- Some of these ways include donating time and expertise, or donating materials or other items to a relevant community group. The possibilities are endless and we are here to facilitate any ideas that align with the ethos of your organisation.
- Please reach out if you would like to discuss a customised CSR option for your group.



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Te Hihiritanga o Te Ara Haere

Itinerary Inspiration



Delegates 300 + pax

Venue: Energy Events Centre

Accommodation: Surrounding hotels including Pullman Rotorua, Millennium Hotel Rotorua, Sudima Lake Rotorua, Novotel Rotorua Lakeside, Ibis Rotorua

RotoruaNZ Conference Itinerary



Polynesian Spa



Energy Events Centre



Skyline Rotorua



Redwoods Treewalk Night Lights

Day One

- Arrive and settle into your accommodation before the conference programme gets underway.
- Pre-conference workshops.
- Enjoy a welcome function in the exhibition hall or gather at the Sir Howard Morrison Centre for a stand-up walk-and-fork event beginning with a traditional pōhiri welcome.
- Unwind into the evening with an optional soak at Polynesian Spa or Wai Ariki Hot Springs & Spa where geothermal waters provide the perfect opportunity to relax and recharge.

Day Two

- Start the day with a networking breakfast at the Energy Events Centre.
- Day conference begins at Energy Events Centre.
- Enjoy a series of sponsor-hosted dinners at a selection of local restaurants including Fainting Goat Gastrobar, Atticus Finch, The Mains Restaurant, The Regent Room, Barrel and Co, Urbano Bistro, and the President's Dinner at Te Pā Tū.
- For those looking to extend the evening, experience the illuminated forest canopy at Redwoods Treewalk Night Lights.

Day Three

- Day conference at Energy Events Centre.
- Conclude the conference with a celebratory Awards Gala Dinner at the Energy Events Centre marking the finale of the programme and recognising key achievements across the event.
- Alternatively, experience the city from above on the Rotorua Skyline Gondola, enjoy wine tasting, race down the luge tracks, and celebrate with dinner and dancing overlooking the lake.

Day Four

- Extend your stay and discover Rotorua's geothermal landscapes, adventure activities, spa and wellness experiences, and rich Māori culture. From geysers and valleys to biking, relaxation and storytelling the region offers a diverse and memorable way to experience its natural and cultural highlights.

Delegates up to 450 pax

Venue & accommodation – one of our many conferencing hotels including Distinction Hotel Rotorua, Novotel Rotorua Lakeside, Rydges Rotorua, Millennium Hotel Rotorua, Pullman Rotorua, Sudima Lake Rotorua

RotoruaNZ Conference Itinerary



Te Puia | NZMACI



Arikikapakapa - Rotorua Golf Club



Off Road NZ



Secret Spot Hot Tubs

Day One

- Arrive and settle into your accommodation before the conference programme begins.
- Pre-conference workshops.
- Make the most of your stay with optional afternoon activities – explore Rotorua's geothermal landscapes at Waimangu Volcanic Valley or visit Te Puia to witness the Southern Hemisphere's largest active geyser.
- Enjoy a welcome function with a traditional pōhiri at Te Puia or Terrace Kitchen, offering a warm Rotorua welcome.
- In the evening, opt to unwind with a nightcap and soak in a forest hot tub at Secret Spot – the perfect way to relax and recharge.

Day Two

- Day conference hosted at your hotel.
- In the afternoon choose from a range of activities. Enjoy a round of golf at Arikikapakapa Rotorua Golf Club or Lake View Golf Club. Visit the National Kiwi Hatchery for a unique wildlife experience with the opportunity to sponsor a Kiwi chick to be recognised at the final night Gala dinner.
- The evening is yours to explore. Dine at Rotorua's diverse range of restaurants or experience the vibrant atmosphere of the Thursday Night Markets.

Day Three

- Begin the day with an optional guided mountain bike adventure through Whakarewarewa Forest followed by breakfast at Eastwood Café.
- Day conference hosted at your hotel.
- Finish the conference with an unforgettable evening at Off Road NZ, featuring a surprise arrival and exhilarating activities. Pair this with catering from Black Label Barbecue for an event delegates will be talking about for years to come.

Day Four

- Stay longer and explore Rotorua's geothermal wonders, adrenaline-fuelled activities, restorative spa experiences, and vibrant Māori heritage – offering a rich mix of experiences that showcase the region's unique character.

Delegates up to 300 pax

Venue: Sir Howard Morrison Centre

Accommodation: Surrounding hotels including Pullman Rotorua, Millennium Hotel Rotorua, Sudima Lake Rotorua, Novotel Rotorua Lakeside, Ibis Rotorua

RotoruaNZ Conference Itinerary



Te Pā Tū



Rotorua Canopy Tours



Sir Howard Morrison Centre



Te Puia | NZMCI

Day One

- Arrive and settle into your accommodation before the conference programme gets underway.
- Pre-conference workshops.
- Delegates can choose from a range of optional activities including an exhilarating jet boat ride across Lake Rotorua, a family-friendly visit to Agrodome, or a high-end evening experience at Te Pā Tū.
- Ease into the event with a relaxed welcome function hosted at a hotel venue or local favourite such as Black Label Barbecue or the historic Pig & Whistle.

Day Two

- Start the morning with optional wellness experiences including yoga on the Rotorua Lakefront or a rejuvenating session at Polynesian Spa.
- Full day conference hosted at Sir Howard Morrison Centre.
- The afternoon provides opportunities for team-building experiences including mountain biking, ziplining and wine tasting.
- Enjoy a free evening to explore Eat Streat and Rotorua's diverse culinary scene.

Day Three

- Full day conference hosted at Sir Howard Morrison Centre.
- Wrap up the conference with a gala dinner at Te Puia set within striking geothermal surroundings and enhanced by authentic cultural experiences that provide a fitting close to the conference.

Day Four

- Make the most of your time and discover Rotorua through its distinctive blend of geothermal landscapes, energetic adventure experiences, restorative spa offerings, and authentic cultural encounters – delivering a rich and memorable itinerary.



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