



FULL DAY TOUR

TOUR DURATION: 7 - 9
Hours
or to Suit Sailing Times



TWO TOUR OPTIONS:
ORAKEI KORAKO
OR
'THE SQUEEZE'



Cruising Overland

Mt Maunganui - Rotorua - Taupo



Jet Boating - Geothermal - Nature

Begin your journey from the Port of Tauranga through farmland and kiwifruit country on your way to Rotorua. Take in scenic geothermal activity, lush native flora and unique fauna as you pass through Rotorua and continue on your journey towards Taupo.

Tour includes: NZ Riverjet Jet Boating • Entry to Orakei Korako Thermal Reserve or The Squeeze Rainbow Mountain • Mud Pools • Refreshment and comfort stops will be made during your journey and also time for lunch. (Lunch at own expense - not included).



RAINBOW MOUNTAIN

Scenic drive through lush farmland to Rainbow Mountain. The Maori name for Rainbow Mountain is Maungakakamea, meaning 'mountain of coloured earth'. It is easily recognised by its coloured slopes and its unusual rounded knob on the top, known as Tihi-o-Rua, 'the owls perch'. From its volcanic origins, the mountain has cooled over recent years, although in places it is still visibly smouldering.

MUD POOLS

Short bushwalk to Crater Lake to view an explosion crater against a backdrop of bare brown, orange and red steaming cliffs and boiling mud pools. In 1925 New Zealand's largest mud volcano was eroded by heavy rain. The vigorously active mud pools now occupying the site provide one of the best opportunities to photograph and experience the unique character and sounds of erupting mud. It is an ever active and changing landscape and very soothing for eroded urban nerve endings.

RIVERJET SCENIC SAFARI

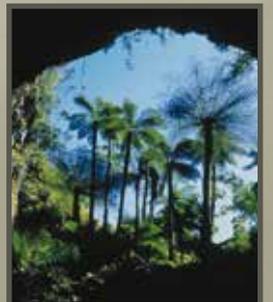
Enjoy wildlife and scenery on the mighty Waikato River while travelling at a leisurely pace through the magnificent Tutukau Gorge. Stop and hear stories about the history of the region from your driver/guide while viewing the canyon walls which rise dramatically up to 50 metres above the water. On the return journey experience the iconic ability of the famous Hamilton Jet. Our experienced driver/guide will thrill you with spins in a part of New Zealand that many people don't see.

CHOOSE 1 ORAKEI KORAKO

Walk around this magnificent thermal reserve, see boiling pools of mud and water, geysers and silica terraces. See a pre European Maori battle site and see what the Lonely Planet Guide described as "possibly the best thermal area left in New Zealand".

OR 'THE SQUEEZE'

You disembark and head towards a narrow gap in the cliff face ahead of you and start the challenge of The Squeeze. After manoeuvring your way through narrow crevasses, climbing boulders, and wading through warm waist deep water you emerge in stunning native New Zealand bush. Immerse yourself in the environment and take the opportunity to soak up the atmosphere while relaxing in the thermal waters of a naturally heated bathing pool. While 'squeezing' your way back to the boat, prepare your self for the action packed ride ahead of you. Hang on tight and enjoy all the thrills, excitement, speed and spins you would expect from the Hamilton Jet.



IF TIME ALLOWS WE WILL TAKE IN THE ROTORUA SITES

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