

World of WearableArt Show Tour

5 nights/6 days

Auckland - Otorohanga - Taupo - Wellington -
Napier - Tamahere - Auckland

**Experience the World of Wearable Art Show
like never before:**

Our WOW tour is a true delight, combining the spectacular World of WearableArt Show with a relaxed, fully guided journey through the spring countryside. Along the way, enjoy private home hosted lunches, visits to historic homesteads and vibrant spring gardens, as well as local museums, charming rural towns, a guided Art Deco tour in Napier, and wine tasting with lunch at Church Road Winery.

Day 1:
**Auckland – Hamilton Gardens –
Crosshills Farm – Huka Falls – Taupo**

We take a stroll through Hamilton Gardens and lunch with Debbie and Fraser Robertson at Crosshills Farm near Otorohanga. Departing for Taupo, we stop at the Huka Falls and stay on the lakefront at the Millennium Hotel and Resort Manuels where we dine in this evening.

Day 2:
**Taupo – Central Plateau –
Hunternville – Wellington**

Skirting the shores of Lake Taupo and heading down the Desert Road, with views of Mt Ruapehu and Ngauruhoe, we lunch near Hunternville. We continue along the coast to Wellington and the Bolton Hotel, our home for two nights, and dine in this evening.

Day 3:
**Wellington sightseeing – World of
WearableArt Show**

We are guided through Katherine Mansfield House. See the city from Mt Victoria and check out the museums, galleries and shops. We dine at Dockside Restaurant adjacent to the World of WearableArt Show. Your Platinum ticket includes the WOW Show programme.

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small group escapes
for mature travellers

Tour Highlights

- Fully inclusive of all meals, accommodation and activities
- Platinum World of WearableArt Show ticket
- Special private lunches & garden visits
- Art Deco tour in Napier with specialist guide
- Wine tasting & lunch at Church Road Winery
- Small group (maximum of 18 travellers)
- Designed especially for mature travellers
- Experienced and knowledgeable Kiwi Guide

Day 4:
**Wellington – Gwavas homestead,
Tikokino – Napier**

We drive through the Wairarapa region. At Gwavas in Tikokino we lunch and tour the historic homestead and gardens with Stuart and Phyllida Gibson, hearing their stories of 150 years of family history. We stay two nights at Scenic Hotel, Te Pania in Napier and dine in.

Day 5:
**Driving the Art Deco Trail – Church Road
Winery – Te Mata Figs**

Accompanied by a specialist guide we drive along the Art Deco trail and visit the Art Deco Centre. We wine taste and lunch at Church Road Winery Restaurant. Call into Te Mata Figs and Atea a Rangi, a sculptural star compass on the waterfront at Waitangi Regional Park.

Day 6:
**Napier – Moondance Manor, Tamahere –
Auckland**

We leave Napier after breakfast and drive over the ranges to Taupo and on to Tamahere where our farewell lunch is hosted by Stephen and Jeanette Williams at lovely Moondance Manor and garden by the Waikato River. We arrive back in Auckland in the early evening.

MoaTours reserves the right to amend or alter this itinerary where necessary.

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