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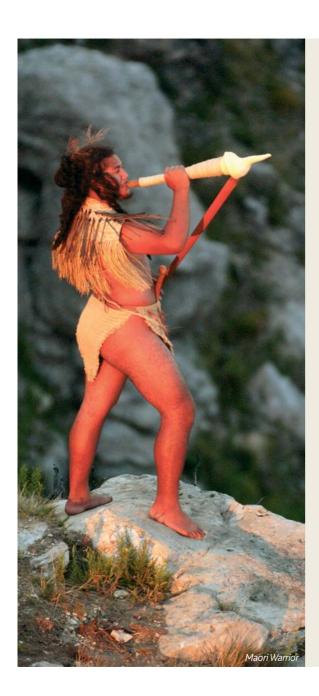
A meeting or an assembly of persons, delegates or representatives, to accomplish some specific object - civil, social or political."



### **Information Centres**

There are four official information centres in the Western Bay of Plenty; Tauranga, Mount Maunganui, Katikati and Te Puke. The Mount Maunganui and Tauranga i-Site's (Information Centre) offer free, friendly and objective information on local attractions, transport, accommodation and reservation services. There is also an information service available at the Tauranga Airport situated beside the main terminal building.

Information centre	Location	Telephone	Email
Tauranga i-Site	95 Willow Street	+64 7 578 8103	tauranga@i-site.org
Mount Maunganui i-Site	Salisbury Avenue	+64 7 575 5099	tauranga@i-site.org
Katikati Information Centre	36 Main Road	+64 7 549 1658	katikatinfo@tauranga.govt.nz
Te Puke Information Centre	130 Jellicoe Street	+64 7 573 9172	tepukeinfo@wbopdc.govt.nz



We know just how many superb meeting venues there are here... but do you?

We have plenty of convention venues ranging from city centre hotels to country lodges and wineries with conference facilities allowing you to focus on results in your own exclusive domain, right up to our Baypark Stadium and Events Centre with seating for 700+ delegates.

We are also developing a fine reputation for going the extra mile... tailoring activities, facilities and support services to cater specifically to your requirements, so rest assured when you choose the 'Bay' for your next meeting the first thing you can do is... relax!

Currently New Zealand's fastest growing region - we have a dazzling seaside setting and sparkling sandy white beaches. With the promise of long sun-drenched days, balmy evenings and a host of activities and adventures on our doorstep it's hard to imagine a better place to hold your next conference or meeting! Quite simply, the Bay of Plenty has it all - a unique combination of Ocean, Spirit and Earth!

### Welcome to the beautiful Bay of Plenty

### Contact details and services available

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If you are unsure where to start when organising your next convention and you would appreciate advice, contacts, experience at no cost... simply contact our office for friendly professional assistance.

### We can

- > Provide free and neutral advice on facilities suitable for your group size, budget and delegate requirements.
- > Introduce you to support services who can ensure the success of your convention.
- > Provide support collateral destination brochures, maps, posters, displays, image library CD Rom and a five minute Bay of Plenty promotional DVD.
- > Help arrange incentive travel itineraries that you can be confident will reward and delight your group covering options as diverse as decadent dining to untamed adventure.

With our happy to help attitude and our superb location the 'Bay' has that little *extra* to ensure your meeting is raised from *ordinary* to *extraordinary!* 

### How to get to the 'Bay'



Snells Beach

Cape Colville

Puhoi Waiwera

Whangaparaoa

North Shore

Rangitot | Coromandel

Oneroa

WAlHEKE |

Whitianga

Cooks Beach

Habe

Whore Beach Beach

Piha

Whore Beach Beach Beach

White Beach

Phila

Papakura

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Te Awamutu

Whether you drive, bus or fly - getting here is half the fun!

Drive here. The Bay of Plenty is an easy drive from Auckland along State Highway 2 through unique New Zealand townships to join the Pacific Coast Highway in Waihi. The journey takes you through gorges and alongside rivers and picturesque landscapes.

From	То	Distance (km)	Driving time (approx.)
Auckland	Tauranga	205	2hr 55min
Hamilton	Tauranga	106	1hr 30min
Thames	Tauranga	116	1hr 40min
Rotorua	Tauranga	86	1hr 15min
Taupo	Tauranga	156	2hr 15min
Napier	Tauranga	299	4hr 15min
Wellington	Tauranga	546	7hr 50min

Couch here. Scheduled coach services link Tauranga with all major North Island centres.

Fly here. The Tauranga domestic airport is located just 5 to 10 minutes drive from the city centre and has regular daily flights throughout the country.

Auckland to Tauranga 35 min
Wellington to Tauranga 1 hr 15 min

Cape Runaway

Lottin Point

Te Puia Springs

White I

BAY OF PLENTY

Whakatane



Mount Motiti / Maunganui

Rotorua

Papamoa Beach





www.gnztr.com

### PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY

www.pacificcoast.co.nz

### Great New Zealand Touring Route

The Great New Zealand Touring Route (GNZTR) gives you the chance to experience the very best of the North Island while following two well-established themed touring routes: Pacific Coast Highway and Thermal Explorer Highway.

Your experience starts the moment you leave Auckland and you have the option of following the coast along the unspoilt coastline of the Coromandel, Bay of Plenty and Hawke's Bay then back inland to Lake Taupo, Rotorua and Waikato through to Auckland.

The GNZTR is the only place in New Zealand where you will experience everything from unspoilt, pristine beaches to snow-capped mountains, hot bubbling mud pools, Maori culture and some of the country's best wineries all in three or four days!

### Pacific Coast Highway

The Pacific Coast Highway follows the North Island's spectacular East Coast. Linking the Coromandel, Bay of Plenty, Whakatane and Eastland with Auckland in the north and Hawke's Bay in the south, the Pacific Coast Highway travels through a unique region where the land and sea intermingle. Enjoy a part of New Zealand that draws people all-year round not only to enjoy the beaches, native bush and rain forests but the abundance of activities, unforgettable scenery and friendly faces along the way!

The highway is well signposted along the entire route and a detailed Pacific Coast Highway map is available through i-Sites to help navigate the touring route with ease.

### **Touring Routes**



### Events 2005/06



The Bay of Plenty has a huge variety of annual festivals, art exhibitions, music concerts, garden shows and sports events. From blues and brews through to sun and fun there is always something to celebrate! Here is a sample of what is on offer.

e-a-Boat Tauranga Boat Show. 18 to 20 November in its eighth year, the Trade-a-Boat Tauranga Boat Show continues to grow and prosper. The event features over 120 exhibits, 10,000 are and three days of fun in the sun in Tauranga.  Finman Triathlon. 4 December and as New Zealand's premier Olympic distance triathlon event, the Tinman makes for a fantastic sport to watch.  of Tauranga Half Iron Man. 7 January  Zealand's premier half iron man event makes use of one of the country's best multi-sport event venues. This prestigious event attracts lew Zealand and overseas specialists and is a marvellous spectator sport. www.halfironman.co.nz  tstone Blues, Brews and BBQs. 12 January s an event with a difference with hundreds of people enjoying an afternoon/evening of live music, boutique breweries and a variety
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od. For many people this event captures the essence of what summer is all about.
FM Pro Tour International Beach Volleyball. 14 to 15 January at Maunganui is New Zealand's home of beach volleyball and the pro tour showcases the game at its highest level.
Reef Winery Annual Concert. 29th January oncert on the lawn is one not to be missed! Bring a picnic dinner and sit back to enjoy a quality outdoor concert in fabulous surroundings.
Foundation Surf League. Early February (to be confirmed) najor surf lifesaving event showcases the best ocean athletes in New Zealand. One of the most watched television events in the country, can see it live in Mount Maunganui.
tana National Jazz Festival. 13 to 17 April as the jazz party of the year, the festival is held on the Saturday and Sunday of Easter weekend, when downtown Tauranga turns into ebration of food, wine and jazz music of all flavours. www.jazz.net.nz
ai Classic Multisport Event. 21 May some of the best scenery in the Bay of Plenty and add athletes cycling, kayaking and running and you have a unique multisport ction. www.communitysport.co.nz
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# Mount Maunganui Beach Maori Warrior on the slopes of Mauao

White Island

The breathtaking Pacific Ocean dominates the Bay of Plenty, creating surf beaches, stunning harbours and an expanse of crystal clear turquoise water that stretches as far as the eye can see. Blessed with such a fantastic natural resource at our back door it is hardly surprising that water is the fundamental element of our region's leisure and economic activities.

The stunning beaches sweeping down the coast from Waihi Beach past the main centres of Tauranga and Mount Maunganui right along to Maketu and are one of the key reasons thousands of people visit the Bay of Plenty each year. There are a number of meeting venues located right along or near the waterfront, adding a scenic touch to your business event.

The Bay of Plenty has an extraordinary range of water activities from swimming with the dolphins to sea kayaking, kite-surfing to parasailing, jet boating to white water rafting or exploring the volcanic wonderland of White Island - New Zealand's only active marine volcano!

One of the reasons that the Bay of Plenty is so unique is the spirit that is embodied in everything we do. It is the way of life of our people, it is why we head in droves to beaches and rivers on sunny days, it is the pride we feel for Mauao (Mount Maunganui), it's the numerous marae and the practice and traditions of our tangata whenua (people of the region), it's our pure zest for life!

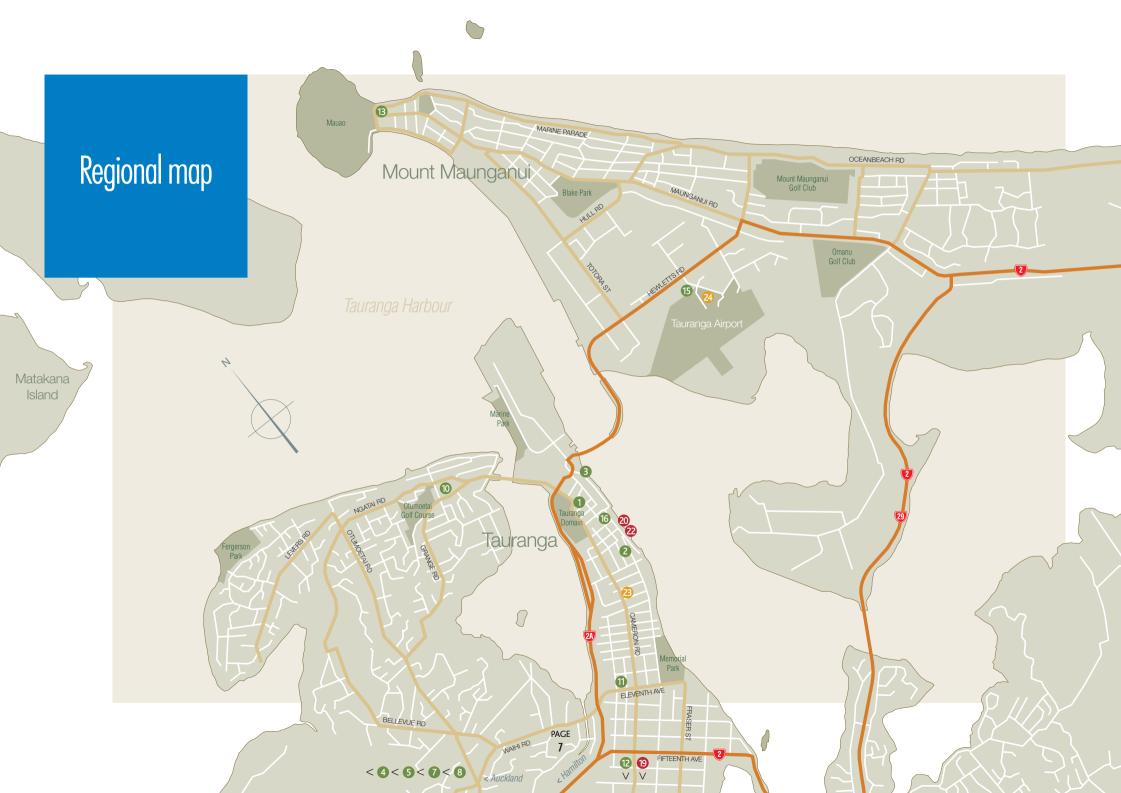
Get into the celebratory spirit with the range of festivals in the region. Billed as the jazz party of the year every Easter weekend downtown Tauranga and Mount Maunganui is home to the Montana Jazz Festival, it is the largest gala of food, wine, and jazz and blues music of all flavours in the southern hemisphere. The bi-annual Garden and Artfest celebration is a showcase of the amazing gardens and talent of the region's artists.

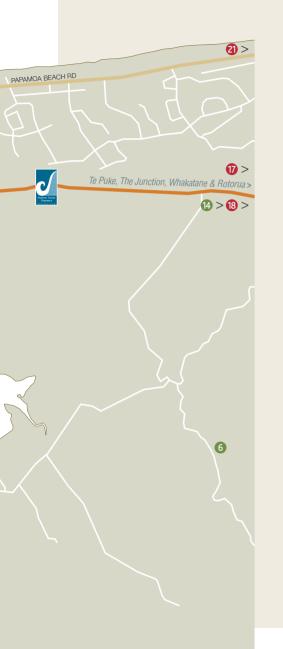
Our local spirit embraces everything... our life, the culture, art, adventure and outdoors, cuisine, dress and attitudes. We invite you to come and find out for yourself what makes our way of life so incredibly special.

At the heart of the Bay of Plenty is an array and abundance of land with fertile soils, native bush, farmlands and rocky terrain. The diverse geography of the region creates a natural playground for visitors who can climb mountain ranges, visit historic sites, hit the bush, go mountain biking or experience the thrills of a land yacht.

The region's fertile soils and warm climate help produce some of the country's finest fresh fruit and produce which chefs create into delectable dishes. Over 80% of the country's kiwifruit is grown in Te Puke - the kiwifruit capital of the world. The late summers and abundance of sunshine help create award-winning wines to complement any event or simply a long day of hard work; our rich earth creates an abundance of opportunities for all!

### Why choose the 'Bay'





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4 Matahui Lodge	1	10	35	25	20	55	80	3	10
5 Fantail Lodge	3	8	80	35	30	60	100	15	10
6 Ridge Country Retreat and Spa	3	30	75	50	30	65	80	11	10
<b>7</b> Charlemagne Lodge	1	20	100	60	40	120	140	2	11
8 Mills Reef Winery & Restaurant	3	14	200	150	40	150	180	NA	11
10 Bureta Park Motor Inn	4	60	275	60	80	240	350	19	11
Macey's Motor Inn	2	20	50	30	25	50	100	18	12
The Historic Village	6	20	160	90	40	100	150	NA	12
3 Oceanside Twin Towers Resort	3	12	80	36	25	50	80	60	12
14 Kiwi 360	3	20	250	40	40	200	300	NA	13
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Only five minutes walk to the heart of the city. Hotel Armitage has a heated swimming pool, spa, inhouse bar/restaurant and free parking. All rooms have Sky TV, mini bars and 24-hour room service. Some rooms now available with spa baths and wireless internet hotspots.

We have 3 large conference rooms to meet your requirements. Our location makes us easily accessible to the CBD, beaches, golf clubs and every thing else that Tauranga has to offer. It's the ideal location for your next conference.

You'll always receive a warm welcome at the Hotel Armitage.

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	CONFER	ENCE FACIL	ITIES		
Accommodation					81 rooms
Number of meeting rooms					4
Room configuration	Board	Theatre	Class	U-shape	Banquet
Washington Room	50	200	100	50	150
Domain Room	30	100	50	30	60
Washington/Domain Room	-	300	160	-	220
Harbourview Room	40	100	50	30	80
Poolside Room	20	140	-	-	100



### **HOTEL ON DEVONPORT**



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Hotel on Devonport is the city's newest boutique hotel located in downtown Tauranga. The hotel is surrounded by 5 star restaurants, shops and night life. All rooms are airconditioned and hush glazed. The Executive Rooms enjoy city or harbour water views. All rooms have been designed to accommodate the business traveller with high speed internet, undercover parking and complimentary newspapers.

Our modern conference facilities offer the bonus of stunning views down the harbour to Mount Maunganui and beyond. We are able to host a number of diverse functions ranging from training seminars, workshops and board meetings through to product launches, intimate wedding receptions and banquet dinners.

Our main conference room is equipped for both audio and visual presentations with hush glazing, black out curtains, air conditioning and comfortable chairs.

At Hotel on Devonport we understand the importance of creating the ideal environment for you to host your important functions, so allow us to motive minds and get ideas flowing by using thoughtful and special touches to create just the right tone... *just enough to inspire, nothing to distract.* 



### TRINITY WHARF



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Trinity Wharf is a unique three-level hotel complex literally located on the beautiful Tauranga Harbour.

Right in the heart of the city, the complex is just minutes away from the Tauranga CBD, home to the newly developed Strand area and an abundance of world-class cafes, restaurants and bars.

Trinity Wharf will be a four-star hotel with 120 stylish, well appointed suites, boasting stunning views stretching up and down the harbour. A gymnasium and swimming pool are also on offer for guests to enjoy at their leisure.

The hotel's restaurant and bar is situated over the water on the ground floor, making them easily accessible from either of the five state of the art conference rooms. Three of the conference rooms can combine to accommodate a large number of guests, whilst two separate boardrooms are perfect for your more intimate requirements or provide ideal breakout venues.

The hotel is expected to open in February 2006.

### Accommodation and Venues

# MATAHUI LODGE

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At Matahui Lodge we are small, intimate and privileged to be able to offer outstanding accommodation with personalised service.

We are available for senior manager's retreats, staff incentives, social functions and weddings.

Situated in the privacy of six acres of native plantings, manicured lawns and vineyards, Matahui Lodge is architecturally designed to make the most of stunning harbour views and provide maximum comfort and relaxation.

Each luxurious room complete with spacious en suite, is tastefully furnished, including quality linen, robes, toiletries and complimentary mini-bar.

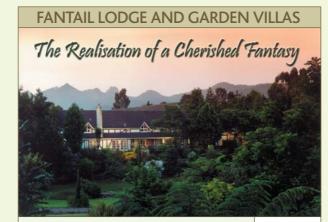
Enjoy the peace and serenity of this quiet country retreat, relax in the outdoor spa, exercise in the private gym, hit golf balls on the private driving range or browse in the library.

Attractions nearby include Morton Estate Winery, championship golf course, Katikati - mural town, surf beaches and bush walks. Private airstrip and helicopter landing available.

We can design a package to suit your needs and have gift vouchers available for that special treat.







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Fantail Lodge and Garden Villas near Tauranga is the region's leading boutique conference venue.

Fantail blends nature's tranquillity with an inspiration for true class reflecting every aspect of its multiple award winning service, facilities and cuisine.

Before the new summer season the increased capacity to 55 delegates will enhance this retreat in a setting of even greater, utter indulgence including the 'Dreamers' Spa facilities and wine tasting packages from nearby Morton Estate.

Fantail Lodge is ideal as an 'exclusive use' venue with break-out facilities, and full professional back-up services.

CONFERENCE FACILITIES						
Accommodation (curre		ENOL INC	TETTIES		15 rooms	
Accommodation (Janua	30 rooms					
Number of meeting roo	ms				4	
Room configuration	Theatre	Class	Banquet	Cocktail	Board	
Main Room	80	35	60	100	8	
3 Breakout Rooms						







### RIDGE COUNTRY RETREAT AND SPA



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Situated in the privacy of 35 acres of native bush in the scenic Papamoa Hills overlooking the stunning Pacific Ocean, Ridge Country Retreat has been designed specifically to cater to both pampering the soul and the body in Luxury setting. Conferences and corporate functions are a big part of Ridge Country Retreat. From the small team building exercises to full interactive multi-media and long distance conferencing facilities, we provide full venue support in a totally private setting and our services include arrangement of transfers from Tauranga (only15 minutes away) or the airport (10 minutes away).

CONFERENCE FACILITIES								
Accommodation (current)	5 rooms							
Accommodation (December	11 rooms							
Number of meeting rooms (current)								
Number of meeting rooms (December 2005)								
Room configuration	Board	Theatre	Banquet	Cocktail				
Lounge	30	75	65	80				
Library	15	25	20	30				
Hilltop Lounge	15	30	20	40				







# CHARLEMAGNE LODGE

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Charlemagne Lodge is an exciting venue for your next conference, situated just ten minutes from downtown Tauranga. Our purpose built conference and reception centre opens out to a beautiful paved courtyard area complete with pond and fountain ideal for making the most of morning and afternoon breaks. The Lodge also has a magnificent scenic reserve which affords delegates the chance to stroll outside in the fresh air between sessions.

Our conference package includes a dedicated conference organiser who will ensure that the room is set to your specifications, and work with you to ensure all the equipment you require is on hand. We are also happy to help with advising on and organising any team building or leisure activities for your delegates. We can provide full catering for your requirements. We also have two luxury guest rooms in the lodge to accommodate delegates if required.

# MILLS REEF WINERY & RESTAURANT

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Organising the complete conference or celebratory function couldn't get any easier - one phone call is all it takes to book this world class venue with professional and friendly staff.

Mills Reef Winery is set in beautifully landscaped surroundings in a semi-rural setting just 5 minutes from Tauranga CBD. Our modern complex allows us to cater for anything from the smallest of board meetings to the largest of cocktail occasions.

A variety of function rooms, as well as extensive outdoor facilities, makes Mills Reef the perfect venue for your conference, seminar, product launch, cocktail function or themed dinner.

Outdoor facilities include extensive seating and a petanque court.

CONFERENCE FA	CILITIES	
Number of meeting rooms		3
Room configuration	Theatre	Class
Restaurant	120	80
Vine Room	60	45
Restaurant/Vine Room	200	150
Board Room	-	14





## BURETA PARK MOTOR INN

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Pleasantly situated in a quiet park like setting in Otumoetai. Bureta Park Motor Inn is less than five minutes drive from downtown Tauranga and a short trip across the harbour bridge to the airport and the beach resort of Mount Maunganui. For golfers, the Otumoetai Golf Course is straight across the road.

We have a wide range of facilities to suit every conference need with theatre and boardroom type seating for up to 280 people. Our Conference/Functions team will co-ordinate your full range of catering, conference equipment and secretarial services to ensure your event runs smoothly.

	CONFERENC	E FACILITIES		
Accommodation				19 rooms
Number of meeting rooms				4
Room configuration	Board	Class	Theatre	Banquet
Redwood Room	60	60	275	160
Totora Room	60	60	80	80
Rimu Room	12	-	20	-
Board Room	6	-	-	-





### Accommodation and Venues

# MACY'S MOTOR INN

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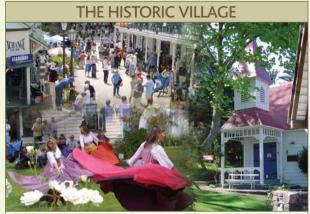
Email reservations@macys.co.nz

Website www.macys.co.nz

Macy's Motor Inn has nine luxury studio units with double spa bath, nine luxury family units with one with two bedrooms. All units have spa baths, telephone, internet connection and Sky TV with 29 inch flat screens. All rooms are serviced daily.

We have two conference rooms. The first seats 25 to 30 people. The second has seating for 35 to 40 people. Full catering services plus over head projector and white boards are available. Both conference rooms can be hired for full or half day use.

Charge back meals can be arranged or a selection of eating establishments are within a very easy walking distance.



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Our charm and ability to captivate sets us apart. The uniqueness of the venue and facilities identifies us as a leading events destination. Set in native bush, our own Art & Craft Precinct, Church, Village Hall, Theatre, Cafe and on site caterer mean you do not need to leave the site. Our facilities are ideal for strategic development days, training seminars, expo's, conferences, festivals and regular community activities. Whether you require a single, multiple or entire site, our experienced events staff can accommodate a diversity of bookings.

FACILITIES	
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Theatre	Tables
160	90
60	-
40	15 (U shaped)
-	20
80	-
70	-
-	10 (Boardroom)
	Theatre 160 60 40 - 80





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Stylish and spacious, Oceanside Resort is the ideal choice when you are on business, attending a conference, or simply wanting to enjoy a laid back cosmopolitan and beach lifestyle in Mount Maunganui or Tauranga.

We offer five star luxury accommodation with spacious executive studios, one and two bedroom suites; and two bedroom ocean or harbour view apartments in the Twin Towers (www.twintowers.co.nz).

We provide a range of facilities including: two heated outdoor swimming pools in a private garden setting, gym, sauna, complimentary secure underground parking, and full conference facilities.

CONFERENCE FACILITIES								
Accommodation				60 rooms				
Number of meeting rooms				3				
Room configuration	Board	Theatre	Class	U-shaped				
Fern Room	30	80	36	25				
Board Room	12	-	-	-				
Garden Room	12	-	-	-				









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Kiwi 360 is a unique functions and events venue situated in a 13 hectares horticultural theme park, in the very centre of coastal Bay of Plenty.

Being equidistant (35 minutes) from Tauranga, Rotorua, and Whakatane, the venue provides access to the greatest number of accommodation and extra-curricular options for conference participants and or guests.

Kiwi 360 can accommodate a range of function sizes, from discreet informal meetings of four people to corporate client marquee dinners of up to 500 on the 'Village Green', from theatre style presentations for 40, to seated public meetings for 250.

In addition to the meeting spaces in the complex, the spacious grounds, balconies, courtyards, cafe and restaurant areas all combine to make for the highest quality, exclusive environment for corporate, institutional, or private occasions.

Full catering is a speciality with dedicated fulltime staff available to develop a range of cuisine styles from simple morning 'teas' to the most lavish banquet.





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Classic Flyers NZ is an Aviation Museum where you can share in the excitement of New Zealand's rich aviation history.

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CONFERENCE FACILITIES						
Number of meeting rooms					2	
Room configuration	Board	Theatre	Class	U-shaped	Banquet	
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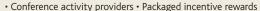




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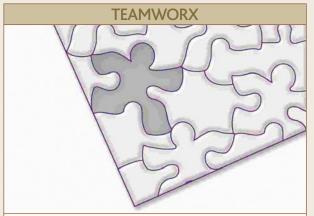
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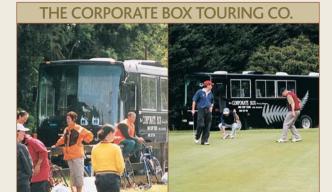
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