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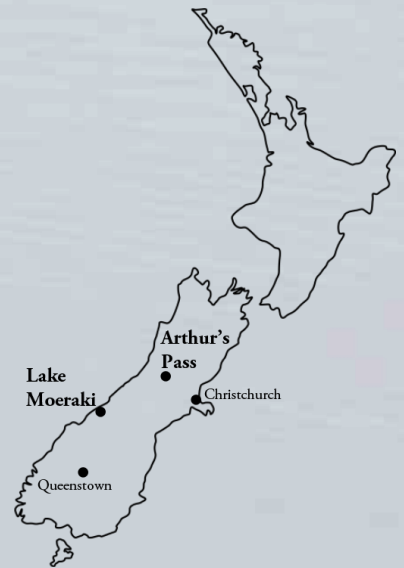
**Family Travel
Guide**



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New Zealand's only Wilderness Lodges are located in two of the wildest parts of the South Island. Both offer stylish accommodation, excellent food, and exciting nature adventures.

The Wilderness Lodges welcome families. They are great places to relax, explore & be active together. Both are easily included in a South Island itinerary and each offers a unique and memorable experience in a contrast environment.



WILDERNESS LODGE ARTHUR'S PASS

Set on a sheep farm & nature reserve in the heart of the Southern Alps, this is the perfect place to explore the mountains and experience sheep farming life.

- Hike spectacular National Park trails
- Meet the animals and help shear a sheep
- Kayak mountain lakes
- Experience wilderness in comfort & style

WILDERNESS LODGE LAKE MOERAKI

Few places on earth can match this stunning natural setting on the banks of the Moeraki River, just a short walk from the Tasman Sea.

- Explore wilderness coastline for penguins, seals and gemstones
- Kayak peaceful lakes and rivers
- Experience wilderness in comfort & style
- Discover the rainforest with expert guides



The Wilderness Lodge Experience

A Wilderness Lodge stay is about escaping the busy tourist trail and experiencing wild New Zealand. Our guided adventures focus on having fun and being active, not on thrills & adrenalin. The Lodges also run practical conservation projects & are recognised leaders in sustainable nature tourism. They are family owned & operated.



WILDERNESS LODGE ARTHUR'S PASS

Wilderness Lodge Arthur's Pass is set on a working sheep farm & nature reserve surrounded by the peaks of Arthur's Pass National Park.

Families will delight in meeting the animals, exploring the mountains and relaxing in comfort and style.



A Real Working Sheep Farm

The property is home to thousands of sheep. Join a farmer guide to watch sheepdogs in action, handfeed lambs, see shearing and learn about merino wool. This is a once in a lifetime experience and great fun for the whole family.



Nature and Sheep Farm Adventures

Kayak on mountain lakes, hike alpine trails and get "hands-on" at the farm. The Wilderness Lodge guides are experts and will make sure you and your family have a fun, safe and memorable wilderness experience.



Getting There

Wilderness Lodge Arthur's Pass is an easy two hours drive from Christchurch International Airport on the road to the South Island's West Coast. It is four hours drive from the Glaciers and 6 hours from Wilderness Lodge Lake Moeraki. It can also be reached by the TranzAlpine Train.



WILDERNESS LODGE LAKE MOERAKI

Wilderness Lodge Lake Moeraki is an exciting family destination set amongst the rainforests of Te Wahipounamu, the South West New Zealand World Heritage Area.

Experience stylish wilderness hospitality, great food and memorable nature adventures.



A Wildlife Hotspot

Handfeed the giant freshwater eels, see penguins (Aug-Dec), hike wild beaches to a fur seal colony and join an after dinner star gazing & glow worm hunt.

Getting There

Wilderness Lodge Lake Moeraki is located on the South Island's West Coast Highway 6 between the Glacier towns and Wanaka/Queenstown.

It is less than four hours drive from Queenstown International Airport and six hours from Wilderness Lodge Arthur's Pass.



Nature Discovery Adventures

Daily guided activities are fun, educational and a great way to introduce the younger members of the family to the outdoors.

Twice daily complimentary trips, longer optional trips and self guided trails and kayaking means there is something for everyone.

Explore wild beaches, kayak, fish for brown trout and discover the astonishing diversity of rainforest life.



Learn Easy Kayaking

The rainforest-lined waters of Lake Moeraki and the Moeraki River are the perfect place to kayak. Join a guided kayak safari or explore on your own. Our single and double kayaks are safe, stable and perfect for all levels of experience and ability