


# Visit the Kaipara Coast – attractions & accommodation list from Helensville to Wellsford

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 <p><b>Helensville</b></p>		Helensville Township <a href="http://www.helensville.co.nz">www.helensville.co.nz</a>		Wide range of: Shops & Cafes Museum & Historic Buildings Accommodation Thermal hot pools	Bus access: yes Food & Toilet facilities: yes
 <p><b>Albany Olive Press</b></p>	Caroline & Steve Wooler	88 Burne Road, Dairy Flat/Waitoki P:09 427 4554 E: <a href="mailto:functions@albanyolivepress.co.nz">functions@albanyolivepress.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www@albanyolivepress.co.nz">www@albanyolivepress.co.nz</a>	Cafe open weekends, groups by appoint anytime.	In bound tours & Group tours Picnics & Jazz nights Work shops	Bus access: yes Food seating area no: 100 max Food & Toilet facilities: yes
 <p><b>Helensville District Golf Club</b></p>	Raewyn Thomas	Peak Road, Kaukapakapa <a href="mailto:helensville@golf.co.nz">helensville@golf.co.nz</a> P: 09 420 5454 / F: 09 420 5330		The Club was established in 1948 and moved to its current location in 1959. The course now boasts manicured fairways, American standard sand based greens and an abundance of mature trees.	Bus access: yes Food & Toilet facilities: yes
 <p><b>Kaukapakapa Village &amp; Historic Buildings</b></p>		Kaukapakapa Village <a href="http://www.kaukapakapa.org.nz">www.kaukapakapa.org.nz</a>		The District of Kaukapakapa was founded in 1860. Kaukapakapa is now a green, prosperous district with some historic buildings to remind us of our past. Henley House and St Cuthbert's Presbyterian Church are officially listed by the NZ Historic Places Trust. The second Methodist Church (1882), the cemetery (1863), the Public Hall (1889) and the library (1908) are all rated historically significant.	Bus access: yes Food & Toilet facilities: yes
 <p><b>Kaukapakapa Hotel</b></p>	Glenn & Terri	Kaukapakapa Village P: 09 426 3391 / F: 09 426 3625 Glenn 021 725 483 / Terri 021 414 319 <a href="mailto:dehotbar@xtra.co.nz">dehotbar@xtra.co.nz</a>	Mon/Tues: 3 pm - 10pm Wed/Thur: 3pm - 1am Fri: 1pm - 1am Sat/Sun: 11am - 1am	Kaukapakapa Hotel offers heaps of entertainment. Our Public Bar offers the Bistro Menu and chinese food during opening hours and also a takeaway menu. Bands as advised, pool, pub trivia nights and more.	Bus access: yes Food provided: yes Toilet facilities: yes
 <p><b>Kaipara Coast Plant Centre &amp; Sculpture Gardens</b></p>	David & Geraldine Bayly	1481 Kaipara Coast Highway Kaukapakapa E:09 420 5655 / Geraldine: 021 475 222 / David: 027 272 3604 E: <a href="mailto:geraldine@plantsnz.co.nz">geraldine@plantsnz.co.nz</a> / E: <a href="mailto:david@plantsnz.co.nz">david@plantsnz.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.sculpturegardens.co.nz">www.sculpturegardens.co.nz</a>	Sculpture Trail: \$10 Adults, \$5 Children, Family \$25  Plant Centre FREE	Garden Centre Sculpture Gardens (1 km /1 hour walk) Bus tours, off the street car visitors, families, elderly (no wheelchairs) Open 7 days. Bookings required for larger groups & food.	Food seating area no: 32 Pre ordered food (groups) Toilet facilities: yes Bus access: yes
 <p><b>Omeru Reserve</b></p>	Auckland Council	Kaipara Coast Highway, Makarau	FREE  Great for school trips	LOCATION: 8km north of Kaukapakapa on SH16. DESCRIPTION: Omeru Scenic Reserve was gifted in 1971 by the late Sir Basil Orr. The reserve is named after the pa site 'Omeru'. Bush reserve with 2 streams, waterfalls, swing bridge, pa site & picnic area. Waitangi Falls (8m). Features signposted at the entrance. Duration: 0.5 hours (Level: Easy)	BBQs Carpark Historical Picnics Swimming Toilets
 <p><b>M&amp;G's Miniatures</b></p>	Gay Hayward	173 Makarau Road, Makarau P:09 420 5940 E: <a href="mailto:haywards@xtra.co.nz">haywards@xtra.co.nz</a>	By appointment	Miniature horse rides, either held at Makarau, or at your own venue. Eco tours around a working farmlet. Catering for small groups, families, birthday parties, school groups.	

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<b>The Farm</b> 		2421 Kaipara Coast Highway Makarau		A 1000acre Sculpture Park. Not open to the public, but a few of the sculptures can be viewed from Kaipara Coast Highway and Tuhurangi Rd.	
<b>Dunn's Bush</b> 	QEII National Trust	Ahuroa Road, Ahuroa <a href="http://www.openspace.org.nz/Site/Places_to_visit/North_Island_public/Dunns_Bush.aspx">www.openspace.org.nz/Site/Places_to_visit/North_Island_public/Dunns_Bush.aspx</a>	FREE	A 3km trail takes visitors through magnificent mature native forest and regenerating bush remnants. Rocky outcrops provide vantage points for views over the surrounding Puhoi countryside. The forest flora is rich, with more than 160 recorded species, including a giant kahikatea measuring 1.8 metres in diameter.	
<b>The Kauri Villa</b> 	Michelle Hayman	The Kauri Villa 58 Hawkens Road, Ahuroa RD1 Warkworth, North Auckland Ph: 09 422 5833 Email: stay@thekaurivilla.co.nz	Various	We offer you the opportunity to participate in a genuine Kiwi farming experience in this beautiful area of New Zealand. Whether you want to come for a romantic weekend, inspiration, to relax, or meet, pet and feed our friendly animals, you'll create lasting memories at The Kauri Villa bed and breakfast / farmstay.	Bed and Breakfast Farmstay Farm tours for groups
<b>Lothlorien Winery</b> 	Eli DeMeulemeester Natalie Garlick	1227 Ahuroa Road, Warkworth P: 09 4225846 / F: 09 4225847 E: <a href="mailto:info@lothlorienwinery.co.nz">info@lothlorienwinery.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.lothlorienwinery.co.nz">www.lothlorienwinery.co.nz</a>	Group tours by appointment only.	Producers of premium feijoa wine, feijoa liqueur and pure fruit juices using only the finest organic fruit. Lothlorien Winery is located an hour north of Auckland in the beautiful valley of Ahuroa.	Bus access: Food provided: Toilet facilities:
<b>Kaipara 2 Kaipara Walk</b> 	Jenny & Shane Hood and Clare & Steve Dill	2791 Kaipara Coast Highway Glorit P: 09 945 0311 E: <a href="mailto:info@kaipara2kaipara.co.nz">info@kaipara2kaipara.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.kaipara2kaipara.co.nz">www.kaipara2kaipara.co.nz</a>	\$235 Self catered \$430 fully catered	Walking trips – Self guided - 10 max, 2 min 3 days from Kaipara Flats to Glorit Self-catering or fully catered options	Bus access: yes Food & Toilet facilities: yes
<b>Mataia Homestead</b> 	Jenny & Shane Hood	2791 Kaipara Coast Highway Glorit P: 09 420 5312 E: <a href="mailto:jenny@mataia.co.nz">jenny@mataia.co.nz</a> / W: <a href="http://www.mataia.co.nz">www.mataia.co.nz</a>	Group tours by appointment only.	Accommodation Garden tours Native restoration planting days	Bus access: yes Food & Toilet facilities: yes
<b>Simply Delicious</b> 	Bea Stumpel	2882 Kaipara Coast Road P: 09 420 4162 / F: 09 420 4168 E: <a href="mailto:bea@choco.co.nz">bea@choco.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.choco.co.nz">www.choco.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.simplydelicious.co.nz">www.simplydelicious.co.nz</a>	Morning/Afternoon Tea & Choc Making \$25 ea Lunch & Choc Making \$35 each Min people 10	Tour, making chocolates demonstration and talk. Tours, floral demonstrations and talk.	Bus access: yes Food & Toilet facilities: yes Disabled: No
<b>Kaipara Views Eco Lodge</b> 	Shane & Sharon Lowdon	196 Kaipara Hills Road Glorit, Auckland 0984 P: 09 9450110 / M: 021488153 E: <a href="mailto:s.lowdon@vodafone.net.nz">s.lowdon@vodafone.net.nz</a>	Cost \$160 night off season End of April – end of Sept Dinner extra \$40 head	Overseas and local tourists accommodation, near the Mt Auckland Walkway entrance, Half an hour to Wellsford and Helensville.	Bus access: y (small bus only) Food & Toilet facilities: yes Accommodation: up to 10.
<b>Mt Auckland Atuanui Walkway</b> 	DOC	Track entrance 3 km down Glorit-Kaipara Hills Rd, off Kaipara Coast Highway (SH 16) <a href="http://www.doc.govt.nz/parks-and-recreation/tracks-and-walks/auckland/warkworth-area/mount-auckland-atuanui-walkway/">http://www.doc.govt.nz/parks-and-recreation/tracks-and-walks/auckland/warkworth-area/mount-auckland-atuanui-walkway/</a>	FREE	Time: 1 hr 45 min to the summit one way Distance: 3.5 km to the summit one way	

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<b>Puatahi Marae</b> 	Richard Nahi Sarah Thompson Tracy Nahi	3334 Kaipara Coast Highway Glorit E: <a href="mailto:puatahimarae@gmail.com">puatahimarae@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://www.naumaiplace.com/site/puatahi/home/welcome">www.naumaiplace.com/site/puatahi/home/welcome</a>		Marae visits, local history talks, marae style accommodation, meals.	Bus access: yes Food provided: yes Toilet facilities: yes Accommodation: yes
<b>Kaipara Oysters</b> 		3637 Kaipara Coast Highway, Hoteo E: <a href="mailto:info@kaiparaoysters.co.nz">info@kaiparaoysters.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.kaiparaoysters.co.nz">www.kaiparaoysters.co.nz</a>	Not open to the public yet	With an abundance of marine life, the untouched, nutrient-rich waters of the Kaipara Harbour, located in the sparsely populated northwest region of New Zealand's North Island, offers an ideal location for the world's most sustainable oyster farm.	
<b>Wild West Kayaking</b> 	John & Jo Green	Hoteo P: 09 422 5582 E: <a href="mailto:johnandjogreen@slingshot.co.nz">johnandjogreen@slingshot.co.nz</a>	Tours by appoint only. Cost \$70pp guide incl \$80pp picnic incl	Small groups and tourists Bird watchers	Bus access: no 10 paddlers Food & Toilet facilities: yes
<b>Tapora Golf Club</b> 		Tapora P: 09 422 1846 <a href="http://www.tgc.local.co.nz">www.tgc.local.co.nz</a>		1.8km SLD. Nine-hole, all-weather course. Irrigated greens, sheep grazing and mown fairways. Visitors always welcome.	
<b>Atiu Creek Regional Park</b> 	Auckland Council	Tapora Phone: 09 366 2000 <a href="http://www.arc.govt.nz/parks/our-parks/parks-in-the-region/atiu-creek/bookable-facilities.cfm?siteid=153">www.arc.govt.nz/parks/our-parks/parks-in-the-region/atiu-creek/bookable-facilities.cfm?siteid=153</a> or E: <a href="mailto:parks@arc.govt.nz">parks@arc.govt.nz</a>	FREE Open 6am to 7pm (winter) or 9pm (summer).	A recently created Regional Park in the ARC domain. It fronts on to the Kaipara Harbour and has intact areas of coastal forest together with a number of historical sites.	Accommodation: 18 people
<b>Salumeria Fontana Ltd</b> 	Greg & Kath	Hoteo North P: 09 4237678 E: <a href="mailto:greg@salumeriafontana.co.nz">greg@salumeriafontana.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.salumeriafontana.co.nz">www.salumeriafontana.co.nz</a>	Available on request for groups. \$12.50pp, includes oil and sausage tasting. Shop sales of	Olive Press and award winning sausage maker. Tour and talk from Greg on sausage making and olive oil pressing sausage tastings. Tour includes olive oil and sausage tastings.	Bus access: yes Food provided: yes Toilet facilities: yes Disabled: no Accommodation: 4 people
<b>Archery Adventures</b> 	Brendan Gaffney	Wayby Station Road, Wellsford. P/F 09 6300841, 0276777417 E: <a href="mailto:info@archeryadventures.co.nz">info@archeryadventures.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.archeryadventures.co.nz">www.archeryadventures.co.nz</a>		Specialist archery activity provider, established for over 10 years. Based in Auckland and Rodney, but can also travel anywhere by arrangement.	
<b>Albertland &amp; Districts Museum</b> 		24 Port Albert Road, Wellsford Phone / Fax: 09 423 8181 <a href="mailto:enquiries@albertland.co.nz">enquiries@albertland.co.nz</a> <a href="http://www.albertland.co.nz/">www.albertland.co.nz/</a>	1:00pm to 3:00pm every day. Also available on request for groups.	The museum houses collections from pioneer families. Between 1862 and 1865 over 1,000 nonconformist Christians came to Albertland, on the Kaipara Harbour the last of New Zealand's organised settlements.	
<b>Wellsford</b> 		Wellsford Township		Country service town with full range of shopping facilities, plus accommodation.	