



Things to do in the Waihi Beach Area

- Take a Martha Mine Tour - approx \$2,000,000 worth of gold & silver is taken out of this mine every week.(tour lasts approx 2 hours)
- Lunch at one of the wineries in the area:
Ohinemuri winery & café, Morten Estate winery & restaurant or Mills Reef winery & restaurant.
- Watch the sunrise behind Mayor Island from down on the Beach
- Do the 'windows walk' or one of the many others in the Karangahake Gorge
- Deep sea fishing & snorkelling at Mayor Island
- Go on a gorge walk, & see the history of the early gold mining days in the Karangahake gorge
- Enjoy a picnic at Anzac Bay
- Borrow the kayaks for a paddle in the inner harbour
- Swim with the dolphins in Tauranga
- Soak in the Athenree mineral hot pools
- Book a Marae experience with Bularangi - visit the Waihi Community Marae
- Visit Bullswool farm and see the exotic animals
- Catch a train ride from Waihi to the Waikino station & back
- Walk to Orakawa Bay - have a swim, take a picnic lunch and a glass of wine
- Gather Tuatua's on Waihi Beach and open them on the bar b que
- Have a coffee in one of the 4 local cafes or at the deli
- Visit the Art Market in Waihi to see local art at very good prices
- Go fishing with Waihi Beach Charters either around the reefs or out to Mayor Island
- Learn to surf at the local surf school

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- Do a day trip to Coromandel taking in Hot Water Beach, Cathedral Cove, Cooks Beach & Whitianga.
- Visit the Waihi Museum and check out the local history of Waihi
- Play 18 holes of golf at one of the many local golf courses. (4 within ½ hour drive and at very reasonable prices - club, trundler & kart hire also available)
- Enjoy a great ice cream in a cone from the Island View Dairy
- Visit the look out & Pa site at Bowentown and look over to Matakana Island -110,000 hectares of pine forest stretching from Bowentown to Tauranga.
- Collect mussels off the rocks at the northern end of the beach
- Try some retail therapy for the ladies at Molly's fashion store
- Relax on the 9ks of white sandy beach
- Try a freshly made chicken & grain mustard pie from the deli
- Watch the moon come up after sunset behind Mayor Island
- Do a day trip to Rotorua visiting geothermal hot spots and experiencing Maori culture first hand.
- Play 18 holes of mini golf in the village
- Try your luck with trout fishing in the Ohinemuri river
- Visit the 'Pump house' in Waihi - an historic Cornish pump house
- Walk from Haumaunga back to Waihi Beach - approx 2 3/4hour walk along the coast line
- Buy fish n chips from the Wilson Rd fish shop and eat them on the beach with a glass of wine or beer.
- Enjoy surf casting off the rocks at Bowentown
- Take a look at the avocado trees and Kiwi fruit vines close by - ask Greg & Ali for directions
- Relax and book an hour massage with Gail Murray our on site masseuse
- Collect many of the different shells on Waihi Beach - be careful to ensure the shells are empty if you want to take them home.
- Catch a helicopter out to Mayor Island and take a guided walk around the island

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- Visit Waihi Water Lily garden
- Buy "beachy" gifts from High tide gift store
- Have a beer in the Waikino pub and catch up on the early history of the gold mining area.
- Book a Maori experience to see Mataora - The Living Face, the story of Tamoko and Maori Arts & Crafts with Bularangi .com
- Have some fun body surfing (or borrow the boogie boards) on the beach
- Have a freshly made ham & salad baguette from the deli for lunch
- Visit the lavender farm at Katikati
- Check out Athenree house - an historic house dating back to the early 1800's
- Catch the thrill of tandem sky diving in Mt Maunganui
- Take surfing lessons at Waihi Beach
- Do a day trip to Waitomo seeing the world famous glo worm caves and seeing a real live kiwi at the Kiwi house in Otorohonga.
- Have lunch at the only café on the beach - Flat white café
- Take your bathers to the thermal pools in Te Aroha for a swim
- Book a dinner kayaking trip through gloworm caves with Waimarino
- Take a Harley bike ride and see the Coromandel with Bularangi Tours, half or full day.
- Borrow the bicycles for a leisurely ride around Waihi Beach.
- Have dinner or lunch at Waitete Orchard restaurant in Waihi
- Go torpedo fishing with Greg & Ali and mix with a few of the locals - tie it in with fish n chips for dinner on the beach along with a glass or two of NZ wine or beer
- Go to the ice creamery at Waitete Orchard Restaurant in Waihi for locally made ice cream
- Have a beer at the new Surf Club bar @ the Waihi Beach Surf Club - you need to be a member so check with Greg & Ali for details
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