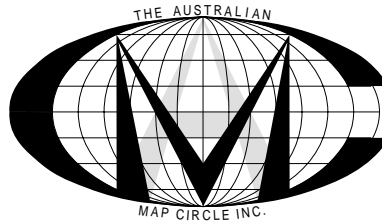


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### THE FUTURE OF THE AUSTRALIAN MAP CIRCLE

For some time now members of the Australian Map Circle have been considering and privately discussing our future direction.

The issue came to a head at the 2006 AGM in Perth. At that meeting all of our long-serving and valued executive retired, leaving a significant management succession gap. Simply put, we needed to select an entirely new executive.

After extensive discussions I agreed to put forward my nomination as President, on the basis of John Cain agreeing to take on the role of Business Manager, and Adella Edwards agreeing to continue as Vice-President. This enabled us to maintain continuity and retain and transfer valuable knowledge on how the organisation operated. At that meeting members also welcomed Dianne Rutherford onto the Executive as Secretary.

#### Reorganisation

Over the next twelve months the Executive reorganised the way it operated. John Cain, needing to reduce his AMC workload, relinquished his role as Editor of *The Globe*, to focus on his role as Business Manager Gregory. Greg Eccleston was asked to take on the role of Editorial Board Convener, and the *Globe* Editors took on responsibility for individual papers, thus spreading the workload.

In order to better enable succession planning, the Executive decided to make the position of Vice-President the preliminary step to the role of President.

Adella Edwards decided she wished to focus on her role of liaison with other organisations and consequently did not nominate for her previous position of Vice-President.

Dianne Rutherford indicated her desire to focus on the newsletter, while remaining part of the team.

Discussions with several potential Executive members were held late in 2006 as I canvassed the membership, looking for future leaders.

The Executive also decided to begin a discussion with the membership regarding the name of the organisation, with a suggestion it be bought into line with other similar bodies which include the word "Society" in their name, rather than the word "Circle". It was felt that perhaps the name was no longer appropriate, and might in fact not convey the impression that the AMC was a serious

cartographic organisation, especially to the younger generation(s). It was agreed to raise the matter as a discussion subject at the 2007 AGM in Canberra.

At the Canberra AGM the membership moved that this report be prepared for consideration at the next AGM, in Wellington.

Martin Woods was elected as Vice-President under the new model, Denis Shephard was elected Secretary, John Cain was re-elected Business Manager, and I was re-elected President.

Since the Canberra AGM the Executive have resolved that:

*All expenditure should continue to be approved by a majority of the President, Vice-president, Secretary and Business Manager.*

and that:

*The Executive invites Dianne Rutherford, Newsletter Editor, and Adella Edwards, Relationship Coordinator, to be members of the Australian Map Circle Executive.*

John Cain and Gregory Eccleston have been busy consolidating the records of the AMC and arranging storage for our materials and Journal back-issues. This has been necessary, as we were required to move out of the space we previously occupied at Melbourne University, who have been our supportive hosts for many years. Other members have assisted in this process.

## **New Development**

In August The New Zealand Map Society, following its AGM, made a formal approach the Executive of the AMC to begin a discussion with a view to a merger, with the New Zealand Society becoming, in effect, a branch of a merged organisation.

The AMC Executive "...expressed 'in-principle' support for the proposal and agreed that Michael Ross, Martin Woods and John Cain discuss the idea with a view to placing a recommendation before the next Annual General Meeting of the Australian Map Circle".

As well as potentially offering a larger membership base, administrative savings, and greater synergies, this important development adds a new dimension to the question of a potential name change.

## **2008 AGM**

Consequently, the key issues to be considered prior to the next AGM are:

1. Does the AMC accept the NZMS proposal "in principle", and begin discussions with the NZMS?
2. In the event that the merger takes place, what would an appropriate name be for the merged organisation?
3. If the merger does not take place, what is the membership's view of the proposal to change the name of the Australian Map Circle to the Australian Map Society, or similar?

## **Merger**

The Executive propose the following resolution be put to the 2008 AGM:

*"The AMC agrees in principle to a merger with the New Zealand Map Society. The AMC Executive will be responsible for negotiating with the NZMS the form of the new organisation, and any conditions of merger".*

It is proposed that the Vice-President, assisted by the Business Manager, carry out the negotiation on behalf of the Executive and present a formal proposal and merger plan to a Special General Meeting in July 2008 for final approval. This will enable the NZMS to consider the same proposal and plan at their AGM, which will be in August. In this way the approval (if given) comes from the AMC first, as a response to the approach from the NZMS. See "Voting" below regarding postal participation in the process.

It is also proposed that the President of the AMC be the initial President of the merged organisation, and that after the merger positions on the Executive would be voted for in the normal manner, with the exception that a representative of the New Zealand "branch" have a formal position on the Executive. This would also apply to any other formal "branch".

## Name

Following the request made at the 2007 AGM a search of key sources for cartographic organisations has revealed:

- Only two "map circles" - Brussels International Map Collectors' Circle, and the AMC
- Several "associations" – such as the Cyprus Association of Map Collectors
- A long list of organisations using the word "Society". These include:
  - International Society for the Curators of Early Maps
  - International Coronelli Society for the Study of Globes
  - Israeli Map Collectors' Society
  - London Topographical Society
  - Sociedad Cartográfica Hispana
  - Society for Hellenic Cartography
  - Washington Map Society
  - California Map Society
  - New Zealand Map Society
  - William P. Cumming Map Society
  - Texas Map Society
  - Chicago Map Society
  - Northern Ohio Map Society
  - New York Map Society
  - Upper Canada Map Society
  - Historical Map Society of British Columbia
  - Michigan Map Society
  - International Map Collectors Society

The situation we now find ourselves in is:

- *In the event of a merger, we will need a name for the new organisation, which will need to reflect both the **Australian and New Zealand** membership. The New Zealand organisation is legally an incorporated society at present.*
- *In the event the AMC membership does not wish to merge, we are obliged by resolution from the 2007 AGM to consider the future name of the current AMC at the 2008 AGM.*

## Voting

In order that all members are able to participate in the voting at the 2008 AGM, given the location of that meeting in Wellington New Zealand, it is proposed that postal voting, on the specific merger and name resolutions, be used prior to the AGM by those not attending. This would also apply to any Special General Meeting called to consider a final proposal.

## Discussion

A key purpose of this report is to encourage a discussion amongst members on these important issues.

Please use the **amcircle** email discussion list (got to <http://australianmapcircle.org.au/amcircle.html> if you are not already a member) to express your thoughts and ideas, including the final form of the resolutions.

For those who prefer paper and pen, please feel free to write to:

The Secretary  
Australian Map Circle  
PO Box 4206  
University of Melbourne 3052  
AUSTRALIA.

The Executive will consider all contributions and circulate a summary of viewpoints with the voting papers, prior to Christmas, so that they can be considered by members before the AGM, which is on February 13, 2007, in Wellington.

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## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

### **AMC Joint Conference 'Under the Southern Cross' 10-13 February 2008 Wellington, New Zealand**

You can register online or download a PDF version of the registration form for the 2008 conference. This is a joint conference with the New Zealand Map Society and the International Map Collectors Society.

There will be a pre conference symposium in Sydney on Thursday 7th and Friday 8th of February 2008.

More details about speakers, program and registration information at <http://www.underthesoutherncross.org/>

### **Earth Sciences History Group The history of geology in the second half of the nineteenth century: the story in Australia, and in Victoria, from Selwyn and McCoy to Gregory – 1853 to 1903 Thursday 29th November to Saturday 1st December, 2007.**

The Earth Sciences History Group is holding a conference on Earth Sciences history at the School of Earth Sciences, The University of Melbourne, beginning with a series of paper presentations and displays on Thursday 29th November 2007. Further papers and a free afternoon field trip to the historic railway cuttings in nearby Royal Park will follow on Friday 30th November.

On Saturday 1st December, the conference will conclude with a one-day minibus field trip to the historic Deep Leads of the Creswick area, a notable area of young volcanic activity, first identified by Major Mitchell in 1836 (below).

#### **Conference Keynote Address**

“A Bird’s Eye View of the Victorian Goldfields, from the First Rushes to the First World War”

Professor Geoffrey Blainey AC

The Keynote Address will be open to the public, as part of the November Meeting of the Victoria Division of the GSA, Inc., at 6.15 pm on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November, in the School of Earth Sciences, at The University of Melbourne.

Enrolment & Deadlines are nominally due 15th October, but late submission are still welcome.

- Registration \$50
- Short Papers
- Enrolment for the Creswick Deep Leads field excursion at a cost of \$50 (note that only limited space is available!).

To register and pay, and for the latest details visit <http://vic.gsa.org.au/eshg.htm> Email queries to Bernie Joyce at: [ebj@unimelb.edu.au](mailto:ebj@unimelb.edu.au)

## MAPS ON THE WEB

Online version of Princeton University's current exhibition, "To the Mountains of the Moon: Mapping African Exploration, 1541-1880":

[http://libweb5.princeton.edu/visual\\_materials/maps/websites/africa/titlepage.html](http://libweb5.princeton.edu/visual_materials/maps/websites/africa/titlepage.html)

Map tetris: <http://www.mapmsg.com/games/statetris/europe/>

Virtual tour of the James Cook Exhibition: <http://library.hanover.edu/cook>

How to read a First World War trench map: [http://www.1914-1918.net/trench\\_maps.htm](http://www.1914-1918.net/trench_maps.htm)

Good source for Israeli and Jordanian maps and archaeology reports/maps:

<http://www.mapsmideast.com/>

Google Australia has launched a dedicated Australian Election site:

[www.google.com.au/election2007/](http://www.google.com.au/election2007/)

## MAPS AND MAP PUBLICATIONS

### The Globe

Back issues of *The Globe* can be purchased for \$15.00 per copy, including postage and handling (world-wide). Pre-payment is required.

The following back issues are available: nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 16, 18, 22, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, and all issues from no. 33 onwards except no. 47. We may also be able to supply photocopies of issues which are out of print, please enquire.

The Wine Map of Victoria / Max Allen (cartography by AMC member Martin von Wyss) the most comprehensive state-wide overview of wine regions, wineries and vineyards.

Folded Map, folded to 140mm x 245mm: \$15.95

Flat Map, 980mm x 730mm: \$19.95

Laminated Map, about 995mm x 745mm: \$49.95

(All prices include G.S.T. and postage within Australia)

Copies of The Wine Map of Victoria is available at cellar doors, selected bookshops and wine shops. The map can also be ordered online at [www.australianwinemaps.com](http://www.australianwinemaps.com)

The Department of Lands is taking orders for its Electoral Atlas of NSW which traces the changing administration of the State's political processes between 1856 and 2006. The Electoral Atlas of NSW is available from the Department of Lands Map Sales for \$85 plus \$4 postage and handling. Phone: (02) 6332 8123 for more information.

**The Australian Map Circle Inc. Newsletter. ISSN 0811-9511.**

An occasional series of newsletters produced to keep members of the Australian Map Circle informed about matters of immediate interest and to supplement *The Globe*, journal of the AMC. Edited by Dianne Rutherford. Material for the Newsletter can be forwarded to:

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**GST:** The Australian Map Circle's ABN is **19 046 516 617**. As a not-for-profit association with an annual turnover of less than \$100 000, the AMC is not registered for and does not charge GST. Consequently, the AMC does not issue 'tax invoices', as these may only be issued by organizations that are registered for GST.

## MAP NEWS

### Signs Installed Warning of Satnav Errors 29 August 2007

The first official road signs to warn drivers about the dangers of trusting their satellite navigation devices have been introduced as a trial in the Welsh village, St Hilary, in South Wales. There have been many problems in Britain, including software glitches that have sent drivers up impassible roads or the wrong way down one way streets. The signs at St Hilary have been introduced around one particular black spot in the village, where their satnavs direct truck drivers to a shortcut between the main M4 motorway and Cardiff airport. The road is far too narrow for many to travel down, causing them to get stuck and sparking major traffic problems. If successful, officials plan to put up signs nationally as recent figures show that more than four million drivers in Britain rely on satnavs.

Full article at: <http://www.pcpro.co.uk/news/123503/road-signs-warn-drivers-to-ignore-satnav.html>

### Maps Show Smoking, Cancer Blackspots June 24, 2007

Maps showing the health and income profile of every council in England have been being published by the government. The charts, published for the second year running, are designed to help local officials identify areas and populations where public health needs improvement. Teesdale in County Durham has the most physically active population while the people of St Albans in Hertfordshire are the least likely to be admitted to hospital with alcohol problems. Summarised at a regional level, the charts show that people in the north west are the most likely to die from smoking related diseases, from cancer and from heart disease and stroke. Public Health Minister Caroline Flint said the maps would help local government and the National Health Service decide where to target resources to deal with health inequalities.

<http://www.theage.com.au/news/WORLD/Maps-show-smoking-cancer-blackspots/2007/06/24/1182623713843.html>



# Te Taki o Autahi - Under the Southern Cross

International Cartographic Conference Wellington New Zealand 2008

The Organising Committee of **Te Taki o Autahi - Under the Southern Cross International Cartographic Conference** invite you to attend our conference in Wellington, the capital city of New Zealand, on February 10-13 2008. This conference is also the 26th International Symposium of the International Map Collectors Society.

The conference will focus on the cartography of the Southern Hemisphere, with four main streams: Polynesian navigation and mapping, Antarctica, and Under the Southern Cross, including Celestial mapping and other Southern Hemisphere cartographic topics.



The conference will be held in Te Papa Tongarewa the Museum of New Zealand, sited on Wellington's spectacular waterfront.

The conference hotel, and many other hotels are situated within a short walking distance of the conference venue

Pre and post-conference tours are outlined in this brochure, together with the programme format and keynote speakers. Full conference and tour details and online registration is available at: <http://www.underthesoutherncross.org>

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Australian Map Circle, International Map Collectors Society, New Zealand Map Society



## Keynote Speakers



### **Dame Anne Salmond**

Distinguished Professor of Maori Studies at the University of Auckland, Dame Anne has devoted her lifetime to the study of relations between Europe and Polynesia.



### **Dr. Peter van der Krogt**

World expert on Dutch cartography. Appointed leader of the URU-Explokart research program for the History of Cartography program in 2004.



### **Professor Robert Clancy**

An internationally renowned map collector and author. His extensive personal collection, includes more than 100 Antarctic maps.



### **Dr. Nick Kanas**

Professor of Psychiatry, conducting research on astronauts in space. His new book is "Star Maps: A History of Celestial Cartography" will.



### **Kirsten Seaver**

Stanford University Professor (former), novelist, translator, and independent historical researcher. Author of 10+ books.



### **Jack Thatcher**

Internationally recognised expert navigator of traditional waka hourua (voyaging canoes).



### **Helene Richard**

Director of the Department of the Charts and Plans of the Bibliothèque nationale de France. President of the Group of Cartothécaires of LIBER and the French Committee of Cartography.



### **John Manning**

Manager of the AUSLIG National Geodesy Program and chairs the Working Group on Geodesy and Geographic Information of the Scientific Committee for Antarctic Research.



### **John Robson**

The Captain Cook Encyclopaedia and Captain Cook's World: Maps of the Life and Voyages of James Cook R.N. have international recognition.



### **Dorothy Prescott**

Former Map Curator at the Australian National Library. Awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia for services to map librarianship and cartography in 2003.



### **Dr. Bill Richardson**

Author of 20+ articles on the "Jave La Grande" question. His 2006 book *Was Australia charted before 1606? The Jave La Grande Inscriptions* published by the Australian National Library.

# Conference Programme

## Sunday February 10

Welcoming reception

Full and half-day tours of Wellington and the surrounding countryside will be available before, during and after the conference.

## Monday February 11 -Polynesian Navigation

Conference Opening

Michael Ross - *Te Taki o Autahi - Under the Southern Cross*

Dame Anne Salmond - *Island Cartographers in the South Pacific*

Jack Thatcher - *Navigating Te Moana nui ā Kiwa*

Papers, presentations, site visits and tours

*The Mapping of Antarctica* - Map Exhibition Opening and cocktail function.

## Tuesday February 12 – The Mapping of Antarctica

Prof. Robert Clancy - *The Mapping of Antarctica*

Dr. Ross Marshall - *The Russian Explorations*

John Manning - *Mapping a Stateless Continent*

Kirsten A. Seaver - *Countenance and Profit: Cartography's Useful Twins*

Papers, presentations, site visits and tours

*A Taste of NZ* – A New Zealand Food and Wine experience at the famous BackBencher Hotel

## Wednesday February 13 - Under the Southern Cross

Dr. Nick Kanas – *The Celestial Mapping of the Southern Skies*

Dr. W.A.R Richardson - *Was Australia charted before 1606? -The Java La Grande Inscriptions*

John Robson - *Cartographers with Cook: the cartographic output of men who sailed to New Zealand with Captain James Cook*

Captain Phil Rivers – *The 1421 Myth*

John Brock - *The First Chart Maker Under The Southern Cross - Willem Blaeu's Celestial Globe of 1602?*

Papers, presentations, site visits and tours

Conference Close

Annual General Meetings of the Australian Map Circle and the NZ Map Society

*Under the Southern Cross* – the Conference Dinner, preceded by drinks

## Thursday February 13 – Post-Conference Tours begin

## Tours

### Wellington Tours

9 full-day and half-day tours including Capital Arts Tour, Lord of The Rings Filming Locations Tour, Maori Treasures, City Highlights 'Inspiration' Tour, Wild Wellington Tour, Martinborough Wine Tour, Marlborough Wine Tour, Kapiti Island Tour, and a Whales of Kaikoura Tour, all of which can be taken prior to, during, and after the conference.

### Post-Conference Tours

***A Cooks Tour of New Zealand*** – 7 days visiting the Hawkes Bay, Gisborne, Rotorua, Coromandel and Auckland, calling at key Captain Cook sites. Guided by John Robson, the Cook expert. Ends in Auckland.

***Spectacular South Island Tour*** – 7 days touring the Marlborough Sounds, Christchurch including its Antarctic Centre, Franz Josef Glacier, the Haast Pass, Queenstown, Lake Pukaki, Tekapo, and Milford Sound. Ends at Christchurch Airport.



***Northern Highlights*** – Follows the *Spectacular South Island Tour*. 7 days touring Auckland, Bay of Islands including a full day cruising on the tall ship the R Tucker Thompson, Paihia, Thames, Rotorua including its thermal area and Maori culture. Ends in Auckland

***Far North Tour*** – 5 days touring Auckland, Bay of Islands including a full day cruising on the tall ship the R Tucker Thompson, and Paihia. Ends in Auckland.



***Marlborough Sounds*** - Day Excursion. Cruise across Cook Strait to Picton, through Tory channel and down Queen Charlotte Sound. Travel by charter launch down Queen Charlotte Sound to Ship Cove. Returns to Wellington.

### Sydney Pre-Conference Symposium

A pre-symposium meeting on the historic cartographic significance of Sydney will be held on 7-8 February 2008. On Thursday 7th, an historic tour of the Blue Mountains to the immediate west of Sydney has been organised, including welcome drinks. On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> the first part '*Escaping Sydney*' will include talks on '*Sydney a transit, but not a destination*', and '*Mapping the escape routes*' as well as viewing some of the rarely seen manuscript maps that record the history of early NSW. An afternoon visit to the Mitchell Library for '*Pacific is Terrific*' showcasing some of the collection of maps and prints produced as a result of European exploration of the Pacific Ocean, will be followed by a cocktail party and an opportunity to see some of the treasures of the Mitchell Collection.

## Te Taki o Autahi – Under the Southern Cross

International Cartographic Conference

Te Papa  
Wellington  
New Zealand  
10<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> February 2008

## REGISTRATON FORM

### CONFERENCE MANAGERS

New Zealand Conference Connexions Ltd (NZCC)  
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Ph. (+64) 4 237 8091 Fax. (+64) 4 237 8062  
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### CANCELLATION POLICY

Should you need to cancel your registration, you may reassign it to another person. Please notify New Zealand Conference Connexions Ltd in writing if you are unable to arrange a replacement. If you are unable to arrange a replacement, a full refund less an administration fee of NZD \$200 will be made providing notification is received by 10 January 2008. After that date refunds will be at the discretion of the Organising Committee.

If, for reasons beyond the control of the Organising Committee, the conference is cancelled, registration fees will be refunded after the deduction of expenses already incurred.

**The conference is governed by New Zealand law and the hosts reserve the right to decline conference registration to any person or persons who, in the opinion of the conference Organising Committee, is or are unsuitable to attend and to participate in the spirit of the conference**

### PRIVACY

The Te Taki o Autahi – Under the Southern Cross Organising Committee may be required to pass your registration details onto other Suppliers solely for the purposes of the conference. Otherwise, your information will remain confidential.

### PERMISSION REQUESTED

The Te Taki o Autahi – Under the Southern Cross Organisation Committee will publish your name and organisation in the Conference Delegate Directory. Please tick this box if you **do not** wish to appear in the Directory:  I Do Not Wish to Appear in the Delegate Directory

### Conference Attendee

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: Mr / Mrs / Ms / Dr / Prof / Other \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Organisation: IMCoS / AMC / NZMS / Other \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Town / City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Requirements e.g. dietary, disabilities etc: \_\_\_\_\_

### Accompanying Person

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: Mr / Mrs / Ms / Dr / Prof / Other \_\_\_\_\_

Special Requirements e.g. dietary, disabilities etc: \_\_\_\_\_

### CONFERENCE SUBMISSIONS / PRESENTATIONS

I wish to present a Paper [NB. Presenters of papers must register for the full Conference]

I wish to present a Poster

I wish to mount a Display

### REGISTRATION / CONFERENCE FEES / ADDITIONAL EVENTS – Per person

	Price (Including GST)	Total
Full Conference Attendee	639.00	\$
Single Conference Day Pass – Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> February 2008	250.00	\$
Single Conference Day Pass – Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2008	250.00	\$
Single Conference Day Pass – Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 2008	200.00	\$
<b>Number Required</b>	<b>SUB TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

All registrations above include: • Attendance at all conference sessions • Satchel and contents • Morning & Afternoon teas / Lunches

### SOCIAL FUNCTIONS / ADDITIONAL EVENT TICKETS [Full Details can be found on the Website]

	Price (Including GST)	Total
Parliamentary Reception – Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> February 2008	67.00	\$
The Mapping of Antarctica Exhibition Opening – Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> February 2008	60.00	\$
A Taste of New Zealand Dinner – Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2008	96.00	\$
Conference Dinner in a Spectacular Setting – Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 2008	179.00	\$
<b>Number Required</b>	<b>SUB TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

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<b>+ SUB TOTAL B</b>	<b>\$</b>



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Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**SPECIALIST TOURS [Full Details can be found on the Website]**

Please select your tours of interest, **then specify:**

- Number of people in your group
- Date / Time you wish to take the tour
- Names of People in your group

<b>Half Day Tours</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Names</b>
Middle Earth Filming Locations Tour			
Capital Arts Tour			
Wellington Hidden Treasures Tour			
Maori Treasures			
City Highlights 'Inspiration' Tour			
Capital Food – Zest Walking Gourmet Tour			
Museum of Wellington City and Sea & Karori Wildlife Sanctuary			

<b>Full Day Tours</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Names</b>
Lord of the Rings Filming Locations Tour			
Capital Arts Tour			
Maori Treasures			
City Highlights 'Inspiration' Tour			
Wild Wellington Tour			
Martinborough Wine Tour			
Marlborough Wine Tour			
Kapiti Island Tour			
Whales of Kaikoura			

<b>Post Conference Tours</b>	<b>Names</b>
Majestic Marlborough Sounds Day Tour	
South Island Spectacular Tour	
Cook's Tour (Led by John Robson)	
Northern Highlights Tour	
Far North Tour	

**Please Note:** February is a very popular season for travel within New Zealand. We urge you to confirm your arrangements to avoid disappointment.