

Grand Australia & New Zealand Tauck Tour

Estimated Total Mileage

27,500 mi or 44,260 km

International Flight Mileage

21,530 mi or 34,650 km

Earth's Circumference

24,900 mi or 40,100 km

Wellington, NZ









The Botanic Garden Wellington



What is that awful smell?

Amorphophallus konjac (Araceae)

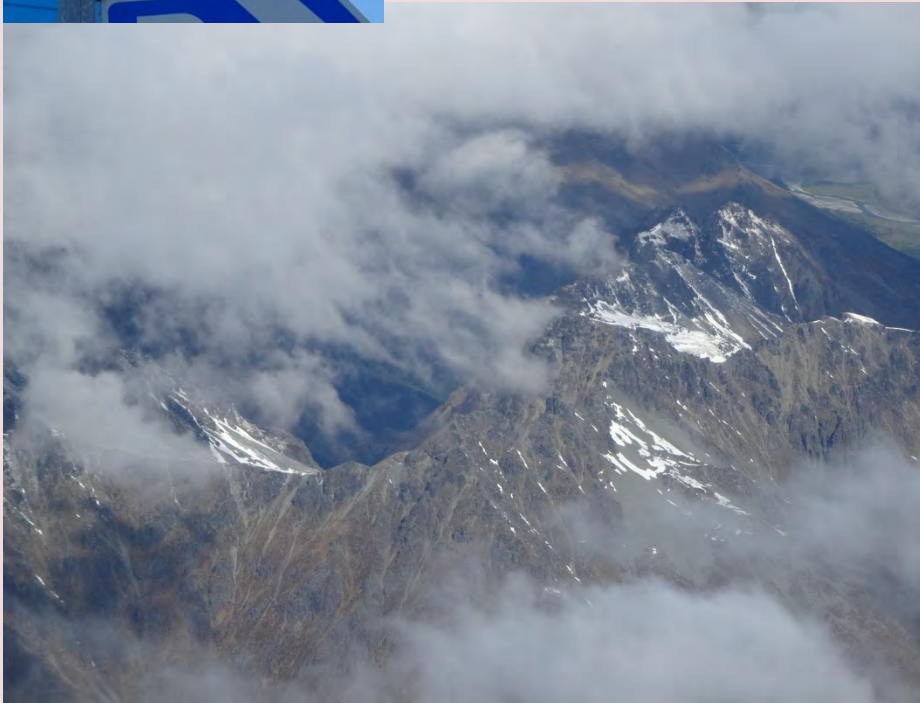
Te Papa Museum



Marlborough Sounds



To Te Anau



To Fjordland National Park



Mirror Lakes



THE ROAD TO MILFORD SOUND

The Milford Road...

- ▼ Is one of the highest alpine passes in New Zealand.
- ▼ Is the only vehicular access to Milford Sound.
- ▼ Has a 21km area affected by avalanches.



WEST SIDE — Drive at the speed appropriate for the conditions; use your gears to control speed, not your brakes!



HOMER TUNNEL — Never stop outside the tunnel portals. The tunnel is open for two-way traffic at all times and there are two passing bays inside the tunnel, 100 metres from each end.

SAFE STOPPING AREAS
There are two safe stopping areas:
■ The Chapel ■ Monkey Creek

The risk of avalanche is greatest to stationary vehicles. To ensure your own safety and that of other road users the Milford Road Avalanche Area is gazetted with traffic restrictions and a By-Law to protect the safety of road users.



Snow & ice avalanche
Rock-avalanche
Tree-avalanche

Milford Sound - Piopiotahi







On the way to Queenstown







Queenstown





Skippers Canyon

Skippers Road is a
Public Area
All motorcycles and other
vehicles must have

- A Warrant of Fitness
- A Licenced Operator
- A Current Registration

NARROW WINDING ROAD
WITH STEEP DROP-OFFS
NO SAFETY BARRIER



GRAVEL
ROAD

15 km/h
NEXT 20 km



ROAD NOT SUITABLE
FOR TOWING VEHICLES

CAUTION!
BACK COUNTRY ROAD
ROAD CONDITIONS VARY
VEHICLE DAMAGE POSSIBLE
RENTAL VEHICLES MAY NOT BE
INSURED BEYOND THIS POINT

**NO
EXIT**



**NO
SHOOTING
FROM
PUBLIC LAND
OR
ROADWAY**

ROAD WARNING

- HISTORIC SKIPPERS ROAD IS NARROW AND PRONE TO SLIPS
- CARAVANS AND TRAILERS ARE NOT SUITABLE ON THIS ROAD
- IN WINTER SNOW CAN CLOSE THE ROAD
- SOME VEHICLES ARE NOT INSURED PAST THIS POINT
- NO TURN AROUND FOR 6 KM

NO EXIT



All River Users

Commercial Jetboats operate on the Shotover River between Deep Creek and Skippers Bridge.

Contact must be made in the interests of Public Safety with Skippers Canyon Jet prior to using the river.

Contact details are Skippers Canyon Jet base 442 9434 or call into Base at Pipeline over cattlestop.

By Order Harbourmaster 0274345289

Jetboat





Helicopter Ride



Zip Line





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Thanks to Tauck's Rob Rice!