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## Booking Options

The Rotorua Media Activity Afternoon takes place from 11.30am – 4pm on Wednesday 15 May. Note this slight time change from previous years.

This is an exciting opportunity to experience first-hand what makes Rotorua such an amazing visitor destination. Exclusive to TRENZ Media delegates, our three options showcase the stories of Rotorua.

## Register

Selection your preference (tour 1, tour 2, or tour 3) via your My TRENZ Zone. Please note places are limited so while we will try to allocate everyone their first choice, this is not guaranteed.

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# Tour 1: The round trip – Tarawera experience

Rotorua has been hosting visitors since the beginning of tourism in New Zealand. The original “round trip” was created in the 1900s, for visitors travelling to Rotorua to see the Waimangu Geysir, the largest geyser in the world.

Depart Rotorua Lakefront for a float plane scenic flight over mount Tarawera before landing on Lake Tarawera. You’ll be met by Totally Tarawera for a guided walk over the Isthmus Track to Lake Rotomahana. Here you will meet the boat for lunch and a cruise on Lake Rotomahana, before a guided walk at Waimangu Volcanic Valley. We’ll then return to Rotorua by road.



\*Weather option – if weather unsuitable for flight, we will use road transport to Lake Tarawera and Eco-Taxi to The Isthmus Track. Flight over Tarawera may be reduced to direct transfer to Lake Tarawera if weather is unsuitable for summit.



## Additional Information

Reasonable level of fitness required.

Please wear good walking shoes and warm comfortable clothes, bring a camera!

## Useful Links

[www.volcanicair.co.nz](http://www.volcanicair.co.nz)

[www.totallytarawera.com](http://www.totallytarawera.com)

[www.waimangu.co.nz](http://www.waimangu.co.nz)



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## Tour 2: Mokoia Island and lakeside spa experience

Mokoia Island on Lake Rotorua, is central to the history of Rotorua and home to our most famous love story. Today the island is a sacred sanctuary, a predator free haven for native birds and wildlife.

Travel by jet boat or water taxi\* with Katoa Rotorua to Mokoia Island. Take a guided tour on the island and hear about Tutanekai & Hinemoa, Rotorua's iconic love story.

Return back to Rotorua Lakefront for lunch. Then continue on to Polynesian Spa where you will enjoy a Dulux Lake Spa Experience, the modern day 'Hinemoa's Pool'.

\*Water taxi is the bad weather option



### Additional Information

Moderate fitness required. Please wear good walking shoes, warm comfortable clothing and a jacket.

Polynesian Spa - We advise anyone with an underlying medical or health condition to consult their doctor should they have any queries regarding the use of hot pools.

Bring bathing suits, water bottles, jandals. Towels, haircare and hairdryers provided.

### Useful Links

[www.katoalakerotorua.co.nz](http://www.katoalakerotorua.co.nz)

[www.polynesianspa.co.nz](http://www.polynesianspa.co.nz)

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## Tour 3: Adventure and geothermal

Rotorua is known for our geothermal wonders and a range of adventure activities. This options combines 2 of our iconic experiences.

Start with a transfer to Okere Falls, where we'll embark on a white water rafting experience on the Kaituna river, including the highest commercially rafted waterfall, the Tutea Falls.

Then head to Hell's Gate for a hangi lunch, mud path and mineral spa bathing experience.



### Additional Information

Some level of fitness required but no experience necessary. Please bring swimsuit and towel, and warm clothing to change into. Wetsuits and lifejackets provided.

Hell's Gate - Please bring swimwear (or use ours for free). Towels provided.

Please note hot pools may be unsuitable for those who are pregnant, have high blood pressure, a sulphur allergy, heart condition or had a recent heart operation, please check with your medical professional.

### Useful Links

[www.kaitunacascades.co.nz](http://www.kaitunacascades.co.nz)

[www.hellsgate.co.nz](http://www.hellsgate.co.nz)



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