



**Stellar Trust P Free Cycle Tour of NZ**  
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## Itinerary

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Day/Date	Km's to Cycle	Town/City	Details
<b>START</b> Day 1 - February 21st	20.3km	Cape Reinga – Waitiki Landing	Bus to Cape Reinga. Cycle back to Waitiki Landing to camp
Day 2 – February 22 <sup>nd</sup>	46km	Houhora	Cycle to Houhora via Far North Road
Day 3 - February 23rd	65km	Ahipara	Cycle down SH1, right on to Gill Rd, Sandhills Rd, turn right at Ahipara Rd. At shops right turn to Ahipara camp ground
Day 4 - February 24th	83km	Opononi Beach	Head east on Ahipara Rd towards Sandhills. Turn right at Kaitaia Awaroa Rd. Herekino - Awaroa - Broadwood (alternative gravel road ) - Kohukohu - catch ferry across Hokianga inlet (\$2pp) - Rawene - take Rawene Rd & turn right at SH12 - Opononi Beach
Day 5 - February 25 <sup>th</sup>	87km	Dargaville	Continue to Dargaville
Day 6 - February 26th	92km	Tokatoka Ruawai Matakohe Maungaturoto Kaiwaka Te Hana	SH12 Mititai - Tokatoka – Ruawai (cafe) - Matakohe. Visit excellent Matakohe Museum to the right. Meet as a group by 11.30am \$10pp group rate. Maungaturoto. Take gravel road 7km to Kaiwaka. Sleeping place Te Hana Rugby club
Day 7 - February 27 <sup>th</sup>	65km	Wellsford Helensville Auckland	Te Hana south on SH1 - Wellsford turn right towards Kaipara Coast highway Kaukapakapa – Helensville – Auckland - take western cycleway to upper Queen St. Groups will have guide to Motor Camp Minto St Remuera if wanted

<b>Day 8 – Monday, February 28<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>Auckland</b>	<b>Rest &amp; sight -seeing Group tours around Auckland</b>
Day 9 – March 1 <sup>st</sup>	92km	Miranda	Auckland – Pakuranga - Clevedon - Kawakawa - Miranda Camping at Regional Park Kaiua
Day 10 – March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	98km	Paeroa Matamata	Miranda - SH25 - SH2 - SH 25 - SH2 - Paeroa - Te Aroha - Okauia Springs Matamata
<b>Day 11 – Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>73km</b>	<b>Ngongataha Rotorua</b>	<b>Okauia Springs - Old Te Aroha Rd - Tauranga Rd - SH 29 - SH 5 - Ngongataha - Rotorua</b>
Day 12 – March 4 <sup>th</sup>	26km	Rotorua Camp at Lake Okaro on a farmers land (Shane Birchall)	Sightseeing in Rotorua then cycle Old Taupo Rd – Waiotapu – camp at Lake Okaro on farmers land (Shane Birchall)
Day 13 – March 5 <sup>th</sup>	53km	Waiotapu Taupo	Waiotapu - Taupo - <b>Taupo Ironman</b> is on so may need to stop before Taupo due to road closures – watch NZ Ironman
Day 14 – March 6 <sup>th</sup>	73.6km	Turangi Tokaanu Whakapapa Tongariro	Taupo (meet Terenzo) - Turangi – Tokaanu (previously camping at Tokaanu Hot Pools) – but may need to continue to Whakapapa Village DOC camp
Day 15 – March 7 <sup>th</sup>	33km	Raetihi	<b>Hike Tongariro Crossing</b> Whakapapa - SH41 - SH 47 - National Park - Raetihi Raetihi Holiday Park Parapara Rd
Day 16 – March 8 <sup>th</sup>	105km	Wanganui	Raetihi north on Parapara Rd toward Queen St – Pipiriki Raetihi Rd - Wanganui River Rd - Wanganui  <u>Alternative route</u> : 89km south on Parapara Rd toward Pitt St - SH4 -Riverbank Rd - Wanganui
Day 17 – March 9 <sup>th</sup>	100 km	Levin	Wanganui - Levin
<b>Day 18 – Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>100km</b>	<b>Wellington</b>	<b>Levin - Wellington</b>
Day 19 – March 11 <sup>th</sup>	22km	Wellington Picton	Sight-seeing in Wellington. 5.00pm ferry across Cook Strait. Picton – Spring Creek
Day 20 – March 12 <sup>th</sup>	106km	Arnaud	Spring Creek - Wairau Valley -St Arnaud
Day 21 – March 13 <sup>th</sup>	100km	Murchison Upper Buller Gorge Lyell	St Arnaud - Murchison - Upper Buller Gorge - Lyell
Day 22 – March 14 <sup>th</sup>	107km	Punakaiki	Lyell – Punakaiki
Day 23 – March 15 <sup>th</sup>	110km	Tarumakau Kumara Ross	Punakaiki - Tarumakau - Kumara - Ross
Day 24 – March 16 <sup>th</sup>	97km	Pukekura Harihari Whataroa The Forks	Ross - Pukekura – Harihari - Whataroa -The Forks

Day 25 – March 17 <sup>th</sup>	38km	Lake Matheson	The Forks - Franz Josef – Fox Glacier Camp near Lake Matheson
<b>Day 26 – March 18<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>Fox Glacier</b>	<b>Rest day for walking on Glacier</b>
Day 27 – March 19 <sup>th</sup>	87km	Lake Moeraki	Fox Glacier - Jacobs River - Bruce Bay - Lake Moeraki – DOC camp Ottos MacDonald
Day 28 – March 20 <sup>th</sup>	95km	Cameron Flat	Lake Moeraki – Haast - Cameron Flat near Makarora beside SH 6
Day 29 – March 21 <sup>st</sup>		Hawea	Cameron Flat – Makarora - Hawea – Albert Town (possibly go onto Cardrona)
Day 30 – March 22 <sup>nd</sup>	72.8km	Arrowtown Queenstown	Albert Town – Wanaka via Clutha track – Crown Range – Arrowtown – Lake Hayes – Arthurs Pt - Queenstown
<b>Day 31 – March 23<sup>rd</sup></b>		<b>Queenstown</b>	<b>Rest day in Queenstown</b>
Day 32 – March 24 <sup>th</sup>	58km	Mavora Lakes	Queenstown – cross Lake Wakatipu on The Earnslaw - Walter Peak station - Mavora lakes DOC camp site
Day 33 – March 25 <sup>th</sup>	68.8km	Te Anau	Mavora Lakes – Te Anau
<b>Day 34 – March 26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>100km</b>	<b>Milford Sounds Te Anau</b>	<b>Rest day Visit Milford Sounds. Boat trip &amp; bbq</b>
Day 35 – March 27 <sup>th</sup>		Tuatapere	Te Anau to Tuatapere
<b>Day 36 – Monday, March 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>113km</b>	<b>Invercargill Bluff</b>	<b>Tuatapere - Orepuki – Riverton - Invercargill - Bluff</b>
Day 37 – March 29 <sup>th</sup>	104km	Curio Bay	Bluff- Invercargill – Haldane – Slope Pt - Curio Bay DOC camp
Day 38 – March 30 <sup>th</sup>	100km	Balclutha	Curio Bay - Owaka - Balclutha
Day 39 - March 31 <sup>st</sup>	102km	Roxburgh	Balclutha - Roxburgh
Day 40 - April 1 <sup>st</sup>	130km	Naseby	Roxburgh to Naseby
Day 41 – April 2 <sup>nd</sup>	60km	Lake Aviemore	Naseby over Dansey’s Pass to Lake Aviemore
<b>Day 42 - April 3<sup>rd</sup></b>		<b>Lake Aviemore</b>	<b>Rest day</b>
Day 43 – April 4 <sup>th</sup>	82km	Twizel	Kurow - Omarama - Twizel
Day 44 – April 5 <sup>th</sup>	101km	Fairlie	Twizel – Tekapo – Fairlie
Day 45 – April 6 <sup>th</sup>	95km	Rakaia Gorge	Fairlie – Rakaia Gorge
<b>Day 46 – Thursday, April 7<sup>th</sup> FINISH</b>	<b>110km</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>	<b>Mt Somers – Christchurch</b>