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## **RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011, NEW ZEALAND 2011** **OCTOBER 2011**

**TOUR 3: TOUR LEADER IAN KENNEDY**  
*2 Pool Games, Quarter Final 1 & 2 and Semi Final 1 & 2*

<b>Thursday</b>	<b>29 September</b>	<b><u>SYDNEY / CHRISTCHURCH</u></b>  Depart Sydney on a morning flight to Christchurch. On arrival at Christchurch, you will transfer to your hotel where you will be accommodated for the next three nights on a bed and breakfast basis. Two dinners are also included during your stay in Christchurch.  The rest of the day will be at leisure.  Dinner will be served at your hotel's restaurant.
<b>Friday</b>	<b>30 September</b>	<b><u>CHRISTCHURCH</u></b>  Depart this morning on a full day tour at the Hanmer Springs thermal pools and & spa. The thermal pools are situated in the unique alpine village of Hanmer Springs approximately 2 hours drive from Christchurch. The soothing mineral waters have been attracting visitors for more than 125 years as they seek to relax, unwind and ease their aches and pains in this beautifully landscaped pools and range in temperature from approximately 36-42°C.  Dinner will be served at your hotel's restaurant.
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>01 October</b>	<b><u>CHRISTCHURCH</u></b>  The day will be at leisure to discover Christchurch. You may also wish to participate in some of the many Rugby activities that have been set up for the World Cup.  Transfer to the stadium via the new public transport system.
	<b>PM</b>	<b>RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011, New Zealand – Australia v Russia</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>02 October</b>	<b><u>CHRISTCHURCH / DUNEDIN</u></b>  Check out of your hotel and transfer by coach to Dunedin. Check into your hotel where you will be accommodated for the next two nights on a bed and breakfast basis.  Transfer with your coach to Carisbrook Stadium.  <b>RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011, New Zealand – Ireland v Italy</b>

**Monday 03 October**

## **DUNEDIN**

The day will be at leisure in Dunedin. You may want to visit the Albatross Colony, visit Larnach Castle or take a boat cruise to view the local wildlife (costs not included).

**Tuesday 04 October**

## **DUNEDIN / QUEENSTOWN**

Check out of your hotel and transfer by coach to Queenstown. Check into your hotel where you will be accommodated for the next two nights on a bed and breakfast basis.

Tonight there will be a team dinner.

**Wednesday 05 October**

## **QUEENSTOWN**

The day will be at leisure. There is plenty to see and do in Queenstown such as a gondola up the mountain to Bob's Peak, white water rafting, jet boating, bungee jumping, trout fishing on the lake or just enjoying this scenic setting.

**Thursday 06 October**

## **QUEENSTOWN / WELLINGTON**

Check out of your hotel and transfer by coach to Queenstown Airport for your flight to Wellington. On arrival, transfer to your hotel where you will be accommodated for the next four nights on a room only basis.

**Friday 07 October**

## **WELLINGTON**

Today visit the local vineyard for wine tasting followed by a team lunch (1).

**Saturday 08 October**

## **WELLINGTON**

The day will be at leisure in Wellington.

You may like to experience New Zealand's unique wildlife at The Kakori Sanctuary. Less than 10 minutes from Central Wellington, it is almost certainly the most accessible place in New Zealand to spot a wide range of endangered native species in the wild.

Other attractions you may like to see include Te Papa Museum, the national museum of New Zealand, Wellington Cable Car Museum where it offers spectacular views over Wellington and the Wellington City Art Gallery, a dynamic cultural presence offering a world class programme of exhibitions and arts related projects.

Transfer to the stadium via the new public transport system.

PM

RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011, NEW ZEALAND  
*Quarter Final 1*  
WINNER POOL C vs RUNNER UP POOL D

**Sunday 09 October**

## **WELLINGTON**

Another day at leisure in Wellington.

Transfer to the stadium via the new public transport system.

PM

RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011, NEW ZEALAND  
*Quarter Final 2*  
WINNER POOL D vs RUNNER UP POOL C

**Monday 10 October**

## **WELLINGTON / NAPIER**

Check out of your hotel and transfer by coach to Napier, now an Art deco town as a result of a horrific earthquake in 1931. Rebuilding began almost immediately and has now reflected the architectural styles of the times – stripped classical and Spanish Mission. Check into your hotel where you will be accommodated on a bed and breakfast basis.

**Tuesday 11 October**

## **NAPIER / TAUPO**

Check out of your hotel and transfer to Lake Taupo world famous for trout fishing. The lake is surrounded by stunning volcanoes and mountain ranges. Lake Taupo is also the biggest freshwater lake in the Southern Hemisphere. Check into your hotel where you will be accommodated on a bed and breakfast basis.

**Wednesday 12 October**

## **TAUPO / ROTORUA**

Check out of your hotel and transfer to Rotorua, New Zealand's most popular tourist destination and the centre of its Maori Culture. The city is known for its geothermal activity, with a number of geysers, notably the Pohutu Geyser at Whakarewarewa and mud pools located in the city (entrance fee included). Apart from its surprising crater, mountain and lake landscape, Rotorua is also memorable for striking Tudor-style architecture and beautiful public parks. Check into your hotel where you will be accommodated for two nights on a bed and breakfast basis.

**Thursday 13 October**

## **ROTORUA**

The day will be at leisure in Rotorua. You may wish to visit the thermal springs and revitalise the limbs.

In the evening, attend a Maori Cultural Dinner and Show.

<b>Friday</b>	<b>14 October</b>	<b><u>ROTORUA / AUCKLAND</u></b>  Check out of your hotel and transfer to Auckland. Check into your hotel where you will be accommodated for the next three nights on a bed and breakfast basis.
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>15 October</b>	<b><u>AUCKLAND</u></b>  The day will be at leisure in Auckland. Discover New Zealand's largest city. Attractions include Kelly Tarlton's Antarctic encounter and Underwater World and Skytower.  Transfer to the stadium via the new public transport system.  <i>RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011, NEW ZEALAND – semi final 1</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>16 October</b>	<b><u>AUCKLAND</u></b> Day at leisure in Auckland.  Transfer to the stadium via the new public transport system.  <i>RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011, NEW ZEALAND – semi final 2</i>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>17 October</b>	<b><u>AUCKLAND / SYDNEY</u></b>  Check out of your hotel and transfer by coach to Auckland Airport for your flight back to Sydney.

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## **TOUR COST:**

Tour cost based on a minimum of 40 people travelling together on the above itinerary \$8,820.00 (twin share basis)

## **TOUR COST INCLUDES:**

- Return economy airfare: Sydney/Christchurch/Surface/ Auckland / Sydney
- One way economy airfare Queenstown to Wellington
- Meet and greet on arrival and coach transfer to accommodation
- 18 nights accommodation on a share twin basis
- Daily breakfast when indicated on the itinerary
- 2 dinners in Christchurch
- Full day tour of Hamner Springs
- 1 dinner in Queenstown
- Exclusive coach charter from the 2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> of October 2011 (5 days)
- Vineyard tour with lunch
- Exclusive coach charter from the 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> of October 2011 (5 days)
- Entrance fee to Whakarewarewa in Rotorua
- Evening Hangi and Cultural Performance in Rotorua
- Airport transfer on departure
- NZ GST is calculated at 12.5% and is subject to incur the increase to 15%
- Rugby World Cup Match Tickets as per the itinerary – Category C
- Rugby World Cup Match Ticket Royalty Fees and all Match Ticket taxes
- Gullivers Sport Travel gear bag and jacket

## **TOUR COST DOES NOT INCLUDE:**

- Airport taxes / Fuel Surcharges / Airline Levies – (these can only be determined at time of the ticket issuance).
- Meals other than stated
- Suggested sightseeing tours and entrance fees
- Items of personal nature (e.g. laundry, phone calls, room service, etc).
- Passport and visa costs – please check with this office if you require visas for your tour. If you are travelling on a non Australian passport please check if you require a re-entry visa.
- Travel Insurance **HIGHLY RECOMMENDED**– Available from Gullivers Sport Travel

All land costs shown are subject to alteration (up or down) due to currency fluctuations and increases in land and air costs which may arise between now and the date of departure. Costs will also depend on availability of flights, hotels, trains, buses etc quoted on. These costs are subject to the group travelling together throughout the tour. Any variation will incur an amendment fee and may also jeopardise the costs for the rest of the group.

Land costs are based on an exchange selling rate of 1.30 against the NZ Dollar.

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Tour Prices: The costs for all tours are based on current airline schedules, airfares and a minimum of 40 passengers traveling together on each tour coach. Land costs are based on an exchange rate of 1.30 (selling rate) against the New Zealand Dollar. Tour costs shown are subject to alteration (up or down) due to exchange rate fluctuations and increases in land and air costs which arise prior to receipt of final payment. Costs will also depend on availability of hotels quoted on. Tour prices are sold as a complete package. Alterations and deviations during the tour itinerary will not be accepted.

Prices for Travel Arrangements: All travel arrangements booked for the passenger/s have been based on costs at the time of booking and are subject to change in accordance with advice from the service suppliers regarding changes to airfares, fluctuation of exchange rates, increases levied by the service suppliers or variations in the itinerary caused by cancellation or curtailment of services or rescheduling. The passenger agrees to pay any such additional charges prior to departure and prior to ticketing time limits and travel departure date.

### PAYMENTS SCHEDULE

#### **TOURS 1 – 8**

	Due date	Amount
Tour deposit	At time of booking	50%
1 <sup>st</sup> interim	15 <sup>th</sup> September 2010	20%
2 <sup>nd</sup> interim	15 <sup>th</sup> February 2011	20%
Final	16 <sup>th</sup> May 2011	Balance of tour cost

#### **WEEKEND & GOLF TOURS**

	Due date	Amount
Tour deposit	At time of booking	50%
1 <sup>st</sup> interim	15 <sup>th</sup> September 2010	20%
2 <sup>nd</sup> interim	15 <sup>th</sup> February 2001	20%
Final	16 <sup>th</sup> May 2011	Balance of tour cost

Tax invoices will be issued prior to the relevant due dates – late payment may result in the cancellation of your reservation and will be subject to cancellation fees. Deposit and payment conditions for extended travel arrangements will be advised when bookings are requested.

**Cancellation penalties:** All deposits and further payments are non refundable. In no circumstances will any monies paid under this Agreement be refunded by the company to the Passenger. Passengers will not be entitled to a refund for any unused services after commencement date of their trip. It is therefore strongly recommended that passengers take out suitable travel insurance including a clause covering cancellation penalties.

**Amendment Fee:** Any person wishing to amend from the group tour arrangements before or after the tour package must notify Gullivers Sport Travel in writing and will be charged a standard \$100.00 amendment fee per person plus any additional charges involved with the amendment (increase in airfare, additional transfers, accommodation etc). Please note that your deviation may be subject to airline / supplier season changes and may incur additional costs, surcharges & taxes. All tours are sold on the basis that no tour can be altered for an individual or group between the tour start and finish date.

**Documentation:** All passengers travelling on an Australian passport must have a passport valid until their return date to Australia. Passengers traveling on a passport other than an Australian passport must advise Gullivers Sport Travel to ensure you meet visa requirements overseas and on your return to Australia. Visa requirements are the passengers own responsibility. Please ensure all names provided to us are as per the passengers passports.

**Baggage:** Free baggage allowance one piece weighing maximum 20 kg plus 1 cabin bag (piece) of 115cm with a maximum weight of 5kg per person (economy class). Luggage in excess of these limits will be charged at the appropriate excess baggage rates by the airline. Baggage is the responsibility of the passenger at all times (Travel Insurance is strongly recommended).

**Travel Insurance Protection:** Travel insurance is strongly advised for all tour members. Brochures detailing coverage are available from Gullivers Sport Travel's preferred insurer and will be forwarded to you on request.

**Accommodation :** If you are wanting to share with another tour member we will endeavour to meet your request. However in the event that this it is not possible then the single room supplement must be paid. Please note: hotels & locations mentioned in itineraries are subject to change due to the high demand of accommodation over Rugby World Cup 2011.

**Airport Taxes (Departure, Arrival, Security & Government taxes etc):** Are not included in the tour cost as they are continually changing ie. due to exchange rate fluctuations, adding & deleting of taxes etc. Taxes will be advised and payable at the time of final payment.