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West Coast, Wanaka and Queenstown 7 days 6 nights travel with your mates

Need to get away? Sign up with Smylies Tours on their unique 7day / 6night tour taking in the highlights of the South Island and showing you some secret places along the way.

Day 1: Tue 5th Jan - Christchurch to Franz Josef (420km, 6 hours driving)

Leave Christchurch early in the morning. Traveling across the Canterbury plains heading west over Porters Pass through Arthurs Pass and then stopping at Hokitika for lunch and activity, here we will join up with Tour 3 members. After lunch we head south and along the way visit Lake Mahinapua and Hari Hari. Towards the evening we arrive in Franz Josef where we will stay 2 nights at the YHA and can enjoy the Hot Pools. [Stay—Franz Josef YHA](#)

Day 2: Wed 6th Jan - Franz Josef Activity day (80km, 4 hours driving)

Today we want to show you Okarito and Franz Josef Glacier. We explore some of the Okarito lagoon plus have a walk to the base of the Franz Josef glacier and see how it is retreating. Climate change is something to think about! [Stay—Franz Josef YHA](#)

Day 3: Thurs 7th Jan - Franz Josef to Wanaka (280km, 4 hours driving)

This morning we travel down the West Coast to Haast before heading in land over the Haast Pass and along Lake Hawea before arriving in Wanaka. Along the way we will stop in at Fox and head to Lake Matheson where we will hopefully see an amazing mirror like reflection of the mountains. [Stay—Wanaka YHA](#)

Day 4: Fri 8th Jan - Wanaka activity day (100km, 2hours driving)

This is our day to check out the beautiful Matukituki valley. The Rob Roy Glacier Valley Track will take us through some stunning scenery. If we have time In the afternoon we will check out the illusion rooms and maze at Puzzling World or do it the next morning. [Stay—Wanaka YHA](#)

Day 5: Sat 9th Jan - Wanaka to Queenstown (80km, 1.5 hours driving)

This is a nice relaxed day. We have a leisurely start to the day on the shores of Lake Wanaka before making our way to Queenstown after lunch. We'll head over the Crown Range and into Queenstown for a relaxed afternoon checking into the hostel and getting to know the town. [Stay—Queenstown YHA Lakefront](#)

Day 6: Sun 10th Jan - Queenstown Activity day 80km, 1 hours driving)

This is **your** day to try some of the fun activities Queenstown is famous for - Jet Boat, Sky Diving etc. Visits to Arrowtown and the Skyline Gondola with 2 luge rides is included. We'll make sure that you have free time for shopping too. [Stay—Queenstown YHA Lakefront](#)

Day 7: Tue 11th Jan - Queenstown – Christchurch or join Tour 5 (550km, 6 hours driving)

In the morning we are heading out around 9.00 to meet up with Tour 5 coming south. If you have signed up for that one then you will transfer to them while the rest of us will head home to Christchurch

TOUR INCLUDES: 6 nights accommodation, 6 dinner, 6 breakfast, transport, guiding, hot pools, gondola & 2 luge rides, puzzling world, and Ferg burger.

**Please get a trip form from the international office and return it by the 18th of Sept.
We need a minimum of 8 students to run this trip.**

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