



# FOOTPRINTS

## WAIPOUA

**“Step into our World”**

Join us at Footprints Waipoua for an intimate encounter to learn how these trees are inter-twined with the lives of local Maori and the important role they play in the eco-system that is the Waipoua Forest. Experience a journey of ancient times set in the realms of our ancestors. We invite you to share in a culture that is rich in Wairua (spiritual awareness) History (practices & beliefs) Whakapapa (geneology) and Waiata (songs). Learn about flora and nature in one of the most beautiful rain forests in the world.

On the guided walking tour into the Waipoua Forest, visitors will meet our ancestors; the mighty Te Matua Ngahere ('The Father of the Forest') estimated to be between 2,500 and 3,000 years old, his mighty girth is over 5 metres (15ft) in diameter. 'The Four Sisters' are a graceful collection of Kauri trees that have grown close together in sibling harmony and finally, Tane Mahuta ('The Lord of the Forest') who stands an impressive 51 metres (150ft) tall.

This spiritual encounter with nature, for some, is a life Changing experience.

*The following wholesale rates are valid for travel from: 1st October 2016 to 30th September 2017*

	<b>Nett Rates</b>	<b>RRP</b>
<b><u>TWILIGHT ENCOUNTER</u></b>		
<b>Adult</b>		\$95.00
<b>Children (5-15 years)</b>		\$35.00
<b><u>DAYLIGHT ENCOUNTER</u></b>		
<b>Adult</b>		\$80.00
<b>Children (5-15 years)</b>		\$35.00

**Special Family Package** rate for Daylight Encounter only  
**2 Adults + 2 Children (4 pax) \$230.00**

**Special Winter Rate: 01 May 2016- 30<sup>th</sup> September 2016:**

**Twilight \$80.00**

**Daylight \$70.00**

**\*This offer is valid up until and including 30<sup>th</sup> September 2016.**

**The nightly Twilight Encounter includes:**

Pick up / Meet time: 15 minutes before departure time from Copthorne Hotel and Resort Hokianga.  
Duration: 4 hours, Time: 5pm – 9pm / Daylight Savings 6pm – 10pm. Places Visited: Four Sisters / Te Matua Ngahere / Tane Mahuta. Minimum Number: 2 pax. Departs daily except Christmas day and New Years day.

**The Daylight Encounter includes:**

Pick up / Meet time: 15 minutes before departure time from Copthorne Hotel and Resort Hokianga.  
Duration: 3.5 hours, Time: 1pm – 4:30pm. Places Visited: Four Sisters / Te Matua Ngahere / Tane Mahuta. Minimum Number: 2 pax. Departs daily except Christmas day and New Years day.

**MEET TANE AT DAY**

**Per Person \$25.00**

**MEET TANE AT NIGHT**

**Adult \$70.00**

**Children (5-15 years) \$35.00**

**PRIVATE TOURS**

*rates available upon application.*

**The Meet Tane at Night escorted tour includes:**

Meet time: 15 minutes before departure time from the Copthorne Hotel & Resort Hokianga. Duration: 1.5 hours. Time: 7.30pm – 9pm / Daylight Savings 8.30pm – 10pm. Places Visited: Tane Mahuta. Minimum Number: 15 pax. Departing daily except Christmas day and New Years day.



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**The Meet Tane at Day escorted tour is ON DEMAND and includes:**

Meet time: 15 minutes before departure time from the Copthorne Hotel & Resort Hokianga, or at the Meet Tane car park at arranged time. Duration: 1.5 hours from the Copthorne Hokianga or 45 minutes if meeting at Tane Mahuta car park. Places Visited: Tane Mahuta. Minimum Number: 5 pax. Departing daily except Christmas day and New Years day.

All rates quoted are in New Zealand Dollars and include New Zealand GST (15%).

**FOC policy for groups: Groups are a minimum of 8pax**

X1 FOC for Driver to a maximum of 1 FOC

X1 FOC for Escort to a maximum of 1 FOC

**What to bring**

Wear comfortable walking shoes. Bring a warm top, and dress for the weather conditions of the day. Water bottle. Snacks and meals available from the Copthorne Hotel & Resort Hokianga, or pre order your meal prior to departing for your tour.

**Departure**

All tours, unless stated during at time of confirmation, will depart from the Copthorne Hotel and Resort Hokianga, State Highway 12, Omapere. We will collect from any local accommodation in Opononi or Omapere upon request.

**Cancellation Policy**

Up to 48 hours prior: No penalty. 24 hours prior: 10% charge will be incurred.

**Twilight Encounter;** Before 2pm on the day: A 50% charge will be incurred. After 2pm on the day of departure: A 100% charge will be incurred

**Daylight Encounter;** Before 6pm on the day prior: A 50% charge will be incurred. On the day of departure: A 100% charge will be incurred

**Reservations and Enquiries**

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