

TE MATATINI O TE KĀHUI MAUNGA

WHAT'S ON GUIDE

FOR ART LOVERS

Govett-Brewster Art Gallery/Len Lye Centre – *Lalaga Le Hui Fono*, a striking Pasifika exhibition.

Lysaght Watt Gallery – *Born to Create, Catalyst for Change*, a vibrant portrait collection of women who defied societal norms.

The Collaboration Gallery Space – *Toi Māori Exhibition* (Opening 20 Feb, runs for 6 weeks).

Contemporary Weaving Wānanga at *The Collaboration* (24 & 25 Feb) – **Bookings essential**

Puke Ariki

- **Te Ihi, Te Wehi, Te Wana: Ngā Kapa Haka o Taranaki**
A photography exhibition by renowned Taranaki photographer Tania Niwa, showcasing the powerful performances of eight kapa haka groups.
- **Te Whatu Pareārohi 'The Shimmering Braid'** –
Explores the deep connection between kapa haka and whakapapa.
- **'Tapuae Horanga-nuku'** – An outdoor photography exhibition by Tania Niwa, unveiling a selection of significant historical sites within Te Kāhui Maunga through large-scale aerial imagery and narratives. This exhibition is illuminated for night viewing.
- **Hana Te Hemara** – Learn about the life and legacy of Hana Te Hemara, a local wahine Māori leader, and visit the giant mural painted in her honour by renowned artist Mr G. **Bookings essential.**



I am Hana Mural

EXPLORE THE REGION'S GARDENS

Tūpare – Pristine landscaped gardens and historic homestead.

Pukeiti – Nestled on the slopes of *Taranaki Maunga*, home to a world-renowned rhododendron collection.

Te Popo Gardens – A sprawling 13-hectare paradise, perfect for families and adventure-seekers.

Hollard Gardens – In South Taranaki, features expansive lawns, hidden trails, a fantastic children's playground and BBQ areas.

LIVE MUSIC AND NIGHTLIFE

Tūpare Summer Jam – Sunday 23 February – The perfect way to set the tone before the festival.

1814 x Sons of Zion at Butlers Reef – Saturday 1 March – Tickets selling fast!

KARAOKE & DJ NIGHTS

Crowded House

- **Karaoke:** Tues 25 & Weds 26 Feb (from 9pm)
- **DJ Nights:** Thurs 27 Feb & Sat 1 March (from 10pm)
- **Daily meal specials throughout the week**

The Good Home

- **DJ Heps FX on the decks:** Friday 28 February
- **Live band & DJ until late:** Saturday 1 March

Icons Sports Bar

- **Karaoke Every Night:** Tues – Sat

FOOD AND DRINK EXTENDED HOURS AND SPECIALS

Food Trucks

Puke Ariki Landing

Opening hours:

Monday 24 Feb – Saturday 1 March | 11am – 9pm

Butlers Reef Bar & Cafe – Ōakura

Opening hours:

11.30am – Late | Weekdays

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Got a group? Buffet options are available for lunch and dinner.

Butlers Reef can also open early for buffet breakfasts for groups of 30 or more! Pre-booking is essential to tailor a spread to suit any budget.

Book your table on at butlersreef.co.nz or email Will at will@butlersreef.co.nz for more information regarding buffets.

Snug Lounge

White Hart Courtyard, New Plymouth

Japanese-inspired shared plate dining and cocktails

Opening hours: 4pm – late | 7 Days (as usual)

Book here

Ms White

White Hart Courtyard, New Plymouth

Authentic Italian pizza and craft beer bar

Opening hours: Midday – late | 7 Days

Walk-in only for dine-in

Delivery available: **Order via Delivereasy**

Itch Wine Bar

White Hart Courtyard, New Plymouth

Intimate, relaxed wine, cocktail and charcuterie bar

Opening hours:

4pm – late | Tuesday – Saturday

Walk-in only

Public Kitchen

White Hart Courtyard, New Plymouth

Café, burgers, gelato

Opening hours:

Sunday & Monday: 8am – 4pm

Tuesday – Saturday: 8am – 8pm (as usual)

Walk-in only for dine-in

Delivery available: **Order via Delivereasy**

House Wine Bar

211C Devon Street East, New Plymouth

Enjoy a \$15 tasting featuring Māori-owned wineries including *Huntress*, *Tawhiti*, and *Kurukuru*.

Opening hours: Wednesday – Saturday: 3pm

The Burnt Place

191 High Street, Hāwera

Extended opening hours:

Monday – Tuesday: 5pm – 9pm

Wednesday – Friday: 11am – late

Saturday – Sunday: 9am – late

Email: bookings@theburntplace.co.nz

Call: 06 278 0562

Good Score Food Store

224 High Street, Hāwera

Extended opening hours:

Monday – Friday: 10am – 3pm

Saturday: 9am – 1pm

Festival special: Tell them the name of the kapa you are in or supporting, and get 10% off bread or doughnuts.

Quail's Nest Eatery

1A Burgess Hill Road, New Plymouth

Offering tranquil views overlooking the Waiwhakaiho River.

Extended opening hours:

Wednesday – Friday: Open from 6am for breakfast, last bookings at 8pm for dinner (Bookings essential)

Tuesday – Sunday: Open from 6am for breakfast (Bookings essential)

Festival special:

Quail Crack Seafood Boil – \$120 (serves 4)

A selection of seafood, eggs, corn & bread with crack butter seasoning

The Unbaked Bakery

206 Devon Street West, New Plymouth

Pre-order menu available for grab and go lunches – Please pre-order before 6pm for next day pick up.

Opening hours:

Monday & Tuesday: 10am – 2pm

Wednesday – Friday: 8.30am – 2pm

Saturday: 8.30am – 1pm

Email orders: hello@theunbakedbakery.co.nz

Text orders: 027 278 8066

Bratwurst Bros

Uruti Rest Stop, SH 3, 1686 Mokau Road, Uruti

Festival Special:

Sing a waiata and get a Big Bro Footlong for only \$10

Offer valid: Sunday 23 February – Sunday 2 March 2025

Taranaki Tastes Map

Hungry for more? Discover some of our region's top food and beverage producers with our handy map.



The Hideaway Luge

ATTRACTIONS & ACTIVITIES

Taranaki Aviation Transport & Technology Museum

Extended opening hours:

Weekends: Open 10am – 5pm

Hillsborough Hideaway

Mini Putt, Luge, and Holden Museum

Extended opening hours:

Tuesday 25 – Friday 28 February: 2pm – 8pm

Saturday 1 March: 10am – 8pm

Sunday 2 March: 10am – 4pm (usual hours)

Find more whānau fun on our website [here](#).



RETAIL

Seaside Markets

Puke Ariki Landing

Wednesday 26 Feb – Saturday 1 Mar: 11am – 4pm

Pick up local arts, crafts, and gourmet treats.

Bee & Flow Manuka Honey

Exclusive Festival Discount: Use code VISITflow at beeandflowmanuka.com to receive 40% off your purchase.

Terms & Conditions: Cannot be combined with other promotions, valid for one-time use only, in-website store purchases only. Offer expires 1 January 2026.

Centre City

11 Gill Street New Plymouth

An indoor shopping complex with parking and a food court.

Taranaki Like No Other Merchandise

Purchase online at gamechanger.org.nz/taranakilikenooother OR in-store at Novotel New Plymouth, or New Plymouth Isite.

