



Karakariki Christian Camp

RD9, Hamilton

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We invite you to use our facilities, which cater for a wide range of groups. The camp is built on 3.5 acres surrounded by farm land close to the Waipa river. Only 16 kms from Hamilton City & 42 km from Raglan. Listed below are details of camp, some camp rules and a list of contact telephone numbers to assist in planning your trip.

SERVICES AND FACILITIES OFFERED

Karakariki Christian Camp (KCC) (Sleeps 84) (The total complex is under one roof)

10 bunk rooms with total of 80 beds (6 with 10 beds each, 2 with 9 beds, 2 bed & 3 bed room)

1 Bedroom with double bed and adjacent connecting toilet, bath and shower.

Fully equipped commercial kitchen

Dining room/Hall

Lounge/Conference room

2 Ablution blocks each with 3 showers, basins, and flush toilets

K-Lodge (Sleeps 8) – (Groups greater than 50 at KCC get K-lodge at no charge!)

4 Bedroom house – 1 set of King Single bunks per bedroom

2 Showers and toilets including a wheelchair assessable Shower and toilet

Lounge, Dining room and kitchen

Caravan points & tent sites are available on main field

Washing machine: Available on request

Camp Sports Equipment & Activities at KCC:

On-site	Swimming Pool	Indoor Climbing Wall	Tree Climbing
	Table tennis & Shuttle board	Playing Field	Confidence course
	BMX bikes	Sports Equipment	Compass Course
	Archery / Air rifles in covered games shed		
Off-site	Kayaking	Burma Trail	Tramping
	Animal Survivor		
	Guided Caving trips (allow minimum of 4 hours per caving group)		

Optional Services (prior arrangement required):

⇒ **Catered Service:** We provide food of good quality and quantity for those that do not want to cater for themselves. There will be Tea, coffee & hot chocolate available all the time for adults. We provide basic biscuits for morning, afternoon teas and supper plus fresh fruit. Those individuals requiring a special menu (vegetarians, gluten free diets etc) need to inform the camp staff and make arrangements at least one week before arriving at camp. When we cater we still require help with the following duties:

- ⇒ Setting and clearing of tables
- ⇒ Cooks dishes (3 people)
- ⇒ Dishwasher room (2 people)
- ⇒ Making & serving morning & afternoon teas and supper
- ⇒ Preparation of cut lunches if required

Catered No Duties option: we can do the duties at an extra charge.

- ⇒ Guide for Karakariki & Karamu tramps
- ⇒ Health & Safety Risk Analysis Management Systems (RAMS) sheets on camp activities including tramping, caving and Abseiling available on request
- ⇒ TV and DVD players
- ⇒ Team building

DIRECTIONS

From Hamilton take the Raglan Rd; 3 km past Whatawhata turn right into Karakariki Rd. KCC is 4.71 km on the left.

RULES AROUND CAMP

1. We request that a table grace be said before all meals (by camp staff, group adult or child).
2. To avoid the premises being used against the purpose it was built for, no meeting held at KCC will teach or promote any view contrary to the following key doctrine held by the KCC Trust.
 - a. The Holy Bible is inspired by God and is the final authority on matters of faith.
 - b. Within the nature of the one God there are three distinct persons, Namely The Father, The Son & The Holy Spirit.
 - c. God the Son, Jesus Christ, physically came to earth, Died for the payment of our sins, body rose from the dead, ascended to Heaven and will return to judge the living and the dead.Please contact us for a full copy of the Doctrines, with biblical references, held by the KCC Trust.
3. NO alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs be brought onto the property.
4. NO smoking in any of the buildings.
5. ALL ACTIVITIES TO BE SUPERVISED BY ADULTS, FOLLOWING ACTIVITY GUIDELINES.
6. **Cleaning:** You are responsible for the day-to-day cleanliness and hygiene of facilities used, including cleaning the ablutions. A final clean up prior to departure is expected. Should the facilities not be left in the same condition as on arrival, a cleaning surcharge will be incurred.
7. The areas in & around the STAFF HOUSE, SHEDS & WORKSHOP are OUT OF BOUNDS.
8. The camp staff will give an invite to our Christian Holiday Camps. We would be happy to give a more comprehensive Christian programme if requested at no charge (including games and bible stories).
9. No pets are allowed except by prior arrangement.
10. **Noise control between 11pm and 7am must be exercised.** Due to closeness of neighbours, some with small children please reduce noise levels between 9pm and 8am. **No Loud Amplification.**

BOOKING CONDITIONS

1. **Minimum Charge:** Is for accommodation & catering activity and other charges are extra.
SMALL GROUPS may be asked to share the facility (if sharing there will be no minimum charge).
2. **Replacement cost of breakages:** Damages to sports gear, buildings, equipment, etc (arrows, crockery etc), excluding normal wear and tear may be added to your account.
3. **Group Safety:** The group agrees to use the activities at KCC strictly in accordance with KCC rules for activities which it will receive once booking is confirmed with a deposit, and accepts full responsibility for any accident or injury resulting from non-compliance with such rules. The group acknowledges that there are a number of dangers at and accepts full responsibility for the supervision of all children while at camp so as to minimise their exposure to such dangers.
4. **First Aid:** You will need to provide your own first aid / medication requirements.
5. **Deposits** are non refundable unless more than 90 days notice (excluding school holidays) is given. You may also receive a bill for the minimum number of people you expected to come.
6. **Fees:** The group understands that once the booking form has been signed and returned to KCC, it is obligated and held responsible for full payment of the minimum guaranteed reservations and may be billed accordingly. The final bill is payable prior to departure on the last day of camp and will include the minimum fees as calculated above, the fees for any extra attendees, any other charges incurred and any cleaning surcharges applicable.
7. **Quoted Price:** Subject to change only if there is a significant increase to KCC by our suppliers (eg Food, Buses). Notification will be in writing ASAP. There will be no increase within 3 months of your camp.

IMPORTANT

To assist with your camp planning, please contact us at least one week prior to your camp with the following:

- ⇒ Number of people attending camp ⇒ Your expected time of arrival ⇒ A copy of your program
- ⇒ **Highlight** areas where a staff member is needed (eg tramp guide, caving, Abseiling, team building etc)
- ⇒ If we are catering, days on which a cut lunch would be required & any special menu/diet requirements.

INFORMATION, THINGS TO DO AND PLACES OF INTEREST

- Waikato Museum of Art & History:** 1 Grantham St, Hamilton
www.waikatomuseum.org.nz Ph (07) 838-6606
Fax (07) 838-6571
- Hamilton Gardens:** Cobham Drive, Hamilton Ph (07) 856-3200
Guided tours can be pre booked
- Hamilton Zoo & Free Flight Sanctuary:** Brymer Rd, Hamilton Ph (07) 838-6720
Over 52 acres landscaped grounds Fax (07) 849-0293
Over 600 NZ & exotic animals Email: hamzoot@wave.co.nz
FreeFlight Sanctuary is largest walk through aviary in Australasia Website: www.hamiltonzoo.co.nz
Hamilton Zoo has qualified teaching staff on site, who can tailor education units to curriculum needs
- Hamilton Astronomical Society:** Observatory, Brymer Rd, Hamilton Ph (07) 849-8522
- Hamilton Skills Centre:** Garnett Ave, Hamilton Ph (07) 839-5917
High Ropes, Abseiling, Low Ropes. Fax (07) 839-3555
Email: hamskills@xtra.co.nz
- Otorohanga Kiwi House & Native Bird Park:** PO Box 222, Otorohanga. Ph (07) 873-7391
Fax (07) 873-7356
- Waitomo Caves:**
Waitomo Glow-worm Caves Ph (07) 878-8227
Website: www.waitomocaves.co.nz Email: caveinfo@waitomocaves.co.nz Fax (07) 878-8858
- Black Water Rafting** Ph 0800 caving (228 464)
Cave Tubing/Rafting trips, Abseiling/rappelling option. Fax: (07) 878-5190
Website: www.blackwaterrafting.co.nz Email: bwr@blackwaterrafting.co.nz
- Waterworld**
Garnet avenue, Te Rapa, Hamilton. Heated Pools, Diving Pool, BBQ Areas Ph (07) 849-4389
- Pirongia Forest Park:** Variety of tramps and walks to suit all.
For information contact DOC Waikato Conservancy Office, Private Bag 3072 / 18 London St, Hamilton
Ph (07) 838-3363, Fax (07) 838-1004
- Extreme Edge Climbing Centre**
NZ highest rated climbing centre. 90 Greenwood St. Hamilton Ph (07) 847-5858
- Hamilton Events:**
NZ Agricultural Fielddays, Balloons over Waikato, Sports events etc
For info on Hamilton & Waikato events contact Hamilton City Council, Private Bag 3010, Hamilton or
email events@hcc.govt.nz, Internet: <http://www.hamilton.events.co.nz>
- Raglan:** 42 kms from KCC. Surf Beaches & Harbour.
- Web Sites to check out:**
www.visithamilton.co.nz www.waikatonz.co.nz
www.doc.govt.nz/parks-and-recreation/tracks-and-walks/waikato/waikato-area

GROUP BOOKING FORM

To Karakariki Christian Camp, RD9, Hamilton

Facility Hiring: (Please circle) KCC K-Lodge

Name of group: Phone:

Organiser: Cell Ph:

Address : email:

Dates: From: _____ am/pm on
To: _____ am/pm on

Numbers Attending: Minimum: (accommodation guaranteed by KCC)

Maximum: (subject to accommodation being available)

Requirements

Catering: Our group wishes KCC to do the duties (Yes/No): _____
(Option for catered groups only)

Activities:

Other Requirements:

Price based on requirements: **As per KCC charges 2009**

Deposit/Bond of \$300 if uncatered or \$650 if catered is enclosed. K-Lodge \$150
(Returned within two days after departure).

To be assured of this booking please return this page with your deposit by *four weeks time*.

We have read and understand the rules and booking conditions and are happy to comply with them.

Signed for and on behalf of the group by an authorized representative

_____ Signature Date _____

_____ Name Position in relation to group _____

*Please Return This Page With
Deposit To Confirm Your
Booking*