

FRANZ JOSEF GLACIER TOWNSHIP

GLACIER COUNTRY

UNTAMED NATURAL WILDERNESS



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Franz Josef Glacier

GLACIER ACCESS ROAD
Franz Josef Glacier township to glacier carpark is 5 km (10 mins drive).

NO FREEDOM CAMPING
CAMPING IS ONLY PERMITTED AT COMMERCIAL & DOC SITES



DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION — WALKS

Times given are from the start of track and are approximate. Ensure that you get the latest track, safety and weather information from the Visitor Centre before starting your walk.

- A. FRANZ JOSEF GLACIER VALLEY WALK**
Walk to a view point of the glacier terminal face. Up to 1 hr 30 mins return. Please heed all signs & barriers.
- B. SENTINEL ROCK WALK**
20 mins return. A steady climb for views of the glacier.
- C. DOUGLAS WALK/PETERS POOL**
20 mins return to Peter's Pool for a fantastic reflective view up the glacier valley. 1 hour loop.
- D. LAKE WOMBAT TRACK**
1 hr 30 mins return. Easy forest walk to small reflective pond.
- E. ALEX KNOB TRACK**
A day trek up to sub-alpine terrain with superb views. 8 hours return.
- F. TERRACE WALK**
10 mins return. Easy forest walk. Take a flashlight to view glow-worms after dusk. No Glacier Access.
- G. CANAVAN'S KNOB WALK**
1 hr return climb to views of glacier and coast.
- H. CALLERY GORGE WALK**
1 hr 20 mins return. Walk through rainforest to the Callery Gorge Bridge site. Return the way you came.
- I. TATARE TUNNELS WALK**
1 hr 20 mins return. Take a flashlight to explore the old tunnel. Be prepared to wade through cold water.
- J. GIBB TRAIL**
Short 900m dual use forest walkway/cycleway that connects Medical Centre to Main Road / SH6.
- K. ŌKĀRITO TRIG WALK**
1 hr 30 mins return, climb to panoramic view of lagoons, glaciers, ocean & alps.
- L. THREE MILE PACK TRACK ŌKĀRITO COASTAL WALK**
3 hr 30 mins return, following an historic pack track. Mountain and glacier views. Check tide tables for low tide beach access. First section of track fully accessible (Ōkārito Wetland Walk).
- M. PAKIHI WALK - ŌKĀRITO**
30 mins easy walk with superb views of mountains & rainforest.
- TE ARA A WAIAU DUAL USE WALKWAY/CYCLEWAY**
From the Waioho bridge to the glacier car park. 4km one way. Walk: 2 hrs return. Cycle: 1 hour return.

North to:
Hokitika,
Greymouth

82 (2.5km)

WHATAROAO

map updated October 2017



FOOD & DRINK

- 5 Alice May Restaurant & Bar 03 752 0740
- 30 Blue Ice Restaurant & Bar 03 752 0707
- 47 Canavans & Glasshouse at Scenic Hotel Franz Josef Glacier 03 752 0729
- 28 Sun Takeaway & Chinese Food 03 752 0279
- 37 Full of Beans Cafe 03 752 0139
- 21 Glacier Base Café 0800 484 337
- 14 King Tiger Restaurant and Bar 03 752 0060
- 45 The Landing Restaurant and Bar 03 752 0229
- 9 Monsoon Bar & Restaurant 03 752 0101
- 40 Snake Bite Brewery 03 752 0234

SHOPS

- 70 NZ Landscapes Gallery 03 752 0611
- 39 Fern Grove Gifts & Souvenirs 03 752 0731
- 38 Four Square Supermarket 03 752 0177
- 55 The Glacier Shop 03 752 0131
- 76 The Shop, Ōkarito 03 753 4165

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS
EMERGENCY Dial 111
POLICE 03 752 0044
Medical Centre 0800 794 325

SERVICES

- 26 Community Hall & Gym 03 752 0212
- 62 Kidsfirst Early Learning Centre 03 752 0202
- Bus Bookings (North & South)**
- 1 SITE Visitor Information 0800 354 748
- 1 YHA 03 752 0754
- Shuttle Service to Glacier Carpark**
- 34 Glacier Shuttles & Charter 0800 999 739
- Information**
- 20 Department of Conservation 03 752 0360
- 1 SITE Visitor Information 0800 354 748
- 1 Scott Base Information Centre 03 752 0288
- Foreign Exchange**
- 39 Fern Grove Gifts & Souvenirs 03 752 0731
- Petrol & Postal Agency**
- 31 Glacier Motors 03 752 0725
- Churches**
- 25 Our Lady of the Alps Catholic Church
- 50 St James Anglican Church

ACTIVITIES @ ATTRACTIONS

- Attractions**
- 75 Andris Apse Gallery Ōkārito 03 753 4241
- 48 Amaia Luxury Spa 03 752 0555
- 24 Glacier Hot Pools 0800 044 044
- 19 West Coast Wildlife Centre 03 752 0600
- 82 Petr Havacek Gallery (Whataroa) 03 753 4199
- Guided Glacier Walks & Helihikes**
- 22 Franz Josef Glacier Guides 0800 484 337
- 36 Glacier Valley Eco Tours 0800 925 586
- 32 The Helicopter Line 03 752 0767
- Guided Tours**
- 43 Across Country Quad Bikes 0800 234 288
- 81 Glacier Rafting 0508 669 675
- 36 Glacier Valley Eco Tours 0800 925 586
- 80 White Heron Sanctuary Tours 0800 523 456
- Kayaking & Boat Tours**
- 12 Glacier Country Kayaks & SUPs 0800 423 262
- 12 Glacier Country Lake Tours 0800 423 262
- 78 Ōkārito Boat Tours 03 753 4223
- 77 Ōkārito Kayaks 0800 652 748
- 80 White Heron Sanctuary Tours 0800 523 456
- Scenic Flights & Skydiving**
- 42 Air Safaris 03 752 0716
- 58 Fox & Franz Heliservices 03 752 0793
- 29 Glacier Country Helicopters 0800 359 372
- 79 Glacier Country Scenic Flights 0800 423 463
- 44 Glacier Helicopters 03 752 0755
- 32 The Helicopter Line 03 752 0767
- 41 Mountain Helicopters 0800 369 423
- 33 Skydive Franz 0800 458 677
- Other Activities**
- 35 Franz Josef Clay Target Shooting 0800 274 668
- 27 Te Koha - Carve Your Own 03 752 0279

ACCOMMODATION

- Apartments**
- 54 Perivale Farm Cottage 03 752 0608
- 3 The Terrace 03 752 0130
- Backpackers**
- 2 Chateau Backpackers & Motels 03 752 0738
- 16 Franz Josef Montrose 03 752 0188
- 18 Glow Worm Accommodation 03 752 0172
- 9 Rainforest Retreat 03 752 0220
- 1 YHA Franz Josef 03 752 0754
- Hotels**
- 70 Oasis Hotel 03 752 0611
- 47 Scenic Hotel Franz Josef Glacier 03 752 0729
- 48 Te Wanui Forest Retreat 03 752 0555
- B&B and Lodges**
- 76 Code Time Lodge 03 753 4165
- 16 Franz Josef Montrose 03 752 0188
- 65 Holly Homestead B&B 03 752 0299
- 74 Kahere Retreat 03 752 0140
- 73 Westwood Lodge 03 752 0112
- 63 Ribbwood Retreat 03 752 0072
- Motels**
- 4 10 Cottages 0800 10 10 01
- 10 58 On Cron Motel 03 752 0627
- 17 Alpine Glacier Motel 0800 757 111
- 11 Aspen Court Motel 03 752 0210
- 7 Bella Vista Motel Franz Josef 03 752 0008
- 2 Chateau Backpackers & Motels 03 752 0738
- 69 Franz Alpine Retreat 03 752 0204
- 64 Franz Josef Top 10 Holiday Park 03 752 0735
- 68 Glacier Highway Motel 03 752 0066
- 66 Glacier View Motel 03 752 0705
- 67 Glenfern Villas 03 752 0054
- 18 Glow Worm Accommodation 03 752 0172
- 8 Punga Grove 03 752 0001
- 9 Rainforest Retreat 03 752 0220
- 3 The Terrace 03 752 0130
- Holiday Parks**
- 64 Franz Josef Top 10 Holiday Park 03 752 0735
- 11 Glacier Country Campervan Park 021 154 7891
- 9 Rainforest Retreat 03 752 0220