



#### **MOST POPULAR ITINERARY**

### Sample Itinerary (FULL)

# **International Netball Festival Christchurch, New Zealand**

25<sup>th</sup> September – 4<sup>th</sup> October 2024 9 NIGHTS/10 DAYS Sydney - Christchurch









# **Our Mission**

International Netball Festival
Gold Coast-Australia,
Christchurch-New Zealand
Port Vila-Vanuatu
Lautoka-Fiji

To bring youth and families together by blending cultures, communities and countries through netball.

Including and during Festival activities such Inspirational Speaker- reminding youth community, words and YOU matter

To guide teams to have fun while doing bonding sessions, cultural performances, sponsorship, a netball clinic and more, while showcasing the city, supporting the local community





# **Our Objectives**

- Support the local netball communities by encouraging netballers to come from round the world
- Build team bonding, personal growth with confidence
- Support netballers to build their netball skills as individuals, with a netball clinic and as a team to gain knowledge by seeing how netballers from other countries train and play
- To create volunteer netball programs locally and internationally
- To meet other netballers from around the world
- Learn how to travel and live as a group
- To bond with teachers, coaches and their team, not only by playing netball but by living and travelling together
- To participate in top international netball competition
- To experience a trip of a lifetime







# It's a lot of fun!



Each team is encouraged to create a Team Act to show at the Meet and Greet. It's a lot of fun and a great laugh.



### **Divisions**

11yrs and under 13yrs and Under 15yrs and Under 18yrs and Under



### **Game Structure**

### **Match Day 1**

4 x 10 minute quarters 2-3 games

### Match Day 2

4 x 10 minute quarters 2-3 games

### Finals/Match Day 3

Quarters 4 x 10 minute quarters
Semis – 4 x 10 minute quarters
Finals – 4 x 10 minute quarters
Depending on placement,
2-3 games
Play offs for every placing



#### Day 1 - Wednesday, 25 September 2024

Travel to Christchurch, New Zealand

Time Check in to ... International Airport

Time Depart on Flight ... to Christchurch, NZ

Time Arrive in Christchurch and clear Customs and

collect your 12 seater mini bus(es) from the Airport

and drive to your accommodation

Time Check into your accommodation

**Dinner** Included



#### Day 2 - Thursday, 26 September 2024

# Christchurch Sightseeing / Antarctic Centre / Meet and Greet Dinner

#### Activity days may vary from group to group

**Breakfast** Included at accommodation

AM Christchurch City Tour.

Canterbury Leisure Tours will pick you up

from your accommodation

12:00pm\* Finish City Tour and be dropped at

accommodation or in town

**Lunch** Own arrangements

PM International Antarctic Centre, see penguins,

snow, 3D footage of Antarctica plus more

**Dinner** Meet and Greet Dinner, Inspirational

Speaker, team bonding and team acts



#### Day 3 – Friday 27 September 2024

#### **Match Day 1**

AM Arrive at courts

**Managers Meeting** 

Match Day 1 Netball games commence

Lunch Included – collect at netball courts

PM Games continue

Afternoon Free time

**Dinner** Own arrangements





#### Day 4 - Saturday, 28 September 2024

#### Match Day 2 / Thermal Pools

AM Match Day 2 Netball games commence

Lunch Included – collect at netball courts

PM Netball games continue

Afternoon Visit the local Thermal Hot Pools

**Dinner** Included



#### **Team Bonding Activity / Netball Clinic / Willowbank**

AM or PM\* Netball Clinic

**Lunch** Own arrangements

Afternoon Willowbank Wildlife Reserve. Get to see a kiwi.

**Dinner** Own arrangements





#### Day 6 – Monday, 30 September 2024

### Match Day 3 /Finals / Awards Presentation

/Festival Dinner

**Breakfast** Included at accommodation

AM Match Day 3 Netball games commence

**Lunch** Included – collect at netball courts

PM Netball Finals

**Awards Presentation Ceremony** 

**Dinner** Festival Dinner up the Gondola



#### Day 7 – Tuesday, 1 October 2022

#### **Marae Visit**

#### **OPTIONAL** - Ziplining

**Breakfast** Included at accommodation

10:00am\* Marae visit

Lunch Included at Marae

Am/pm This is an amazing experience Learn about the Maori history and have fun.

A high level of respect is required to enter this sacred Maori meeting house.

Traditional Cultural performance

Afternoon OPTIONAL Ziplining at Christchurch Adventure Park

**Dinner** Included





#### Day 8 – Wednesday, 2 October 2024

**Road trip to Hanmer Springs** 

**OPTIONAL**(Seeking some Adrenalin – jetboating,

bungy jumping quad biking, rafting etc)

**Breakfast** Included at accommodation

Morning Drive 2 hours north to the town of Hanmer Springs

Spend a few hours thrillseeking. Bungy Jump – take the 35m plunge towards the river off the historic Ferry Bridge. Jetboating - Enjoy the spectacular scenery of the Waiau

River on this exhilarating adventure activity

Lunch Drive into Hamner Township. Lunch own arrangements

**Afternoon** Included, Hanmer Springs Thermal Pools. Relax and unwind. Soak in the famous,

mineral-rich hot pools surrounded by native gardens and mountain vistas. Find a

waterspout or jet to soothe your aches and pains.

**Dinner** Own arrangements

Make you way back to Christchurch.

#### Day 9 - Thursday, 3 October 2024

OPTIONAL Day Trip to the snowy mountains or Zip Line in Christchurch or Ziplining, Cashmere, CHCH

(Option to have a day skiing - own cost to ski - if open)

**Breakfast** Included at accommodation

Day Self Drive to the snow and play or A coach will pick

you up from your accommodation for a trip to the snow. This is a day to wrap up warm and be ready

for some fun in the snow.

**Lunch** Own arrangements up the mountain

**Dinner** Own arrangements



#### Day 10 - Friday, 4 October 2024

#### **Travel home**

Breakfast Included at accommodation

10:00am Check out of accommodation

Time Check in for your flight to ... at Christchurch

International Airport

Time Depart on Flight .... to ...

Time Arrive at ... and home





## **Inclusions**

### **Travel/Accommodation**

- Return Flights to Christchurch
- Private boarding school house or apartment accommodation for 9 nights
- Coach for City Tour
- 12 seater mini buses/cars (pick up and drop off at the Airport)
- Travel insurance (international teams)
- Driver only insurance (travelling NZ teams)

### **Festival Inclusions**

- Umpires provided
- Managers' meeting
- Three Festival game days
- Netball clinic
- First aid
- Souvenir singlets
- Souvenir programs
- Team photo shoot
- Trophies (for coaches too!)
- Participation medals

#### **Souvenirs**

- Souvenir Festival Singlet
- Souvenir Team Action photo shoot
- Souvenir Team photo
- Souvenir Booklet

#### Meals

- Breakfast 9
- Lunch 4
  - Match Day lunches (3)
  - Marae Lunch (1)
- Dinner 8
  - Meet and Greet dinner and entertainment (1)
  - Festival Dinner Up the Gondola
     (1)
  - Dinners (6)





### Inclusions continued - Excursions

### What's included in the Full Itinerary

### **Excursions:**

- Entry to International Antarctic Centre
  - o Hagglund Ride
  - Huskey Zone
  - o Penguin Rescue
  - Storm Dome
  - o HD Theatre
  - o 4D Theatre
- o Entry to Willowbank Wildlife Reserve to see wildlife and a Kiwi
- Christchurch Gondola Ride
  - o 360 views of Christchurch
- Cultural Marae visit
  - Cultural Performance
- Team Bonding Activity
- Entry to Thermal Hot Pools
- Christchurch Sightseeing City Tour
  - Visit central Christchurch
  - Christchurch Botanical Gardens
  - Entry to Mona Vale House and Gardens
  - Sign of the Takahe with magnificent view over the entire city from the coastline to the mountains
  - Port Hills and Lyttelton Harbour
  - Sumner Beach and township
  - Stops for photo opportunities at all the key destinations

#### **Optional Excursions (additional fee):**

- Sleding/skiing subject to ski field being opening at this time of year
- Christchurch City Tram Ride pay on arrival
- Punting on the Avon pay on arrival
- White Water Rafting
- Ziplining
- Day trip to Hanmer Springs
  - Activity in Hanmer (eg: jetboating, bungy jumping)
  - Entry to Thermal Hot Pools

#### Whats Not Included

- Meals other than mentioned in inclusions
- Spending of a personal nature
- Transport from your home to the airport and return



### **Awards**

#### WINNER for each division

- For the team that obtains the most points at the Festival
- RUNNERS UP for each division
- For the team with the second highest points
- THIRD place for each division
- For the team with the third highest points

### Team Sportsmanship Award

(Umpires will rate this Award after each game):

- Respectful of umpires
- Team players
- Fairness to all teams
- Positive attitude and sportsmanship
- Friendly to other teams and umpires
- Never gave up, supported their team mates 100%

### Most Valued Player from each team

(Coaches and managers will nominate this player):

- This award is for a positive, supportive player on and off the court that is valued in the team
- Participation Award





# Sample FULL Itinerary Price and Payment Plan

- 9 night package: From AUD3700.00 per person
  - Departing from Sydney
  - Package Price per person
  - Subject to flight and accommodation cost at time of booking request

Total Price per package per person	Pay 20% deposit (Due 2 weeks after confirmation)	Pay 40% of total (Half way)	Pay 40% of total (Balance due 60 days before travel)
Full itinerary	AU\$500.00	AU\$1600.00	AU\$1600.00

Deposit amount payable per person

#### **Important Notes:**

- Payments in AUD
- All quotes are based on 2023 costs and are subject to availability
- Airport taxes, airline taxes, fuel surcharges are variable and will be confirmed at time
  of final invoice
- Quotes are valid for 14 days
- Rental vehicle quotes are based on drivers 25 years or older please contact us regarding drivers under 25 years of age as there is an additional fee
- There will be a minimum \$100.00 fee per person for any flight and/or itinerary changes once deposits are paid. Any additional flight costs will be charged
- The price is only guaranteed once the deposit has been paid
- If group numbers increase or flights are split, there will be an additional fee from the airline, which will be charged accordingly
- Independent return flights may be able to be split out of the group. An additional fee
  of minimum \$100.00 per person plus any increase in flight costs will be charged, if any

#### **Accommodation:**

Quote is based on single beds in **Private Boarding House** – BEDDING. Single beds, twin, triple or quad rooms, teams all in the same dorm.

#### Or \$120 more per person in an Apartment:

- Two bedroom with kitchen and laundry
  - Room 1: queen room with ensuite. Room 2: 2 single beds. Girls share queen bed unless stated. There will be a rollaway in each apartment
  - Officials in own apartment, unless otherwise stated
  - Bedding configuration based on a team of 12:
    - 1 x Quad-2 rollaways, 2 x triple-1 rollaway, 1 x twin



# Cancellation Policy

- All change of mind and medical cancellations must be made in writing via email to INF.
- If a person has to cancel due to medical reasons or immediate family medical reasons, please contact the insurance supplier directly for information on making a claim.
- The best option is to replace the person to avoid any loss of monies.
- If airline tickets have been issued the minimum cost is aprox\$150 for a change of name on the ticket.
- The cancellation policy is based on your tour cost, less the below:
  - Deposits are non-refundable
  - 14 weeks from travel
    less 30% of tour cost paid per travelling person- subject to numbers
    that are reduced
  - 10 weeks from travel
     less 50% of tour cost paid per travelling person
  - <u>6 weeks from travel</u>
     less 75% of tour cost paid per travelling person
  - 4 weeks from travel
     Sorry, no refunds

#### **Cancellation Terms & Conditions**

For cancellation that is voluntary (change of mind), Terms and Conditions apply as per our Cancellation Policy above.

Merchandise is non-refundable and a credit is unavailable.

On the postponement or cancellation of a tour due to occurrences outside INF control a group credit (if any) may be put towards an alternative tour with an expiry date (subject to airline and suppliers policies).

If a travel credit is issues by will be automatically applied to your booking. (Flights and other tour costs may be subject to change due to availability and cost at the time of booking) If any credit. They sit with the airline and the suppliers. INF can assist you in rebooking using that credit, in accordance with that airline or supplier's credit and booking Terms and Conditions when you are ready to travel.

Travel Insurance will need to be re-issued at the time of booking (a new premium cost payment will be required).

• Please note that supplier cancellation terms and fees may differ.



# **Your Next Steps**

Here's an overview of the next steps. Please see our website for more detailed information and links: <a href="https://www.internationalnetballfestivals.com/inf-manager-information">https://www.internationalnetballfestivals.com/inf-manager-information</a>

- 1. REGISTER YOUR GROUP
- 2. REGISTER YOUR TEAMS
  - Upon registration of your group, you will be sent an email with a link to provide the details of your teams, players and officials.
- 3. PASSPORTS (FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLING TEAMS) photocopies need to be handed to teachers/leaders to check spelling of names and expiry date. We are required to advise that the expiry date on your passport must be SIX MONTHS past the date you will be returning into your country (we will send you a spreadsheet from your airline to fill in)
- 4. **INSURANCE FORMS** required in case of injury before you travel or if someone in your group cannot travel (Please enter names and dates of birth on your group's online registration)
- 5. 60 DAYS BEFORE TRAVEL (we will send you forms and reminders for the below)
  - 1. Please complete the spreadsheet received upon registration to provide:
    - 1. Polo and Singlet Size
    - 2. Special Meal Requests
  - 2. Names for ticketing (we will send you a spreadsheet from your airline to fill in)
- 3-4 WEEKS BEFORE TRAVEL

We will send you by email:

- Final itineraries with address, times, any updates on flights (if required)
- E-tickets
- Information for pick up details for rental mini buses
- Please send us by email:
  - Driver form for rental vehicles (domestic travel only)
  - Bedding configuration
  - Names of drivers and photocopies of drivers' licences
  - Waiver sheets, if any eg for High Ropes Confidence Course

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### **Netball Courts and Local Services**

# Netball Courts Game Days

Hagley Park Netball Court 455 Hagley Ave, Christchurch Central, Christchurch 8011

#### Restaurants

#### **Pavilions Hotel**

42 Papanui Road, Merivale Ph 03 355 5633

#### Carlton Bar & Eatery

1 Papanui Road, Merivale 03 355 9543

#### Winnie Bagoes

153 Madras Street, Christchurch 03 366 6315

#### **Trevinos Bar & Restaurant**

22 Riccarton Rd, Christchurch 03 343 5378

#### **Shopping**

Merivale shopping centre is your closest. It has expensive shops and a Woolworths supermarket. 189 Papanui Rd

Westfield Shopping Centre – large movie theatre and great shops
129 Riccarton, Riccarton

#### Supermarket at Westfields

Ground floor, Pack'n Save carpark, entrances off Matipo and Maxwell Streets

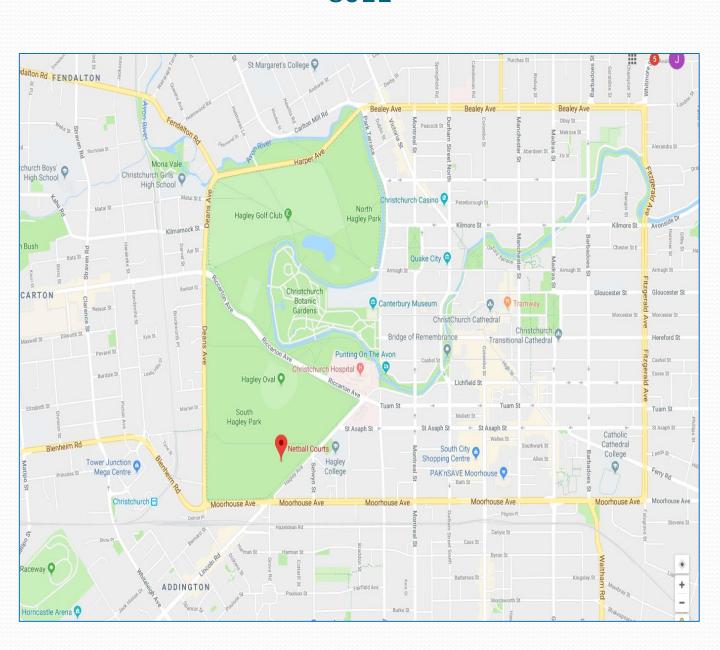
#### Other Supermarkets

CountDown and New World



# Game Days

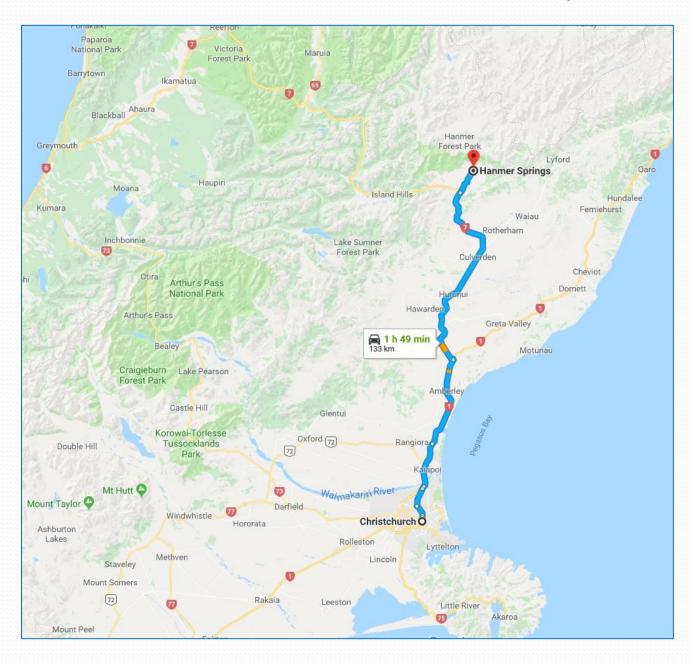
# Hagley Park Netball Court 455 Hagley Ave, Christchurch Central, Christchurch 8011





# **Hanmer Springs**

# Thermal Pools & Spa Amuri Ave W, Huruniu District, Canterbury 73334





### **Medical Services**

# Medical Services \*\*\*DIAL 111 FOR EMERGENCIES\*\*\*

### **Christchurch Hospital**

2 Riccarton Avenue, Christchurch Telephone: 03 364 0640

#### **Moorehouse Medical Centre**

3 Pilgrim Place, Christchurch Telephone: 03 365 7900

#### **The Christchurch Doctors**

912-914 Colombo Street, Christchurch Telephone: 03 366 3391





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# **International Netball Festival**



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