

GLENORCHY AIR

Queenstown, New Zealand



Product Guide

LET US SHOW YOU THE
Spectacular



Professional, friendly, local

About Us

Glenorchy Air is a family-owned and operated scenic flight company based at Queenstown Airport on the stunning South Island of New Zealand. We have 30 years industry experience and offer scenic flights and adventures to Milford Sound, Mt. Cook, Stewart Island, and beyond. We have many flight options to suit your groups time, budget and level of adventure. All of our modern fixed-wing aircraft have expansive windows, allowing every passenger unobstructed views of the stunning locations we fly over.

With Glenorchy Air, your window seat awaits.



Why Choose Us

- ✓ #1 Rated Tour + Activity in Queenstown on Tripadvisor
- ✓ Most extensive range of scenic flight adventures in Queenstown
- ✓ Owned and operated by a local Queenstown family
- ✓ Window seats for all of our passengers
- ✓ Located at Queenstown International Airport
- ✓ Curated fleet of the most modern aircraft in Queenstown
- ✓ \$1 donated per passenger to the Kea Conservation Trust

Modern, safe, premium

Our Fleet

Glenorchy Air operates a carefully curated fleet of the most modern aircraft in Queenstown purposefully built for sightseeing. All of our high-wing aircraft have guaranteed window seats. This gives all of our passengers the best possible views and photo opportunities on every flight. Our fleet's carrying capacity ranges from 5 to 13 passengers per aircraft for a total of 47 per departure.



Built by GippsAero in Australia and designed for sightseeing

GIPPSAERO GA8

Airvan

Number of Aircraft 1

Number of Passengers 7



Custom built by Cessna in Kansas, USA in 2020 + 2021 for Glenorchy Air

CESSNA 208B GRAND CARAVAN EX

Number of Aircraft 2

Number of Passengers 13

Built by Daher in Idaho, USA in 2020

DAHER KODIAK 100 SERIES II

Number of Aircraft 1

Number of Passengers 9



Custom built by Cessna in Kansas, USA in 2019 for Glenorchy Air

CESSNA 206 STATIONAIR HD

Number of Aircraft 1

Number of Passengers 5

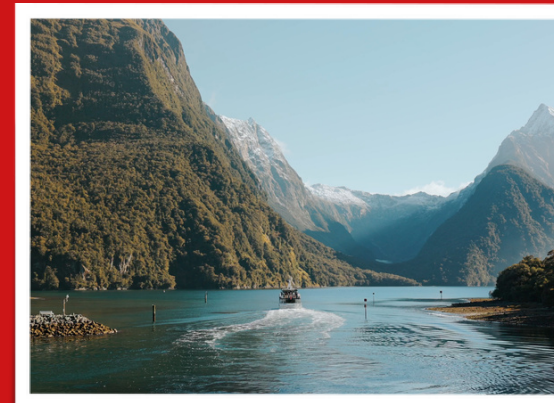
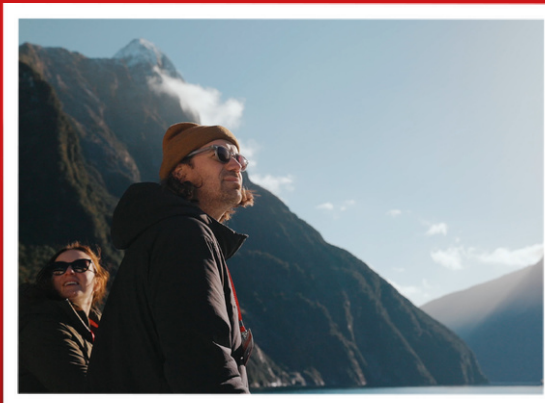


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Milford Sound

Often described as the 8th Wonder of the World, Milford Sound is a bucket list destination and a must-see on any New Zealand itinerary. The Fiord is home to fur seal colonies, penguins and dolphins, as well as sheer cliffs and incredible waterfalls. The beech forest lines the sandy shores and the iconic Mitre Peak stands a proud 1,692 metres above sea level.

Milford Sound is breathtaking all year round with its magnificent waterfalls, flourishing native Beech forests, captivating rock formations and so much more!



Milford Sound Fly | Cruise | Fly



Duration Half Day



Flight Time 1 hr 20 mins



Cruise Time 1 hr 45 mins

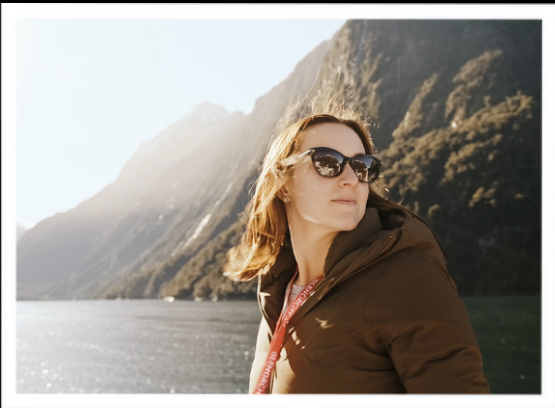
Discover the natural wonders of Milford Sound with our popular Fly Cruise Fly. A great way to see everything in a half day package! Take a roundtrip flight from Queenstown to Milford Sound, landing to board your cruise out to the Tasman Sea.

Season	Depart Queenstown	Return Queenstown
Year Round	9.00am	1.30pm
Year Round	11.30am	4.00pm
1 Dec - 29 Feb	1.45pm	6.15pm

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Milford Sound with landing
- Nature Cruise through Milford Sound with our partners Southern Discoveries
- Complimentary tea, coffee and water on your nature cruise
- Picnic lunches can be added to your booking for an additional cost
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Exclusive
Experience



Milford Sound
Private Charter Flight
+ VIP Cruise



Duration Half Day



Flight Time 1 hr 20 mins



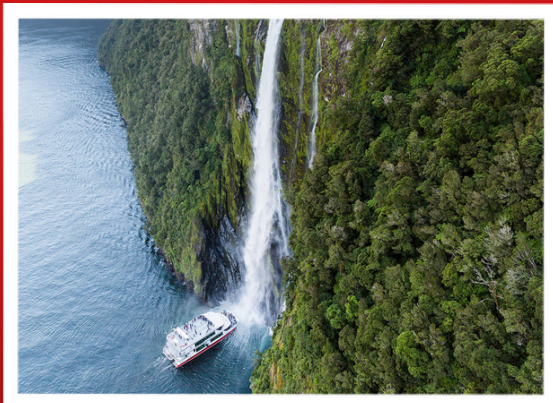
Cruise Time 1 hr 45 mins

Our most popular adventure, elevated. This exclusive experience will take you into the heart of Fiordland aboard a private flight on our Cessna 206 Stationair HD where you can take a bespoke flight path. Once you land in Milford Sound, your pilot will introduce you to your Southern Discoveries host who will show you to the VIP area of the shared cruise.

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Year Round	9.00am	1.30pm
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Trip Includes

- Private transfer between your accommodation and our base
- Personalised scenic flights between Queenstown and Milford Sound aboard our Cessna 206 Stationair HD
- Exclusive use of the Southern Discoveries VIP lounge with private outdoor viewing deck and personal boat host
- An arrivals drink package and elevated food to enjoy onboard the cruise
- **Your guaranteed window seat**



Milford Sound Coach | Cruise | Fly



Duration Full Day



Coach Time 5 hrs



Cruise Time 1 hr 45 mins



Flight Time 40 mins

For the full day adventure, coach in along the stunning Milford Road from Queenstown, stopping along the way for plenty of photo opportunities. Cruise through Milford Sound aboard a spacious catamaran and end the day with a scenic flight back to Queenstown.

Season

Year Round

Depart
Queenstown

7.00am

Return
Queenstown

4.00pm

Trip Includes

- Coach trip from Queenstown to Milford Sound with our partners Southern Discoveries
- Nature Cruise through Milford Sound with our partners Southern Discoveries
- A buffet lunch is included
- Complimentary tea, coffee and water on your nature cruise
- Scenic flight from Milford Sound to Queenstown
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**



Milford Sound

Fly | Explore | Fly



Duration Half Day



Flight Time 1 hr 20 mins



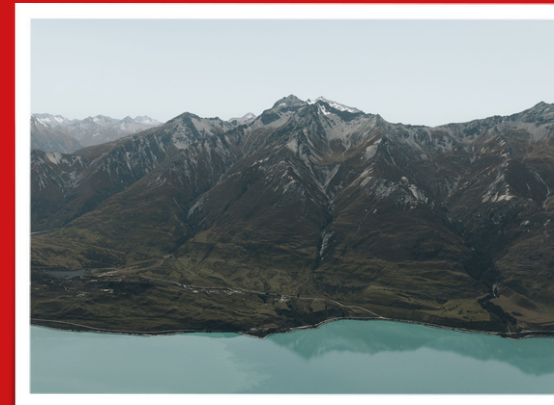
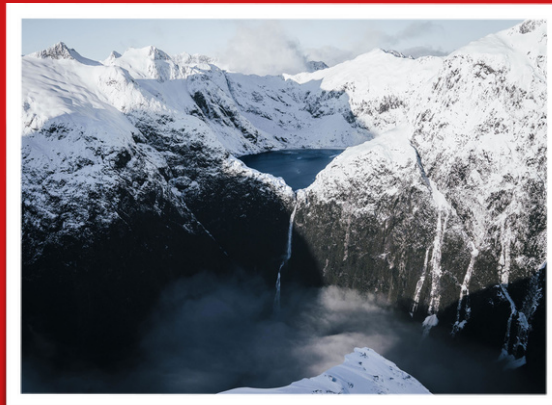
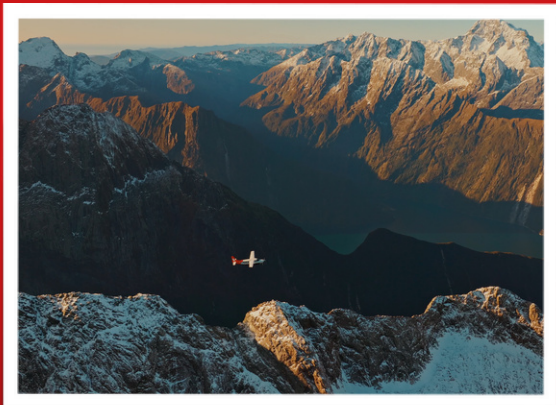
Exploration Time 2 hrs

Explore Milford at your own pace. After landing in Milford Sound, embark on the short walks along the foreshore and up to the lookout to get an amazing perspective of Fiordland. Have a scenic picnic and experience pockets of silence amongst the native Beech forests.

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Milford Sound with landing
- Approximately 2 hours on the ground in Milford Sound
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

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Milford Sound Scenic Flyover



Duration 2 Hours



Flight Time 1 hr 20 mins

Enjoy the breathtaking scenery as you soar above the stunning Te Wahipounamu UNSECO World Heritage Area. We'll show you Milford Sound like you've never seen before! Experience the grandeur of this 8th wonder of the world from above as you soar down the middle of the fiord, with sheer cliffs and waterfalls on either side as you take in the views from your window seat.

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Milford Sound with no landing
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

Year Round

Depart

Queenstown

Return

Queenstown

On Request

On Request



Milford Sound Milford Track Transport



Duration 1 Hour



Flight Time 40 mins

After your unforgettable journey into the heart of Milford Sound via the Milford Track, add on our return scenic flight and experience the unbelievable grandeur and beauty of Fiordland and the Southern Alps, onboard our fixed-wing aircraft.

Trip Includes

- Scenic flight from Milford Sound to Queenstown
- Complimentary transfer after returning to Queenstown available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

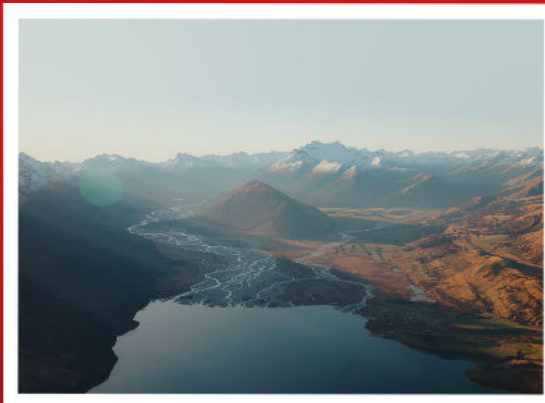
Year Round

Depart
Milford Sound

3.00pm

Return
Queenstown

4.00pm



Milford Sound One Way Flight



Duration 1 Hour



Flight Time 40 mins

We offer one way scenic flights either in or out of Milford Sound. Fly in to meet friends or family who have finished the Milford Track or fly in to spend a blissful night away at Milford Sound Lodge. Or fly out after journeying in by road to see the landscape from above.

Trip Includes

- One way scenic flight either in or out of Milford Sound
- Complimentary transfer after returning to Queenstown available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

Year Round

Depart
Milford Sound

3.00pm

Return
Queenstown

4.00pm

A full-page background image showing two hikers from behind, walking across a suspension bridge. The bridge has metal railings and a mesh safety fence. The hiker on the left wears a white cap and a blue backpack, while the hiker on the right wears a dark jacket and a large black backpack. They are walking towards a massive, snow-covered mountain range under a clear sky. The foreground shows the bridge's structure and the rocky, scree-covered slopes of the valley.

AORAKI

Mt. Cook

Mt. Cook | Aoraki is the highest mountain in New Zealand, towering above the Southern Alps at 3,724 metres. Mt. Cook is home to the Tasman Glacier, which is NZ's longest glacier. From above, you'll marvel at the milky blue alpine lakes that are glacially-fed, dotted high in the mountains. Get taken back to the ice age with Fox Glacier and Franz Josef Glacier and take in the remote wilderness of Mt. Aspiring.

We have multiple trip options to suit everyone's schedule and activities to check off that bucket list!



Mt. Cook Fly | Heli Hike | Fly



Duration Full Day



Flight Time 2 hrs



Heli Hiking Time 2 hrs

After landing at Mt. Cook Airport, team up with your professional guide for your heli hiking adventure. Board your helicopter and land on a remote part of New Zealand's longest glacier and explore ice formations, seracs and ice caves.

Minimum age of 10 years old.

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Mt. Cook Airport with landing
- Approximately 2 hours heli hiking on the Tasman Glacier
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

Year Round

Depart

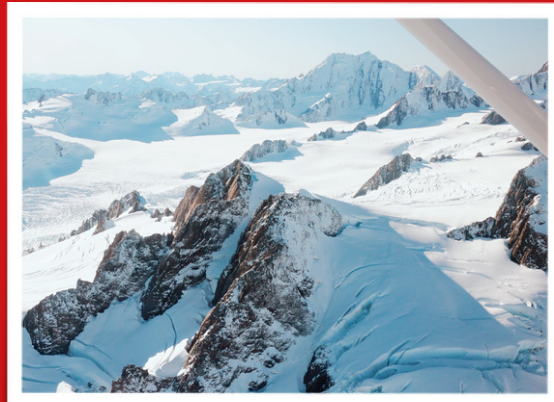
Queenstown

Return

Queenstown

9.00am

5.00pm



Mt. Cook

Fly | Explore | Fly



Duration Full Day



Flight Time 2 hrs



Exploration Time 5 hrs

Explore the home of New Zealand's highest mountain and explore Mt. Cook at your own pace. Take a scenic flight to Mt. Cook National Park and choose how you'd like to spend your day. You can walk the popular Hooker Valley Track, visit the Sir Edmund Hilary Centre, and enjoy lunch at The Hermitage.

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Mt. Cook Airport with landing
- Approximately 6 hours on the ground in Mt. Cook National Park
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

Year Round

Depart

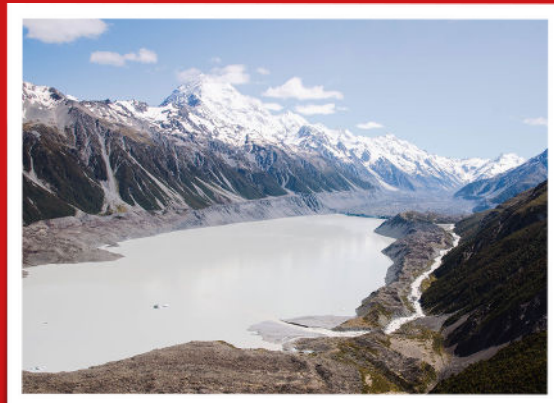
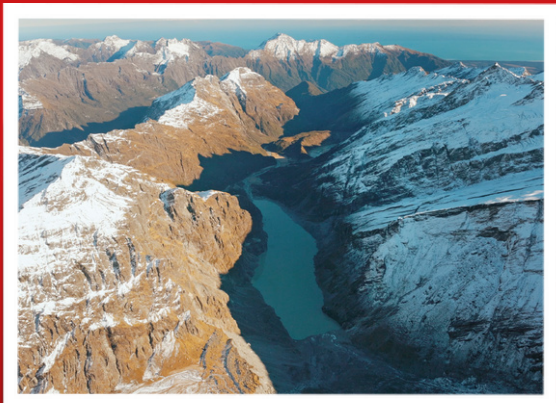
Queenstown

9.00am

Return

Queenstown

5.00pm



Mt. Cook Fly | Glacier Explorers | Fly



Duration Full Day



Flight Time 2 hrs



Boat Time 2 hrs



Available only in Summer

After landing in Mt. Cook National Park, team up with your guide for a 30-minute alpine walk to the Tasman Terminal Lake and cruise past a towering ice wall and floating icebergs on New Zealand's only glacial boat tour.

Minimum age of 4 years old.

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Mt. Cook Airport with landing
- 30-minute alpine walk and approximately 1 hour boat tour on the Tasman Terminal Lake with our partners Glacier Explorers
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

1 Oct - 30 April

Depart Queenstown

9.00am

Return Queenstown

5.00pm



RAKIURA

Stewart Island

Stewart Island | Rakiura is the third island of New Zealand and furthest south. Meaning “glowing skies”, a reference to the southern lights, aurora australis, which can sometimes be seen from the island. Over 85% of Stewart Island is Rakiura National Park, making it a paradise for birdwatching and hiking the over 280 kms of walking tracks.

There are lots of great activities to do, from short walks along the coastline to visiting the predator-free sanctuary of Ulva Island.



Stewart Island Ultimate Day Trip



Duration Full Day



Flight Time 2 hrs

The ultimate bucket list-worthy day trip! This guided trip on Stewart Island starts with a multistop road tour, taking you through the cultural and historical side of the island. Next, you'll continue on a marine and land-based guided experience, including a cruise around Paterson Inlet and a walk on Ulva Island Wildlife Sanctuary.

Season

October - April

Depart

Queenstown

Return

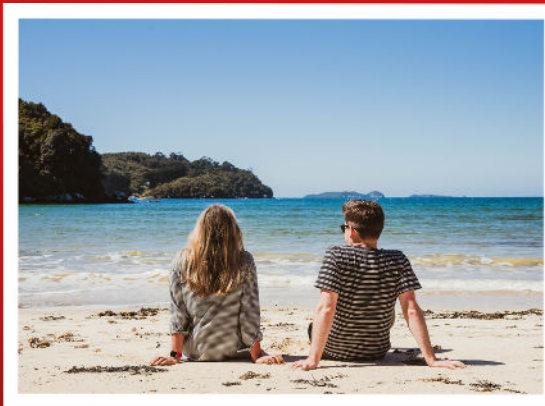
Queenstown

9.00am

5.00pm

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Stewart Island with landing
- Stewart Island Village & Bays Tours with RealNZ
- Ulva Island Explorer tour with RealNZ
- Lunch is included. You can pick from either a picnic lunch or fresh fish and chips
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**



Stewart Island Fly | Explore | Fly



Duration Full Day



Flight Time 2 hrs



Exploration Time up to 5 hrs

Explore Stewart Island at your own pace. This excursion is a true kiwi experience. Fly with us from Queenstown to the remote Ryan's Creek Aerodrome on stunning Stewart Island. This is a self-guided day where you can choose how you spend your time, from an adventure-packed itinerary to spending a leisurely day birdwatching or walking.

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Stewart Island with landing
- Approximately 5 hours on the ground in Stewart Island
- Complimentary transfers available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

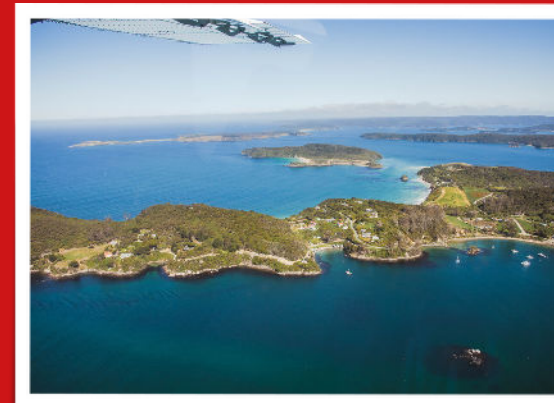
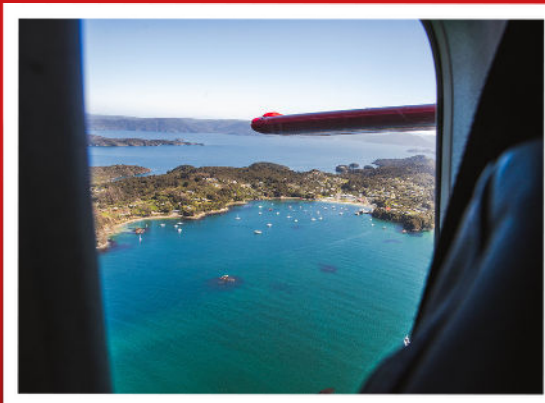
October - April

Depart Queenstown

9.00am

Return Queenstown

5.00pm



Stewart Island One Way Flight to Queenstown



Duration 1 Hour



Flight Time 1 Hour

Whether you've been walking the Rakiura Track, accomplished the challenging North West Circuit, or spent a few relaxing nights in paradise, our modern fleet can bring you back to Queenstown in just over an hour on a fantastic scenic flight.

Trip Includes

- Scenic flight from Stewart Island to Queenstown
- Complimentary transfer after returning to Queenstown available
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

October - April

Depart

Stewart Island

Return

Queenstown

On Request

On Request

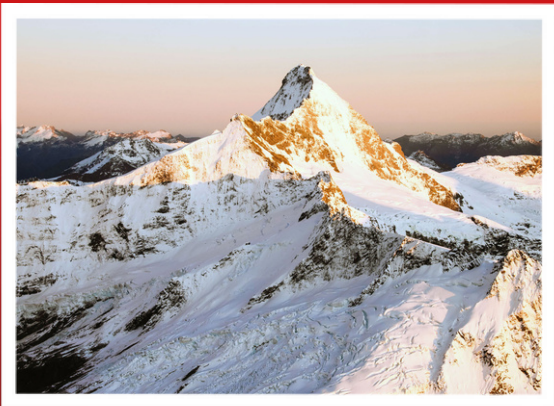


#GOLDENHOUR

Sunrise Flights

Join us at first light and discover our backyard before the rest of the town wakes up with our sunrise flights. See the peaks, valleys and your home in a whole new light as the sun breaks over the horizon. Experience the overwhelming sense of calm that comes with watching the start of a new day and walk away with memories that will last a lifetime shared with people that you love the most. Find out about the rich history of the area as we fly into Mt. Aspiring National park.

We promise that you will not regret your decision to set the early morning alarm to see the beautiful views of our region.



Sunrise Flights Mt. Aspiring + The Glaciers



Duration 2 Hours



Flight Time 1 hr 15 mins



Available only in Winter

As Queenstown's Original Sunrise Flight Company we know just the path to take for the best views. Watch the sun break from behind Mt. Aspiring and experience the overwhelming sense of calm that comes with watching the start of a new day.

Trip Includes

- Round trip scenic flight from Queenstown to Mt. Aspiring at sunrise with no landing
- Please note, we do not offer complimentary transfers for this flight
- **Your guaranteed window seat**

Season

1 June - 20 August

Depart Queenstown

Sunrise

Return Queenstown

1 hr 15 mins after departure



Kea Conservation Trust

We donate \$1 on behalf of each passenger who flies with us to Kea Conservation Trust. Our donations help support on the ground, with field conservation, monitoring Kea in Fiordland and protection of nests.



Sustainability

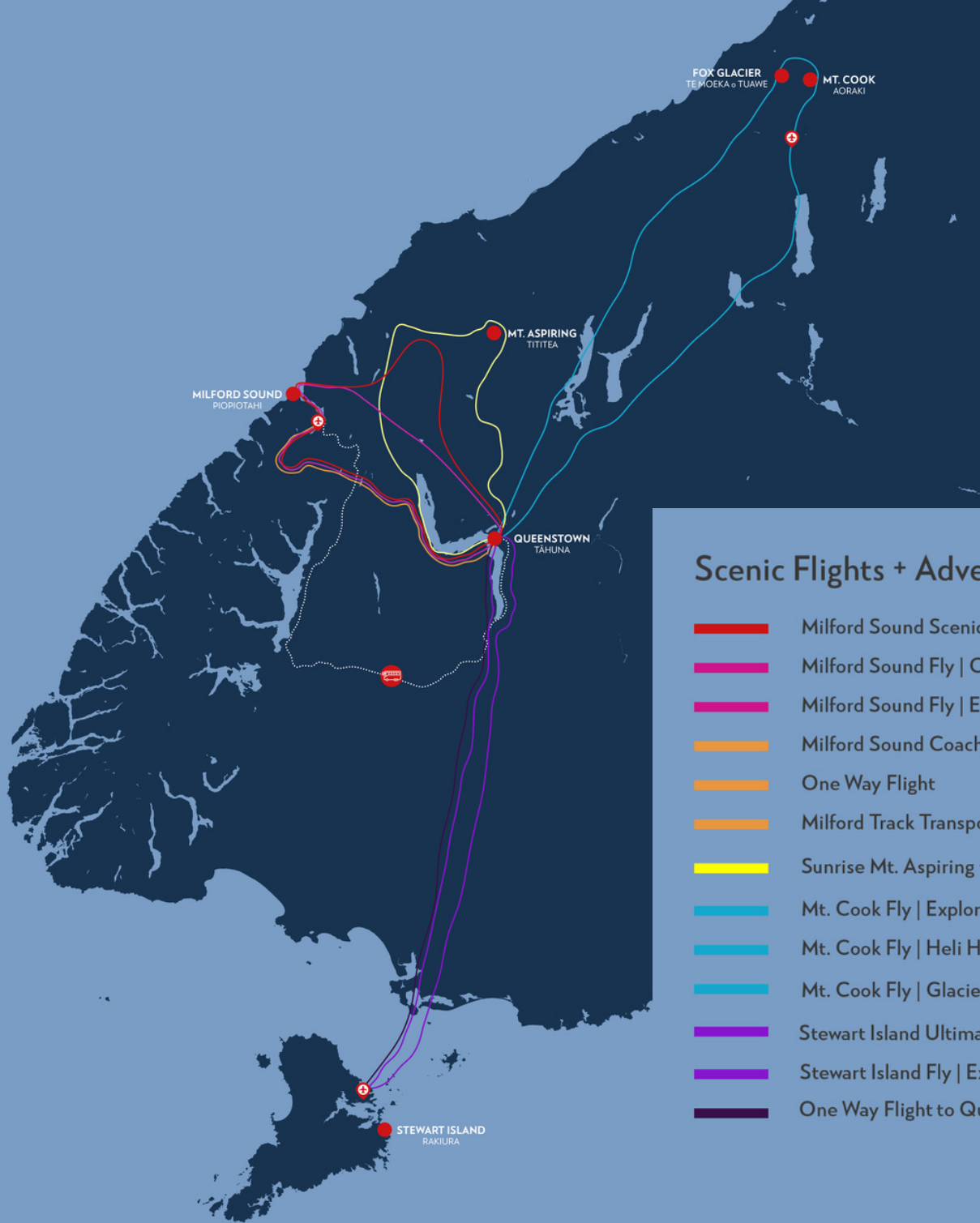
“Glenorchy Air is committed to protecting our beautiful natural environment, enhancing connections with our local communities, whilst also delivering a quality, safe experience for all visitors.”

Qualmark New Zealand

We’ve been awarded the Qualmark Gold Sustainable Tourism Award. As New Zealand tourism’s official mark of quality, this award shows our commitment to protecting the beautiful environment we operate in. We are very fortunate to work in many of the world’s most stunning locations, and we make conscience efforts to conserve those areas and support organisations that work to protect those areas, such as the Kea Conservation Trust and New Zealand Conservation Trust.

We are closely following the development of pure electric aircraft and we plan to be the leaders in embracing this future technology. We have implemented our fleet upgrade program, replacing some of our smaller aircraft with larger, quieter and more efficient types. We chose these new aircraft as they are the most efficient aircraft in their class and are already certified to run on Sustainable Aviation Fuel.

We are working towards being the first Queenstown operator to use Sustainable Aviation Fuel when it is available in New Zealand.



Spectacular, scenic, vast

Flight Paths

Scenic Flights + Adventures

- Milford Sound Scenic Flyover
- Milford Sound Fly | Cruise | Fly
- Milford Sound Fly | Explore | Fly
- Milford Sound Coach | Cruise | Fly
- One Way Flight
- Milford Track Transport
- Sunrise Mt. Aspiring + The Glaciers
- Mt. Cook Fly | Explore | Fly
- Mt. Cook Fly | Heli Hike | Fly
- Mt. Cook Fly | Glacier Explorers | Fly
- Stewart Island Ultimate Day Trip
- Stewart Island Fly | Explore | Fly
- One Way Flight to Queenstown

Scenic Charters + Corporate Experiences

The sky is the limit with our scenic charter options. We are conveniently located at Queenstown Airport and can provide charter services to anywhere in New Zealand. We can also facilitate commercial transport options. We have a fleet consisting of four aircraft type to best suit your charter needs, from photography flights to hiking track transport.

We also offer some of the most unique experiences Queenstown has ever seen with our Corporate Experiences. Our fleet is ready to take you across the South Island for a bespoke experience.



Private flights across New Zealand



Photography flights + workshops



Hiking track transport



Corporate experiences

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