Gis' borne to shine...*



GISBORNE CITY

Explore the main city in the Tairāwhiti region. Combining culture and heritage with contemporary living and dining experiences. Explore our beautiful city, highlights include: MV Takitimu, Tairāwhiti Museum, the Dome Cinema, Smash Palace, Sunshine Brewery, Gisborne Wine Centre and Tupapa heritage trails.



DIVE TATAPOURI

Located 15 mins from Gisborne on SH35, Dive Tatapouri offers a world famous interactive marine experience with stingrays and other sea life. Visitors get to discover the tamariki (children) of Tangaroa (the Māori God of the Sea), whilst immersing themselves in the local culture and magical marine surroundings of Tatapouri Bay.

www.divetatapouri.com



CYCLE GISBORNE

Discover spectacular scenery, breathe in fresh air, and fall in love with the changing landscapes – all on a bike! Check out the unique vibe of the easternmost city in the world with a guided or a selfguided tour from Cycle Gisborne.

www.cyclegisborne.com



SURFING GISBORNE

Delivering world-class surf all-yearround means Tairāwhiti is a top destination for surfers from around the world. A strong swell, consistent winds and wide-open beaches all line up to create some of New Zealand's best breaks.

www.tairawhitigisborne.co.nz/ see-and-do/surfing

GISBORNE RAILBIKE ADVENTURES

90kms of coastal railway between

Experience an amazing cycling

Gisborne and Wairoa. A totally

unique tandem cycle that allows

you to pedal side-by-side along

GISBORNE WINE REGION

Discover and enjoy our great wines. Gisborne's warm dry

climate is moderated by the

cooling afternoon sea breezes,

similar conditions to the world's

nearby Pacific Ocean, with

great wine growing regions.

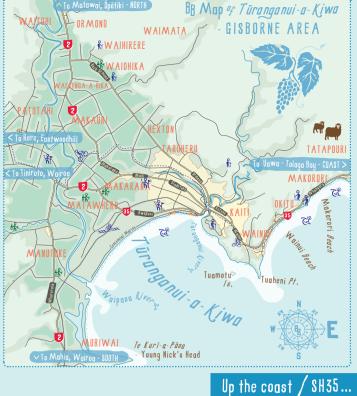
www.qisbornewine.co.nz

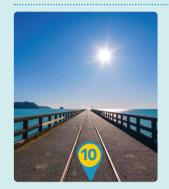
ASTRO TOURS

the actual rails!

www.railbikes.nz

adventure on the very scenic





The largest of all the villages

UAWA - TOLAGA BAY

on your East Coast adventure and home to the world famous Tolaga Bay Wharf, 660m in length! Feeling pekish? Be sure to call into the food trailer, Broad Bills at the foot of the wharf and enjoy the walk down the wharf.



TIPUNA TOURS

An iwi owned eco tourism experience offering cultural and historical guided tours of Uawa / Tolaga Bay. Tipuna Tours shares the rich history of the region including visiting sites such as Tolaga Bay Wharf, Cook's Cove Walkway and local marae.

www.tipunatours.co.nz

TOKOMARU BAY

Tokomaru Bay has plenty to

offer from great fishing, the old

old shipping company and old

wharf, historical sites such as an

freezing works. A trip to Tokomaru

bay is not complete without a stop

off at Café 35 to enjoy a famous

The main rural settlement 'up

the coast', Ruatoria is where

epic tours Maunga Hikurangi

begin, where you can explore

with Air Ruatoria and where you

can stay at the accommodating

Enz of the Earth guesthouse.

Paua Pie (get in quick!).

RUATORIA



MAUNGA HIKURANGI

Maunga Hikurangi is the sacred mountain of the Ngati Porou people, and the first place in the world to see the sunrise. Visitors are transported up on 4WD UTV's by local guides. Once at the top, visitors will arrive at a sacred site with nine Māori carvings that depict the stories of Maui. www.maungahikurangi.com



TIKITIKI

TAIRĀWHITI

GISBORNE

The first light

www.tairawhitiqisborne.co.nz

Your visitor map

Immerse yourself in the beauty of St Mary's Church with it's Māori architectural design, wonderful carvings and tukutuku (woven panels) inside. It's considered one of the finest Māori churches in New Zealand.



TE ARAROA

Here you'll find the largest easterly point in mainland NZ to the East Cape Lighthouse. Be the first



Pōhutukawa tree in the world 'Te Waha o Rerekohu'. Immerse yourself into Māori culture and history hosted by Ngā Taonga o Hinerupe or head to the most in the world to see the sun rise.



AIR RUATORIA

Air Ruatoria offers scenic flights over a range of stunning landscapes from Maunga Hikurangi, the film set of Whale Rider, East Coast beaches, the East Cape Lighthouse and much more.

www.air-ruatoria.nz



Find yourself inland..

EASTWOODHILL ARBORETUM

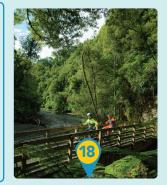
This unique forest and garden contains NZ's largest collection of Northern Hemisphere trees and shrubs set among 100 hectares of hills, valleys and ponds with a network of easy walking tracks.

www.eastwoodhill.orq.nz



RERE FALLS and ROCKSLIDE

A perfect place to escape for a day trip, Rere is tucked away in rural Tairāwhiti. You will find the famous Rere Rockslide, 60 metres long created by natural forces, a true natural rush for adrenalin seekers. Or for a more tranquil experience, check out the nearby Rere Falls.



MOTU TRAILS

Get on a bike and enjoy one of the Great Rides that make up Ngā Haerenga, The New Zealand Cycle Trails. The Motu Trails offer everything from easy family riding to true back country escape.

www.motutrails.co.nz

