

WAIKARETU NEW ZEALAND



TE KARAKA

STATION & LODGE

Retreats & Events

CORPORATE EVENTS & RETREATS IN RURAL WAIKATO

Te Karaka Lodge's secluded location offers guaranteed privacy making us the ideal choice for discrete retreats and events, we are located 95km from Auckland in the heart of Waikato farmland on Te Karaka Station.

There are times when you need to get your team away from it all, have a change of scenery and the chance to breath fresh air and generate new ideas. At Te Karaka Lodge you will find peace and privacy, a well-appointed meeting room for up to 10 and the space to make our place yours. Whether it's for your focused senior executive team or next annual board meeting, Te Karaka's location provides discretion and relaxation. We invite you to experience the quintessential beauty of rural New Zealand in relaxed luxurious and understated comfort.





Exclusive Use Retreats

In order to allow event guests to make the most of the privacy and location, we offer Te Karaka Lodge on an exclusive use basis only with a one night minimum stay. This provides flexibility with the arrival and departure time allowing your event to extend into the evening or start early in the morning.

Meeting Spaces

Our purpose built meeting room can comfortably seat up to 10. Large windows allow plenty of natural light and views across the farmland. The Lodge common areas allow for more casual meeting spaces, or make use of the private dining zone with direct access to the pool deck as a second meeting space.

What We Offer

The Lodge has been designed in harmony with its surroundings, using natural materials such as wood and stone and featuring contemporary Māori and local artworks to create a warm and inviting atmosphere.

Our working farm welcomes guided farm tours and guests will have the opportunity to explore the station and gain an insight into the daily running of this busy sheep and cattle high country farm.

The Lodge facilities include a decadent outdoor heated spa swimming pool, lawn games and barbeque and several verandas on which to relax and absorb the sound of native birdsong. Interior spaces include a large lounge and dining area and cosy fireplace for those chillier morning and evenings.

- Lodge accommodation for 20 twin share or 10 single occupancy
- Flat screen TV for presentations
- WiFi
- Lodge dining, bar and outside deck areas for relaxing
- Outdoor heated spa pool
- Guided Farm Tours
- Team-building: If you would like to combine your meeting or conference with a team-building activity, we can recommend options operated by a third party partner operator
- Walking/running trails



Dining

Te Karaka's restaurant and bar, serves delicious farm-to-table cuisine made from fresh ingredients. Guests are invited to indulge whilst taking in the views from our comfortable and convivial Lodge dining room, or on the outdoor terrace surrounded by native plantings with sheep grazing nearby.

Catering at Te Karaka Lodge is specially prepared by our executive chef and we can accommodate for most dietary requirements. Breakfast is included in the tariff and overnight retreats include dinner with optional pre-dinner drinks, canapes and lunch available. Please discuss your requirements at the time of booking. We have a wide selection of beverages to choose from, unfortunately BYO is not available.

Getting Here

Arriving at Te Karaka you will be struck by the remote location and stunning rural views. Allow time to enjoy the drive from Auckland or Hamilton, classic west coast landscapes with some stunning rock formations and outcrops are worthy of a photo or two on the way. We offer plenty of onsite parking and if time is limited we have plenty of space for helicopter landings for those wishing to arrive in style.



Retreats & Events Pricing Guide

Venue hire: From \$2,500 per day or part day

Basic inclusions: The services of our experienced team, meeting room set up, pads, pens, tea, coffee and water. Accommodation is on a per room basis and includes breakfast.

Dining options: POA

Beverages: On consumption

Meeting room hire: \$500 half day / \$800 full day

Accommodation

The lodge offers ten guest lodgings for an intimate and hosted experience and includes nine Deluxe rooms and one Master Suite. Truly a place to unwind and the perfect escape to connect with nature and experience the stunning beauty of rural New Zealand.

Each of the 10 Lodge rooms are spacious, contemporary, and luxurious, with large windows taking in the stunning views, plush bedding, and modern amenities. Beds may be split to twin to accommodate up to 20 guests. Spacious ensuite bathrooms feature rain shower heads, robes and premium amenities. The Master Suite is slightly larger than the deluxe rooms and features a bathtub... ideal for the VIP in the group!



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