

The Kaikoura Coast Track

We provide:

Accommodation: Warm, clean cottages with fully equipped kitchens, flushing loos and hot bath/showers, clean beds (backpacker/bunk-house style), clean pillows & pillow cases and bath mat.

Pack Transport: **ONE** piece of luggage per person will be transported to each night's accommodation, plus **ONE** chilly bin / box of food per party (two if more than five people).

Other: Detailed map and guide booklet, secure car parking.

What to bring:

Bicycle: Bring your bike! Bikes are available to hire in Kaikoura, ask Sally for details.

Clothing: Warm hat, gloves, cycling clothes and footwear, waterproofs, sun hat, sun block.

Food: Whatever you want to eat. Most people bring far too much!

Other: Water bottle, camera, day pack, sleeping bag, towel and toiletries, puncture kit & pump etc.

Additional Options: (payable to each host farm separately)

Breakfast available by prior arrangement. \$15 per person per meal.

Cut Lunch: available by prior arrangement. \$15 per person per meal.

Evening Meals: available by prior arrangement. \$40 per person per meal: Two course home-style meals, prepared and ready for you to cook at your convenience.

Food: Each farm has food available to buy e.g. veg/meat pies, meat, veg & fruit in season, eggs, bread, milk, canned goods, biscuits, ice creams, soft drinks, beer & wine.

Linen: by prior arrangement – sleeping sheet, duvet and towel. \$20 per person.

Booking

Payment: \$85 per cyclist in cash, direct bank transfer, cheque (to The Kaikoura Coast Track) or via PayPal for overseas visitors. **We do NOT have credit card payment facilities.**

Booking Policy: Bookings are confirmed on receipt of full payment.
Payment to be made within 14 days of booking.
Pre-season bookings are payable in the first week of September.

Refund Policy: At least 21 days notice of cancellation: 90% refund.
7-20 days notice of cancellation: 50% refund.
No refund will be made if less than 7 days notice is given of cancellation

Arrival and Departure

Arrival: You will need to arrive at Ash House at The Staging Post by 8:45am if you wish to join the walkers' transport (van) to the start. Alternatively, you need to arrive by 10.00am to ride to the start (10km on SH1). If you are unable to arrive by 10.00am, please tell us by texting 021 135 6186 as this will affect your luggage transfer.

Departure: You will finish the track back at The Staging Post early-mid afternoon on your last day.

Location: The Staging Post is located 137 km north of Christchurch (19 km north of Cheviot.), and 49 km south of Kaikoura on State Highway 1, easily found by car. Various shuttle and coach services between Christchurch and Picton will stop on request at The Staging Post to drop you off and/or pick you up. We have compiled a bus timetable showing the different options. If you would like a copy, please request one from Sally Handyside at Medina or check our web site.

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