

# Conference accommodation

## For this conference we are asking you to book your own accommodation.

We've listed a number of options within a 20 minute walk of Golden Bay High School (with one exception). We are recommending that you look at the list supplied, make a choice and book directly using their business email, phone number or website. This will allow the property owner to pass along any available discounts or winter rates. They can't do this for you if you use bookme.com etc. You may notice that all these locations are along Takaka's main street, we have done this to make it easy to help you out with pick-ups and drop offs. We don't want to drive all around town or out to the Pohara / beach so if you want to book elsewhere you will need to be independent, i.e., have a rental car or campervan or be within easy walking distance.

Listed in order of walking distance to Golden Bay High School

### **Waitapu Springs B&B** 5 min walk to conference venue

Quiet and private, hot tubs and nice breakfasts, a 23 min walk to the supermarket.

P: +64 3 525 9181      W: [www.waitapusprings.com](http://www.waitapusprings.com)      E: waitapusprings@gmail.com

### **Shady Rest B&B** 6 min walk to conference venue

A relaxed, boutique B&B with big lounge and fireplace, be in quick if you would like to stay in style

P: +64 3 525 9669      W: [www.shadyrest.co.nz](http://www.shadyrest.co.nz)      E: [stay@shadyrest.co.nz](mailto:stay@shadyrest.co.nz)

### **Golden Bay Motels** 8 min walk to conference venue

An older motel with gardens, freshly refurbished rooms and full kitchens if you wish to self-cater. There is also a large house to rent if you are coming as a group.

P: +64 3 525 9428      W: [www.goldenbaymotel.co.nz](http://www.goldenbaymotel.co.nz)      E: [goldenbaymotel@gmail.com](mailto:goldenbaymotel@gmail.com)

### **Anatoki Lodge Motel** 12 min walk to conference venue

Lovely new units with full kitchens for self-caterers, close to town for cafes.

P: +64 3 525 8047      W: [www.anatokimotels.co.nz](http://www.anatokimotels.co.nz)      E: [info@anatokimotels.co.nz](mailto:info@anatokimotels.co.nz)

### **Mohua Motels** 20 min walk to conference venue

Loads of modern rooms, kitchenettes for meal prep and close to bars and cafes for those who plan eat out lots.

P: +64 3 525 7222      W: [www.mohuamotels.co.nz](http://www.mohuamotels.co.nz)      E: [stay@mohuamotels.co.nz](mailto:stay@mohuamotels.co.nz)

### **The Rocks Chalets** 29 min walk to the conference venue.

Private chalets set in karst gardens, kitchenettes for meal prep and a 3 bdrm house if you are booking a group. It's a little outside the town with a 12 min walk along a bike path to the shops. A torch will be needed at night.

P: +64 3 525 8096      W: [www.accommodationtakaka.co.nz](http://www.accommodationtakaka.co.nz)      E: [stay@therockschalets.co.nz](mailto:stay@therockschalets.co.nz)

## **Meals**

**We are providing 3 evening meals**, (a welcome dinner, a midweek get together and a farewell dinner). The rest is up to you. There is a wonderful selection of cafes and bars to sample and enjoy for the other 3 nights of the conference. If you wish to cook your own evening meals, the Takaka supermarket on the main street is very well stocked and has food for all dietary requirements.

**Breakfasts** are g.y.o. (get your own) apart from those who book B&B accommodation. Once again, good cafes and a good food selection at the supermarket and local deli will see you through.

**Morning tea, afternoon tea and packed lunches** will be provided daily. Please, please, bring along your own water bottles and travel cups. There is not expected to be functional kitchen in the high school hall, so we can't provide cups and saucers at morning tea - please bring your own.

### **Other useful places**

Takaka has a pharmacy, an information centre, beer and wine from supermarket or bottle stores, hardware and camping stores, and many arts and craft stores plus a good range of other useful shops. You should be able to find almost anything you need.