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Bookings:

From our website: www.vhc.co.nz

Please print the booking form and post, or email and deposit money in the bank account. Your tickets will be processed and posted to you.

Book in person at the Oamaru i-Site from 1st October. A booking fee of \$2 per ticket, maximum of \$10 will apply.

Get the Look:

Join in the fun and add to the atmosphere by being dressed in Victorian costume. Be a gentleman of distinction, a lady of means or a simple colonial settler. Clothing and accessories are available for every member of the family. Competitions for the 'Best Dressed Travellers' for adults and children.

Victorian Wardrobe

4B Harbour Street Thursdays: 10am-4pm Sundays from October 10am-2pm 10-16 Nov only – 10am-4pm owct@xtra.co.nz or by appointment



Pre-Celebrations Events:

Penny Farthing & Vintage Cycle Tour

See the wheelmen and women depart Oamaru on the 6th November to start their intrepid journey on pennyfarthings and vintage cycles touring from Blenheim to Hanmer Springs.

Join the civic welcome as they return to Oamaru on the 11th November outside the Forrester Gallery at 5.15pm.

Oamaru Public Library

A map of the route that the wheelmen will travel on as they cycle the Penny Farthing and Vintage Cycle Tour is on display at the Oamaru Public Library. Call in to see their progress as they travel down the South Island towards Hanmer Springs.



Heritage for Schools

Celebrating our heritage – with special focus on our pioneers and early forms of transport.

During the weeks of 28-31 October and 3-7 November

A choice of 3 different activities directly related to the heritage of Oamaru and surrounding district showcasing our pioneering history is offered to all schools in the greater Waitaki area.

Schools participating are able to learn vital history of our area, take part hands-on. Students may experience the lifestyle themselves by dressing the part, learn about pioneer farming, meat export and grain production, make flour bags and mill flour.



Wednesday 12th November

10am – 4pm Oamaru Steam and Rail Workshop

Venture behind the scenes into the workshop of steam and rail – the ultimate in a blokes' shed. Come and see our steam engine loco being restored.

Entry by donation

Workshop on railway siding behind the Woolstore Complex

12.05pm The Waitaki Valley Singers

Enjoy their first midday concert with conductor Wendy Eckhardt. Bring your lunch, tea and coffee provided.

Entry by gold coin donation St Paul's Church 5 Coquet Street

7.30pm Oamaru Repertory Society See Daily events for details



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Thursday 13th November



Hot Air Balloons Morning Noon and Night See Daily Events for more details

10am to 12 noon Down the Decades

Join Helen Stead on a walk by & through Buildings; over & under Bridges here in 1878 when Oamaru was New Zealand's ninth largest urban area.

Tickets \$20, with gold coin donation at the Oamaru Opera House

Meet at the i-Site 1 Thames Street Book at www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site

10.30am Behind the Scenes Tour

Every museum has more in store than it's able to display. View those rare treasures which lie behind closed doors.

Thursday and Friday North Otago Museum 60 Thames Street Ph: 03 433 0852 Bookings essential Gold coin donation

12.05pm Forty Flying Fingers and The North Otago Women's Club Choir

Music at St Paul's church features four pianists at pianos with the North Otago Women's Club Choir. Bring your lunch. Tea and coffee provided.

St Paul's Church 5 Coquet Street Gold coin donation

1pm Scotts Brewery Tour

See daily events for details Tickets \$10 at the door End of Harbour Street

2pm Movie at the Limelight

Call into select a film from times gone by and experience a Victorian treat.

Tickets \$15 (seniors and students \$10) Tickets from Limelight Cinema only Bookings preferred: www.limelightcinema.co.nz Ph: 434 1077

Limelight Cinemas 260 Thames Street



5pm – 8pm Grand Tour of the Countryside and Picnic Tea

Begin your transport themed weekend with a Grand Tour of North Otago's countryside in a vintage car, bicycle, horse, bus, or maybe your own car, all finishing at Totara Estate for a picnic tea and entertainment. Cars, bicycles, buses and any other modes of transport all depart Lower Wansbeck St Car park 5pm. Please arrive at car park by 4.45pm to receive your touring instructions. Bring your own picnic or pre-purchase one – hot water for drinks available at Totara Estate, entertainment continues until 8pm.

Indoor venue available if weather unfavourable.

Combined event with the North Otago Vintage Car Club.

<mark>Book</mark> your ride in a vintage car now \$10 per person Bus also \$10 per person.

Picnic teas can be purchased for \$15 but must be pre-booked. Book at www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site



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6pm Oamaru Public Library

'Burke's Pass and a Load of Old Bullocks: Tales of Traversing the Long Cutting'

The Oamaru Library will host a talk by Dr Jane Batchelor from The Burke's Pass Heritage Trust.

Admission free

Oamaru Public Library 62 Thames Street



7.30pm The Venerable Victorian Alfresco Affair

What happens when Queen Victoria asks Mrs Beeton to arrange a Picnic? Be astonished at the preparations, witness a cookery demonstration of the utmost skill, be enchanted with the etiquette...and allow yourself to be transported to a time when fast-food meant it was delivered by horse and carriage! Come along for an evening of enlightenment and humour – Ladies, be prepared to loosen your stays!!! *Tickets \$25 includes samples of food and refreshment from the picnic hamper.*

Early Settlers Hall Severn Street – just behind the Oamaru Opera House Book at www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site.

7.30pm Oamaru Repertory Society See Daily events for details



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Friday 14th November



Hot air Balloons Morning Noon and Night See Daily Events for more details



8.15am 'Oh to be beside the Sea' Breakfast at Portside

The Mayor's Grand Entrance

Make your way to Portside, by horse and buggy, boat, bicycle or train and then dine in style beside the sea at Portside Restaurant. The Mayor will arrive from across the waters, a fine English breakfast will be served, and the entertainment will transport you. Make your way back to town by your chosen mode of transport, or join the Mayor aboard the train back to Harbourside station and proceed across to the Waitaki District council steps for the Grand Opening of the Celebrations.

Tickets \$25

Train courtesy of Victorian Heritage Celebrations departs Harbourside Station on Itchen Street 8.15am, Breakfast 8.30 – 9.30, Train departs Portside end 9.40'sh to return to Itchen Street.

Book at www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site

8.30am – 7.30pm Opera House Café Bar

Looking for a quiet moment during the day or early evening. Call into House Café Bar for cream tea, champagne tea or partake of an early evening refreshment to prepare you for the frivolity ahead! A tall Pimms being the pick-me-up of choice.

Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street

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9.30am – 11.30am First Class Ball Practice

For those who wish to learn or practice dances for this evening's Ball.

The dance list may be found on www.vhc.co.nz.

Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street *Gold coin donation*



10am Celebrations Grand Opening

For everyone who has travelled to join us from near or far, join us on the steps of the Waitaki District Council to officially open the 2014 Victorian Heritage Celebrations by his worship Gary Kircher, Mayor of the Waitaki District.

Oamaru Council Buildings 20 Thames Street



10am – 12pm Café Promenade

After the Grand opening of the Celebrations on the Council steps you may continue on your promenade of Oamaru's finest cafes and marvel at shop windows decorated in heritage style.



10am – 2pm Elevenses with Mrs B

Call into the Early Settlers Hall to sample treats from Mrs Beeton's kitchen with a tea, coffee, or a small glass of madeira. Try your hand at Victorian parlour games or just relax and have a chat.

\$5 per serving Early Settlers' Hall Severn Street just behind the Opera House

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North Otago Museum 60 Thames Street

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11.30am Lines from the Nile

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\$25 includes a cream tea www.ticketdirect.co.nz All service fees included Limited audience capacity

Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street

12.05pm Variety Concert

A St Paul's concert featuring local artists. Bring your lunch. Tea and coffee provided.

St Paul's Church 5 Coquet Street Gold coin donation





12.30pm Great Photo Opportunity

All gather at 12.25pm on the steps of the Opera House for the 'Big Photo' to be followed by the announcement of the winners of the Costume Awards and the Window Display.

Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street



12.30pm Victorian Travellers Costume Awards

Straight after the 'Big' photo on the Opera House steps, winners of the Best Dressed Travellers costume will be presented.



12.30pm Waitaki Herald Victorian Retail Window Display

Prize-giving and presentation of the silver tray for the best dressed Victorian Window.

Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street

1pm Forrester and Lemon Memorial Lecture

Please check our website or with the i-Site closer to Heritage Week for this year's speaker and topic. Details were not available at the time of printing this programme.

The Ink Box

Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street Admission free



1pm Scotts Brewery Tour

See daily events for details

Tickets \$10 at the door End of Harbour Street

lpm Oamaru Public Library

'Hear all about it!'

Those doughty Waitaki Wheelmen and Ladies will present a blow-by-blow account of this year's vintage cycle tour. This is sure to rival those stirring tales of derring-do so popular in yesteryear. A tale of personal hardship, camaraderie and triumph!

62 Thames Street Admission free

<mark>2pm Movie at th</mark>e Limelight

Call into select a film from times gone by and experience a Victorian treat.

Tickets \$15 (seniors and students \$10) Tickets from Limelight Cinema only

www.limelightcinema.co.nz Ph: 434 1077 Bookings preferred

Limelight Cinemas 260 Thames Street



2.30pm – 3.30pm Crombie & Price Victorian Garden Party

A good garden party needs a good garden and there are few better than the Oamaru Public Gardens. Look for the Band Rotunda and join the guests enjoying fine food, silver service and magical music.

Oamaru Public Gardens, Band Rotunda Wet weather venue St Paul's Church Hall Coquet Street Admission free



2.30pm – 3.30pm Oamaru Gardens Picnic Competition

Join the elegantly attired gentry as they sip their cups of tea at the Garden Party, show off your best tea things and bring some delectable delicacies in the style of a Victorian traveller. Prize for the Best Dressed picnic table that is decorated to this year's theme.

Please set your tables up around the area that is reserved for the garden party.

2.30pm – 3.30pm Croquet in the Gardens

Have a go at croquet in the gardens with help from the Awamoa Gardens Croquet Club.

Oamaru Public Gardens, Band Rotunda

4pm – 6pm Traveller's Tales

Come on along and share traveller's tales – everyone has a story: ships, trains, cars, planes, bicycles, even sledge journeys. You are welcome to tell a story, or come to listen.

Adventure Books 7 Harbour Street Free admission

5pm Safari Supper

Start your evening in style with delectable canapés at the Criterion, then all aboard the train for a leisurely ride to Portside for your main course. Then return on the train for your dessert to be served at the Criterion. A very pleasant way to start the evening, then on to your evening entertainment or onto the ball.

Tickets \$45 includes your meal and train ride. Book at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site





Heritage Dance Practice/ learn dances for Heritage and Scottish Balls. Fridays 7-8pm Kakanui Hall 55 per couple. Ph 03 4342558 or email jenjim & lear.net.nz for details. If you're willing to try, we're willing to try and teach you.

7.30pm Oamaru Repertory Society

See Daily events for details



First Class Passengers Ball

The Captain cordially invites all first class passengers to join him in the First Class Saloon for an evening of dancing and a first class supper. Liquid refreshments may be purchased during the evening. Dress code: Formal Ball attire or Dress uniform. Limited places, booking essential. No door sales. Saloon opens at 7pm.

Grand March commences at 8pm. Dancing until late. Tickets \$50

The Scottish Hall Tyne St Book at: www.yhc.co.nz or at the i-Site



3 Tyne Street, Oamaru, 9444 Phone: 03 4346247 Email: enquiries@criterionhotel.co.nz





Saturday 15th November



Hot Air Balloons Morning Noon and Night

See Daily Events for more details

8am Vintage Car Club Swapmeet

The North Otago Vintage Car Club is having a Swap meet, the perfect time for folk to rummage and barter or just Oooh and Aaaah at all things Vintage and Veteran, Motorised or Mechanicalised, Showy bits and Shiny bits, something for everyone.

Entry \$5 at the gate A and P Show Grounds Caledonion Road



8.30am – 9.30am 'Wot a Luverly War' Breakfast at the Star and Garter

Calling all Loyalists – Full English breakfast and a poignant and humorous look at WW1. Songs and readings by Richard Bowering, Piano by June Cameron.

\$25 • Bookings essential Book at: www.vhc.co.nz No door sales

9am Highland Dancing

Enjoy a Celtic fling at St Paul's, where Highland Dancers will be competing all day.

St Paul's Church 5 Coquet Street Admission prices at the door



Opera House Café Bar

Looking for a quiet moment during the day or early evening. Call into House Café Bar for cream tea, champagne tea or partake of an early evening refreshment to prepare you for the frivolity ahead! A tall Pimms being the pick-me-up of choice.

Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street



11.30am Grand Street Parade

The sights and sounds of yesteryear will wend their way through town for all to see. Join in, or watch from the sidelines. Competition for the schools that take part – Best School float wins \$1000

Starts Tyne Street along Itchen Street and into Lower Thames Street

1pm Scotts Brewery Tour

See daily events for details Tickets \$10 at the door End of Harbour Street

1pm

Oamaru Bicycle Polo Tournament

See the country's finest bicycle polo players battle it out for glory & honour at the inaugural polo match being held on the Victorian Precinct 'Polodrome', at the south end of the Victorian Precinct.

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1pm The 20th Heritage Bicycle Championship

As New Zealand's foremost heritage cycling event attracting wheelmen (and women) from around the globe, this will be another high thrill as riders participate in sprints, slaloms, relays, slow races, and the ghastly Tyne Street Grunter. Collect forms from Club Trailer on Tyne Street prior to 1pm. All riders are encouraged to wear traditional riding attire and the emphasis is on participation and enjoyment.

Prize-giving will be held following the events. Tyne Street



1pm – 5pm Working Vintage Machinery

From the age of steam and early internal combustion engines comes a working display of rural machinery. See a traction engine driving a chaff cutter, many stationary engines and a display of blade and machine sheep shearing.

At the southern end of the Precinct

1pm – 3.30pm Freemasons Lodge Open to View

The Freemasons are celebrating 150 years of Freemasonry in Oamaru. Their Lodge doors will be open wide to welcome you all to view their Heritage buildings and explore their ancient mystique and traditions.

Refreshments available Gold coin donation Wansbeck Street

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1-4pm Houses with History Tour

Join us for a narrated tour that will amaze with variety and surprise.

The selected homes have been chosen to reflect how early buildings have been kept alive and repurposed as homes, for the wonderment of the 2014 time-traveller in Oamaru. You may dress in Victorian finery or attend as a vagabond of yesteryear. In some homes the domestic glory of a romantic past will be revealed, in others the stylish transformation still references back to humble beginnings. All these unusual homes are lived in and enjoyed. Suitable refreshments for travellers will be provided in charming settings. Gather at the Last Post for prompt departure at 1pm. Transport is provided and passengers will be returned to town at 4pm.

Tickets \$20

Book at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site All profits will go to Beat Bowel Cancer Aotearoa

2pm Movie at the Limelight

Call into select a film from times gone by and experience a Victorian treat.

Tickets \$15 (seniors and students \$10) Tickets from Limelight Cinema only, bookings preferred www.limelightcinema.co.nz Ph: 434 1077

Limelight Cinemas 260 Thames Street



2pm Smoko Time at Swaggers Rest – Totara Estate

Come and join the farm workers for afternoon smoko at Totara Estate. Totara was an important Victorian estate, step back in time and see how the farm workers lived, see demonstrations of traditional farm tasks. Enjoy a generous serving of traditional tea time fare pioneer style from the scrubbed tables and tin mugs – not to mention entertainment from the swaggers – this is an afternoon tea not to be missed.

Totara Estate 8kms South of Oamaru Fee: Adults \$15 (Heritage New Zealand members \$10) Children \$5

Bookings essential at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site Strictly no door sales

2.30pm Lines from the Nile

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\$25 includes a cream or champagne High Tea www.ticketdirect.co.nz All service fees included Limited audience capacity

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4pm – 5pm Clarks Mill Operating

Originally part of Totara Estate, this flour mill will be open and operating. Take a guided tour through this 19th Century engineering marvel and see the mill machinery running. Follow the journey of a grain of wheat from its arrival to its departure as the fine Snow Wreath flour formerly manufactured here.

Clarks Mill, Maheno, 12km South of Oamaru. Guided Tour

Fee: \$15 (Heritage New Zealand Members free) **Bookings at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site**

<mark>4pm – брт</mark> Pen-y-bryn Lodge High Tea

Step back into the gilded age with a traditional Victorian High Tea at Pen-y-bryn, and savour the splendour of one of Oamaru's finest homes and gardens.

Tickets \$40 Book at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site Pen-y-bryn Lodge 41 Towey Street.



4pm – 7pm Thé Dansant at the Masonic

Tea, conversation and dancing in an elegant setting. What better way to spend the late afternoon. Dances will include simple English country house dances as well as some from the formal Ball. Suitable for all ages and ability. Co-hosted by your local freemasons.

Admission \$15 Includes afternoon tea. Limited tickets, booking. recommended Book at www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site Masonic Centre Wansbeck St



5pm The Bookbinder

From award-winning company Trick of the Light Theatre (The Road That Wasn't There) comes a story of mystery, magic and mayhem. Inspired by the haunting works of Chris Van Allsburg, Neil Gaiman and Joy Cowley, The Bookbinder weaves shadow play, paper art, puppetry, and music into an inventive one-hour performance for adventurous adults and curious children...

Adults \$20 • Children \$15 www.ticketdirect.co.nz All service fees included. Limited audience Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street

7pm

Victorian Soiree at Burnside Homestead with Annie's Victorian Tea Rooms and Store

You are invited by Mr and Mrs B. Albiston with Miss Annie Baxter to a Victorian Soiree, A most elegant evening of entertainment in music and verse to be held at Burnside Homestead. Followed by a sumptuous supper.

Black tie or Evening dress. Tickets \$50

Book at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site For further information please contact Miss Annie on: 03-437-1230 or 027-648-6023 Email: livingtrad@xtra.co.nz



Victorian Tea Rooms

7.30pm South Barwon Salvation Army Band

The South Barwon Salvation Army Band visiting from Australia will perform a concert at The Salvation Army citadel. All welcome.

\$5 per adult • \$10 for a family.

Tickets available from the church office Mon-Fri 9-12am or at the door

Salvation Army Citadel 255 Thames Street

7.30pm An Evening with 'Uncle George'

'Uncle George' will delight you with a demonstration of close-up magic from the times of Queen Victoria and King Edward.

Enjoy a range of Victorian treats provided for sale by the Custom House Gallery during the evening.

Tickets \$25 Book at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site Customs House Gallery Tyne Street

7.30pm Oamaru Repertory Society See Daily events for details



8pm Wheeltappers and Shunters Shindig

The Wheeltappers and Shunters Society invite members, their families and friends, to a knees-up at the Loan and Merc. Starting time 8pm. Sing and dance to music by Boru. A rustic supper included in the ticket price. Liquid refreshments may be purchased during the evening.

Limited places, booking recommended Tickets \$25 Book at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site

The Loan and Merc Harbour Street

Sunday 16th November

10am – 4pm The Network Waitaki Victorian Fete

A day jam-packed with superb entertainment, dozens of stalls showcasing their unique and individual wares, exquisite Victorian costume, competitions to test strength and skill, street performers and children's entertainment around every corner with food stalls and refreshments to whet every appetite. It has to be experienced to be believed and will amuse and amaze you!

Dress up in your Victorian best and join in all the fun of the Fair!

Entry \$5

Family Pass: \$20 (2 adults and two children) Pre-schoolers free. Cash only to enter the fete, however eftpos will be available within the fete.

Harbour & Tyne Streets

All Fete and stall site inquiries to: fete@victorianoamaru.co.nz

10am Scotts Brewery Tour

See daily events for details Tickets \$10 at the door

End of Harbour Street

North Otago Arts Society

Art sale and Devonshire tea for sale. Enjoy the work of the local artists on display.

Customs House Gallery Tyne St

10am Heritage Church Services

St Paul's Presbyterian Church 5 Coquet Street

10.30am Salvation Army Church Service

Service will be led by the South Barwon Salvation Army Band visiting from Australia.

Salvation Army Citadel 255 Thames Street

10.30am St Luke's Anglican Heritage Service

Share in a service which spans in word and music the history of Anglican worship in North Otago.

St Luke's Church Corner Itchen and Tees Streets

12 noon Scotts Brewery Tour

See daily events for details Tickets \$10 at the door

End of Harbour Street



<mark>12pm –</mark> 3pm Working Vintage Machinery

From the age of steam and early internal combustion engines comes a working display of rural machinery. See a traction engine driving a chaff cutter, many stationary engines and a display of blade and machine sheep shearing.

At the southern end of the Precinct

1pm-3pm Clarks Mill

If you missed seeing Clarks Mill yesterday, here is a chance to look around the mill when it is not operating. Originally part of Totara Estate. Take a tour through this 19th Century engineering marvel.

Tour Fee \$10 (Heritage New Zealand Members free) Bookings at: www.vhc.co.nz Clarks Mill, Maheno, 12km South of Oamaru



Penguins Nest At the end of the A20 trail Marine Parade, Damaru Harbour

Cycle and Kayak Hire Good Coffee and Food

2pm Scotts Brewery Tour

See daily events for details

Tickets \$10 at the door End of Harbour Street

4pm Oamaru Repertory Society

See Daily events for details

4pm to 6pm Headstones & Stories

Twilight walk through Oamaru's oldest cemetery with conservation historian Helen Stead. Discover the stories of the lost graves. Meet at Greta Street gate.

Tickets \$20 Book at: www.vhc.co.nz or at the i-Site

Daily Events:

Forrester Gallery – Titokowaru's Dilemma

Friday 12th September until Sunday 30th November New Zealand print-maker, Marion Maguire combines the bold silhouettes of Greek vases with the tonal graduations of colonial paintings to challenge simplistic readings of colonial history. Her work illustrates the impressive figure of Riwha Titokowaru (1823-1888) -Maori tohunga and leader from the Taranaki region.

Koreo Ko, Koreo Au

Saturday 20th September until Sunday 16th November Moana Tipa (Ngai Tahu, Kati Mamoe, Ngati Kahungunu, Celt) pays tribute to her father Thomas Rangiora Tipa (1924-2014) and southern whakapapa Maori. Her work combines marks and lines of traditional crafts with celestial navigation to locate place and direction, transposing whakaaro Maori into a contemporary context.

Open daily Admission free

The Forrester Gallery 9 Thames Street

Hot Air Balloons

Due to the unpredictability of the weather, it is not possible to pinpoint where the Hot Air Balloons will be flying from. Please check at the i-Site during Victorian Heritage week for updates.

Oamaru i-Site 1 Thames Street Ph: 434 1656

Oamaru Steam and Rail Trip

Welcome aboard the B10 steam locomotive which will take you from the Harbourside Station to the Quarry Siding in the harbour area and return. Departs every 45 minutes from 11am Saturday and 10.30am Sunday

Adults \$8

Children \$3 • Family (2 adults 2 children), \$20 return

Book at the station or i-Site Pedestrian access via steps from Itchen and Tees Streets

Oamaru's Top 10 Mini Golf

Even though golf was a men's game, in 1867 The Ladies' Putting Club of St. Andrews was formed as a membersonly green for women golfers. Try your luck at Oamaru's new Mini Golf course. An eighteen hole course designed around the local tourist attractions from the Waitaki with information boards. Fun for everyone in the family. \$5 per person during heritage week celebrations 13th-16th Nov. Return your score card with completed details to take part in the prize draw for \$150 vouchers for Top 10 Accommodation and \$50 petrol voucher.

Oamaru Top 10 Holiday Park Chelmer Street 10am – 6pm

Scotts Brewery Tour

In 1905, after a raucous heyday that saw Oamaru serve as the home to the largest number of brothels and taverns in the Southern Hemisphere, the local council voted in prohibition in an attempt to curb the town's bawdy reputation. Prohibition resulted in the closing of all the town's breweries, and even though it was repealed in 1962 until now there has been no beer brewed in town. Here is your chance to tour the brewery and sample the Nineteen 05 on arrival.

Tickets \$10 at the door

Oamaru Public Library

Be sure to call into the Library and take a look at the display on pioneer travel and transportation.

Admission free 62 Thames Street

North Otago Floral Art Group

North Otago Floral Art Group will have floral designs in St Luke's Anglican Church on the Friday, Saturday and Sunday of Heritage Week during the open hours of the Church.

Open daily 10am-4pm

St Luke's Church Itchen Street

Grand Tour of the Oamaru Opera House

Daily guided tours through the refurbished 1907 Oamaru Municipal Town Hall.

This beautiful facility is at the heart of the town's business district and occupies a focal point for the community. The Oamaru Opera House reopened in February 2009 following a significant restoration and redevelopment project designed to create a living, fully-functioning centerpiece for the Waitaki Community.

Cream teas available after or before the tour in the Grand Foyer Sip Café

Wed to Fri 10am & 2pm \$5 per person Bookings essential at Opera House Ph: 433 0770 Oamaru Opera House 90 Thames Street

Oamaru Repertory Society Inc

Presenting on stage live entertainment in Oamaru for more than 50 years at our theatre in the historic Star and Garter building in Itchen Street. Please check closer to Heritage Week for this year's entertainment as details were not available at the time of printing this programme.

Depression Glass Exhibition

An exhibition of brightly coloured and crystal domestic glass tableware made in the USA between 1920 and 1940. Owned by Bruce & Joyce Comfort.

guyro42@gmail.com

Displayed courtesy of: The Oamaru Textile Emporium Ph: 2014 2015 Free Admission

Other activities to check out while in Oamaru...

- Heritage Radio and Museum
- Janet Frame's Oamaru
- Vanished World Centre
- Nichol's Blacksmith
- Kurow Museum and Information Centre
- Quarryman's Cottage
- Parkside Gardens and Limestone Quarry Tours
- Historic Oamaru Churches
- Oamaru Blue Penguin Colony



For more details on these please visit: Oamaru i-Site Corner Thames and Itchen Streets Ph: 434-1656 or Email: isite@visitoamaru.co.nz

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... and all those others who make the celebrations possible

- Early History of Oamaru
- Oamaru Auto Collections
- Electrical Museum
- Steampunk HQ
- Time Travelers Experience
- Totara Estate
- Clarks Mill
- Custom House Gallery – North Otago Art Society
- Whitestone Cheese
- Yellow Eyed Penguins