

2025 Model A National Rally

Wairarapa



Presented by North Island Model A Ford Club

17th National Model A Ford Rally

Masterton/Wairarapa 23rd to 28th February 2025

Copthorne Solway Hotel

246 High Street, Masterton

Martin Rees, Secretary NIMAFC March 2023

Contact details for booking accommodation at the

Copthorne Solway Hotel

246 High Street

Masterton

www.millenniumhotels.com

Conference organisers

E: vikki@solway.co.nz

E: caitlin@solway.co.nz

Phone numbers

+64 6 370 0500 **or** +64 6 370 0505 **or** +64 6 370 0510

[Booking Reference: Model A Ford Club, Invoice 71380. Booking for 23 to 28 Feb 2025](#)

If you have any **questions** or **suggestions** to try and make the
17th National Model A Ford Rally
a big success!

Contact **Martin Rees**, Secretary North Island Model A Ford Club

Phone/text mobile: 0274 964 200 E: nimafc.secretary@gmail.com

Note:

If you plan to attend the **Wings over Wairarapa Airshow** 21-23 February 2025,
then remember to book an extra day or two before 23rd. Book early at the Solway as people book early to
secure accommodation for the Airshow.

Fri 21st Feb is a half day at the Airshow, Sat 22nd a full day and Sun 2nd is also a half day.

Early Bird Registrations

Fee asked is **\$40 per car**/member/couple

This will contribute to our 'seeding fund' to enable us to make deposits for venues etc
your \$40 will be deducted from the formal Registration fee when we send out the
Registration document late in 2024

Please deposit \$40 by **online banking** to the 17th National Model 'A' Ford Rally 'ASB' bank account number
12 3068 0187485-51

Please use your surname in the 'Reference' and '17th Rally' in the 'Code' fields
then send a short email to **Martin Rees <nimafc.secretary@gmail.com>** with your
Name/s, email, mobile phone number, Model A body style and rego number and '\$40 paid'

Martin will email you a receipt

'EBR' (Early Bird Registration) closes end of September 2023. We would like as many people as possible to 'pre-register' so we get
a good idea of numbers coming and have a fund for the 17th Rally.

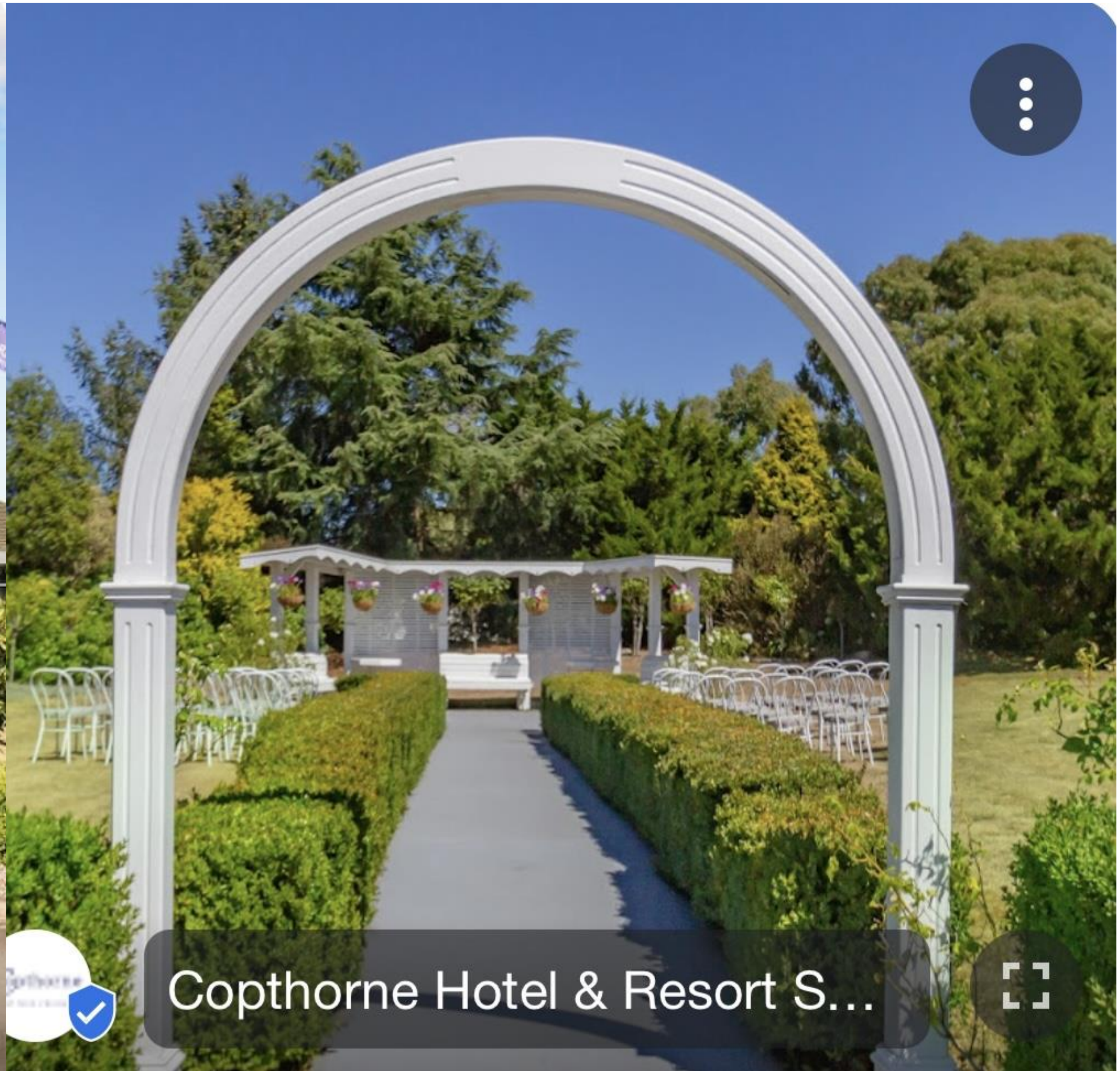


Copthorne Hotel & Resort S...

102 beds, 240 guests, 5 conference rooms, gym, pool-room, spa laundry, swimming pool, 40 acres park-like grounds



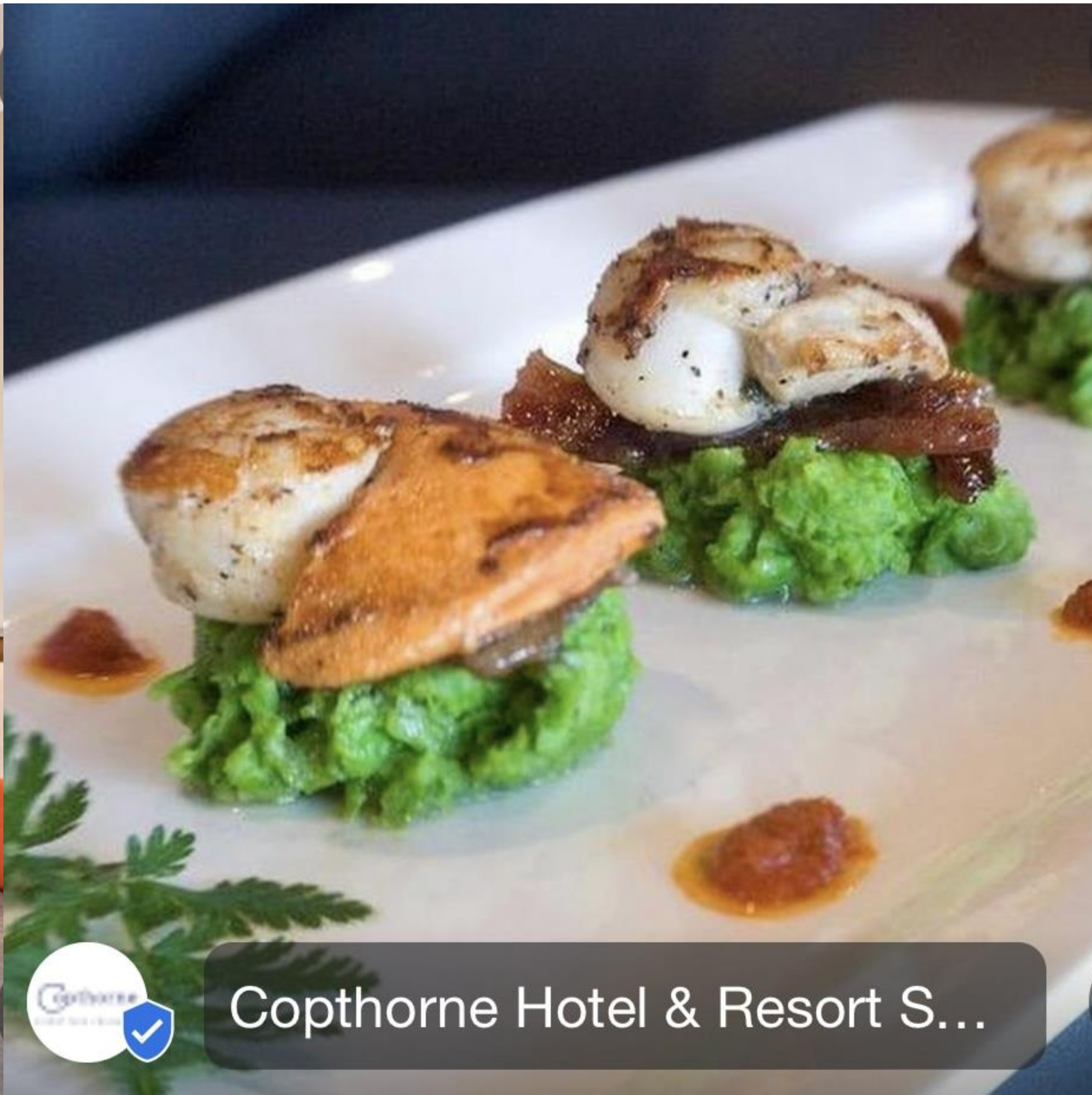
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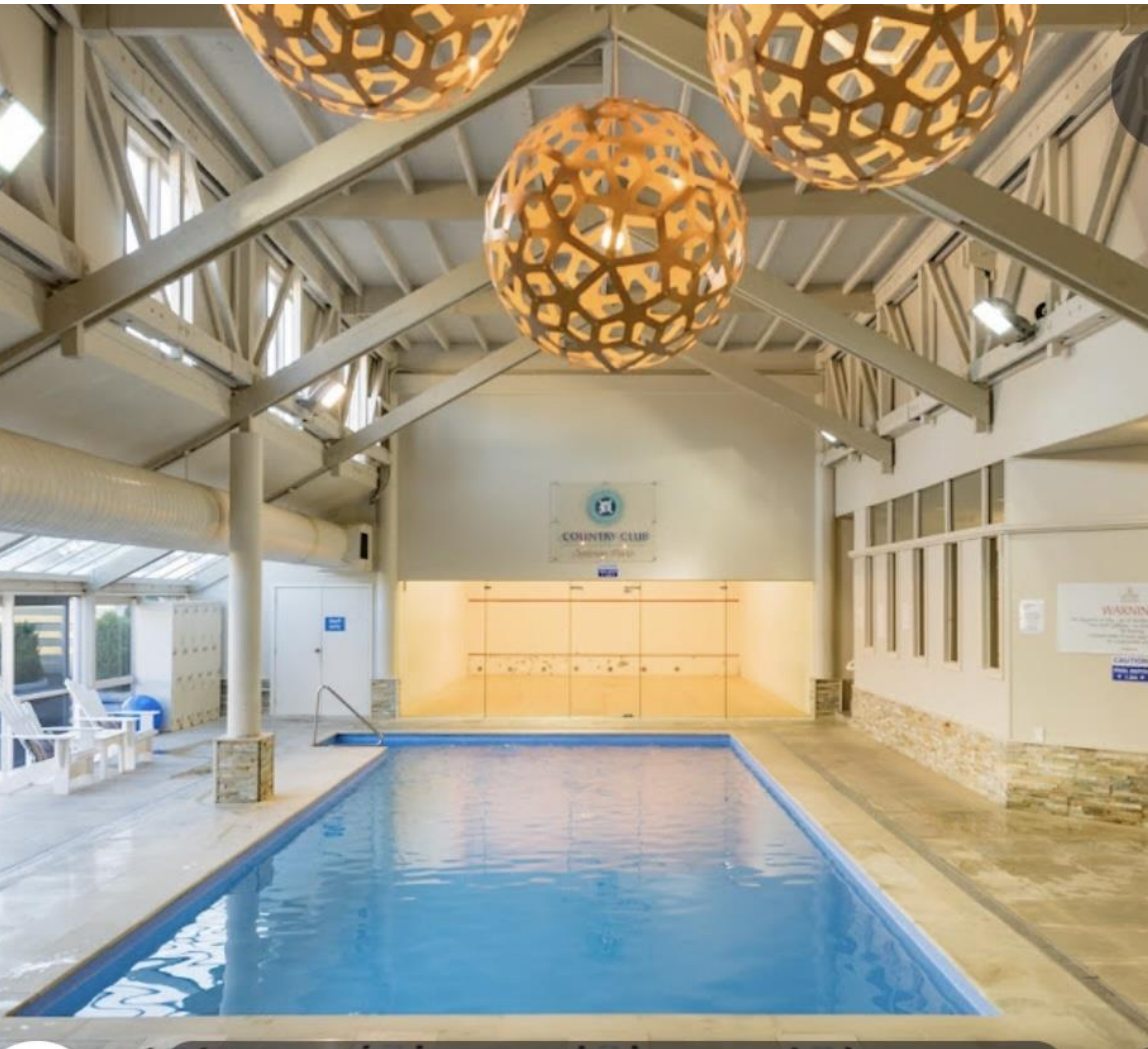
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Local Attractions

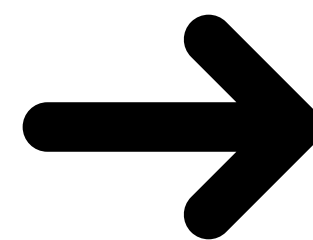


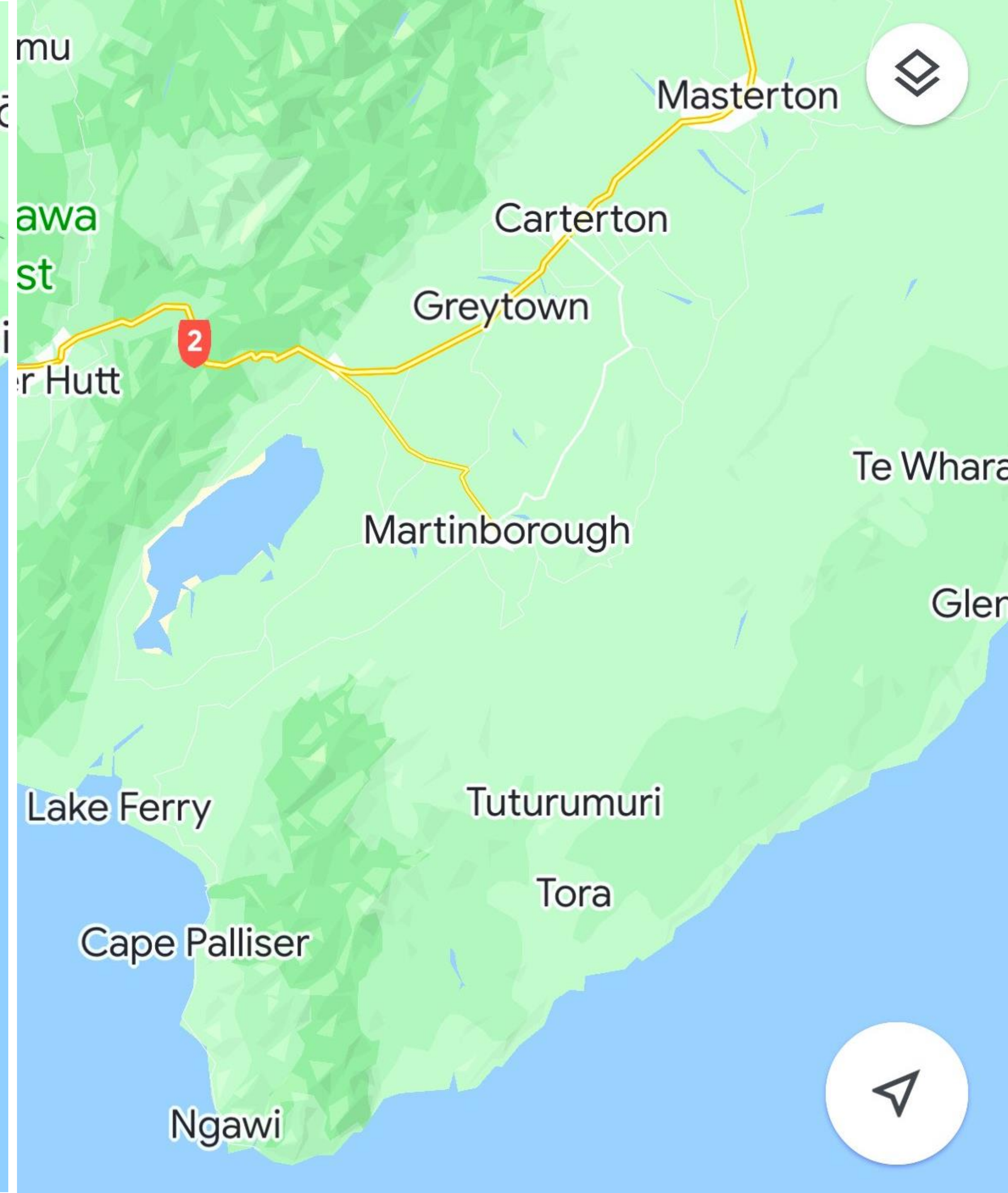
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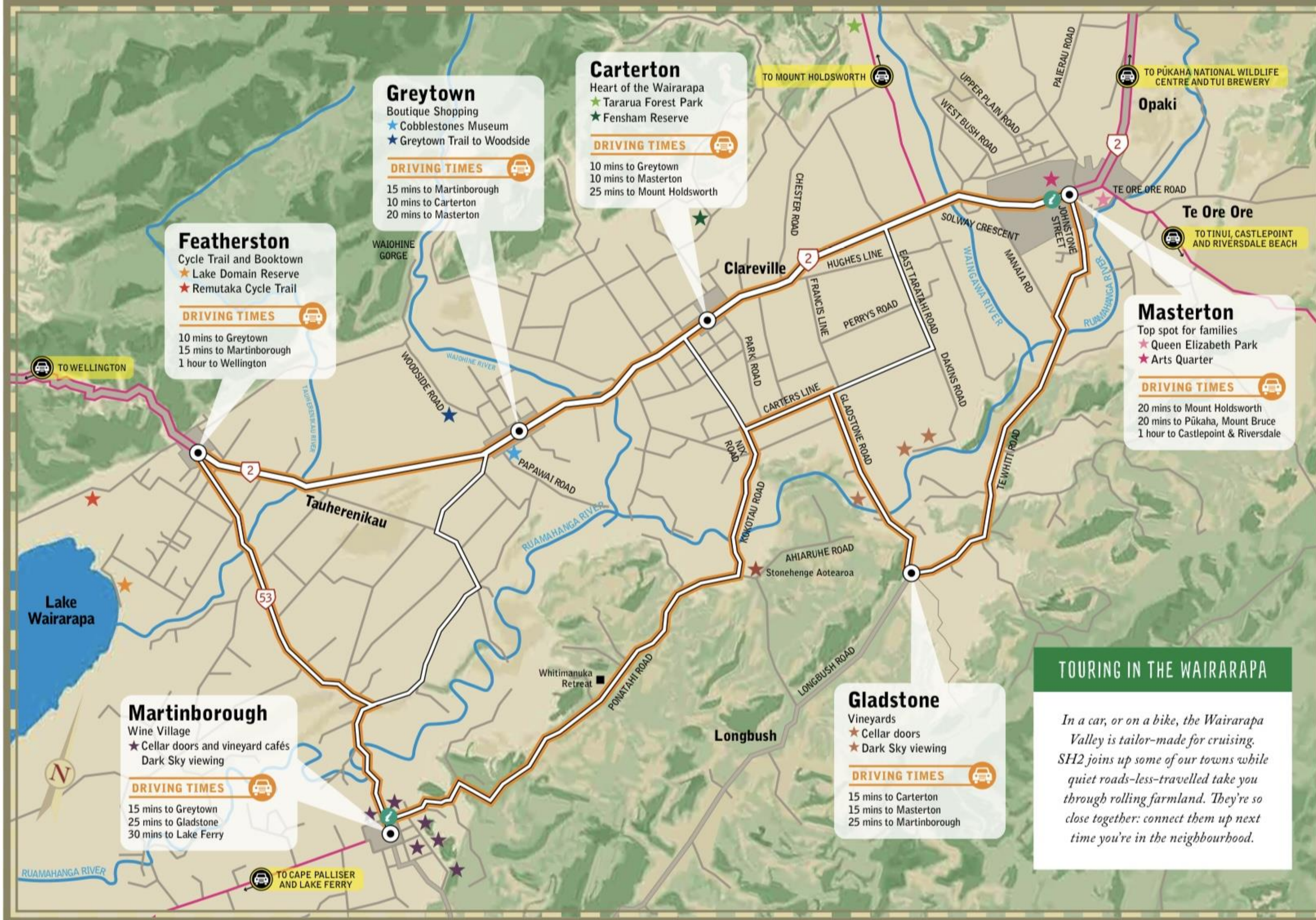


Putangirua Pinnacles, on way to Cape Palliser

Dark sky star viewing area







Greytown
 Boutique Shopping
 ★ Cobblestones Museum
 ★ Greytown Trail to Woodside

DRIVING TIMES

15 mins to Martinborough
 10 mins to Carterton
 20 mins to Masterton

Carterton
 Heart of the Wairarapa
 ★ Tararua Forest Park
 ★ Fensham Reserve

DRIVING TIMES

10 mins to Greytown
 10 mins to Masterton
 25 mins to Mount Holdsworth

Featherston
 Cycle Trail and Booktown
 ★ Lake Domain Reserve
 ★ Remutaka Cycle Trail

DRIVING TIMES

10 mins to Greytown
 15 mins to Martinborough
 1 hour to Wellington

Masterton
 Top spot for families
 ★ Queen Elizabeth Park
 ★ Arts Quarter

DRIVING TIMES

20 mins to Mount Holdsworth
 20 mins to Pūkaha, Mount Bruce
 1 hour to Castlepoint & Riversdale

Martinborough
 Wine Village
 ★ Cellar doors and vineyard cafés
 Dark Sky viewing

DRIVING TIMES

15 mins to Greytown
 25 mins to Gladstone
 30 mins to Lake Ferry

Gladstone
 Vineyards
 ★ Cellar doors
 ★ Dark Sky viewing

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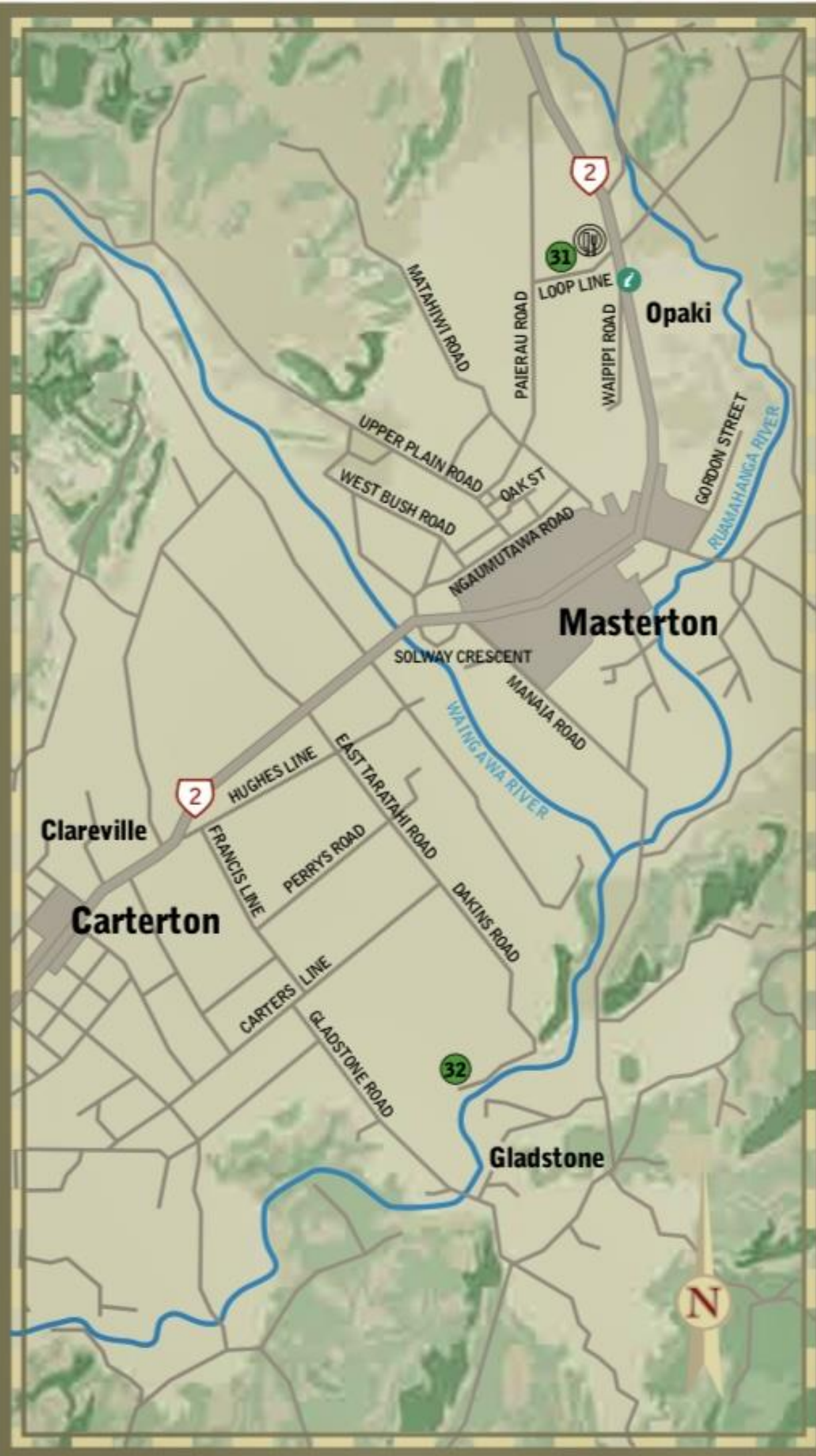
TOURING IN THE WAIRARAPA

In a car, or on a bike, the Wairarapa Valley is tailor-made for cruising. SH2 joins up some of our towns while quiet roads—less-travelled take you through rolling farmland. They're so close together: connect them up next time you're in the neighbourhood.

GLADSTONE & MASTERTON VINEYARDS

Johner Estate Winery

359 Dakins Road, Gladstone, follow the signs
 T 06 370 8217 E johner@wise.net.nz W johner-estate.com
 Our wide range of classical wine varieties are handcrafted from the vineyard to the glass. Cellar door open for personal, friendly wine tasting. Check our website for opening hours.



Le Grá Vineyard and Winery

42 Loopline Road, Opaki, Masterton.
 T 027 448 6433 W legra.co.nz
 A family-run winery on the Opaki plains just north of Masterton. We lovingly produce boutique wines and serve delicious platters using homemade and local delicacies.



VINEYARD



3 LITTLE WORDS

Enjoy a wonderfully leisurely lunch, a glass of wine in the sun or kickstart your weekend in style. 3 Little Words vineyard restaurant is a special place to gather with your friends and family to celebrate, laugh and feast.

107 Dry River Road, Martinborough
 T 021 332 514
 W 3littlewords.co.nz



LE GRÁ

A family-run winery on the Opaki plains just five minutes north of Masterton. Taste our lovingly produced wines at our cellar door with a delicious platter using homemade and local delicacies. Bookings recommended. Open Tuesday to Sunday, 12-5pm.

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 T 027 448 6433
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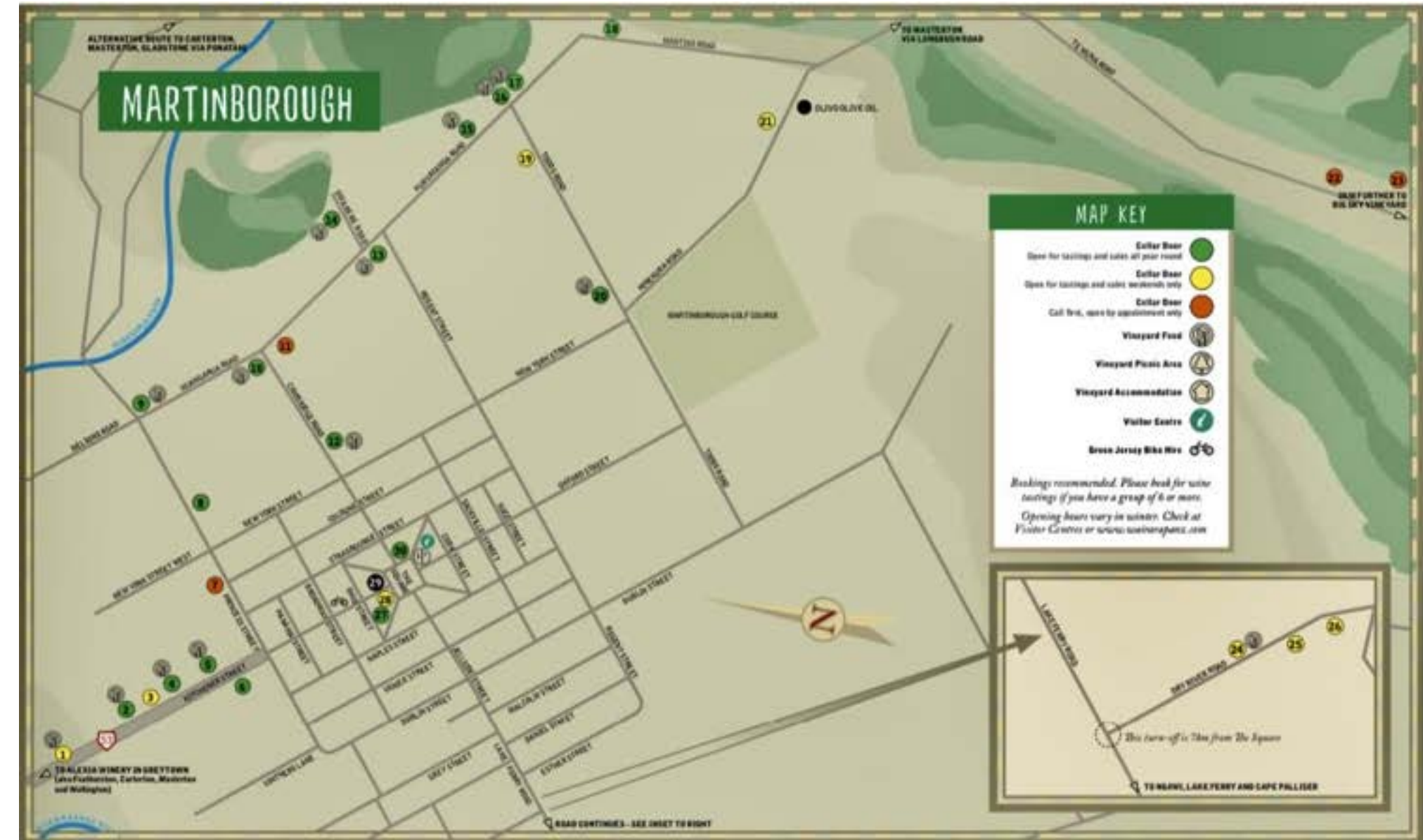


LUNA ESTATE CELLAR DOOR AND RESTAURANT

Relax in our beautiful surroundings for a tasting, or stay for a glass of wine with something from our Asian inspired menu. Knowledgeable, friendly staff make your visit an unforgettable experience. Bookings recommended.

133 Puruatanga Road, Martinborough
 T 06 306 9360 W lunaestate.co.nz

W I N E R E R I O N S



Martinborough Brewery 10 Ohio Street, Martinborough T 06 306 6249 E info@martinboroughbrewery.co.nz W martinboroughbeer.com Enjoy craft beer from our boutique brewery located in the heart of Martinborough. Fully licensed, well-appointed bar and off licence sales.	Martinborough Wine Merchants 4 Kitchener Street, Martinborough T 06 306 9040 E info@martinboroughwinemERCHANTS.com W martinboroughwinemERCHANTS.com For the largest range of Martinborough and Marlborough wines in the world! Also NZ spirits, olive oil, Martinborough Wine Walks (guided tours), bike hire and more!	Ranui Essentials 284c Dry River Rd, Martinborough P 06 306 8151 W ranuiesentials.co.nz E shop@ranuiesentials.co.nz Ranui lavender farm offers three tastings of their very own Lavender Gin and 3rd in NZ Vodka and Liqueur.	Reid + Reid Distillery 145 Todd's Road, Martinborough E admin@reidreid.co.nz W reidreid.co.nz Reid + Reid Distillery is a craft gin distillery set up by brothers Stewart and Chris Reid in 2015. Open Saturdays from 1-4pm.	Tohi Gin Tasting Room 2 Cambridge Road T 027 444 3140 E tohi@karahui.co.nz W karahui.co.nz Tohi Gin Room offers Gin tastings showcasing Martinborough's own - Lighthouse Gin, Reid & Reid Gin and Dr Beak Gin.
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MARTINBOROUGH

Alexander Vineyard 101 Hinikura Road, Martinborough T 027 207 3170 E info@alexandervineyard.co.nz W alexandervineyard.co.nz Meet the owner/winemaker at their cellar door and taste their multi-award winning wines. Open weekends & holidays late October - March and by appointment.	Ata Rangi Puruatanga Road, Martinborough T 06 306 9570 ext 7 E info@atarangi.co.nz W atarangi.co.nz Gorgeous, curated tastings by appointment, daily at 11am & 2pm. Please book ahead as seating is limited. Wine Shop open 10am - 4pm.	B.Wine 45 Kitchener Street, Martinborough T 027 374 15 14 E info@bwine.co.nz W bwine.co.nz You're welcome at our intimate cellar door - meet us in person. We love to share our handcrafted, classy wines from different vineyards as they show their personal character.	Big Sky Wines 415 Te Muna Road, Martinborough T 027 4248974 E info@bigskywines.co.nz W bigskywines.co.nz Come and experience the wide-open space at Big Sky as you enjoy a yarn with the winemakers. Tastings by appointment. Cellar Door Sales.	Cambridge Road 32 Cambridge Road, Martinborough T 06 306 8959 or 027 526 2069 E info@cambridgecellar.co.nz W cambridgecellar.co.nz Specialising in Natural Wines. A fun, informative, relaxed tasting. Enjoy locally sourced character style platters in our courtyard. Open 11-5 Daily in Summer, Fri-Sun in Winter or by appointment.	Colombo Martinborough 107 Todd's Road, Martinborough T 020 412 100 44 E bookings@colombo.co.nz W colombo.co.nz Visit our boutique cellar door to taste our wines and enjoy gourmet pizzas and platters in a relaxed environment set amongst the vines.	Coney Wines 107 Dry River Road, Martinborough T 027 444 2998 E info@coneywines.co.nz W coneywines.co.nz Family-run winery in a beautiful rural setting. Come for a tasting, a sumptuous banqueting board at 3 Little Words, or both! Sat & Sun 11am - 4pm. Fri & Mon by appointment.	Escarpment 275 Te Muna Road, Martinborough T 06 306 8305 E cellardoor@escarpment.co.nz W escarpment.co.nz Appointment only tastings. Visit us for a unique wine experience at our Te Muna Road Winery, five minutes drive from Martinborough. Open Monday to Saturday, book online.	Grava 50 Kitchener Street, Martinborough T 021 0834 3215 E info@grava.nz W grava.nz You are very welcome to visit our cellar door located at the winery site where our single vineyard wines are crafted. Come and taste or have a glass.	Hamden Estate 214 Dry River Road, Martinborough T 027 484 8439 E info@hamdenestate.co.nz Elegant Pinot Noir, food-friendly white wines. Close to Martinborough in tranquil, relaxed surroundings. Open most weekends, public holidays, and throughout summer holidays.	Haythornthwaite Wines 45 Onarere Road, Martinborough T 06 306 9899 E wines@htwines.co.nz W HTWines.co.nz Boutique family owned vineyard specialising in Gewurztraminer, Pinot Gris and Pinot Noir. The cellar door is open most days throughout the year. In addition to tastings, wine by the glass and gourmet platters are available all year.	Luna 133 Puruatanga Road, opposite Todd's Road T 06 306 9360 E cellardoor@lunaestate.co.nz W lunaestate.co.nz Secluded cellar door, kitchen and landscaped gardens provide a stunning setting to taste and enjoy classic cool climate wines. Family friendly and able to cater for small or large groups. Open daily (except Monday).	Margrain Vineyard 5 Huararua Rd, Martinborough T 06 306 9292 E info@margrainvineyard.co.nz W margrainvineyard.co.nz Established in 1992, family owned Margrain offers the complete vineyard experience. Cellar Door open 7 days, accommodation, conference facilities, winery tours and The Vineyard Café.	Moy Hall Vineyard 1 Martins Road, Martinborough T 06 929 7305 E bookings@moyhall.co.nz W moyhall.co.nz Taste homegrown wines from the Scottish longhouse set in the vineyard, paired with an extensive lunch menu. Open most days. Lunch bookings recommended via website.	Muirlea Rise 50 Princess Street, Martinborough T 06 306 9332 E info@muirleairise.co.nz Classic handmade wines and the makers of our famous Après, and yes we use cork! "Wines with soul". Open Sat to Mon from 11.00am. Other times by appointment.	Nga Waka 66 Kitchener Street, Martinborough T 06 306 9832 E cellardoor@ngawaka.co.nz W ngawaka.co.nz We offer informative tailored tastings by appointment or stop by in the afternoons for a glass or two of our award-winning wines. Check hours and book online.	On Giants' Shoulders 31 Princess Street, Martinborough T 022 382 2606 E wine@ongiantsshoulders.co.nz W ongiantsshoulders.co.nz Open Monday to Friday for visits by appointment. Tastings are intimate and informative experiences. Contact us for reservations and times.	Palliser Estate 96 Kitchener Street, Martinborough T 06 306 9019 E cellarsales@palliser.co.nz W palliser.co.nz Taste some of NZ's iconic and premium wines at our boutique Cellar Door. Wine tasting and lunch bookings recommended via our website. Open Daily 11am - 5pm (winter 11am - 4pm).	Poppies Martinborough 91 Puruatanga Road, Martinborough T 06 306 8473 W poppiemartinborough.co.nz It's very personal, Poppy makes the wine. Shayne manages the vines. It's the only place you can find exclusive Poppies Martinborough wines. Relax in the stylish tasting room with wine and a platter.	Schubert Wines 57 Cambridge Road, Martinborough T 06 306 8505 E tastingroom@schubert.co.nz W schubert.co.nz Visit us at our boutique tasting room for a tasting or relax with a glass of our world class wines. Open every day from 11am to 3pm.	The Petit Tasting Room 3 Kitchener Street, Martinborough P 021 183 1157 E petit@tra.co.nz A warm, friendly and personal tasting experience of Nga Pari and Fairmont Estate wines in our intimate village tasting rooms.	The Runholder 89 Martins Road, Martinborough E info@foleywines.co.nz W therunholder.co.nz The new home of Te Kairanga, Martinborough Vineyard and LightHouse Gin Tasting Room Restaurant Distillery. Opening 2023	Tirohana Estate Puruatanga Road, Martinborough T 06 306 9933 E info@tirohanaestate.co.nz W tirohanaestate.co.nz Fine and casual dining, Chaine de Rotisseurs restaurant, al fresco terraces, picturesque location, special events, weddings, emporium gift shop, atmospheric cellar door. Open daily.	Tiwaiwaka Wines 52 Kitchener Street, Martinborough T 027 440 8143 E tiwaiwakinewines@tra.co.nz W tiwaiwakinewines.co.nz Enjoy an informative tasting with the owner/winemakers and a platter of local & homemade produce in a sheltered vineyard. Check website for opening hours.
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www.wairarapanz.com

Hotels/Motels, Masterton area

1. Copthorne Solway Park	246 High Street	06 370 0500
2. BK's Chardonnay Lodge	274 High Street	06 377 7485
3. South Park Motel	55 High Street	0800 900 009
4. Amble Inn Motel	124 Chapel Street	06 377 4159
5. Gateway Motor Inn	290 High Street	06 216 2162
6. Masterton Motor Lodge	250 High Street	06 378 2585
7. U-Studio (3 star)	119 Cornwall Street	06 378 2939
8. Acorn Estate	6 Manchester Street	06 377 0155
9. Discovery Motor Lodge	210 Chapel Street	06 378 7745
10. Chanel Court Motel	14 Herbert Street	06 378 2877

Vineyards, Masterton area

1. Johner Estate	359 Dakin's Road	06 370 8217
2. Cottier Estate	290 Dakin's Road	021 962 102
3. Le Gra Estate	42 Loopline R.D.1	027 448 6433

Vineyards, Martinborough area

Wine tastings with food platters

1. Ata Rangi (no food!)	Puruatanga Road	06 306 9570 ext7
2. Cambridge Road	32 Cambridge Road	06 306 8959
3. Colombo (pizzas)	107 Todd's Road	020 412 100 44
4. Coney Wines	107 Dry River Road	027 444 2998
5. Haythornthwaite Wines	45 Omarere Road	06 306 9889
6. Luna Estate	133 Puruatanga Road	06 306 9360
7. Margrain Vineyard	5 Huangarua Road	06 306 9292
8. Moy Hall Vineyard	1 Martin's Road	06 929 7305



WINERIES IN WAIRARAPA & MARTINBOROUGH





Parks and restaurants



MASTERTON



Pukaha/Mount Bruce bird sanctuary







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Woolshed National Museum of Shearing, Masterton.





COBBLESTONES museum



The Pointon Collection





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Air Show
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Cape Palliser

Thank you.



Castle Point

See you there!