



The Gourmet Food & Wine Tour

Sample Itinerary 2025

0900 Depart Auckland on Fullers sailing to Waiheke Island via Devonport.

0945 Arrive at Matiatia. You will be greeted on the wharf by Ananda Tours. The tour will commence with a drive along the scenic northern route, taking in spectacular views of the Hauraki Gulf and beyond to the Coromandel Peninsula.

1030 Visit **Kennedy Point Vineyard** where they produce fully certified organic Syrah, Merlot, Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay and Rosé wines. Here you will also taste estate-grown olive oil. Ananda Tours will also include some local Te Matuku Bay Oysters to sample with one of your wines.

1130 Visit **Allpress Olive Oil** where the first olive oil in the North Island was produced. Here you will learn how the oil is produced and taste a range of different oils, including the peppery Greek-style Koreneiki, the Spanish-style Picual, or the Tuscan-style Frantoio, as well as island blends.

1245 Wine tasting, lunch and a glass of wine **Casita Miro**. Casita Miro provides a Mediterranean tapas menu, created using the finest and freshest products, locally sourced where possible. Enjoy extensive sea and vineyard views from their beautiful art deco style pavilion, whilst mixing, matching and sharing their delicious dishes.

1500 Visit **The Heke** for a premium single malt whisky or sprit tasting. Set on 4 acres of gardens with 180-degree views, The Heke is architecturally designed with a relaxed atmosphere and is proudly the home of award-winning Waiheke Whisky & Waiheke Brewing Co.

1600 Depart Waiheke on Fullers sailing back to Auckland

This itinerary is subject to some variation depending on seasonal vineyard availability. Substitutions of equal quality may be made as required. The price quoted is for a set timeframe. If the tour runs later than expected on the day, we may charge an extension fee. Our price includes tasting charges at selected venues but not beverages, lunch, dinner or ferry tickets unless arranged otherwise. Cancellation policy: Full payment is required if cancellation occurs within 48 hours of tour time. Price is quoted for a set number of people. Should the number of people alter the price may change. Full terms and conditions can be viewed on our website at the following link: http://www.ananda.co.nz/terms_conditions.php