



The Waiheke Naturally Tour

Sample Itinerary



0950 Arrive at Matiatia Wharf where you will be greeted by Ananda Tours and commence your privately guided tour of Waiheke Island. On the way, stunning scenery is around every corner, and you will be entertained by your guide's commentary on the history, geography, culture, people and produce of Waiheke.



1000 Visit the spectacular Church Bay studio of **Gabriella Lewenz**, who works in vivid abstract oils. Her abstract paintings are presented in her beautiful, earth brick home and gallery venue. The handmade architectural designed buildings are situated against stunning coastal views in Church Bay.



1045 Next, explore **Sacred Blessings Sanctuary Gardens**, a privately owned haven featuring native trees, manicured rose gardens, organic vegetable beds, and striking Paul Dibble sculptures—an inspiring place to reconnect with nature.



1230 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.



1330 Enjoy a leisurely lunch at **The Heke**, a local favourite known for its fresh, seasonal menu and relaxed island atmosphere. A wide selection of dishes is available, along with optional tastings of local craft beer, gin, whisky, or non-alcoholic beverages.



1445 Finally, head towards **Onetangi**, a 1.87-kilometre long, north-facing beach with beautiful old Pohutukawa trees on the foreshore. Take a stroll along the beach or purchase an ice cream or cold drink and take in the view.



1540 Drop off at Matiatia Wharf Oneroa Village if you wish to stay on Waiheke and explore further.