



2 Day Self Guided Road Tour Port Hills Christchurch

Route: Christchurch – Banks Peninsula - Christchurch

Day 1 Christchurch to Governors Bay

We meet at 9am when we fit your bikes and have a tour briefing covering off the easy to follow route and the detailed maps. By mid morning you are cycling along the base of the Port Hills and before long, arrive at the seaside suburb of Sumner. Sumner is full of great cafes and restaurants so a great spot for lunch and walk along the beach. After lunch there is a climb up Evans Pass, from here there is an optional extension out to Godley Heads and the some historical Gun Emplacements. From the Pass it's all downhill into Lyttelton which is the harbour-side port. Lyttelton is full of cafes, quaint shops and art galleries so a great chance to have a look around before the last section.

From here it is only 12 km to Governors Bay where your accommodation tonight is at the quaint 'Taunton Gardens'.

Meals: D

Cycling: 25km

Day 2 Governors Bay to Christchurch

After a hearty breakfast at Tauton Gardens you cycle via Gebbies Pass and Tai Tapu to the 'Rossendale Vineyard', one of the region's most established wineries, which is located on the Old Tai Tapu Road. Partake in some wine tasting and enjoy a well deserved lunch in their beautiful garden setting. Then cycle along the Cashmere foothills back to the office in Christchurch by 4pm.

Meals: B

Cycling: 40km

Tour includes:

- 1 night in excellent accommodation 5 Star
- 1 breakfast (B)
- 1 dinner (D)
- Tour briefing and detailed maps
- Luggage transfer between Christchurch and Governors Bay
- Bike hire

Grade:

- 2 Moderate

