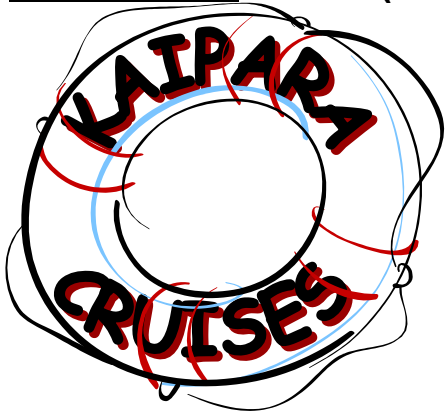


KAIPARA HARBOUR CRUISE TO HELENSVILLE A BOAT & BUS DAY TRIP WITH A DIFFERENCE

DEPARTURE DATES: (2018) Sunday Feb 25th Sunday Mar Sun 25th,



We invite you on a one day journey of discovery retracing the old steamer and sailing ship routes from Dargaville to Helensville through the historic Kaipara Harbour aboard our comfortable vessel, M.V. Kewpie Too and returning to Dargaville by Coach.

Departing from **Dargaville** we make our way over sixty nautical miles cruising New Zealand's largest inland sheltered waterways, through the Northern Wairoa River, as the barques and brigantines did in past generations.

During our cruise we pass many small towns and villages almost forgotten by time as we continue towards Pouto Point. Crossing from Pouto to South Head, you can almost touch the past as you examine the Kaipara's former life, where more than a century ago ships from many nations came to trade for timber, flax and gum.

Crossing the Kaipara Heads from Pouto Point, you will see the magnificence of the two headlands with their white sandy beaches and the Tasman Sea beyond. From South Head, you will travel past lonely deserted bays many accessible only by boat where early gum diggers camped. We cruise past Mosquito Bay, Shelly Beach and into the meandering Kaipara River, also steeped in our early history. We arrive in Helensville late afternoon.

Once in Helensville, we join our air conditioned coach for a relaxing journey back to your vehicle at Dargaville



INFORMATIVE COMMENTARY ON BOARD KEWPIE TOO

CRUISE DURATION BOAT APPROX 6 HOURS

COACH JOURNEY HELENSVILLE TO DARGAVILLE, 2.5hrs



PRICE \$120 per person and

Includes:

- Cruise from Dargaville to Helensville aboard M.V. Kewpie Too
- Return Coach Journey Helensville to Dargaville
- Lunch aboard Kewpie Too
- Morning/afternoon tea aboard QP2

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL

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