Central Hawke's Bay Limestone Loop

The Limestone Loop, Central Hawke's Bay, is an easy driving route that will allow you to discover the very best of Central Hawke's Bay.

The Limestone Loop loops around the Ruakawa Range via State Highway 2 and back via State Highway 50 and Tikokino, or you can come from the south and do the loop from that direction.

It's a great day-excursion with plenty to see and do; you can pick and choose a few options that suit, and put the others in the diary for another day.

The Limestone Loop showcases award winning wineries, fabulous local shopping and a thriving local market, gorgeous cafes, an insight into the region's history at the Central Hawke's Bay Settlers Museum, an original homestead and gardens and so much more.

For accommodation options and to explore more of Central Hawke's Bay head to www.centralhawkesbaynz.com

Travel Times (SH) = State Highway Napier to Waipawa SH2 is 50 minutes, Hastings to Waipawa SH2 is 35 minutes, Hastings to Waipawa via Tikokino Road and SH50 is approximately 45 minutes. Dannevirke to Waipawa on SH2 is only 45 minutes

Treat yourself!



Central Hawke's Bay, start exploring...



THE LIMESTONE LOOP A DRIVING ROUTE TO DISCOVER THE BEST OF CENTRAL HAWKE'S BAY

Art • Food • Wine • Shops • Historical Homesteads

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10 Nature's Nurture



100 High Street, Waipawa (opposite the Clock Shop) 06 650 9463

'Nature's Nurture Shop in Waipawa' on Facebook

Nature's Nurture is a shop for natural foods and eco products. You will find healthy foods, local produce and artisan fare. We have bulk bins and a large range of specialty flours, as well as gluten free supplies and wholefoods suited for other special diets. We also stock items made from natural

materials, eco-friendly and waste reducing products, as well as organic beauty products and body care. Drop in and find inspiration for healthier living.



23 High Street, Waipawa 06 857 7288

Open 7 days 10am – 4pm www.chbsettlersmuseum.co.nz

Revisit the era of iron and lace. Central Hawke's Bay is rich in history, Waipawa being one of the earliest inland towns in New Zealand. Our varied and authentic displays enable visitors to take a step back into the life of the early settlers. The

Museum houses an extensive collection of local and national treasures including military, Toanga Maori and technology. It also has a large photographic collection which is of much interest to the genealogist.



12 Jan Gosling Sculptures



11 Rose St, Waipawa 06 857 8300

Open 10am – 4pm Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri And most weekends www.positivelystoneaged.com

Jan began carving Oamaru

stone in 2001 and she now spends most days working on her sculpture – taking an idea, a block of stone, and developing it into something beautiful. Visitors are welcome to see a sculptor at work, and view the many spectacular Oamaru stone sculptures set in the gardens around one of Waipawa's older heritage homes which has been in Jan's family for over 120 years.

13 Lime Rock Wines



601 Tikokino Rd, Waipawa 06 857 8247

Oct-Feb, 11 – 4pm

Saturday and Sunday, otherwise you are welcome when the gates are open, or phone to book.

www.limerock.co.nz

Enjoy amazing views from the limestone hilltops and try our distinctive, world class Pinot Noir,

Grüner Veltliner, Sauvignon Blanc, Pinot Gris, Merlot and Cabernet Franc. Our Pinot Rosé is sought after and loved for its colour and flavour. Tastings and sales of our Lime Rock wines and Ellsgrove olive products are at Cellar Door (often with homemade focaccia). Ask about vineyard tours, picnics or a walk to the top. Contact Rodger Tynan or Rosie Butler regarding tastings outside normal hours.

14 Pukeora Estate Winery & Venue



208 Pukeora Scenic Rd, Waipukurau 06 858 9339

Oct - Mar Fri - Sun 11am - 5pm or by appointment.

> www.pukeora.com wine@pukeora.com

Pukeora Estate vineyard is planted on limestone and spills down the slopes below the historic sanatorium. Taste the

hand crafted wines made in our boutique winery and enjoy the art of local artist Laura Wilson. Tasting room and gallery have stunning views across the vineyard to rivers, plains and mountains. Group accommodation (100+) makes the ideal venue for car/bike rallies, workshops, music gatherings, team building and more. Meals and bar service available for groups.

15 Tikokino Country Hotel



388 SH 50, Tikokino 06 856 5446 Open Wed–Sun from 10.30

www.tikokinocountryhotel.co.nz

Sawyers Arms Country Hotel is the gateway to the Ruahine Ranges Forest Park. Hospitality NZ Finalist for Best Country Hotel 2014 and 2015. We have a Cafe and Bar, Dining Room and Garden Bar with secure children's playground. There is an extensive menu catering for all tastes. We are able to cater for functions, meetings, birthdays or any celebrations. The Hotel has been refurbished and offers a clean, light and inviting environment for you and your friends and family to relax and enjoy yourselves in. Accommodation is available with refurbished bedrooms and bathrooms. Open through to dinnertime, closing depends on demand.



16 Gwavas Garden and Homestead



5740 SH 50 Tikokino 06 856 5810 Opening Hours by appointment

www.gwavasgarden.co.nz

The 9 hectare mature woodland garden (1860)

is listed with the New Zealand Garden Trust as a "Garden of National Significance." The Gwavas Garden Homestead was built in 1890 and is category 1 listed with Heritage New Zealand. Garden entry is \$8.00/adult and is by arrangement only. For garden entry or Bed & Breakfast contact: Stuart & Phyllida Gibson. Email: info@gwavasgarden.co.nz

1 Paper Mulberry Cafe



89 SH 2, Pukehou 06 856 8688

Open 7 Days, 7am – 4pm

www.papermulberrycafe.co.nz

A true home away from home with a perfect selection of coffee, treats, arts, crafts and gifts. We are situated on State Highway 2 in the country surroundings of Te Aute and Pukehou in Central Hawke's Bay - watch closely for

the signs as you could easily miss our secret garden cafe, set in the historic 1912 Sunday School building. The Paper Mulberry Cafe promises fresh, delicious cafe food and excellent coffee - many say the best they have ever tasted.

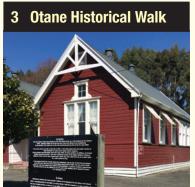


Otane Town Hall Higginson St

Opening Hours Every Sun 9am–1pm

The Otane Market is open every Sunday; come and check out our wide variety of stalls – fruit, vegetables, organics, jewellery, children's clothing and books. Knitting, Alpaca felting, artisan bread, jam, relish, sweets, fresh meat, cheese, gourmet olive oil and nuts. Craft stalls with handmade cards, quirky bottles, wooden toys, rustic design furniture, healing

creams, soaps, lavender products and flax flowers. Bric-a-brac, upmarket treasures, plants, hot food and much much more.



Otane, Higginson St 06 856 8159

Enjoy this walk at your leisure

Otane has a rich interesting history and is well worth a look. This easy 2.6km walk begins at the old library building and follows a map with 23 signs depicting places of significance around the village. Brochures with a brief history and the sign map are available from

the General store, hotel or cafe for a gold coin donation. For further information phone Vera Smith (06) 8568159 - a guide for groups can be arranged.

4 McCauley's Café



32 Higginson St Otane 06 856 8358 Open every day 9am - 4pm www.facebook.com/MccauleysStore At McCauley's Café in the centre of Otane we pride ourselves on our friendly service great

of Otane we pride ourselves on our friendly service, great coffee and food. This beautiful old building was formerly the

4 Higginson St, Otane

Mon-Fri 8.30am - 4.30pm,

Sat-Sun 9.30am - 4.30pm

If you need it to grow then let us

know! We are the only Hawke's Bay

Nurserv where you can buy direct

from the grower and get sound

advice on where and how to plant.

We can arrange onsite consultations

www.treeguysnursery.co.nz

06 856 8036

Opening Hours

Public Otane Library which was opened in 1929. Besides food we have a wonderful choice of jams and preserves. There is an array of gifts for special occasions. Do come and enjoy our hospitality.

5 Pleroma Christian Supplies

38 Higginson St, Otane Freephone 0508 988 988 Open Mon - Fri 8.30am - 5pm. (+Sun 11am - 3pm in Nov.) www.christiansupplies.co.nz



You'll find NZ's most extensive range of inspirational and Christian gifts under one roof. With 200m2 of retail space, air conditioning and ample parking, you can browse in comfort. From inspirational to mindfulness to Christian - we've got it covered. We stock books, candles, jewellery, crosses, wall art, music, kitchenware + loads more. We source quality NZ & International product and also feature NZ's largest range of Nativity Sets. Weekend group bookings by arrangement.



or bring in your photos and measurements and we'll design it at the nursery – we make it easy for you to visualise our plants at your place. Come and see a variety of plants, take an extensive walk around the show gardens and see our living waterfall with live eels that love to be hand fed. 7 Artmosphere Gallery

1307 SH2, Waipawa 06 857 8272

10am - 5pm daily in Summer. Closed Tue-Wed in Winter

www.artmosphere-gallery.com

Sally Maguire and Helmut Hirler's beautiful gallery shows the work of more than 70 artists, both nationally and internationally recognized. In 2012 they relocated the "De Stackpoole" family homestead from Takapau to North Waipawa to recreate the gallery and home on a grander scale. Bring a picnic and enjoy the gardens and art - groups are welcome. Take in our Art Gallery, sculpture garden, Fine art photography, paintings, clayworks, glass and woodworks, books and ceramics.

8 De La Mama

85 High Street, Waipawa 06 857 8088

Open 7 days 11am - 7.30pm

www.facebook.com/DeLaMamaWaipawa

Open since 2013, delivers the best customer service and the best gourmet hamburgers in Central Hawke's Bay. We make all our homemade beef patties freshly every day. On the other hand we have Spanish Churros made from a traditional family recipe dating from

the 1900's. Come and try these delicious Spanish doughnuts made proudly in Waipawa for the world. We invite you to try something different and exclusive with a gourmet taste from Waipawa on State Highway 2.

9 The Waipawa Clock Shop

La Mama



85 High St, Waipawa 06 857 8590

Open 9am – 5pm Mon-Fri 10am – 2pm Sat

www.waipawaclockshop.co.nz

The Waipawa Clock Shop is a magical place brimming with

clocks in every shape and form. From Royal bling to restored Art Deco pieces, watches, anniversary clocks, wrought iron clocks and table clocks. Imposing designer clocks for home or office or a majestic Grandfather clock. Fun Cuckoo clocks, with an assortment of animals that pop out on the hour. Come buy some gifts or a special treasure for yourself. Jim Greeff, a qualified clock maker, will look at anything mechanical - restoration is his passion.