

## MASTERTON IN MAY

9 - 12 May 2026

### DAY 1 (Saturday 9)

This morning we depart New Plymouth at 8.00am picking up fellow passengers along the way before continuing on through to Bulls for lunch. It is then a short drive over the **new Manawatu Gorge Road** through to Woodville. Upon arrival we will join New Zealand's only Mainline **Heritage Railcar** to experience rail travel from a bygone age for a return journey through the scenic **Manawatu Gorge**, departing Woodville, we head towards the wind turbines sitting proud on the hills then as we snake our way through the Manawatu Gorge you get a feel for how quickly nature takes over. Arriving at Ashurst we stop briefly for the driver to change ends for the return journey to Pahiatua. It is then back on the coach and on through Eketahuna crossing Mount Bruce and on to our home for the next 3 nights - Masterton.

**Copthorne Solway Park Hotel – Masterton**

### DAY 2 (Sunday 10)

We start the day with a step back in time to view the vehicles & clothing fashions of Yesteryear and check out the garden and craft shop at **Pointon Collection of Cars & Costume**. This afternoon we visit **Stonehenge Aotearoa**, where we enjoy a guided tour of the fascinating structures and learn the mysteries of this structure. As time allows we will make other stops today.

### DAY 3 (Monday 11)

Heading south today our first stop will be at **Featherstone Heritage Museum** where we will have a guided tour, there is extensive memorabilia from the WWI Featherston Military Training Camp & the WWII Japanese Prisoner of War Camp. See a working Ford Model A 1932 fire engine. Lunch will be fish & chips at the **Lake Ferry Hotel**. Care for a sip of Cider? This afternoon we learn how it is made and have some samples & nibbles with Trevor from **TeePee Cider**. We then return to Masterton for some relaxing time before dinner, maybe a dip in the indoor swimming pool.

### DAY 5 (Tuesday 12)

This morning we farewell Masterton pausing at the Wee Red Barn for condiments & fruit (subject to availability) before our final visit to the **Middleton Model Railway**, one of the country's largest model railways, featuring extensive interactive 00-scale, displays of a fictional English town. It is then over the Pahiatua Track to Palmerston North where there is time for lunch before starting on our journey home.

As we travel further we have time to reflect on the last few days and to exchange

addresses and telephone numbers etc. with our new found friends.

**INCLUSIONS:** Accommodation on a share twin basis with private facilities, 3 dinners, 3 breakfasts, 1 lunch & all sightseeing as per the itinerary

### **BOOKING CONDITIONS**

<b>COST:</b>	Per person Twin share	<b>\$ 1200.00</b>
	Requested Single room	<b>\$ 1450.00</b>

**DEPOSIT:** A deposit of \$200.00 per person is required at the time of booking and the full payment is due by 9 April 2026

**CANCELLATION FEES:** If you are forced to cancel your reservation

More than 30 days before departure	100% of the published deposit.
Less than 30 days prior to departure	100% of the tour price

**CREDIT CARDS:** We accept VISA & MasterCard subject to a 1.5% transaction fee.

**DIRECT PAYMENTS:** Can be made to Dalroy Tours  
**ANZ Bank 01-0707-0305166-46 OR TSB Bank 15-3953-0944207-10**  
(please include your Name & Masterton in the reference)

**REFUNDS:** Please note that no refund of unused ground content will be made for any reason.

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**INSURANCE:** At the time of booking it is strongly recommended that comprehensive travel insurance be taken out.

**CHANGES IN ITINERARY AND HOTELS:** The operator reserves the right to deviate from the itinerary should circumstances so dictate and to substitute hotels with those of an equal standing or tariff.

**SEAT ROTATION:** To provide all passengers with the opportunity of forward and window seating we operate a seat rotation system which will be explained to you by the driver.

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