



Lake Te Anau township



Stunning Lake Te Anau cruise included

Te Anau Glowworm Caves



Fiordland, New Zealand



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Booking Conditions: 24 hours notice required for refund. Real Journeys reserves the right to amend timetables, cancel departures, substitute plant or equipment and alter ticket prices at any time.



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A magical underground adventure

- > Scenic cruise across Lake Te Anau included
- > Specialist Nature Guides
- > Small groups (maximum 14 per guide)
- > Free tea and coffee provided

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Venture underground →

Te Anau Glowworm Caves



Explore a 12,000 year old cave system and see 100's of tiny glowworms in a magical underground experience.

Enter a mysterious underground world of rushing water before drifting in silent darkness beneath the luminous shimmer of thousands of glowworms.

Your trip will begin with a cruise to the western shores of Lake Te Anau on board our luxury catamaran, Luminosa. At the entry to the caves at 'Cavern House', view the informative displays and learn about this geological wonder before you join our friendly guide and venture into an astonishingly beautiful underground world.

By geological standards the caves are very young; still being carved out by the force of the river that flows through them. The result is a twisted network of limestone passages filled with sculpted rock, whirlpools and a roaring underground waterfall.

Deep inside the caves, beyond the noise of the water, you will be taken by a small boat, into a silent hidden grotto inhabited by thousands of glowworms, unique to New Zealand. In the subterranean darkness, they produce a glittering display that is nothing short of extraordinary.



From Te Anau

Departs	Returns	Season
9am	11.15am	Nov & 16 Jan - 28 Feb
10.15am	12.30pm	27 Dec - 15 Jan
2pm	4.15pm	All year
5.45pm	8pm	Nov - 15 Apr
7pm	9.15pm	All year
8.15pm	10.30pm	Nov - 15 Apr

Check in 20 minutes prior to departure

Coach transport available from Queenstown

Suitable for all ages, however please note some bending is required at caves entrance

Did you know...

For many years, these caves were lost in legend. Their presence was hinted at only by the ancient Maori names for the area - Te Ana-au - which means 'caves with a current of swirling water'. They remained hidden until their rediscovery by explorer Lawson Burrows in 1948.



Sculpted
by water



Glowworms don't like loud noises - so remember shhh! when you are in the grotto