



Off The Rais OTAGO CENTRAL RAIL TRAIL, NEW ZEALAND CYCLE TOUR



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Everyone Should Go Off The Rails At Least Once In A Lifetime



WHAT WILL YOU SEE?

When you cycle the Otago Central Rail Trail with OFF THE RAILS, you get to experience a landscape most visitors don't see. This historic railway line (now minus its rails!) takes you through some of the most spectacular scenery in Central Otago.

- · Weathered bridges across rivers and gorges.
- · Historic gold diggings.
- Villages little touched by today's hustle and bustle.
- Schist tunnels through the Trail's hills and rocky tors.

The peace and solitude of the wide open valleys will surely whet your appetite for refreshments at one of the many country pubs and cafes along the route. A perfect spot to soak up the atmosphere of Central Otago's history and timeless grandeur.

HOW FAR, HOW EASY?

The Otago Central Rail Trail is a little over 150km from Clyde to Middlemarch. (See our map.) It takes four days to cycle the trail at a leisurely pace, or if you're short of time but have plenty of puff, it can be completed in three days. We have a package to suit either option.

Our tours can be enjoyed by cyclists of all ages and of varying degrees of fitness. There are a couple of hills, but nothing steeper than 1:50, which is the most that could be asked of a steam train!

If you should find the going a little tough at any time your OFF THE RAILS' driver will come to the rescue and help you plan something more relaxing for the rest of the day.

WHERE WILL YOU STAY?

At the end of a day's cycling, you'll have earned a little luxury and we are proud of our two heritage properties in the art deco town of Ranfurly, halfway along the Rail Trail.

Each day, our driver will collect you from the Trail and bring you to these lodgings, which will be your home away from home for the next few nights - a base in which to unpack, relax and enjoy yourself.

You, A Bike & 150km Of Historic Rail Trail. You Have To Be Off The Rails

