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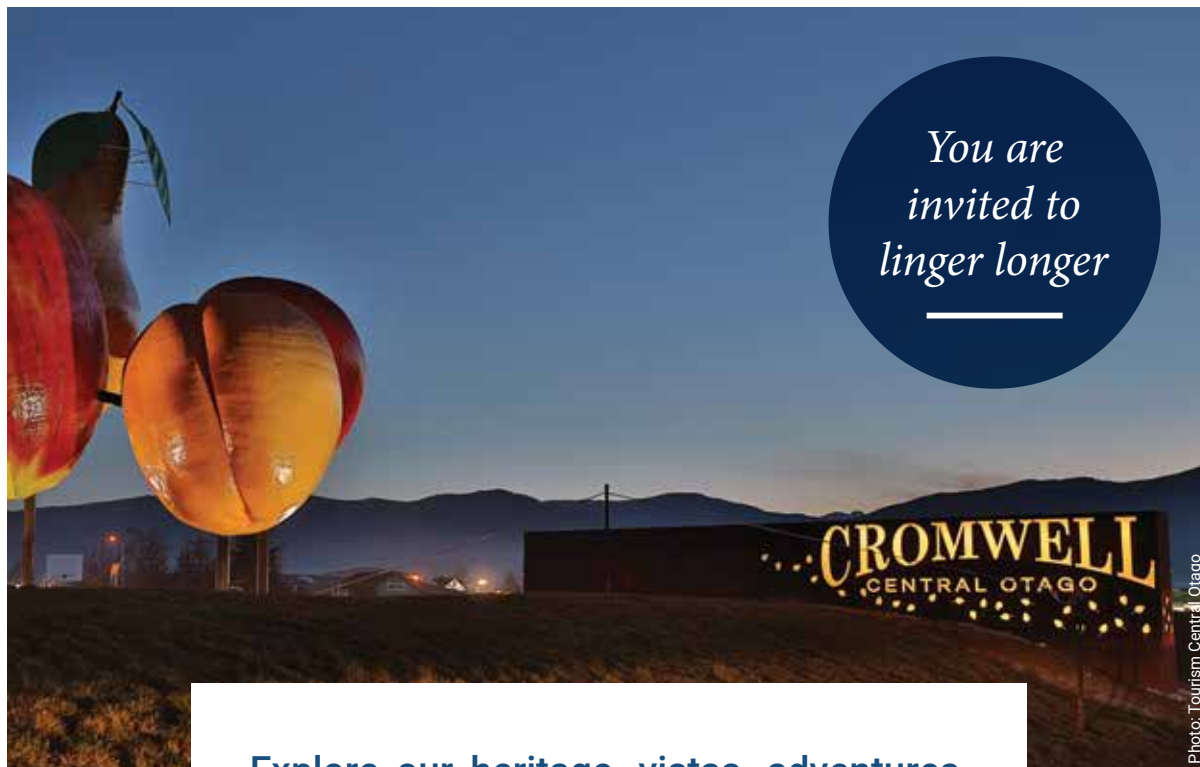
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The Cromwell & Districts Promotion Group is proud to present this sixth edition of the Cromwell Compendium. This year we have included Clyde, our neighbour down the trail, in this publication to give our visitors even more to discover.

So, pick a direction and go out to enjoy our little piece of paradise. We invite you to explore our rich history, marvel at our striking landscapes, get amongst it, and taste the fruits of our land.

And if you get lost just ask a local – they'll point you in the right direction.

Kind regards,

Carolyn Murray

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is central to everywhere!
Adventure activities are
on the menu for the
whole family."*

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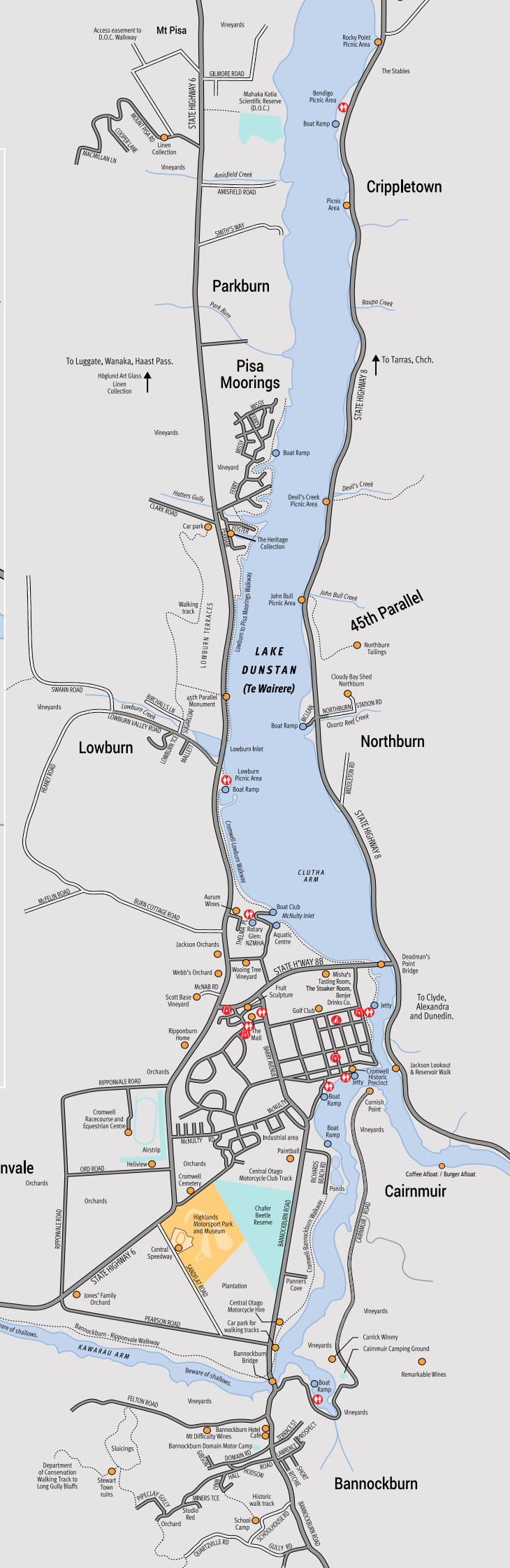
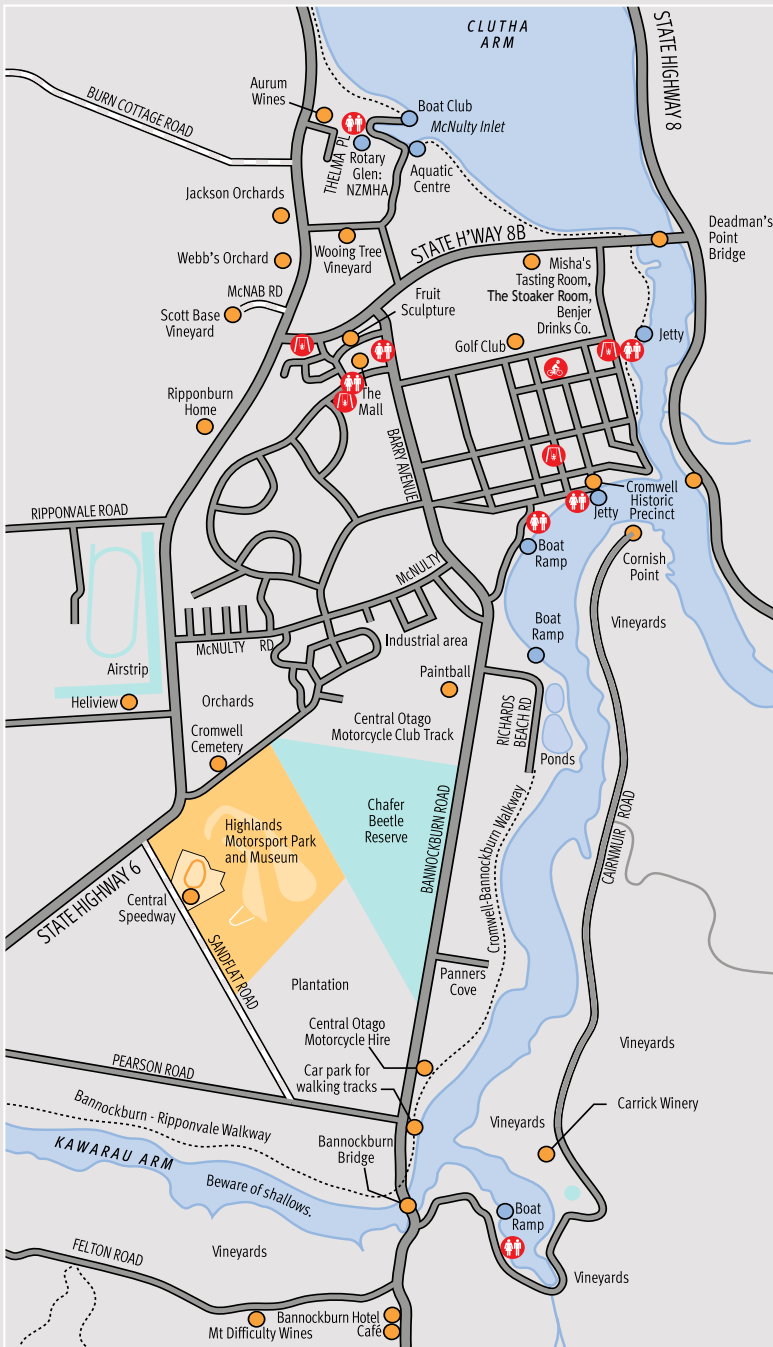
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CROMWELL and surrounds



DRIVING DISTANCES AND TIMES (FROM CROMWELL)

Queenstown	60 km	50 mins
Wanaka	54 km	40 mins
Alexandra	30 km	20 mins
Dunedin	220 km	2hrs 45 mins
Invercargill	230 km	2hrs 50 mins
Christchurch	425 km	5hrs

ABOUT CROMWELL

Rugged mountains, the meeting of two rivers, the pristine waters of Lake Dunstan, and seemingly endless orchards and vineyards – it's easy to see why Cromwell has such a special place in so many people's hearts, and why it continues to enthrall visitors who take the time to discover this hidden gem.

The area was first populated in 1862 during the Otago gold rush when two miners, Horatio Hartley and Christopher Reilly, discovered gold just below the junction of the Clutha and Kawarau Rivers. The rush that followed brought miners in their thousands to Central Otago.

Most of the town that sprung up, then called The Junction, was flooded in the early 1990s when the Clyde Dam was built. Several of the historic buildings were demolished and rebuilt on

higher ground, and stand to this day as a testimony to the grit and unbreakable spirit of the first people who called this land home.

Cromwell has long since shaken off its service town image. Now it is a destination in its own right with a thriving and vibrant community that cultivates export quality produce and some of the best wines in the world.



Photo: Tim Bardsley Smith

Our Lake

Lake Dunstan is New Zealand's newest lake and was formed on the Clutha river as a result of the building of the Clyde dam.

The lake was filled in between 1993 and 1994, and, while offering irrigation to nearby vineyards and orchards, also doubles as a playground for swimmers, kayakers, sailing enthusiasts, rowers, and boaters alike.



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Take a moment to sample the fruits from our land,
to spoil yourself.

Take a moment to discover our heritage,
to glimpse into our future.

A moment to soak in the natural beauty of our
landscape, to breathe.

Take a moment in Cromwell – to be inspired.



TOP 5 MUST-DOS IN CROMWELL

1. TRY THE FRUIT

You can't come to Cromwell without sampling the amazing array of fruit the region has to offer. There are plenty of fruit stalls dotted around on the main routes offering fresh produce, fruit ice cream and other treats such as local honey and nuts. Turn to page 29 to find out more.

2. TASTE THE WINE

There are many ways to explore Central Otago's world-renowned wines. Take a leisurely walk between cellar doors, take a helicopter flight, or hop in the car and explore what the region has to offer on your own steam – just be sure to nominate a sober driver. Find out more on page 34.

3. GET YOUR ADRENALINE FIX

Cromwell has enough to keep your blood pumping. Race around the Highlands track, go on a helicopter flight, take a ride on a jet boat, or get a crew together for a round of paintball. For more info on these and other fun activities, turn to page 12.

4. EXPLORE OUR HERITAGE

Born out of the Otago gold rush, Cromwell has a rich history. Take a walk through the past in the Heritage Precinct or visit the Cromwell Museum in The Mall. Go to page 32 to read more.

5. ENJOY OUR GREAT OUTDOORS

Cromwell is full of opportunities to get back to nature. Whether you are a serious mountain biker, an amateur tramper or a professional meanderer, grab a bottle of water and explore all the beautiful trails in town and beyond. Maps are available at the Information Centre at Forage Café.



Photo: James Jubb



The Cromwell & Districts Promotion Group proudly hosts the following

EVENTS IN CROMWELL



Fireworks

The Cromwell Fireworks and Street Party, held in October in the Heritage Precinct, is the perfect way to welcome summer.

This night of live entertainment, fun for the kids, and good food and drink culminates in a beautiful fireworks display over the Kawarau end of Lake Dunstan.

Light Up Winter

Started as a small event to give the residents of Cromwell something to look forward to during the cold months, Light Up Winter now attracts visitors from far and wide.

With a buzzing night market, live entertainment, and a mass lantern release, this family-oriented community event is a delight to young and old.

A Very Central Christmas

Join in to celebrate the festive season with performances from all over Central Otago at this relaxed family event held at the beginning of December.



Cherry Festival

The Cherry Festival, held at the end of December, is home to the National Cherry Stone Spitting Championship

This fun and quirky family event celebrates all things cherry and comes complete with live entertainment, a market and even a pie eating contest!

To find more events in town and our region go to www.cromwell.org.nz or visit our Facebook page.

Cromwell Summer Series

The Cromwell Summer Series consists of five sporting events held from October to January.

These events give cyclists, runners, swimmers, and kayakers the opportunity to prove their mettle in our beautiful, yet unforgiving, environment.

The calendar has something for everyone – from elite athletes looking to notch up another title, to families and individuals having a fun day out amongst unspoilt mountain scenery – so get a crew together!

Enter online:
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Cromwell Half Marathon

This family-friendly, fun event takes you around the shores of beautiful Lake Dunstan, with a backdrop of spectacular mountain views.

You can tackle the half-marathon course solo or get a team together and break it into smaller runs. The 10 km run or walk is another great way to be part of the fun.



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Nevis Valley Gutbuster

The Nevis Valley Gutbuster (formerly Bannockburn Gutbuster) is a chance to test your fitness limits with a 75km endurance ride through the iconic Nevis Road from Garston to Bannockburn.

This fabulous track will challenge you at every turn with epic ups, downs, and even a few river crossings.



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Bannockburn Classic

This is a festive holiday-period ride for all classes and ages. There are four different rides to choose from – each with their own special appeal. Take to the hills around Bannockburn and enjoy the stunning scenery from your mountain bike.

Some of these tracks are only open to riders once a year, so don't miss out!

Lake Dunstan Triathlon/Duathlon

Held on the 2nd of January each year, this is a great event on the lake with options to complete either two or three disciplines.

Now starting at Bannockburn Inlet, these races offer a great challenge in spectacular surroundings. There is a range of race options incorporating different disciplines to choose from, including cycling, running, swimming and kayaking.



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Lake Dunstan Cycle Challenge

96kms of mostly flat road cycling around Lake Dunstan in early January, this is the way to see the countryside and enjoy your little taste of road touring.

This is one of the most scenic road cycle rides in New Zealand and a fantastic start to the new year.

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Get stuck in...

ACTIVITIES IN AND AROUND CROMWELL

If you're bored while in Cromwell, it's your own fault. Here are heaps of great activities to get stuck into – from family fun with the kids to heart-pumping adventures for the adrenaline junkies!

No matter what your budget, mood, or interest, there is something to keep everyone happy and busy.

Here are some ideas to get you started:

■ **HIT THE TRAIL**

Grab a bicycle or your running shoes and explore our various trails, tracks, and green spaces. Bike It Now! and SheBikesHeBikes will get you sorted with all your cycling needs – from bike hire to transport.

■ **TAKE IT EASY**

Have a picnic next to Lake Dunstan and, if you're brave enough, have a swim in the crystal clear water.

■ **BATTLE IT OUT!**

Challenge your mates to a few rounds of paintball in Paintball Central's 10 acres of adrenaline.

■ **GO BACK IN TIME**

Take a stroll through the historic buildings in the Cromwell Heritage Precinct, visit the Cromwell Museum or discover more on the Otago Goldfields Heritage Trail.

■ **UNLEASH YOUR INNER PHOTOGRAPHER**


No matter the season, the stark contrasts of the Cromwell Basin present many photo opportunities for professional and budding photographers alike. Book a ride with Golden Hills Horse Treks to get some amazing views.

■ **GET YOUR MOTOR RUNNING**

Cromwell is a haven for motorsport enthusiasts. Visit Highlands for some high-octane family fun, or rent a bike from Central Otago Motorcycle Hire and go on an adventure ride.

■ **TREAT YOURSELF**

If you are looking for something unique to take back home with you, why not support local artist Dee Copeland? And if you find yourself completely in love with Cromwell, give the team at Barrett Homes a call.

A woman with blonde hair in a bun, wearing a black tank top and leggings, is running on a dirt trail. The trail is surrounded by dry grass and rocks. A dark blue circular overlay with white text is in the top right corner.

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and busy.”*

Photo: Tourism Central Otago: Will Nelson



Photo: Highlands

■ SKATE PARK

Roll on over to the Big Fruit and grind a few ledges or practice your kickflips. While you're there, why not challenge your friends to a round or two at Cromwell Mini Golf, or hop across the road to hit a few balls on New Zealand's most inland links course at the Cromwell Golf Club.

■ BROWSE THE FARMER'S MARKET

Held every Sunday between Labour Day and Easter, the Farmer's Market in the Heritage Precinct offers local produce, art, food, wine, and entertainment.

■ BONUS: Take a selfie

Take a cheeky selfie in front of the Big Fruit. Go on, we know you want to! #CheekyCromwell

■ LAKE DUNSTAN TRAIL

Winding its way along the shores of New Zealand's youngest lake, the Lake Dunstan Trail takes you on a journey through our beautiful natural landscape, heritage, and history.

Starting at Smiths Way in Cromwell, the Lake Dunstan Trail offers cyclists an easy 55 km ride through the Cromwell Heritage Precinct, across the Bannockburn Bridge, around Cornish Point, all the way to the Clyde Heritage Precinct. Be sure to stop in at Coffee Afloat and Buger Afloat along the way for a delicious cuppa and an award-winning burger to give you a little boost! From there you can extend your cycling journey on The Otago Central Rail Trail to Middlemarch, tackle the Roxburgh Gorge Trail, or head to Lawrence via the Clutha Gold Trail.



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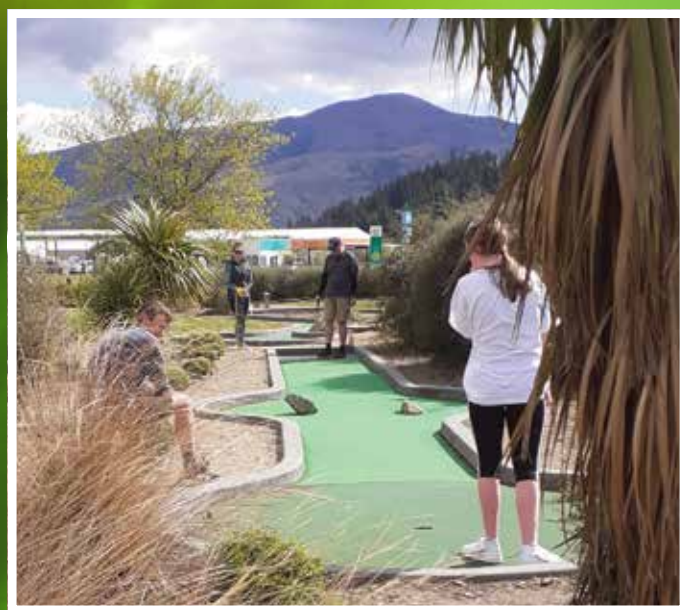


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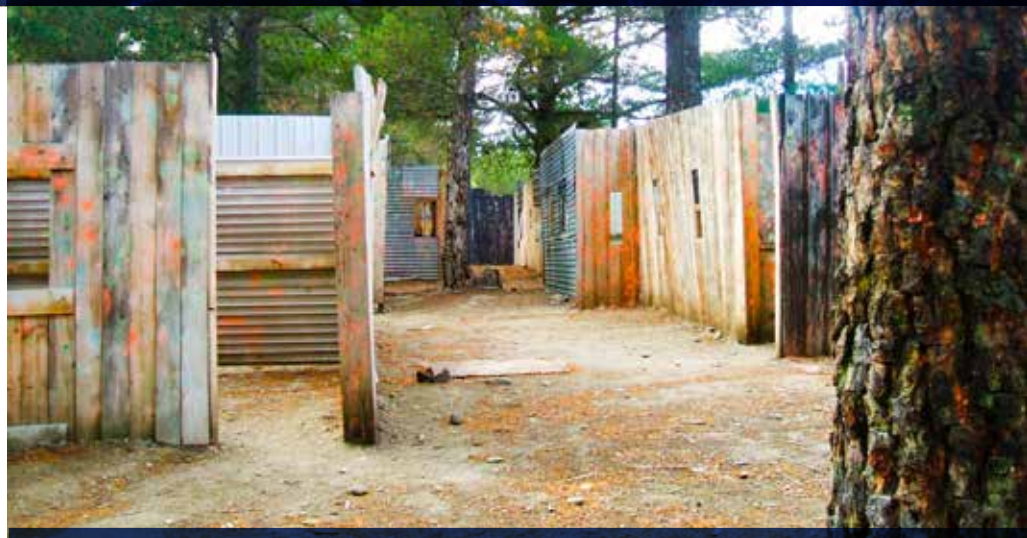


Nick Rhodes grew up playing club paintball with his father and always dreamed of running his own field. That dream became a reality when he recently purchased Paintball Central.

Paintball Central is the one and only paintball field in Central Otago.

Spread over 10 acres the site offers multiple playing fields, including a Shanty Town with more than 50 buildings, each offering interesting and unique paintball battles. Paintball Central can cater for groups of up to 100 players at once, making it the ideal venue for team building, stag do's and more.

Nick recently shifted to Cromwell from Christchurch and is enjoying every minute of it. "When you ask people what their favourite parts of New Zealand are, Central Otago is always on the list, and for good reason!" he says. "Cromwell is fast becoming the go-to destination to enjoy sun, snow,



fruit, wine and more and more day by day. Who wouldn't want to live in such a place?"

He is also an avid snowboarder and mountain biker, so when he's not at paintball, you will find him flying down a mountain, one way or another!

He is excited to help grow the sport that his father and he loved so much. He aims to establish a Central Otago Paintball/Airsoft club, in the hopes that others can enjoy the same exciting experiences that he remembers bonding over with his father.



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everything you
need and more in
Cromwell”*



Find that special
something...

RETAIL AND SERVICES

Photo: Hayden Parsons / Central Otago Touring Route

Even though we don't have a large, multi-storey shopping centre, you will still find everything you need and more in Cromwell. Most of our businesses are owner-operated by locals who are passionate about what they do, so don't be surprised if you get caught up in a conversation with them!

The Cromwell Mall is home to a large variety of shops, including clothing stores, op shops, pharmacies, butchery, bakery, stationery and craft shops, restaurants, cafés, banks, real estate agents and more. Pop into Christinz to get a day-to-day designer outfit or two to liven up your wardrobe. And if you realise that you've forgotten your phone charger or hairdryer, visit Gary Anderson – he'll get you sorted!

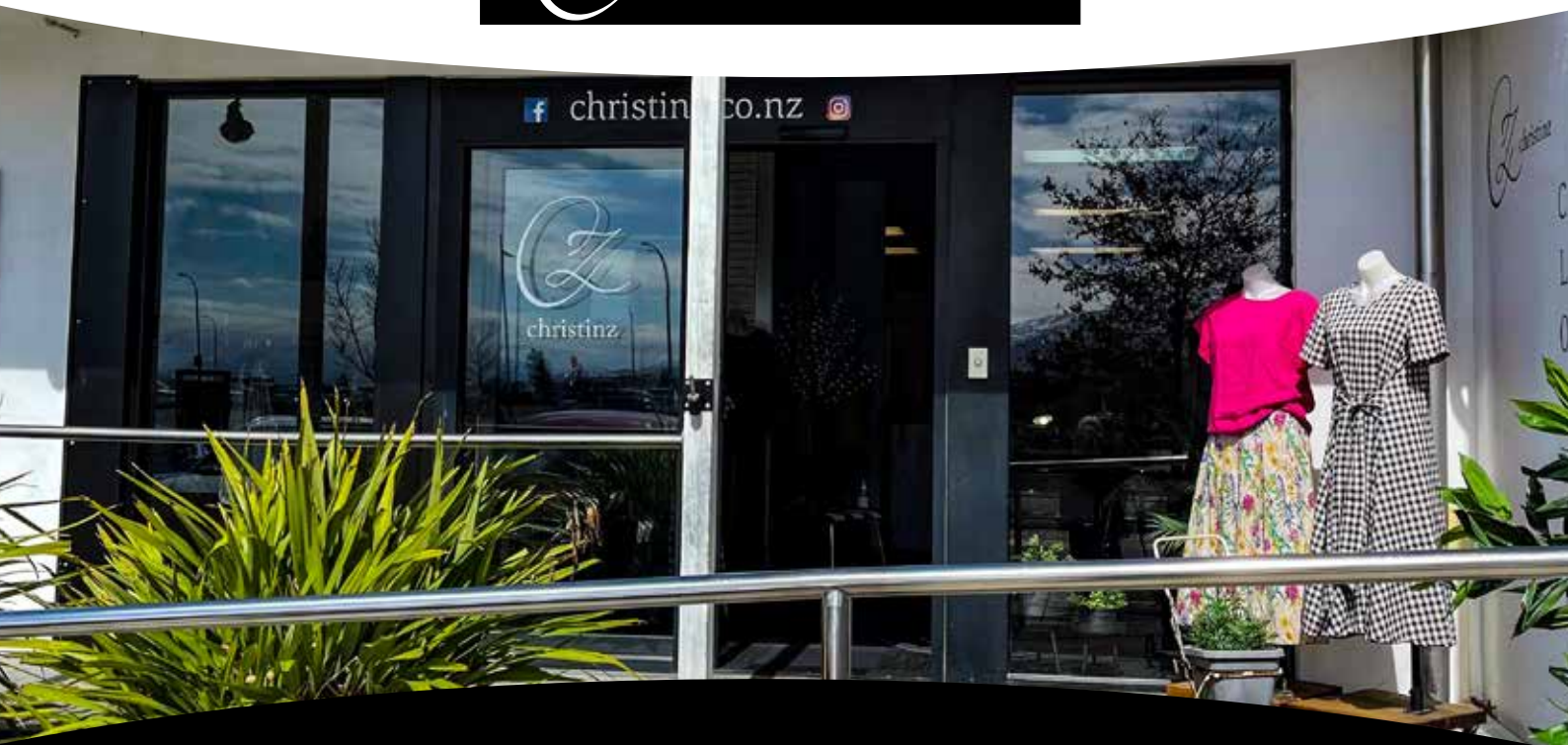
Life still happens while on holiday, but luckily the businesses in town will make sure you are cared for. Hair emergency? Call Hair on the Move! Lost glasses? Central Otago Optical will see you right! Crick in the neck? Visit YourPhysio! Computer on the fritz? Phoenix IT will get you back online. And if you need more space to accommodate visitors, give the friendly team at Carrick Lodge a call.

There are more shops in the lovingly restored and cared-for buildings in the Heritage Precinct. Wander through time and find amazing local arts and crafts hidden amongst the echoes of our past. The service-oriented businesses are mostly located in the industrial area, and the two large supermarkets in town are supported by smaller dairies in the neighbourhoods.

You will find other boutique shops outside of town, including SuziQ's Garden. Visit them on the Cromwell-Luggate in Queensberry road for beautiful peonies, lavender and Christmas trees.



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There is a reason we have that “cheeky” Big Fruit sculpture at the entrance to our town. Cromwell’s arid climate makes the basin a unique region for cherry and apricot growing.

Know your cherries

Variety	Available	Description
Stella	Late Dec to early-Jan	Dark red, sweet, attractive heart shaped
Romance	Early Jan	Dark red, large, sweet and firm
Kordia	Mid-Jan	Dark fleshed cherry, firm and delicious
Lapins	Early to mid-Jan	Large mahogany red cherry with excellent firmness and flavour
Skeena	Mid Jan	Large, very firm and sweet, dark red to almost black
Sweetheart	Mid to late Jan	Large crunchy, heart-shaped, bright red with a mild sweet flesh and outstanding firmness
Staccato	Late Jan to early Feb	Large, very crunchy red black cherry with super sweet burgundy flesh

Information: New Zealand Cherry Corp

Often called the fruit bowl of the South, Cromwell town is surrounded by hundreds of hectares of apricot, peach, nectarine, and pip fruit orchards. This is besides the rows and rows of cherry trees that produce enough export quality fruit to keep visitors and locals sweet throughout the summer season.

Many orchards offer tours and pick-your-own options if you’d like to get amongst it. Stop in at Jackson Orchards for a fun orchard tour, a wide selection of fruit and veg, and a delicious real fruit ice cream, or go on a pick-your-own adventure at Cheeki Cherries!

Harvest calendar

Cherries: December - January

Apricots: December - February

Peaches: December - March

Plums: December - April

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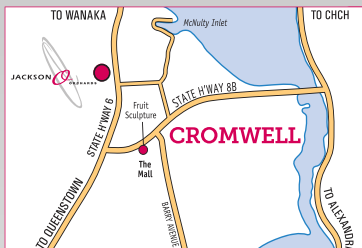
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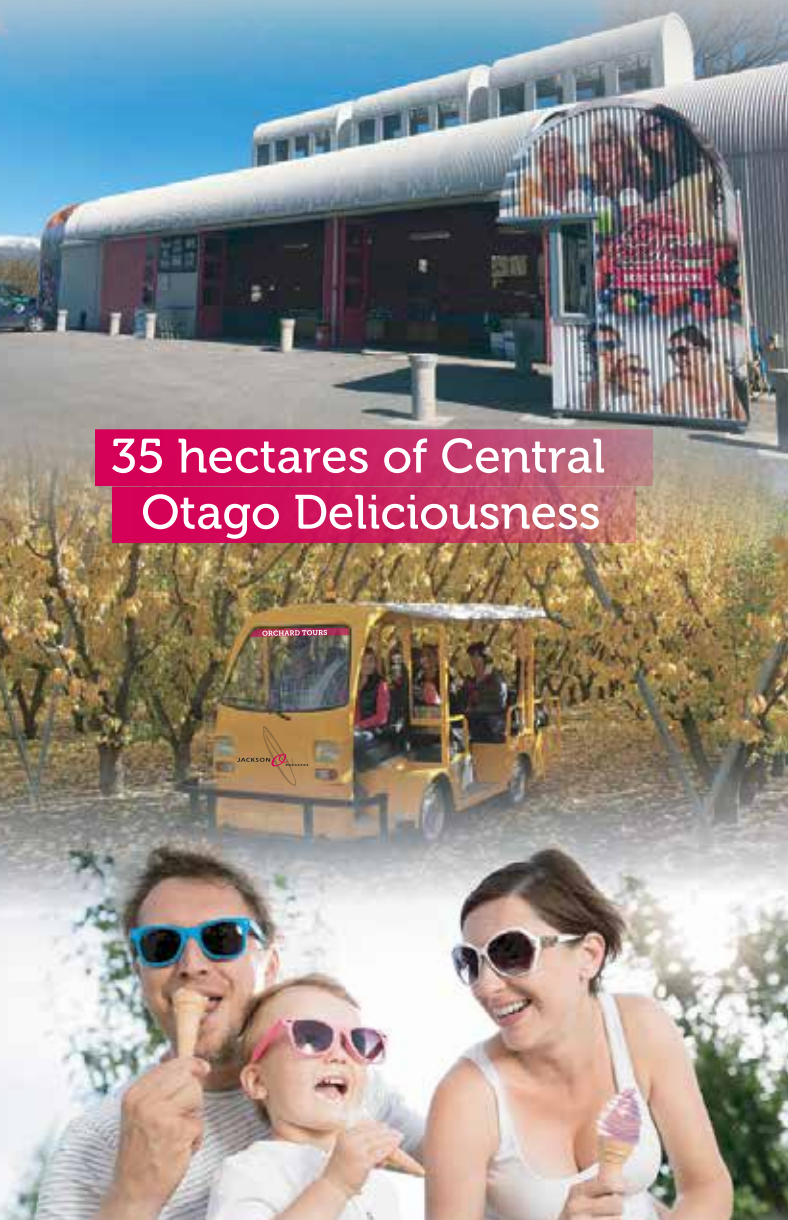


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CROMWELL'S HISTORIC SIDE

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Cromwell, formerly known as The Junction, started out as a mining settlement when gold was discovered here in 1862.

A flood of people descended on the area in search of their fortune, and by 1871 the permanent population of Cromwell stood at 497. The town then boasted three banks, a post office, and a number of other stone buildings. Although the miners and the gold have now gone, traces of the town's early days are still visible. You can also follow the Otago Goldfields Heritage Trail to discover more of the region's notable sites and relics.

A second, more literal flood, helped shape Cromwell into the town it is today. In 1993, parts of the town and valley were flooded with the construction of the Clyde Dam. Several of the historic buildings were removed and rebuilt in the Heritage Precinct. These buildings, including Captain Barry's cottage, the London House Stables, and the Belfast Store, are lovingly maintained. Some are even still in use as cafés, restaurants, shops, and offices!

If you would like to find out more about our fascinating history, a visit to the Cromwell Museum, located in the centre of the Cromwell Mall is a must. The museum is home to some amazing artefacts from our early days.

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Thanks to our icy winters and long, hot summers, the Cromwell basin is home to some of the best Pinot Noir wines in the world.

Although Pinot Noir clearly dominates, the region also produces world-class Pinot Gris, Chardonnay, Riesling, and Sauvignon Blanc wines. With over thirty cellar doors and wineries in the region, you can easily spend the best part of a week sampling the vintages and varietals.

The first wine-grapes were planted in Central Otago in 1864, but it took nearly a century for wine-grapes to be grown commercially.

The region comprises four distinct sub-regions that are separated by rugged river valleys and mountains. The Cromwell Basin, which includes Bannockburn in the south and stretches to Bendigo in the North, contains the largest concentration of the region's vineyards.

Here are plenty of options for beer connoisseurs in the area too.

From light pale ales to heavier hops, stouts, and even flavoured beers, Cromwell's burgeoning craft beer scene has more than enough to fill your flagon.

“The Cromwell basin is home to some of the best Pinot Noir wines in the world.”

Photo: Scott Base

Which **WINE?**

Properly pairing food with your wine can elevate any dining experience. Here are some tips on how to get the most out of our beautiful Central Otago wines:

Pinot Noir

Pinot Noir drinks well with earthy, smoky tastes. Try roast chicken or duck, mushrooms, and soft cheeses such as camembert. Scott Base Pinot Noir is a taste of Central in a glass with aromatics of ripe cherries, raspberries and wild thyme.



Pinot Gris

This fresh and full-flavoured wine goes beautifully with roast pork, creamy pasta, and seafood. River Rock has an elegant Pinot Gris that is not to be missed.

Chardonnay

An elegant wine, Chardonnays complement savoury dishes such as veal and rabbit. It also goes well with a variety of cheeses, especially creamy ones like camembert. Try Nanny Goat's Chardonnay for a rich and zesty taste, or Cloudy Bay's smooth, elegant and refined version.

Riesling

With its crisp lemony taste, our Rieslings are best enjoyed with lighter seafood, chicken dishes and spicy foods. Misha's Limelight Riesling is a must-try.

Sauvignon Blanc

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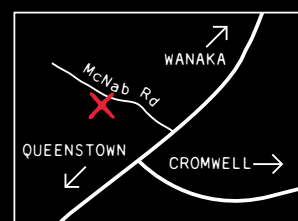
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The cellar door is housed in a picturesque barn and offers tastings, sales and merchandise. It is open daily from 12 noon - 5 pm during the winter months and from 12 noon till early evenings in the summer.

The picturesque 1.3-hectare vineyard was first planted in 2004 and produces Pinot Gris, Chardonnay-style Pinot Gris, Two Together, Pinot Noir, Zesty Pinot Noir, Naked Pinot, Rose and Sauvignon Blanc wines.

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Nanny Goat Vineyard is named after the wild goats that roam the mountainous terrain of Central Otago.

Winemaker Alan Peters-Oswald says that the name is a fair reflection of their character.

“It shows our determination to succeed, adapt and thrive in the rugged and often extreme climates of Central Otago – much like the nimble and sure-footed wild goats of the region have done before us.”

From the inception and inaugural release of their Pinot Noir in 2005, Nanny Goat Vineyard has strived to produce wines with elegance, concentration and balance while allowing each individual parcel of fruit to tell its own unique story.

The Cellar Door in Queensberry, located just 15 minutes from Wanaka, Central Otago, is a breathtaking setting in which to enjoy a selection of Nanny Goat Vineyard wines.

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“We encourage all to linger awhile, savour a glass of wine, graze on options from our cellar door menu and enjoy the view.”

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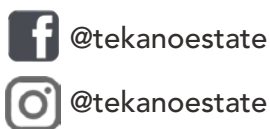
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"Our diverse restaurants have meals to suit every taste, including international options."

Indulge a little... **DISCOVER CROMWELL'S FOOD SCENE**

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Cromwell is a food lover's paradise. When you walk into a restaurant, you will often find that it is the owners that are behind the pots, making sure that each meal is delivered with attention to detail and quality. Even the simplest meals are carefully crafted to create a symphony of flavours that will delight.

Treat your tastebuds to the Stoaker Room's innovative cooking method or the Black Rabbit's uniquely Kiwi offering.

With an emphasis on fresh, local and seasonal produce, Cromwell's food scene offers Central Otago on a plate. Our diverse restaurants have meals to suit every taste, including international options such as Indian, Asian, Greek, and Italian. Drop by Amigo's for some authentic Mexican dishes.

There are quite a few other places to have a meal besides the various fine dining options Cromwell has to offer. If you are after a quick bite or looking for a good spot for brunch, simply pop into any of the little cafés dotted around town for a delicious pastry or a quick sandwich or quiche. Check out Subway Cromwell and Forage for your quick food fix. And if you want to have a hearty meal and a few laughs, head over to Five Stags – the crispy chicken is divine!

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Jolanda recommends checking their social media accounts (@burgerafloat and @coffeeafloatnz) for any weather changes and adjustments to opening hours.

Prebooking a burger or a coffee is also welcomed, especially for groups.

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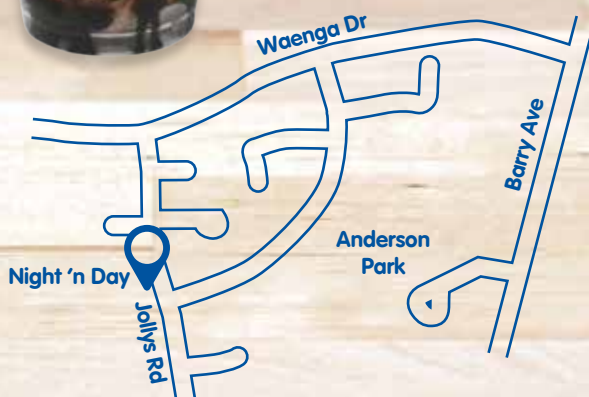
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OUR NEIGHBOUR DOWN THE TRAIL

Just 20 minutes from Cromwell on the banks of the Clutha river lies the small town of Clyde. Clyde, formerly named Dunstan, sprung up during the gold rush of the 1860s and claimed to be the most populous town in New Zealand during the height of gold fever.

Today, just over 1250 people call this place home.

After the gold rush, Clyde's focus turned to agriculture and, in the 1980s, viticulture. The stone fruit and Pinot Noir of the region are world-renowned for their exceptional quality and flavour.



Many buildings dating to the early gold mining era remain, and the town centre has been declared a historic precinct. These buildings are living monuments that house boutique shops and more.

In the main street, you will find award-winning Olivers Restaurant in the iconic Victoria Store building that offers fresh, seasonal flavours in a warm and welcoming atmosphere.

If you're in the mood for a sweet treat, head over to nom nom in Holloway Street. While you're there, stroll over to Eade Gallery and support some local artists, or visit Lily & Esther to browse their collection of New Zealand designer labels.

And if you realise you've forgotten something at home, pop into the local Four Square.



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HIT THE TRAIL!

If you're looking for a fabulous day out cycling the Lake Dunstan Trail, you can't surpass the super helpful team at shebikeshebikes. They will help you with everything to get you in the saddle and going.

Your day starts at their depot in the historic Clyde Railway Station where you will find your first of many gorgeous photo opportunities of the day.

You and your bike (BYO or hire) will then be transported in a comfortable Mercedes van to your selected starting point in Cromwell.

Shebikeshebikes have a large fleet of NZ-designed Sinch E-Bikes with a "comfort" geometry that helps you enjoy the view. Merida MTBs are also available.

Helmets and pannier bags are provided along with their very useful myguide.shebikeshebikes.co.nz trail notes that detail distances and on-trail services.

It's then time to set off on your adventure and experience this stunning trail.

Cromwell to Clyde is the most popular direction for riding the trail, so you won't come across too many people going the other way. Since you're riding back to your car or accommodation, you can enjoy the day at your own pace.

Transport is also available at 4:15 pm from Clyde to Cromwell for cyclists and this is popular with cyclists that have brought their own bikes.

The Lake Dunstan Cycle Trail is very popular and gets quite busy, so bookings are essential to secure bikes and transport.

You can get in touch with the team via their social media (@shebikeshebikes) or on their website: shebikeshebikes.co.nz



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Ten ^{Free} Things to do in Clyde

Over the last few years Clyde has really come into its own as a tourist destination. We know that you all love shopping in our wonderful precinct and eating at our gastronomically superb dining establishments but wait, there's more.... Here are ten things which you might enjoy during your stay in our rather special little town. Match the letters on the map on the reverse side, but you can do them in any order you prefer.

A. Walk to the Clyde dam.

Head out of town along Sunderland Street heading north and you'll quickly come to the lookout where you can view the third largest hydro-electric dam in New Zealand.



B. Climb to the Clyde Lookout.

At the northern end of Sunderland Street you'll find the miner's monument in a small park. After admiring this, follow around Holloway St and take the track on the left which winds its way up the hill to the Clyde Lookout. The view of the town is superb!



C. Walk to the Clyde Bridge.

Again, starting at the miners' monument at the northern end of Sunderland Street, cross the road into Miner's Lane and follow this down to the river. Then you can continue on to the Clyde Bridge. You can carry on along this track!



D. The Millenium Track.

Cross over the Clyde Bridge and immediately turn right, following the road back round under the bridge to the start of the Millenium Track, via which you can walk or cycle all the way to Alexandra (12km)



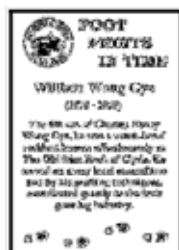
E. Enjoy the History of Clyde.

Clyde is rather special in that it is one of the very few towns in New Zealand where historical buildings have been preserved. Get a copy of the "Walk Around Clyde" brochure and follow that delightful trail.



F. Follow the Footsteps in Time.

Promote Dunstan has had over twenty bronze plaques set into the footpath on both sides of Sunderland Street. These relate to people who have made major contributions to Clyde, particularly in the early days.



G. Visit the Stamper Battery and the old cottage.

A restored stamper battery, originating during the latter days of the gold rush, stands in the grounds of a lovely old cottage up near the railway station. It's well worth a visit.



H. Visit the Station Museum.

Recently restored, the old Clyde Railway Station houses a special room, dedicated to all things railway. It includes a marvellous model of the station in its early days. Not to be missed at any cost!



I. Pass under the Underpass.

This safe means of crossing the main road to the Central Otago Rail Trail headquarters is one of Clyde's latest features. What is REALLY special about it though is the absolutely splendid mural which adorns both sides of the tunnel.



J. Admire the gardens of Clyde.

Like everywhere in New Zealand, Clyde residents are particularly fond of their gardens and a wander round the town will quickly make this clear. Chandler Crescent in the Sunderland Estate is particularly beautiful.



K. Pay your respects at Clyde Cemetery.

Leaving the underpass, travel along Springvale Road. You'll quickly come to the old Clyde Cemetery where you can spot graves which date back to Clyde's earliest days. In the top right hand corner there is a list of 150 people buried in unmarked graves.



Yes, I know, that's eleven. But, in Clyde, you'll always get more than you expected.



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Cycling the Lake Dunstan Trail?

After a busy day on the bike or just exploring the area, the Central Otago town of Clyde, with its authentic heritage precinct, is the perfect place to stop, relax and revive. With its captivating mix of boutique shops, galleries, cafes and restaurants, it attracts an ever-increasing number of visitors.

At its heart is the 150-year-old Olivers complex which reflects the village's early beginnings. The 1860s heritage listed collection of stone buildings house award-winning **Olivers Restaurant and Bar**, the **Merchant of Clyde Café and Deli** and the **Victoria Store Brewery**.

Choose from Olivers Merchant Café's extensive breakfast, lunch or bar menus while you enjoy a local wine, craft beer or coffee. Eat, drink and relax indoors surrounded by stone walls and antique maps or outside in the sunny orchard garden.



The Victoria Store Brewery follows the time-worn tradition of offering refreshment to locals and weary travellers alike.

With history running through its beer lines, brews such as the **Gold Miner Golden Ale**, the **Stone Mason Pilsner**, and the **Blacksmith Porter** evoke the time of the Otago goldrush.

With a selection of guest craft brews also available at Olivers Bar, why not stop a while and quench your thirst.





WALKING THE TORQUE

Bike It Now! Has been your one-stop cycle shop in Central Otago for nearly a decade.

Locally owned and operated, they have anything and everything a cycling enthusiast could ever need.

Their three shops located in Cromwell, Clyde, and Wanaka offer retail, workshops, bike hire and tours.

The team is passionate about all things cycling and they pride themselves on providing quality service and expert advice to keep everyone safe and on track.

Bike It Now! offers self-guided as well as fully supported trail ride options on the Lake Dunstan Cycle Trail, The Central Otago Rail Trail and beyond.

They also offer personalised tours in Central Otago and beyond to suit every budget and appetite for adventure.

When hiring a bike from Bike It Now!, you can be sure you are getting only the best.

Their fleet includes the latest Merida e-bikes and Trek Roscoe 7s for those who like to keep it old-school.

In Cromwell there are two spots to hire a bike – at their shop in The Mall or at Forage Café.

There is also an e-bike charging station at Forage Café so both you and your bike can refuel!

You can get in touch with the team via their social media (@bikeitnow) on their website (www.bikeitnow.co.nz) or by visiting one of their shops.

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