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To our dear valued Guests,

Happy New Year! We hope that you have enjoyed a memorable holiday season with fantastic summer weather. We have another action packed year ahead of us, with our Conference Centre and 60 new rooms on track for opening on 1st June. If you're travelling to Rotorua this year, we'd love you to be our guest at our new hotel: Jet Park Hotel Rotorua. Until next time, happy travels and good health!

Warm regards,

The Jet Park Hotel Team

Left: Newly refurbished Jet Park Hotel Rotorua.

The Roof is On!

New Conference Centre opening 1 June



Jet Park Hotel's new 250 person conference centre reached a big milestone recently, and to celebrate, the hotel hosted the construction team to a "roof wetting" BBQ on site. Hirini Maguire is the Site Manager from Watts and

Hughes and is pleased to see the structure 97% completed. The project's focus is now largely on the internal-works for the conference areas as well as the 60 new guest rooms. The next milestone for the 80-strong team, says Hirini, will be "power-on" for the site: The electrical sub-contractor is Ward Chandler. Having power and reducing the need for long extension cables makes a big difference to the crew. Hirini and Ashley Schierhout, Project Manager from Jet Park Hotel reflect on weather being one of the challenges in the construction to date.

The construction crew, including sub-contractors enjoyed what they said was "one of the best shouts" they've had on a site. The hotel's F&B and Front Office Managers cooked prawns, steak, and large German bratwurst sausages, and everyone enjoyed a well-deserved break from the hard work which began in February 2015 to bring the project to this point... *View the full story on our [website news](#).* For booking enquiries, contact Jo on **ph: 09 256 2190** or email: **conference@jetpark.co.nz**



Have You Joined Yet?

Get 10% back on your total spend when you stay with us (spend \$100, get \$10 Reward Dollars). Rewards can be used at both Hotels. Next

time you check-in, ask to join our Jet Park Club! Dial 0 to find out more. **Sign-up is done through Reception only.**

New Summer Menu Popular with Guests

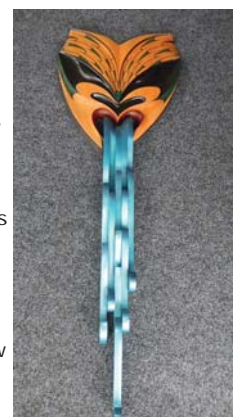
Our philosophy on food is very simple: use the best local produce we can, treat it with respect, and where we need to, support the great ingredients our locality and New Zealand has to offer with some luxuries from overseas. We believe in keeping things as simple and as sustain-



able as we can. Where possible, we use free-range meat and eggs, line-caught fish, and the freshest vegetables from the local area. Our beef is grass fed and our pork is from happy pigs. Our chicken has also been allowed to roam the farm and our herbs are grown especially for us. Book your table now and experience dining the way it should be. Contact Te Maroro Restaurant- **Dial 8995** from your room.

Unique Artworks

At Jet Park Hotel we have become known for the original artworks around our hotel so it was fitting that our new hotel in Rotorua followed suit. Wonderful pieces of original art have been placed around the hotel and in rooms for guests to admire. In particular, Rex Homan, an internationally renowned New Zealand sculptor who designed Jet Park Auckland's iconic "fish wall" at reception has created a captivating new piece of art entitled 'Tangaroa', which adorns a wall in the entrance lobby at Jet Park Hotel Rotorua. 'Tangaroa' means 'Father of the seas and all its creatures.'



TANGAROA by Sculptor, Rex Homan

Another piece, 'Te Ngaru Nui A Tangaroa', which means 'The Great Wave of Tangaroa' can be viewed behind reception. This piece was the original sculpture behind reception when Jet Park Hotel in Auckland first opened its doors 17 years ago. Rex Homan's sculptures are sought after by collectors world-wide.

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Environmental News

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Dear valued Guests,

Welcome and thank you for choosing to stay at Jet Park Hotel - a great choice in "best environmental practice". We believe in protecting our beautiful New Zealand environment for future generations, and we have developed a plan you can be a part of. Jet Park Hotel was awarded a Qualmark GOLD-Enviro rating in 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015: a testament to the fact that the environmental health of our country and our planet for future generations is something we take very seriously. We welcome your feedback on our environmental or social policies- please use the in-room guest comment cards for this.



Responsible Tourism Initiatives



Jet Park Hotel has over 60 Responsible Tourism Initiatives; of particular note:

- Energy saving by turning off lights
- Energy efficient light bulbs (LED)
- Solar heating panels for hot water
- Eco-friendly Park Spa amenity range
- Water saving measures, e.g. flow restrictors, low flush toilets
- Rubbish/recycling of waste, e.g. recycling food waste into compost, paper, glass
- Continual 'audits' aimed at future reductions in resource consumption
- Support for SPCA Auckland, Womens Refuge & Kokako Conservation

- Hair & skin care products are made from sustainably sourced, GE-free ingredients.
- Cardboard boxes are made from 100% recycled, oxygen bleached carton board.
- Caps and bottles are fully recyclable and partially used soaps are returned to the manufacturer to be recycled into Biofuel and bio-degradable industrial cleaning compounds.
- Formulations are tested on humans, not animals!

How Can You Help?

- You may wish to help save water by turning off the tap tightly and avoiding leaving water running.
- If you are staying with us for several days, please feel free to decline a towel change from our housekeepers.
- Please leave any recyclable waste e.g. paper, newspaper, magazines, any glass or plastic bottles beside the bin in your room to be included in our recycling system.
- Room key cards: These are designed to control the lights in your room, so that when you're out, lights are off to save power. You may also wish to consider turning off your TV and heating/cooling too, when not in the room.
- If you're walking on New Zealand's beautiful trails/bush walks, always wear clean shoes and use shoe spray stations to prevent the spread of 'Kauri Die Back Disease'.

Enviro Friendly Park Spa Amenity Range

We are pleased to supply you with a low-allergy, NZ-made body product range made with the healing properties of NZ 'Mamaku' (Black Fern). We have created our own product dispensers for some of our range to reduce daily waste from small, individualised plastic containers. Our hair products and soap are still available in individual containers and these are recycled after use.



Other Benefits:

- Hair care products are all made using bio-degradable formulations, are free from animal and petrochemical by-products, and are Paraben free.

Our Unique Local Environment

We have planted the hotel grounds in native vegetation including Flax, Cabbage Trees, Manuka, and Kowhai. These attract native bird life to the site and create a small 'green belt' in a fast-developing industrial area. Please feel free to enjoy a stroll around our grounds! Our Concierge team also have a lot of information on great local walks or bike trails- we even have bikes for hire!



Did You Know? The kokako is one of NZ's endangered and endemic (that is, found only in New Zealand) birds. A joint project between the Auckland City Council and Department of Conservation, The Kokako Project was created to protect and save the kokako. Jet Park Hotel is proud to be a part of this project.

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