



# ACTIVITIES

At Fable Terrace Downs Resort, a wealth of fantastic activities awaits you both onsite and in the surrounding area. Whether you are looking to relax and unwind or seeking adventure and excitement, there is something for everyone.

Please get in touch with us so we can assist you in creating a bespoke itinerary that ensures you make the most of your stay at Fable Terrace Downs Resort. We look forward to helping you plan an unforgettable trip.





# ONSITE ACTIVITIES

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## Tennis

Our two all weather courts are available for complementary use by guests. Tennis racquet's and balls are available from reception and bookings are generally not required. Keys for the courts are available from reception.

## Golf

Fable Terrace Downs offers golfers the opportunity to play a unique high country 18-hole championship golf course. The rewarding par 72 course offers a choice of four tees on each hole. The spectacular views pose a constant challenge for players to keep their eye on the ball! Special hotel guest rates apply.

## Newzealand

Archery - Air Rifles - Clay Shooting - Mini Olympics + more

These supervised activities are offered onsite by Newzealand, a local professional operator. Advance booking is required, with a minimum notice of three hours, and is subject to instructor availability.

WEBSITE: [www.newzealand.co.nz](http://www.newzealand.co.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 21 158 4259

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*Please note, the following activities are provided by third party suppliers, and may be unavailable due to other bookings held by the operator.*

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## Jet Boating

Enjoy adrenalin-pumping Jet boating in the most majestic and scenic river and mountain environment. Discovery Jet operates approximately 10km from Terrace Downs at the Rakaia Gorge Bridge.

### INDICATIVE PRICES:

\$50 per person - 15 minutes

\$90 per person - 30 minutes

\$110 per person - 45 minutes

WEBSITE: [www.discoveryjet.co.nz](http://www.discoveryjet.co.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 21 538 386

## Ōpuke Thermal Pools and Spa

The latest wellness destination in Methven Canterbury, just a short 20 minute drive from the resort. The Tranquility Pools offer an adult-exclusive experience to soak and unwind surrounded by superior views across the foothills of the Southern Alps.

For those wanting to connect with a more family friendly bathing experience, you can explore the Discover Pools.

Ōpuke also operates a Day Spa option for those that would like a bit of pampering.

Ōpuke operate in set session times and bookings are essential. Head to the website to book your session.

WEBSITE: [www.opuke.nz](http://www.opuke.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 3 261 6800



# Horse Trekking

Whatever your skill level, there are some amazing locations available for those who are keen to explore the high country by horseback.

High Country Horse Adventures are based out of Lake Coleridge Village and run 2-hour, half-day and full-day horse treks year round.

## INDICATIVE PRICE:

Starts at \$150 per rider

WEBSITE: [www.horsetreklakecoleridge.co.nz](http://www.horsetreklakecoleridge.co.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 3 318 5049

# Walking Tracks

There are several walking tracks close to our property. The Department of Conservation maintains the Rakaia Gorge Walkway which passes over our property and includes the former Snowdon coal mines in its route.

A short drive away is the Washpen Falls walk. This walk over private land (\$10 entry charge) features the glorious Washpen Falls. Please note that you should take strong footwear and allow for changeable weather conditions (even when the forecast is great).

During warmer months there is the possibility of wasp's being active near the walks and you are encouraged to take repellents with you.

# Fishing

The Rakaia River at the base of our plateau is famous for its salmon, sea run trout and resident brown trout in its upper reaches. Fishing season is October until April.

Our recommended locally based Fishing Guides are:

NZ Trophy Safaris run by Blair Grice

Phone +64 21 538 386 or [www.nztrophysafaris.com](http://www.nztrophysafaris.com)

New Zealand Back Country Guides run by Al Kircher

Phone +64 3 318 5075 or [www.nzbackcountryguides.com](http://www.nzbackcountryguides.com)



# Hunting

The hills and mountains of our surrounding countryside provide a habitat where wild game flourishes. Species include Red Stag, Himalayan Tsar, Chamois, Fallow Deer, Elk, Alpine Goat, Wild Boar and Wild Rams. Our recommended locally-based Hunting Guides are:

NZTrophySafaris – Blair Grice

Phone +6421 538 386 or [www.nztrophysafaris.com](http://www.nztrophysafaris.com)

New Zealand Back Country Guides - Al Kircher

Phone +643 318 5075 or [www.nzbackcountryguides.com](http://www.nzbackcountryguides.com)

# Farm Tours

## Middlerock Farm Tour

Middle Rock Station offers visitors a comprehensive farm tour experience in the scenic Lake Coleridge high country. Bordered by the braided Rakaia River, the property farms over 7,000 sheep producing fine wool for the apparel trade and export lamb for international meat markets. Located at 1160 Coleridge Road, just a short 5 minutes drive from Terrace Downs.

### INDICATIVE PRICE:

Starts at \$120 per person

WEBSITE: [www.middlerock.co.nz](http://www.middlerock.co.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 3318 6889

## Benlea Station

Benlea station sheep and cattle farm tours take you on an in-depth experience of their beautiful property. They will give you an insight into their busy farming lifestyle and how they look after our flock of 5,000 sheep and 400 cattle. Located at 728 Coleridge Road.

WEBSITE: [www.benlea.co.nz](http://www.benlea.co.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 3318 6545.



## Hot Air Ballooning

Escape to a world of peace and tranquillity. Hot Air Ballooning is a magical experience and a flight with Ballooning Canterbury offers panoramic views across the fertile Canterbury Plains to the Southern Alps. Ballooning Canterbury is our closest operator and knows our location well. Contact Micheal Oakley to book.

INDICATIVE PRICE:

\$320 per person

WEBSITE: [www.benlea.co.nz](http://www.benlea.co.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 27 436 8308

## Dirt Bandits

DIRT Bandits is New Zealand's premier UTV Motorsport Experience. Utilising their purpose-built UTV Circuit on the banks of the Rakaia River, a DIRT Bandits experience is raw, dirty and adrenalin-fueled. Set amongst the banks Rakaia River, Lowes Cutting is a 330-hectare working sheep and grazing station. This unique riverbed location provides natural terrain elements highly suited to the Can-Am Maverick X3. Utilising these varied natural features, DIRT Bandits has developed New Zealand's most diverse purpose-built UTV playground.

INDICATIVE PRICE:

Starts at \$50 per person

WEBSITE: [www.dirtbandits.co.nz](http://www.dirtbandits.co.nz)

BOOK DIRECT: +64 3 302 6157 | [getdirty@dirtbandits.co.nz](mailto:getdirty@dirtbandits.co.nz)

## Helicopter Flights

For scenic flights in the Canterbury area including pick up and drop off from Terrace Downs.

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GCH AVIATION

BOOK DIRECT: +64 3 358 4360 | 0800 359 424 | [www.gchaviation.com](http://www.gchaviation.com)



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