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A classic Kiwi summer!

Kia ora everyone!

Sunshine, family events, and delicious fresh fruit ice creams have been the order of the day here at Kaiteriteri! It's been a beautiful season, with our campground, apartments, and cabins buzzing with people and sandy feet.

We've loved hosting so many guests from near and far. From scavenger hunts for the kids, to sea swims and a few hole-in-ones at the mini-golf course, there's been a real summer vibe as families enjoy their holidays.

We're delighted to share that Kaiteriteri Beach has been named a finalist in two categories of the *NZ Herald Best Beach competition for 2026* -
[and we would LOVE your vote!](#)

We've have further updates below, so happy scrolling, and we hope you're enjoying a classic Kiwi summer wherever you are in Aotearoa!

VOTE for Kaiteriteri Beach!

Kaiteriteri Beach has been named a finalist in two categories of the *NZ Herald Best Beach competition for 2026*!

We're up for: Best Camping Beach and Best Family Beach.

Vote by clicking on the image below, cast your vote and you'll go in the draw to win one of ten \$100 Four Square gift cards. Voting closes 25 January, so don't miss out!
Thanks for showing the love for Kaiteriteri!

Kaiteriteri Beach - finalist in the NZ Herald
Best Beach competition for 2026!



Big gear hits the sand!

Did you know that the Kaiteriteri Recreation Reserve provides the funding for the beach to be replenished each year? This includes moving a thousand cubic metres of sand from the southern end, back across the beach so it's looking its best for summer! Here's a snap of the big gear in action, where many little faces were watching it all take place from the sidelines. How good does the golden sand look from this angle!



1 metre camping rule reminder

This is a friendly reminder that the 1 metre rule must be adhered to at all times when camping. This means maintaining a minimum distance of one metre between your tent/camper to the boundary, which is essential to help ensure everyone's safety and to allow clear access in the event of an emergency. This small action can make a significant difference in protecting both yourself and others. Not too sure what this means? You can ask our friendly team on arrival, they're happy to help.



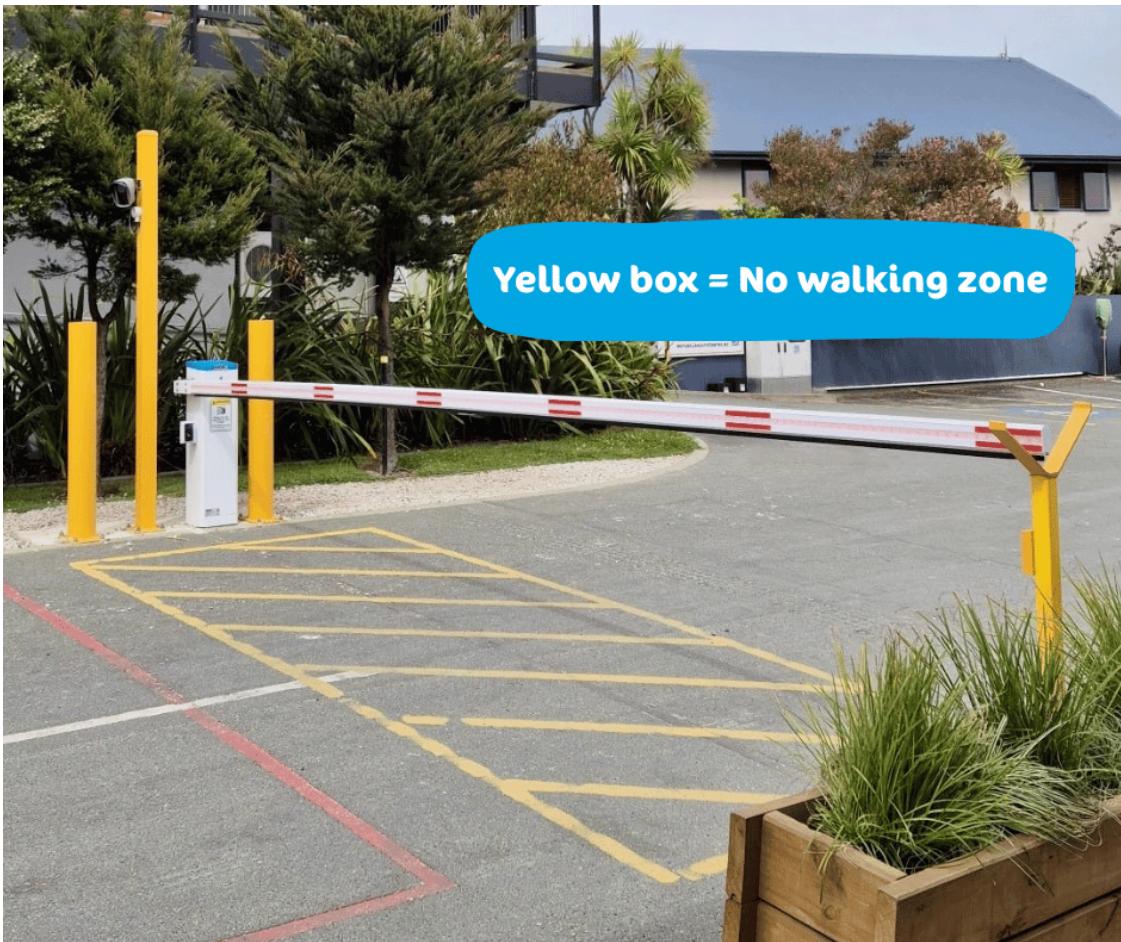
We LOVE summer events!

Throughout January we're putting on free summer events for guests and the community. These include fitness circuits, zumba, sports on the sand, bouncy castles, live music on the Village Green and more. To check out the full schedule, you can [check out our website](#). We would love you to join us at Kaiteriteri!



Boom gate update

We are pleased to share that the boom gate has received incredibly positive feedback again this year, particularly for the enhanced safety it provides. As an additional safety measure, we have now painted a yellow box beneath the boom gate arm. This clearly identifies a no-walking zone while the arm is in the upright position, helping to improve visibility and reduce risk. Your safety remains our priority, and we are continuing to review and consider additional safety features to further improve this area.



Fireworks light up the sky!

On a warm Friday evening, locals, visitors, and the wider community came together to watch the night sky light up with sparks of joy.

For more than ten years, the Wirtschafter family have generously funded and organised a New Year's Eve fireworks display — an incredible gift that so many people look forward to during their summer holiday at Kaiteriteri.

On behalf of the Kaiteriteri Recreation Reserve and the community, we extend our heartfelt thanks to the Wirtschafter family, along with all the organisers and operators working behind the scenes, who brought this special event to life.



Feedback from our guests!

Every year we are fortunate to receive wonderful feedback from our guests, and this year is no exception. We truly appreciate everyone who takes the time to share their experience with us. Here are just a few highlights from recent reviews:

“The cabin was really cute and the bathroom areas, laundry and kitchen were great. It’s under a 5-minute walk to the beach and the reception staff were really friendly.”

“Excellent location and view over the bay. Well-equipped, clean and comfortable apartment. Easy check-in process.”

“Amenities, location, comfort – everything is top-notch! The sunrises and sunsets were breathtaking. Perfect starting point for visiting Abel Tasman National Park.”

“The coffee from the store below the apartment was excellent!”

“Spacious apartment, ocean view, private parking, friendly staff.”

“Great location with superb views. Everything available within a few steps – groceries, food, coffee, tour kiosks.”

“Staff were brilliant and very helpful. Our family had the best time.”

“Such a beautiful spot in one of the best places in New Zealand.”

Thank you to all our guests for your kind words and continued support. We look forward to welcoming you back again soon!



Thank you for taking the time to connect with us.

Your ongoing support and love for Kaiteriteri Recreation Reserve means the world to our team and helps us continue protecting, enhancing, and sharing this special

place. We're grateful to have you as part of our community and look forward to welcoming you back soon to enjoy everything the reserve has to offer!

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See You at Kaiteriteri!

Thanks for being part of our Kaiteriteri community! Every moment you enjoy here helps keep the reserve thriving. Every dollar you spend is reinvested back into the Reserve, ensuring future generations can enjoy this incredible destination.

We appreciate your support and can't wait to welcome you back to the golden shores of Kaiteriteri!

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