

Waitawheta Camp

WAIHI

Location:

439 Waitawheta Road, R D 2, Waihi. Five minutes from Waihi, 15 minutes from Waihi Beach rural setting

Owned & operated by:

Waitawheta Camp Society Inc
A non-profit camping venue

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Costs:

From \$9 per night

Accommodation:

Sleeps 110 in two dormitory-style bunkrooms and additional smaller bunkrooms.

Mattresses provided.

Caravan points and tent sites.

Facilities:

Self catering in fully equipped kitchen with steriliser and walk-in chiller.

Eating utensils also provided.

Deck off dining room for optional outdoor dining.

Historic recreation hall with stage.

Cosy lounge area.

Paved court area for tennis and basketball.

Grassed playing field.

Rock climbing tower, rappelling wall and flying fox.

Low ropes confidence course.

Washing and drying facilities.

Equipment for hire:

Kayaks with safety equipment on trailer.

Local operators available for instruction in abseiling, kayaking and bushcraft.

Camping equipment including tents and cookers.

Catering available.

Attractions:

Tramping and bushwalks of all levels in the Kaimai Forest Park (five minutes drive). Recently upgraded tracks.

Swimming and kayaking in the local swimming hole or in the Karangahake Gorge.

Gold mine visits both historic and modern.

Surf and sand only 15 minutes away at Waihi Beach. Surf sense programme.

Waihi: Opencast Mine tours, Museum.

Historic Steam Train journey to Waikino.

Caretakers are happy to assist with programming ideas.

