

Responsible camping in Westland District



Make the Tiaki Promise

New Zealand is precious, and everyone who lives and travels here has a responsibility to look after it. The Tiaki Promise is a commitment to care for New Zealand, for now and for future generations.

By following the Tiaki Promise, you are making a commitment to New Zealand. To act as a guardian, protecting and preserving our home.

Nau mai, haere



Care for our land, sea and nature.
Treading lightly and leaving no trace



Drive Carefully, showing care and
consideration for all



Respect Culture, travelling with an
open heart and mind



Be prepared. New Zealand has
some wild weather conditions

Will you make the Tiaki Promise?
Find out more at www.tiakinewzealand.com

Reporting problems



Contact Westland District Council on
03 756 9010 to report any illegal camping,
pollution, or public nuisance.

Contact Department of Conservation (DOC) on
0800 362 468 for any wildlife or conservation
concerns.

How to be a responsible camper



Ensure your vehicle is certified self-contained with a valid warrant displayed at all times



Always use the toilets provided (or your own)



Always use a designated wastewater dump station for your sewage sink water



Use your own facilities for showering and toileting to keep our environment and waterways clean and pollution free

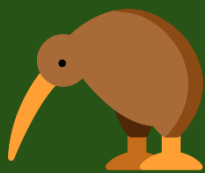


Dispose of your rubbish at the public transfer station in Hokitika. Or surrounding towns rubbish bins. Always do your best to recycle.



Always Park in the areas specifically designated for your type of vehicles

Always be a tidy Kiwi



How to be a tidy Kiwi

Our Community shares the responsibility of being guardians of this stunning landscape. We hope that you will make the most of our wild playground, and care for it as we do by leaving no trace. Help us eliminate waste in the Westland District by supporting some of these local options while you're here:

DRINK TAP WATER



Drink our tap water – its free, healthy and delicious, and will help reduce single use plastic waste. The RefillNZ website makes it easy to find locations where you can refill your reusable water

bottle for free.

SAY NO TO SINGLE USE TAKE-AWAY CUPS

Say no to single use take-away cups – Sit in or bring your own reusable cup.

RECYCLE WITH CARE



Put only the right things in recycling bins so it can meet quality standards. Recycling is available at campgrounds, the Hokitika Transfer Station and most surrounding towns have public recycling bins in the township.

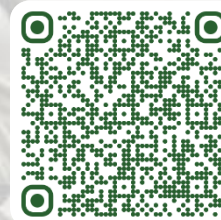
Where can I camp?

There are three more formalised responsible freedom camping sites in the Westland District. These are located in:

- **KUMARA DOMAIN**
- **WOODSTOCK DOMAIN**
- **PARINGA SALMON FARM**

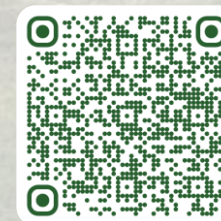
These sites are operated by our local communities.

DOC CAMPGROUNDS



Check out some of the incredible DOC campgrounds located around Westland.

PRIVATE OWNED CAMPGROUNDS



Support some of our locally owned, private campgrounds located around Westland.