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This art print serves as a building stone for the realisation of the Hundertwasser Art Centre with Wairau Maori Art Gallery in Whangarei, NZ.

Image shown is not to scale and is only a portion of the print, see page 13 for more information on the Hundertwasser Art Centre with Wairau Maori Art Gallery.
Naumai Haeremai, welcome to Te Tai Tokerau (Northland). Just as Dali found inspiration in the geography of Cadequez, Northland has many iconic features and activities to experience that will inspire the creative traveller.

Journeying north from Auckland towards Whangarei takes 2-2.5 hours. The Twin coast discovery routes and byways will help you discover our beautiful art filled coastlines of the Bay of Islands, Hokianga and Far North.

Here are 2 of my favourite journeys:

**East:** After Wellsford head east towards the spectacular beaches of Mangawhai Heads, Langs Beach and Waipu Cove or a journey of discovery. In Mangawhai you will find the Mangawhai Artists Gallery and several others along with the new Mangawhai Museum. Follow the coastline towards the township of Waipu to learn about the Scottish migration at the Waipu Museum and then connect back to SH1 and head to Whangarei city.

**West:** Turning left at the Brynderwyns will take you towards the Kauri Coast. This area is home to wild windswept harbours and exceptional artists such as Jean Sircome (oils), Pauline Gough (impasto), Rick Taylor (woodturner) and John Ecuyer (wood). Call in at White Rock Gallery in Paparoa with over 30 contributing artists who have plenty of stories to tell. Take a break at the award winning Kauri Museum presenting the story of our pioneering settlers through the lens of the Kauri industry. From here follow the Northern Wairoa River to the township of Dargaville through to the Waipoua Forest and onto the Hokianga Harbour and Top of the North or head across to Whangarei, taking our coastal roads to Kaitaia. Tutukaka and Whananaki Coast, Oakura to Russell, Kerikeri to the Cape.

Whether you drive east, west, north or south take the time to find the story...

E noho oro mai

Hinurewa te Hau, General Manager
A glimmer of the jewels you will discover

**Whangarei** is a rich and vibrant artistic culture, both in the city centre and surrounding district.

- Spend time at the Town Basin, visit Whangarei Art Museum, Burning Issues and Reyburn House or take the Sculpture Trail featuring 14 sculpted works by local artists
- Visit Kiwi North for heritage or the Quarry Arts Centre for a total immersion in visual art form

**Bay of Islands** is Northland’s artistic paradise

- **Kawakawa**, home to Hundertwasser’s architecturally inspired toilets.
- **Kerikeri** is host to KOAST (Kerikeri Open Arts Studio Trail), Wharepuke Sculpture Garden and Scopes NZ
- **Waitangi**, the story of NZ. The new Museum of Waitangi showcases the Treaty of Waitangi in the past, present and future of New Zealand
- **Paihia**, visit one of the best authentic Northland art and craft markets during the cruising summer months.
- **Russell**, New Zealand’s first capital city and is full of historic buildings including South Sea’s Art Gallery dating back to 1967.
- **Mangonui** village takes in 18 heritage buildings. The old Kauri courthouse is Exhibit A Gallery. It is quirky, fun and inspirational.

**Hokianga - Hokianga-nui-a-Kupe** the returning place of the great Maori explorer 'Kupe'

- **Omapere** and **Opononi** take a swim, surf the sand dunes, take a coastal walk, visit the Art Container.
- **Rawene**’s No.1 Art Gallery is full of charm with eccentric second hand shops and the car ferry.
- **Kohukohu** has many musicians, artists, writers. Village Arts is fashioned by some of those forward thinkers.

**Top of the North** - tail of the fish

- **Taipa** is the turnoff to Fern Flat Pottery and gardens - a place to contemplate life for a while.
- **Kaitaia**, drop in at Te Ahu for its Maori carvings, murals, stunning art installation and history.
- **Ahipara**, the southern end of 90 Mile Beach. Shipwreck Bay is the Ahipara Gumfields Historic Reserve.
Tena koutou katoa

Join us on a journey of discovery of the rich and diverse artistic talents of our beautiful region.

If you are a visitor to Northland, we are delighted to host you and wish you a very enjoyable stay with us. We hope you get the opportunity to explore our many treasures while you are here.

For locals, we hope that you will use this guide to discover some of the outstanding talent right here on your doorstep.

Northland is home to many artists and craftspeople inspired by our incredible landscapes and special cultural and spiritual environment.

Inside this Northland Art Guide you will find not only our larger art galleries and events but also some of our out-of-the-way artists and rural creative communities.

Discover award-winning potters, glass blowers, felt-craft, sculpture, breath-taking landscape art, portraiture, gorgeous woodworks and visit the studios of artists in residence.

Experience the many wonderful events, festivals, musical gigs and dramatic performances that take place all around our region and make some new friends along the way.

Pārekareka ki! Enjoy!

Northland Mayoral Forum Chair, Bill Shepherd
1 Mangawhai Artists Inc Gallery

Exhibitions typically change every two weeks September to May, next door to the Mangawhai Library Hall and almost opposite Bennetts café and Chocolatier.

45 Moir St, Mangawhai
Open 10am-3pm most days September-May
ph. 09 421 3247

2 Pipi Gallery

The gallery displays a wide selection of New Zealand made products pottery, glass, jewellery, textiles and boutique gifts.

1B Molesworth Dr, Mangawhai
Open 9am-5.30pm daily
ph. 09 431 4849

3 Sarah C Indoor Outdoor Art Gallery

Sarah C offers a range of indoor and outdoor wall art and sculptures inspired by her coastal and bush environment.

18 Thelma Rd South, Mangawhai Heads
Open 10am-4pm most days
ph. 0800 72 72 42
4 White Rock Gallery

An electric, quirky gallery space for the display and sale of art and craft by over 30 contributing artists form the Kaipara District

1980 Paparoa Valley Rd, Paparoa
Open 10am-4pm daily
ph. 021 0267 8241

5 Gallery28

Gallery28 is the studio and showroom for wood artist John Ecuyer. The gallery also shows the work of other artists

28 Matakohe East Rd, Matakohe
Viewing by appointment only
ph. 021 060 2357

6 Pauline Gough

Award winning contemporary painter, Pauline Gough, is a prolific artist. She works in a gutsy impasto style in many genres

54 Colville Rd, Dargaville
Open 9am-5pm most days
ph. 021 183 2738

7 Big River Gallery

Run by Jean Sircombe, who has been an artist for 40 years, featuring original paintings and a wide range of works in oils, acrylic, and pastel

17A Murdoch St, SH12, Dargaville
Open 9am-5pm (except Weds)
ph. 09 4390 255
8 The Woodturners Kauri Gallery
Visit the working studio and gallery of one of New Zealand’s leading woodturners Rick Taylor who uses New Zealand Ancient Kauri wood for most of his creations
4 Murdoch St, SH12, Dargaville
Open 9am-5.30pm daily
ph. 09 439 4975

9 Muddy Waters Gallery
Home of Dargaville Arts Association, assisting local visual and performing artists in the Kaipara region
Hokianga Rd, Dargaville
Open 11am-3pm Mon-Fri
10am-1pm Sat
ph. 021 439 697

10 Mandy Wood Stained Glass & Art
A genuine stained glass workshop using original methods. The gallery offers paintings, arts, crafts, vintage glass, glass jewellery and home & garden glass pieces
13 River Rd, Dargaville
Open 10am-4pm (except Thurs & Sun)
ph. 09 439 1737

11 Fire and Earth
Fire and Earth is the home of Peter Brammer, sculptor, and Julie Cromwell, ceramicist. Creating and exhibiting work in their own gallery and surrounding area
300 Otuhi Rd, RD9 Whangarei
Viewing by appointment only
ph. 09 434 6131
12 Maungatapere Brew and Gallery

A combination of arts and crafts meets brewing. Located beside the GAS Maungatapere

1137 SH14, Maungatapere
Open 10.30am-5.30pm Wed-Fri
10am-2pm Sat-Sun
ph. 09 4347467

13 Geoff Wilson Gallery

An exhibition space displaying art by Northland's best artists, as well as invited artists from elsewhere in New Zealand

Gate 3, NorthTec, 51 Raumanga Valley Rd, Whangarei
Open 10am-4pm Wed-Fri
ph. 09 470 3805

14 Yvonne Rust Gallery

A diverse exhibition calendar from local, national and international artists throughout the year

21 Selwyn Ave, Whangarei
(Quarry Arts Centre)
Open 9.30am-4.30pm Mon-Fri
9.30am-3.30pm Sat
ph. 09 438 1215

15 The Shutter Room

The gallery hosts contemporary solo and group photographic exhibitions and a permanent display of member’s work

7 Rust Ave, Whangarei
Open 12pm-4pm Wed-Fri
10am-1pm Sat
theshutterroom@gmail.com
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<td>A unique thoroughfare gallery space that allows the public to freely walk through and experience regular exhibitions from local artists.</td>
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<td>Open 9am-4pm daily</td>
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<td>Whangarei Art Museum</td>
<td>Home to the cities art collection and venue for touring exhibitions, always evolving to ensure visitors experience a space that is new and inspired.</td>
<td>The HUB, 91 Dent St, Town Basin</td>
<td>Open 10am-4pm daily</td>
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<td>Specialises in exhibiting the best of contemporary object art from Northland and around New Zealand including jewellery, hand-made glass, ceramics and sculpture.</td>
<td>8 Quayside, Town Basin</td>
<td>Open 10am-5pm daily</td>
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20 The Bach - Basin Arts and Craft House

100% Northland made, unique, quality art and craft: ceramics, jewellery, prints, glassware, wood, giftware, plus much more

6 Quayside, Town Basin
Open 9.30am-4.30pm daily
ph. 09 438 2787

21 Northland Society of Arts Inc.

NSA fosters a wide ranging programme of exhibitions and teaching activities in the Reyburn House art gallery and adjacent Reyburn studio

Reyburn House Lane,
Town Basin
Open 10am-4pm Tues-Fri
1pm-4pm Sat & Sun
ph. 09 438 3074

22 Hangar Art & Framing

Stockists of unique Northland art from paintings to jewellery. A quality picture framing service is also available on site

14 Cross St, Whangarei
Open 9am-5pm Mon-Thurs
8am-4pm Fri | 9am-12pm Sat
ph. 09 438 1260

23 The Papermill

The Papermill is a vibrant creative space for artists with disabilities who create handmade paper and paper art from natural fibres and recycled paper

38 Kamo Rd, Kensington
Open 9am-3pm Mon-Fri
ph. 09 459 1459
Journey off the beaten track

The Twin Coast Discovery Highway connecting Auckland to Northland is as good a highway as you’ll get to take you to amazing places in our beautiful part of the world. It’s as good a ‘beaten track’ as any.

But in Northland that’s just the beginning of your discovery. It’ll lead you to our byways that take you even deeper into our amazing stories and closer to our small towns with big hearts, our unforgettable natural environment and the timeless place we call home.

So journey north, take the road less traveled to discover, relax and enjoy.

The history-rich Northland Journeys combine the Twin Coast Discovery Highway with the region’s backroads, sea voyages, cycling and hiking trails on old tracks and along beaches. Until now visitors have tended more towards iconic places around the region thereby missing so many amazing things along the way.

This year Northland Inc launched the first three in a series of ‘Northland Journeys – the Byways’ - with detailed maps and points of interest, providing visitors with a unique set of richer routes that highlight more stories of our region and revealing some of the local favourite places.

Each byway journey, of between 50km and 150km in length, provides visitors with an authentic and enjoyable half to full day exploration of Northland’s hidden gems as well as Northland’s icons.

You can download the Northland Journeys maps from www.northlandnz.com
THE REGIONS

- **Top of the North**
- **Bay of Islands**
- **Kauri Coast & Hokianga**
- **Whangarei & Tutukaka**
The Hundertwasser Art Centre with Wairau Māori Art Gallery

Right now in Whangarei’s Town Basin, an art centre of international significance is being constructed. The HAC is one of 30 Hundertwasser designed buildings around the world, each one delivering cultural and economic benefits to their communities.

Hundertwasser, a Master of Modern Art, discovered NZ in the 1970’s, bought land in the Bay of Islands and chose to become a NZ citizen. He died in 2000 and the HAC is his parting gift to the people of Northland whom he cared for very much.

When completed, there will be only two places in the world where Hundertwasser’s art will be on permanent display: Vienna and Whangarei.

The Wairau Māori Art Gallery is an essential component of the Hundertwasser Art Centre and one which Hundertwasser himself insisted on. It will be the world’s first gallery dedicated solely to contemporary Māori art.

The Art Centre is due to open in 2020 at an estimated build cost of $21mil. This staggering sum was raised in an unprecedented fundraising effort by community volunteers. Fundraising will be on-going and the project team invite everyone to become involved in this exciting, transformative project.

The HAC Building Stone has been produced by the HAC project team in conjunction with the Hundertwasser Foundation in Vienna as an on-going fundraiser. It features a reproduction of an original Hundertwasser painting and represents the project’s founding visual document.

This print is collectible and available for purchase at www.yeswhangarei.co.nz
Glenbervie Pottery Gallery
This gallery is the home and workplace of artists Jin Ling and Greg Barron where the work of these two artists is for sale.

294 Ngunguru Rd, Glenbervie
Open 9am-5pm daily
ph. 09 437 5359

Ngunguru Pottery
Offering a wide range of stoneware and Raku-fired pottery. Raku-firing workshops held on site.

1817 Ngunguru Rd, Ngunguru
Open 10am-5pm most days
ph. 09 434 3523

Tutukaka Gallery
Featuring a quality collection of local art. Including: paintings, drawings, prints, glass, carvings, ceramics, flax and jewellery.

11 Marina Rd, Tutukaka
Open 10am-5pm daily
10am-5pm Fri-Sun (winter)
ph. 027 451 9600

The Gallery & Cafe Helena Bay Hill
Situated on the beautiful coastal route to Russell, the gallery has a wide-ranging collection of art by local Northland and New Zealand artists.

1392 Old Russell Rd, Helena Bay
Open 9.30am-5pm daily
ph. 09 433 9616
28 **Kings Theatre Creative**

An inclusive creative community space that celebrates arts, culture and creativity; hosting regular solo and group exhibitions, workshops and events

80 Gillies St, Kawakawa
Open 10am-4pm daily (Sept - June)
ph. 021 0245 7571

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29 **Uku Toi Gallery**

Uku Toi Gallery is proud to support and promote original high quality Ngapuhi - Te Tai Tokerau Maori arts

5 Paihia Ln (Selwyn Mall)
Open 1pm-5.30pm Thurs-Fri
1pm-3.30pm Sat
ph. 027 458 8514

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30 **South Sea Art**

Nestled in the main street of Russell, South Sea Art exhibits an eclectic array of original & print artwork, sculpture, woodwork & jewellery from local Northland artists

15 York St, Russell
Open 10am-5pm daily
Closed Tues (winter)
ph. 09 4037 268
31 Studio 19

A custom framing, giclee printing and fine-art studio/gallery, locally owned and operated. The gallery exhibits new works and holds regular themed exhibitions.

1329 Bulls Rd, SH 10
Open 9am-5pm Mon-Fri
9am-12pm Sat
ph. 09 401 7579

32 1975 Seed Gallery

Helen Jean’s works are diverse ranging from fine oils to exuberant sculptures. Subjects are endless, however, an obvious passion for fruit.

170A Inlet Rd, Kerikeri
Open 10am-4pm Thurs-Sun
ph. 09 407 8238

33 The Little Black Gallery

The Little Black Gallery celebrates jewellery, design, art and objects, both New Zealand made and sourced internationally.

394B Kerikeri Rd, Kerikeri
Open 11am-4pm Wed-Sun
ph. 09 407 1311

34 Kaan Zamaan Gallery

Contemporary art gallery established 2001. Established New Zealand and international artists. Workshops and artist talks on site.

25 Kemp Road, Kerikeri
Open by appointment
ph. 09 407 5191
Art at Wharepuke

Internationally renowned art gallery, sculpture park and print studio set in five acres of award winning subtropical garden in the heart of Kerikeri

190 Kerikeri Rd, Kerikeri
Open 10am-5pm daily
ph. 09 407 8933

Scopes NZ

Andrew and Robyn make a huge variety of kaleidoscopes. They also make their own dichroic glass and jewellery

265 Waipapa Rd, Kerikeri
Open 10am-4pm daily - call first
ph. 09 407 1573

Northland has some beautiful murals created by notable local artists on buildings throughout the region

Look out for them...
37 Flax Bush
An excellent selection of NZ and imported gifts, homewares, jewellery & seashells, including flax weaving, greenstone, bone jewellery and more made by local artisans
50 Waterfront Dr, Mangonui
Open 10am-5pm Mon-Sat
10am-4pm Sun
ph. 09 406 1510

38 Exhibit A Art & Craft Gallery
The gallery holds a unique collection of original paintings, prints, sculptures, handmade jewellery, furniture and fine crafts
Waterfront Drive, Mangonui
Open 10am-4.30pm daily
weekends only (winter)
ph. 09 406 2333

39 The Wharf Store
Located in the quaint little village of Mangonui, the Wharf Store has a wide range of art, jewellery and gifts - NZ made and imported
126 Waterfront Dr, Mangonui
Open 10am-5pm daily
10am-4pm most days (winter)
ph. 09 406 0009

40 Fern Flat Pottery
Making lively elemental pottery that people can enjoy for its lasting beauty. All while expressing the ancient and timeless quality of clay
72 Te Karioa Rd, Peria
(Long drive)
Open 8am-6pm daily
ph. 09 4085548
41 Village Arts Gallery
A contemporary gallery located in historic Kohukohu. Supporting and exhibiting work by established and emerging Northland artists
1376 Kohukohu Rd, Kohukohu
Open 10am-4pm daily
10am-3pm (winter)
ph. 09 405 5827

42 Floyd Cottage
Floyd Cottage is ideal for inspiration. Enjoy the studio space and garden and indulge yourself
Beach Rd, Kohukohu
Viewing by appointment only
ph. 09 4055707

43 No 1 Parnell
No. 1 Parnell Gallery and Café is a socially conscious community space celebrating and supporting sustainability in all creative fields
1 Parnell St, Rawene
Open 9am-4pm daily
ph. 09 405 7520

44 ToiBox Hokianga
A new artist-run space in a modified 20ft shipping container, offering an affordable mobile space for local artists to explore and exhibit a wide range of art
SH12, Opononi
Open 9.30am-5pm daily
ph. 09 405 8227
**Destinations**

**Whangarei Sculpture Walk**
Hatea Loop, Whangarei

**Whangarei Quarry Gardens**
Russell Rd, Whangarei

**Quarry Arts Centre**
Selwyn Ave, Whangarei

**Te Kakano (The Seed)**
Hatea Loop, Whangarei

**Kiwi North**
SH14, Maunu, Whangarei

**Te Whiringa o Manoko**
Cobham Rd, Kerikeri

**Hundertwasser toilets**
Gillies St, Kawakawa

**Te Ahu**
South Rd, Kaitaia

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Photo Far North District Council
Photo Northland New Zealand
**Northland** has a rich and fascinating history, reflecting our unique mix of Māori and European culture. Our museums share the early stories of our pioneer settlers and the arrival of Maori as the first inhabitants of Aotearoa.

You’ll find amazing Māori historic sites and taonga (treasures) - as well as beautiful colonial-era buildings - dotted throughout the North. Take a journey of cultural discovery to find our stories you won’t be disappointed...

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Jack Morgan Museum
A collection of local identity
Jack Morgan with automotive & agricultural influences
Hukerenui
www.nznmuseums.co.nz

Kawakawa Memorial Library Centre
The Museum has memorabilia of the town’s coal mining history, Hundertwassers life and works.
Kawakawa
www.nznmuseums.co.nz

Russell Museum
Maori & New Zealand’s first frontier town: war, peace & much more
Russell
www.russellmuseum.org.nz

Te Ahu
Holistically focused on the atrium, art space, performance spaces, cinema and museum
Kaitaia
www.teahu.org.nz

Pompallier Mission & Printery
Combining Maori & Pakeha history, glorious gardens and hands on learning
Russell
www.pompallier.co.nz

Waitangi Treaty Grounds
Learn about the history of Waitangi and its significance to both Maori and non-maori
Waitangi
www.waitangi.org.nz

Kerikeri Mission Station
Historical site with NZ’s oldest buildings
Kerikeri
www.stonestore.co.nz

Te Waimate Mission
NZ’s second oldest building featuring farming & architectural history
Waimate North
www.waipumuseum.com

Pioneer Village Kaikohe
Depicting European & Maori life in the mid-North 1840-1940 period
Kaikohe
www.pioneervillage.org.nz

Butler Point Museum
One of the most comprehensive Whaling museums in NZ
Doubtless Bay
www.butlerpoint.co.nz

Clendon House
The fascinating home of Captain James Reddy Clendon, ship owner and trader
Rawene
www.clendonhouse.co.nz

Hokianga Museum & Archives Centre
Home of ‘Opo’ the Dolphin statue with ongoing exhibitions
Hokianga
www.ourhokianga.com
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Mural painted by Charles & Janine Williams, Mike Tupaea, located in Whangarei
Creative Northland has an ongoing commitment to making sure that the arts sector in Northland is dynamic, thriving, influential and productive by being a catalyst for advocating, connecting, empowering and supporting the creative community.

**Key Events**

**ArtBeat**
Whangarei’s largest interactive arts festival celebrating all art forms and giving families the opportunity to experiment - held annually at Cafler Park in Whangarei.

**Whangarei Sculpture Symposium**
A biennial ten-day sculpture symposium where artists create a piece of work made from their choice of stone or wood which is followed by an auction.

**Northland Youth Summit**
A platform for youth to develop the confidence to speak up about the issues that matter to them and their communities. This free two-day event is held annually.
'Kaitiaki Manu' sculptured by Rex O'Brien located on the Hatea Loop, Whangarei