



CAPERNRWAY NEW ZEALAND



MONAUALE HOMESTEAD : CONFERENCES • WEDDINGS • FUNCTIONS • RETREATS

THE ADVENTURE LODGE : CONFERENCES • RETREATS • CAMPS
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WELCOME TO CAPERNWRAY CONFERENCE CENTRE AT MONA VALE HOMESTEAD

Monavale Homestead is owned and operated by Torchbearer Trust of New Zealand. It serves as a Residential Bible School and when school's out, a Conference and Function Centre. Set on an attractive property in the Waikato heartland, its beautiful gardens complement the historic 100 year old Homestead. The additional buildings, which house the main conference rooms and accommodation, have been designed to harmonize with the Homestead to create a unique and pleasing facility. It is a very peaceful and tranquil setting.

Monavale Homestead is five minutes drive south of Cambridge the “town of trees”, well known for its many antique shops, coffee

shops, boutique shopping and garden walks. 25 minutes north of Cambridge is the city of Hamilton; famous for its shops, galleries, gardens and river walks, 15 minutes South of Cambridge is Lake Karapiro with its water sports and picnic spots. For the more adventurous, the internationally renowned tourist spots of Waitomo Caves, the thermal sights of Rotorua and the spectacular ocean beach at Mount Maunganui are all within approximately one hour's drive.

Wheelchair Access

Apart from the accommodation situated on the first floor of our Homestead, all areas at our centre have full wheelchair access including both Conference Rooms, the Coffee Shop, all lounge areas and the Dining Room.

We thank our guests for respecting that Monavale is a smoke, drug and alcohol free venue.



Conference Rooms

Monavale Homestead has two main conference rooms, the Main Auditorium and the Seminar Room. They are both situated on the ground floor and have full wheelchair access.

SEMINAR ROOM

- Seats up to 48 guests
- Overhead projector
- Data projector
- PA system
- Whiteboard
- AV recording facilities
- Wireless Internet Access

MAIN AUDITORIUM

- Seats up to 100 guests
- Overhead projector
- Data projector
- PA system
- Whiteboard
- AV recording facilities

Lecture style tables can be provided on request for both conference rooms.

Technical support can be provided to operate the AV equipment and advise on usage. There will be an extra charge for this.

Lounge Facilities

There are plenty of places for guests to read, chat or just relax in any one of our comfortable lounges or outside on our spacious sheltered verandahs looking into the garden. In our Homestead lounge, the largest lounge, we have a piano guests are welcome to play and in the cooler months you will be kept warm and toasty with a modern log burner.

Accommodation

Close to the Main Auditorium, Monavale Homestead offers 16 warmly designed rooms which open onto a covered verandah at ground level. Each room accommodates up to four guests with two sets of bunks and an en-suite; two of the sixteen rooms have full wheelchair access. We provide all bed linen and can arrange for towels to be provided if required.

On the first floor of our Homestead we offer another four double guest rooms; one room has an en-suite and the other three rooms have a shared bathroom facility.



Dining

Our Dining Room, the Orangery, is situated within our Homestead and comfortably seats up to 112 guests with views of our beautiful gardens and the farmland beyond. Our friendly and professional staff are ready to cater, serve and look after your dining needs.

Our range of dining options is extensive from continental to cooked breakfasts, light lunches, delicious morning and afternoon teas and elegant dinners, followed by mouth-watering desserts. Our cakes and biscuits are all baked on site and where possible we use seasonal fruits and vegetables. Most special diets can be catered for as long as we are notified 14 days prior to the start of the conference.

For functions we can provide a selection of tasty finger foods, both savoury and sweet and we also have some great punch recipes!

Sample Conference Menu

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

- Cereal
- Fruit
- Yoghurt
- Toast
- Selection of jams & spreads
- Tea and coffee

COOKED BREAKFAST

- Cereal
- Fruit
- Yoghurt
- Toast
- Selection of jams & spreads
- Scrambled eggs
- Bacon or sausages
- Hash browns
- Tea & coffee

LUNCH

- Hot sandwiches or
- Selection of Pasta salad & green
- salads or
- Spring Rolls & salad
- All lunch meals include a selection of
- seasonal fresh fruit, tea and coffee

DINNER

- Roast meat with roast vegetables
- & gravy or
- Oven baked chicken with rice
- & salad or
- Oven baked steak with potato &
- steamed vegetables

DESSERT

- Chocolate brownie with cream or
- Fruit crumble or
- Upside-down peach cake with cream
- Tea & coffee

Note that we do not hold a liquor licence and it is the policy of the Torchbearer Trust (owners of Monavale Homestead) not to allow alcohol to be consumed on the premises.



Coffee Shop

‘Solomon’s Couch’ is the newest addition to Monavale Homestead’s conference facilities. It has been stylishly designed with room inside to seat up to 35 guests at polished wooden tables, four elegant round tables will seat another 16 guests outside. With an experienced barista we provide fair-trade coffees, a selection of teas, a range of creamy smoothies and frappes, refreshing juices and delicious cakes and biscuits. Another great place to relax and mix with guests, Solomon’s Couch is warm and cosy in winter, light and airy in summer and has wireless internet access. During conferences, afternoons are a popular opening time or how about a café style evening to end your day’s programme? This is also an ideal venue for more intimate or private functions.

Gardens

Camellias in winter, bulbs in spring, roses abundant in summer, there are five acres of lawns, trees and gardens for our guests to enjoy. A gentle stroll, a game of croquet, doubles for tennis; how lovely to cool down with a dip in our salt water pool. If you are here for a conference you are welcome to use our outdoor facilities but they are also available as a venue on their own. Our gardens have seen weddings, dinners, afternoon teas and been used as photo backdrops. A Fair day held in our gardens to celebrate the 100th anniversary of our Homestead was complete with stalls, marquees and Clydesdale horses.

Finding Monavale Homestead

See above for map to Monavale Homestead.



WELCOME TO ADVENTURE LODGE AT LAKE KARAPIRO

The Adventure Lodge is owned and operated by the Torchbearer Trust of New Zealand. The main function is to provide a venue for Caperwray New Zealand's Adventure Bible School and between courses the lodge is available for conferences, retreats, camps, leaders Training and family Holidays.

The beautifully situated Adventure Lodge is positioned on the shores of a sheltered inlet on Lake Karapiro. In the middle of the lodge is a fully equipped kitchen with gas stove, microwave, chiller, freezer, dishwasher, plates and cutlery. Adjacent to the kitchen is the dining room which has great views over the lake and seating for 24 guests. Meals can be self-catered or we can

provide this service for you. Either side of the dining room are lounges with log burners and comfortable couches, great places to hold your teaching seminars or for relaxing with friends or a good book. Our accommodation consists of two bunk rooms sleeping ten people each and connected to each bunk room is a bathroom with 3 showers and toilets, including a disabled toilet in each bathroom. Some of our Bible School staff live on site but depending on staffing levels, we may have limited single accommodation available.

Being situated directly on the lake shore provides options for water-based sports and the grounds around the lodge allow plenty of space for games and other activities. We have kayaks available for hire and instructors may be available for some activities, for which prior booking is essential.

Finding The Adventure Lodge

See above for map to The Adventure Lodge.

Booking Process / Prices

Making a conference or function booking at Capernwray is easy. Contact our registrar who will take your enquiry, provide you with Conference Prices and Conditions and guide you through the booking process. We also offer a guided tour of our centres.

Once we have confirmed your dates we will forward you a conference application to complete, including terms and conditions, and your booking will be confirmed upon receipt of deposit. Now we can sit down with you and organize the finer details such as meal times, guest numbers and facilities required.

Final conference details need to be received by us 14 days in advance of the conference or function and then the rest is up to us.

Locations

The Adventure Lodge

128 Horahora Road
RD1
Tirau 3484

Monavale Homestead

3553 Cambridge Road
Cambridge 3495

Contact

You can contact our registrar on:

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Information can also be found on our website:

www.capernwray.org.nz

