

NORTH

Gentle Annie, Mokihinui, Seddonville

40 mins on SH67

Gentle Annie and Mokihinui are situated either side of the Mokihinui River mouth. Peaceful and charming beachside settlements.

- * Walking & mountain biking tracks
- * Fishing in the sea for kahawai or snapper
- * Fishing in the river for trout or whitebait (in season)
- * Glow worms at Chasm Creek (night)
- * Café

Seddonville - a beautiful hidden valley, gateway to the northern end of Charming Creek Walkway and the amazing Old Ghost Road track.

- * Walking & mountain biking
- * Kayaking
- * Country style pub
- * Old Ghost Road
- * Charming Creek Walkway (Northern end)

Hector, Ngakawau, Millerton, Granity

30 mins on SH67

These historic coal mining housing settlements nestled between the mountains and the sea are a charming rustic slice of the West Coast. Fossick for gemstones or fish from the unpopulated beaches.

Hector

- * Spot a Hector's Dolphin from the beach
- * Hector community swimming pool
- * Hector Country Music Museum

Ngakawau

- * Local arts & crafts galleries
- * Charming Creek Walkway (Southern end)
- * Buller Bay Information Centre
- * Country style pub

Millerton

- * Historic mine bathhouse

Granity

- * Granity Museum
- * Galleries
- * Café
- * Beachfront restaurant
- * Country style pub

NORTH EAST

Denniston Plateau

40 mins on SH67

The panoramic coastal view from this plateau is not to be missed. The story of the early miners' lives on this wild plateau are a unique part of New Zealand history.

Turn off at Waimangaroa (15 mins)

- * Historic coal mine site
- * Famous Denniston Incline
- * Denniston Museum
- * Panoramic coastal views
- * Mountain biking (refer to Denniston Trail map)
- * "Denniston Excursion" - **Outwest Tours**
0800 68 89 37

Westport

what to do
in and around

While you are in Westport enjoy a meal in one of our many cafés and restaurants or experience some retail therapy in our owner-operated local boutique shops.

Try some of the activities in this brochure, all less than a 40 minute drive from Westport.

Check out the Westport map, call in at i-Site or visit www.westport.nz

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SOUTH

Charleston

25 mins on SH6

Historical gold mining area where thousands of people lived in the gold rush era of the late 1800s. Hannah's shoe store started out here. It was considered a promotion for the Postmaster from Wellington to move to Charleston.

- * "Underworld Adventures"
0800 11 6686
- * Underground rafting & caving
- * Glow worm caves
- * Rainforest train ride
- * "Johnny's Journey" - Outwest Tours
0800 68 89 37
- * Outback 4WD tour
- * Historic gold mine exploring
- * Glow worm tunnels
- * Constant Bay clifftop walk
- * Nile River Lagoon - Swimming
- * Café

EAST

Buller Gorge

20 mins on SH6

Take a drive through the wild and picturesque valley formed by the Buller Gorge to Hawks Crag where the road has been cut through the rock face.

- * Trout fishing
- * Scenic river views
- * Café

WESTPORT

Beaches & Estuaries

West Coast beaches can have challenging surf and currents. Caution is strongly advised.

- * North Beach & mouth of the Buller River
 - * Surfing * Fishing * Sea birds
- * "Bazil's Surf School" - info@bazils.com
- * Orowaiti Lagoon (refer to Bird Watching Guide)
 - * Godwits (summer) - Other wading birds

Walking & Mountain Biking

- * Kawatiri River Trail - From the Yacht Club carpark, (top end of town) across the bridges and boardwalks over the lagoon and the track out to North Beach and return
- * The Millennium Track, Buller Bridge to the town centre
- * The Domain, Menzies Street - Walking only

Heritage, Culture & Entertainment

- | Indoors | Open |
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| * i-Site Information Centre..... | 7 days |
| * Coaltown Museum..... | 7 days |
| * Public Library - FREE Wi-Fi..... | Mon-Sat |
| * NBS Theatre - Movies..... | 7 days |
| * Pulse Energy Recreation Centre.. | 7 days |

Outdoors

- * "John Deere Museum" 0800 688 937
- * "Mini Golf" - Westport Holiday Park
03 789 7043
- * Victoria Park, children's playground
- * Patterson Park Raceway, horse racing
- * Sunset Speedway
- * Orowaiti Cemetery

SOUTH WEST

Carters Beach

5 mins on SH67A

Great surf beach for walking and swimming and Westport's golf course and airport.

- * Swimming & surfing
- * Surf cast fishing
- * 18-hole golf course
- * Airport
- * Children's playground & domain
- * Restaurant/café

Cape Foulwind (Omau)

15 mins on SH67A

Stunning coastal views from the lighthouse carpark or take a walk down the track to the beach.

- * Clifftop walk from the lighthouse to Tauranga Bay - 1.5 hours one way
- * Stunning coastal views
- * Community domain
- * Access to the beach by track
- * Country pub & restaurant

Tauranga Bay & Okari Beach

20 mins on SH67A

Beautiful ocean beaches & wildlife.

- * Seal colony & sea bird sanctuary
- * Wekas
- * Surfing
- * "West Coast Surf School"
0800 927 873
- * Okari Lagoon - Bird Watching
- * Restaurant with stunning sea views