

KIA ORA KOHITĀTEA (JANUARY)

EVENTS GUIDE, JANUARY 2022



There's no better way to welcome the New Year than with attending awesome festivals, sport events or summer concerts. Check out what's happening in the Bay of Plenty this month...

SAT-WED
01-05
11am

BLACKCAPS V BANGLADESH 1ST TEST

Start your New Year on the lush green banks of Bay Oval, as our world test champions, the BLACKCAPS, take on Bangladesh's Tigers.

Bay Oval, Mount Maunganui

WED AND SUN
WEEKLY
Various times

PĀPĀMOA HILLS MĀORI HISTORY WALK GROUP

Cultural guided hiko (walk) up Pāpāmoa Hills with TravelEd.

Pāpāmoa Hills Regional Park, Pāpāmoa

SUNDAY
WEEKLY
7pm-8.30pm

SOAK'N SOUNDS SUNDAY

Finish your week in style with a relaxing soak and the sweet sounds of local live musicians poolside at the Mount Hot Pools.

Mount Hot Pools, Mount Maunganui

MONDAY
03
10am-2.30pm

MORE FM BEACH DIG

The annual beach dig for kids. Plenty of prizes up for grabs.

Main Beach, Mount Maunganui

TUESDAY
04
10am-2.30pm

MORE FM FAMILY FUN DAY

Fun games with friends and family and loads of prizes.

Main Beach, Mount Maunganui

FRIDAY
07
7.30pm-9.30pm

GREAT KIWI SUMMER COMEDY ROADSHOW

The Great Kiwi Summer Comedy Roadshow is touring around NZ and features a line up of well-known NZ comedy stars.

Ōhope Chartered Club, Ōhope

SATURDAY
08
12pm-6pm

WAIHĪ BEACH SUMMER FAIR

Home to over 200+ stalls of quality wares and gourmet food plus fun for the kids and entertainment for everybody.

Wilson Park, Waihi Beach

SATURDAY
08
4pm

SOCKS OFF

With a lineup of international heavy hitters such as Kanine, Skepsis & Prospa, this concert may quite literally knock your socks off. **Soper Reserve, Mount Maunganui**

SUNDAY
09
10am-2.30pm

MORE FM SAND SCULPTURE

Sand sculpture fun, create amazing sculptures and be in to win prizes.

Tay Street, Mount Maunganui

SATURDAY
15
8.30am-4pm

SURF LIFE SAVING BOP SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022

The event draws upon the best of the best, testing both their speed and endurance.

Pāpāmoa Beach

SATURDAY
15
10am-5pm

TAURANGA FRINGE FESTIVAL

A one day all-inclusive extravaganza festival of stimulating sensationalism: Performances, buskers, food, stallholders, music acts and lots more.

The Historic Village, Tauranga

SATURDAY
15
12pm-6pm

KATIKATI AVOCADO FOOD AND WINE FESTIVAL

Great food and wine, live entertainment, product displays, kitchen demonstrations and more.

Uretara Domain, Katikati

SATURDAY
22
1pm-7pm

POLO IN THE BAY

Catch some of New Zealand's most talented Polo players going head-to-head in their provincial colours.

Trustpower Baypark, Mount Maunganui

SATURDAY
22
6.30pm

BLACK CLASH

New Zealand's biggest stars of rugby and cricket play in a high intensity, hugely fun T20 cricket match.

Bay Oval, Mount Maunganui

SATURDAY
22
Various times

MOUNT FESTIVAL OF MULTISPORT

The Mount Festival of Multisport includes the Tauranga Half Marathon, AquaBike, Mount Run and Pilot Bay Swim.

Mount Maunganui

SUNDAY
23
2pm-6pm

CONCERT IN THE PARK

Bring your picnic basket, blankets and chairs and come listen to some soulful tunes.

The Strand, Tauranga

FRI-SUN
28-30
3pm-4pm

SURF LIFE SAVING - EASTERN REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Variety of SLS events and competitions.

Main Beach, Mount Maunganui

SATURDAY
29
7am-5pm

SUMMERCROSS 2022

Expect a day full of action, with more than 500 riders across 19 classes.

Awakaponga Motorcycle Track, Awakaponga

SAT-SUN
29-30
12pm-11pm

ONE LOVE FESTIVAL

Some of Aotearoa's best reggae, hip-hop, soul and R&B artists.

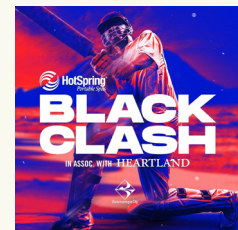
Tauranga Domain, Tauranga

SUNDAY
30
8.30am

CLASSICS OF THE SKY

Jet fighters, skydivers, gliders, a great range of food and refreshments, heavy military iron and battle re-enactments.

Tauranga City Airport, Tauranga



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