



Paihia Beach Resort & Spa Announces *Winter Luxury Meetings*

Paihia, Bay of Islands (July 2007). Award-winning Paihia Beach Resort and Spa announces *Winter Luxury Meetings*, a new resource designed to meet the requirements of companies looking for a venue that offers luxury, seclusion, and a highly creative environment for meetings, conferences, product launches and other corporate events.

With world-class services, amenities, unique experience and special rates that combine with breathtaking sea views that have made Paihia Beach Resort & Spa a World Travel Award Winner as New Zealand's Leading Resort, *Winter Luxury Meetings* promises the ultimate in executive meeting experiences.

"*Winter Luxury Meetings* is a resource that can be tailor-made to satisfy the requirements of most demanding corporate event," said Sophie Coles, onsite sales and marketing executive of Paihia Beach Resort & Spa. "It offers use of the resort's world-class facilities that include peaceful and naturally-lit conference and meeting rooms which guarantee undisturbed and highly-productive meetings for delegates." State-of-the art productivity equipment is also available, such as broadband Internet access, media players, sound systems, and large-screen projection equipment.

For in-between and after session highlights, *Winter Luxury Meetings* provide luxurious dining experiences at *Pure Tastes Restaurant*, which offers the finest and freshest Northland cuisine. To relax after a busy session, specially-priced spa treatments at *La Spa Naturale*, voted one of the top 10 spas in Australasia by Conde' Nast Traveller (UK), are also available.

Winter Luxury Meetings also provides a number of exciting recreation and team building opportunities in and around the resort, such as playing golf, fishing, diving, boating and dolphin watching. For the ultimate aquatic playground experience, *Winter Luxury Meetings* offers specially-priced cruises aboard *Missionhills*, Paihia Beach Resort's 72-foot luxury motor yacht.

And for guests to unwind after a busy brainstorming session or conference, *Winter Luxury Meetings* also offer the *Corporate Wellness* programme, designed to de-stress and regenerate lost energy through lifestyle consultations and spa therapies.

The *Winter Luxury Meetings* offering includes:

- o Deluxe, Executive or 2-Bedroom Superior Suites
- o Full use of state-of-the art facilities that includes broadband Internet access, large screen television, DVD and video player, data projector and screen. Flip charts, writing pads and pens, use of the copier and fax, mineral water and sweets are also included.
- o 30% discount on private charter discount (10% on day cruise) of *Missionhills*, optional.
- o 20% discount on all spa treatments at award winning *La Spa Naturale*, optional.
- o Dining at *Pure Taste* Restaurant, Paihia Beach Resort & Spa's award winning restaurant
- o *Corporate Wellness* programme, optional.

Paihia Beach Resort & Spa's *Winter Luxury Meetings* is the perfect resource for productive and peaceful conferences, meetings and other corporate events. For inquiries on rates and accommodations, email info@paihiabeach.co.nz or call 0800 870 111. For more information or graphics contact Karine Thomas on 64 9 307 3633 or email karine@navigateoceania.com.

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Editors Notes:

- Located in a superb beach position overlooking the Bay of Islands, award-winning **Paihia Beach Resort & Spa** offers the chance to revitalize body and soul, with breathtaking sea views from the resort as well as the Bay of Islands on the doorstep. Three styles of accommodation are available, all spaciouly and stylishly furnished, featuring stunning floor to ceiling panoramic ocean views and private balconies. This exclusive five star resort also features a 20 metre heated saltwater pool and large jacuzzi, private steam and sauna, pool side restaurant, *Pure Tastes*, and an international standard day spa, *La Spa Naturale*. Paihia Beach Resort & Spa is a Winner of the world travel awards for New Zealand's leading Resort (2005), and voted one of the top 10 spas in Australasia by Conde' Nast (UK), Traveller (2005)
- **Missionhills** is a 72 foot luxury motor launch, offering cruising in style whilst travelling through one of the world's most spectacular aquatic playgrounds – the Bay of Islands. Experience reef fishing, dive the Rainbow Warrior or cruise to an Exclusive Island Spa Retreat. Missionhills is available for day cruises or private charter combined with your choice of activities or as a unique entertaining venue.
- **Paihia Beach Resort & Spa** and **Missionhills** are members of Navigate Oceania, a new collection of 25 inspired destinations and unique experiences from New Zealand's best boutique hotels and luxury lodges, an exclusive private island, villas, spa destinations, a luxury expedition-style cruise, and a private motor yacht. Our members are: Doubtless Bay Villas, Cable Bay; Cavalli Island Retreat and Spa, Cavalli Islands; Paihia Beach Resort and Spa, Bay of Islands; Bay of Island Lodge, Bay of Islands; Oceanic Discoverer; Mission Hills, Bay of Islands; Waipoua Lodge, Waipoua Forest; The Boatshed, Waiheke Island; Stafford Villa, Auckland; Cotter House, Auckland; Seafields, Whitford; Maungatautari Lodge, Cambridge; Hamurana Country Estate, Rotorua; Kawaha Point Lodge, Rotorua; Treetops Lodge & Wilderness Estate, Rotorua; Chalet Eiger, Lake Taupo; Greenhill the Lodge, Hawkes Bay; Wharekauhau Country Estate, Martinborough; The Bolton Hotel, Wellington; Ohtel, Wellington; Elm Tree House, Christchurch; Claremont Country Estate, Canterbury; Huntley House, Christchurch; Wapiti Park Homestead, West Coast; Matakauri, Queenstown; Takaro Spa Retreat, Te Anau. For more information on our experiences, visit www.navigateoceania.com.