

Actively Managed Historic Places: Southland Conservancy

MURIHIKU : SOUTHERN ISLANDS : TE ANAU



Actively managed historic places are of high value and a priority for preservation and visitors

SITE	HERITAGE TOPIC	PRESERVED FABRIC	EASY ACCESS
Murihiku Area office		Telephone 03 211 2400	
Beech Hut	Farming—general & high country	Hut, 1913	Yes
Bluff Gun Emplacement & Coastal Defence Camp	Defence of New Zealand; Government	Concrete structures, 1942	Yes
Clark hut	Huts; Wild animal control	Hut, 1940	Yes
Dog Box Hut	Farming—general & high country	Hut, 1916	Yes
Longwood Ranges			
Martin's Hut and Race	Mining—gold	Hut, water race remains, 1900	No
More's Top Mill Site; Johnston Locomotive & Mill Boiler	Timber industry; Machinery; Transport—rail	Machinery, tram route, archaeological site, 1925	Yes
Ports Water Race	Mining—gold	Water race remains, 1889	Yes
Turnbull's Hut, Dam & Race	Mining—gold	Hut, dam & water race remains, 1875	No
Piano Flat Water Race	Mining—gold	Earth formation, 1895	Yes
Port Craig Sawmill complex			
Tramway	Machinery; Timber industry; Transport—rail	Tram route, 1916	Yes
School	Government (education)	Building, 1916	Yes
Settlement	Settlement	Archaeological site, 1916	Yes
Edwin Burn Viaduct (private land)	Bridges	Bridge, 1916	Yes



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Percy Burn Viaduct (Southland District Council)	Bridges	Bridge, 1916	Yes
Francis Burn Viaduct (Southland District Council)	Bridges	Bridge, 1916	Yes
Sandhill Point Viaduct (Southland District Council)	Bridges	Bridge, 1916	Yes
Te Wera Settlement	Maori	Archaeological site	No
Waipapa Bucket Dredge Remains	Machinery; Mining–gold	Machinery, 1935	No
SS Tararua Wreck and Waipapa Lighthouse settlement	Maritime	Archaeological site, 1881	Yes
Waipohatu Diesel Log Hauler	Machinery; Timber industry	Machinery, 1950	Yes

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Codfish Island

Maori Occupation & Sealing Settlement	Sealing & whaling; Maori	Archaeological site, 1800	Permit
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Snares Island

Castaway Depot	Government; Maritime; Huts	Building, 1888	Permit
Castaway Finger Posts	Government; Maritime	Sign posts, 1890	Permit

Antipodes Island

Castaway Depot	Government; Maritime; Huts	Building 1908	Permit
Castaway Finger Posts		Sign posts, 1890	Permit

Auckland Islands

Castaway Finger Posts	Government; Maritime	Sign posts, 1890	Permit
Derry Castle Grave Site	Maritime	Archaeological site, 1887	Permit
Enderby Island Boatshed	Maritime; Government (maritime); Nature Conservation	Building, 1888	Permit
Enderby Island Maori Occupation Site	Maori	Archaeological sites, c.1300	Permit
Enderby Settlement	Maritime; Settlement	Road route Archaeological site, 1850	Permit
Erebus Cove Cemetery	Maritime	Graves, 1850	Permit
German Scientific Expedition Site (Transit of Venus)	European Discovery	Brick plinths Archaeological site, 1874	Permit
Grafton Wreck & Epigwaitt Hut Site	Maritime	Archaeological site, 1864	Permit

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Ranui Coastwatcher's Lookout Hut	Defence of New Zealand; Government	Building, 1942	Permit
Stella Hut	Government; Maritime	Building, 1880	Permit
Tagua Coastwatcher's Lookout Hut	Defence of New Zealand; Government	Building, 1942	Permit
Campbell Island			
Camp Cove, Sod Hut	Sealing & whaling	Archaeological site, 1810	Permit
Castaway Finger Posts	Government; Maritime	Timber posts with fingers (sign posts), 1890	Permit
North-East Harbour Whaling Station	Sealing & whaling; Machinery	Archaeological site, 1911	Permit
Tucker Cove Farm House Site	Farming-general	Archaeological site, 1895	Permit
Rakiura National Park			
Gallons Sawmill Site	Timber industry; Machinery	Archaeological site, 1861	Yes
Island Hill Run & Homestead	Farming-general	Buildings, farm tracks and fences, 1874	Yes
Maori Beach Haulers & Sawmill Site	Machinery; Timber industry	Machinery Archaeological site, 1913	Yes
Port Pegasus Maori Occupation Site	Maori	Archaeological site	No
Port William Settlement Site	Maritime; Settlement	Archaeological site, 1870	Yes
Tin Mining Remains, Settlement Site, Tramway & Surveyors track	Mining-general; Machinery; Transport-rail	Archaeological sites, tram & track route, 1888	No
Ulva Island Tourism/Nature Reserve	Nature Conservation; Tourism and recreation	None, 1872	No
William Stewart's Shipbuilding Base & Settlement	Maritime; Settlement	Archaeological site, 1826	No
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Anita Bay Stone House	Mining-gold	Stone walls, 1932	No
Beer's Farm	Farming-general	Archaeological sites, fence posts, tracks, 1890	No
Caswell Sound Hut	Huts; Wild animal control	Hut, 1949	No
Freeman Burn Hut	Tourism & recreation; Huts	Hut, 1935	Yes
Hodges Stock Track	Farming-general	Track route, 1865	No
Jamestown Settlement Site	Settlement	Archaeological sites, 1870	Yes (limited)

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Milford Road			
Cleddau Horse Bridge	Bridges; Tourism & recreation	Bridge, track route, 1932	No
Hollyford Baker's Oven	Tourism & recreation	Concrete structure, 1935	No
Homer Tunnel Portal Avalanche Damage	Tourism & recreation	Concrete structure & ruins, 1937	Yes
Marian Corner Construction Camp	Tourism & recreation	Archaeological sites Concrete ruins, 1935	No
Marian Hill Rock Cutting	Transport–road; Tourism & recreation	Rock cuttings, 1935	Yes
Te Anau Downs Power Plant	Timber industry; Machinery	Machinery, 1883	No
Tutoko Suspension Bridge	Bridges; Tourism and recreation	Bridge, 1940	Yes
Upper Hollyford Hydro- electric Station	Machinery; Power generation; Tourism and recreation	Concrete structures, 1936	No
Walker Creek Saw Pit Site	Timber industry; Tourism & recreation	Saw pit remains, 1935	No
Milford Track			
McKinnon Memorial	Tourism & recreation	Monument, 1915	Yes
Sandfly Point	Tourism & recreation	Brick chimney & fireplace, 1920	yes
Dusky Sound			
Astronomer's Point	European discovery	Archaeological site, 1773	No
Endeavour Wreck Site	Maritime	Archaeological sites, 1795	No
Indian Island Maori Occupation Site	Maori	Archaeological site, 1773	No
Luncheon Cove Sealing, Settlement & Boat Building Site	Sealing & whaling	Archaeological sites, 1792	No
Richard Henry's Bird Pens & House Site	Nature conservation	Concrete chimney ruins Punga bird pens, 1894	No
Preservation & Chalky Inlets			
Alpha Battery & Quartz Mine	Mining–gold; Machinery	Machinery, 1898	No
Cuttle Cove Whaling Station	Sealing & whaling	Archaeological site, 1892	No
Golden Site Battery & Mine	Mining–gold; Machinery	Machinery, 1892	No
G.S.S. Stella Hull Freezer Base	Maritime; Machinery; Government	Ship hull, 1875 Concrete building, 1925	No
McIntyre's Sawmill	Timber industry; Machinery	Archaeological site Machinery, 1894	No

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Puysegur Point Landing Shed, Cemetery and Lighthouse Road	Government; Maritime; Transport–road	Building 1940, graves, lighthouse, road, 1877	No
Round Island Maori Occupation Site	Maori	none	No
Tarawera Smelter and Mine,	Machinery; Mining–general; Mining–gold	Archaeological sites, brick chimney, 1911	No
Te Oneroa/Morning Star Mine	Machinery; Mining–gold;	Machinery, 1894	No
Wilson’s River Pack Track	Mining–gold	Track, 1892	No
Wilson’s River Tramway	Mining–gold; Transport–rail	Tram route, 1893	No

Reference: *New Zealand’s Fiord Heritage: A Guide to the Historic Sites of Coastal Fiordland* by Neville Peat

KEY:

- Heritage Topics = Past history of the site
- Preserved Fabric = What can be found at the site today & date established where known
- Easy Access = **Yes:** This site is accessible by road (or scheduled ferry) and a track and signs are provided
- = **No:** Access to this site is not straightforward, but with research, a visit may be possible
- = **Permit:** A DOC permit is required before visiting this site
- = **Icon site:** A site that tells an important story of New Zealand identity and provides an outstanding visitor experience

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 Lookout; Stamper Battery, Preservation Inlet; Tarawera Smelter; Waipapa Gold
 Gredge; Port Craig School; GSS *Stella* Wreck.

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