

BMI INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2018

QUEENSTOWN NEW ZEALAND

4-9 OCTOBER 2018

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

The Club Managers Association of America (CMAA) and the Golf Managers Association of New Zealand (GMANZ) are proud to bring the conjoint BMI International Conference 4-9 October 2018 and 8th Biennial 2018 GMANZ Conference October 9-11, 2018 to beautiful Queenstown, New Zealand. This is the first time CMAA has run its BMI International programme in the Southern Hemisphere and it will be followed by the GMANZ Conference. The spacious Millennium Hotel located very close to downtown Queenstown will be play host for the duration.

Top managers from clubs in the USA, Canada, Asia, New Zealand and Europe will be attending this outstanding networking and educational experience.

BMI International will feature

- the very best speakers from Australia and New Zealand including sportsmen, business personalities and famous locals.
- the very best that Queenstown has to offer including golf at Jacks Point, social activities including The Spirit of Queenstown Cruise, a visit to the home of bungy at Kawarau Bungy, educational tours of both championship golf clubs, Millbrook Golf Club and The Hills.
- a day focused on Food and Wine at Amisfield Restaurant partaking in some of New Zealand's best Pinot Noir, New Zealand local lamb and beef and cheese in a special long lunch specially designed by Amisfield's very own chef and much more.
- A team building programme at Moonlight Country
- An introduction to Maori culture by way on a Maori entertainment group and two keynote speakers. We will have you performing a group Haka by the end of the day.

A special closing dinner will take place at the famed Skyline restaurant featuring a keynote speaker and a magic night at Queenstown's most scenic spot.

Spouses will have their own customized tours and schedule of events full of adventure, leisure and recreation.

This promises to be an adventure like no other full of learning, recreation and excitement.

Come join CMAA, GMANZ and experience Queenstown – the adventure Capital of the World.

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THE WEATHER – SPRING IN QUEENSTOWN

Spring in Queenstown is a time for fun and discovery. The green valleys burst with fresh spring buds and green pastures yet are surrounded by snow-capped peaks, heralding the arrival of spring. Spring is a unique season when you can literally do everything Queenstown has on offer.

With the [ski fields](#) open until early October, but the basin green with fresh growth, you can ski in the morning and either [golf](#), [mountain bike](#) or [hike](#) in the afternoons. The renowned hiking trails are open, so whether you're enjoying spring skiing, cycling, hiking or golfing you can pack a lot of adventure into one day.

Spring skiing brings softer conditions with warmer days and a focus on fun on the mountains. It's the perfect time to hit the slopes for a social time with friends and family.

The sun shines from early morning until 7-8pm, thawing winter's touch, with daytime temperatures ranging between 45°F and 72°F. The days start to get longer and warmer and while you still need to pack a coat, there are plenty of sunshine hours to design your ideal holiday itinerary.

Queenstown's continental-like climate brings longer, warmer days in spring but it can also mean unpredictable spring weather. It pays to pack layers and prepare for weather that can be cool in the mountains but also warm down in the valleys and downtown.

RESTAURANTS

Central Otago which includes Queenstown and its near neighbour, the historic town of Arrowtown, is renowned for the quality of its restaurants fresh local meats and produce and world class wines. Dining out is always a pleasure in Central Otago.

GANTLEYS



One of the most romantic restaurants in New Zealand, Gantleys historic stone building, surrounded by 2 acres of landscaped gardens amidst majestic mountain scenery.

Over the last decade and a half Gantleys has built a reputation as one of the country's premier restaurants with New Zealand's most award winning wine list. Owners, Sommelier, Brent Rands, and Head Chef, Jared Aldridge, pride themselves on their international reputation for providing diners with the experience of excellent food, superlative wines and exemplary service.

RATA RESTAURANT



If you adore trying local produce from seasonal menus companioned by exquisite wines from nearby vineyards, then you will love the creative melange that is Rātā.

Local restaurateur Fleur Caulton combines her talents with internationally renowned Michelin Chef/Celebrity Masterchef judge Josh Emmett in a Queenstown collaboration for true 'foodies'. Dine indoors or alfresco for lunch, dinner or bar grazing. Everything we offer has been inspired by the Southern landscape and the Spirit of all things New Zealand.

Our menu can change as daily as the Central Otago weather – menu attached is a sample only, to whet your appetite.

BOTSWANNA BUTCHERY



The historic cottage and villa that comprises **Botswana Butchery** Queenstown has many different faces. From al fresco dining overlooking the lake to private rooms for anything from two to thirty people. A private upstairs bar to relax into, warming open fires throughout and a large climate controlled wine cellar makes for a most versatile and entrancing evening out.

17 Marine Parade, Queenstown. Telephone (03) 442 6950 for booking

FINZ RESTAURANT



Finz Seafood and Grill on the waterfront offers bistro style dining with spectacular views. Our casual, open atmosphere is accompanied by excellent service and delicious selection of New Zealand's finest foods. We serve fresh seafood arriving daily with simple and affordable dishes. For anyone looking for something a little heartier, we offer a delectable menu of char grilled fare. Families are always welcome and our children's menu is sure to please even the fussiest eaters. Located on the ground floor of Steamer Wharf - Open from 5pm daily.

BELLA CUCINA



Much more than **Pizza and Pasta**, Bella Cucina is based on the Italian kitchen philosophy of a daily changing menu to incorporate the freshest produce. Everything is made from scratch

with love, it's fresh, delicious and affordable. Join us for a slice of 'la bella vita' today.

Bella Cucina transports diners straight to Italy with a cosy, rustic **Italian ambience**. As you enter Bella Cucina you are instantly warmed by the huge wood-fired oven and embraced by the wonderful aromas of Italy

THE COW



The **COW Restaurant** in Cow Lane off Beach St, Queenstown, New Zealand is an institution serving superb food to visitors from around the world and to our loyal local customers. The menu is still the same as when the restaurant opened its door in 1976. The same delicious mix of hand rolled pizzas and spaghetti dishes, hot soup and homemade bread and salad make for a winning combination that has the diners coming back again and again. Located down the end of **Cow Lane** in central Queenstown.

Millennium Hotel – Queenstown



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Services available

- *WI-FI*
- *RESTAURANT AND BAR*
- *MEETINGS AND EVENTS FACILITIES*
- *CONCIERGE*
- *VALET PARKING*
- *DRY CLEANING AND LAUNDRY*

Be at the heart of Queenstown action

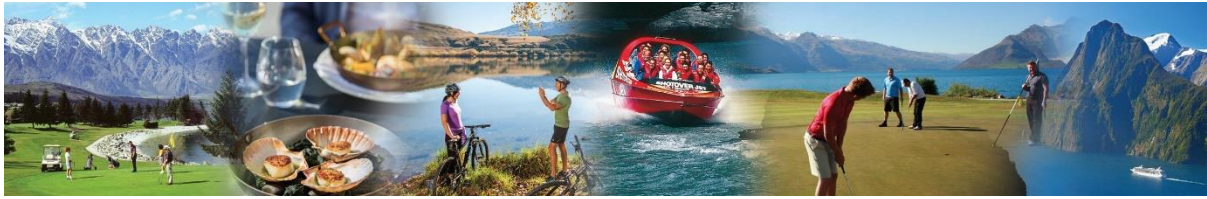
Right in the heart of the action, Millennium Hotel Queenstown is just minutes from Queenstown central shopping, entertainment and outdoor activities such as bungee jumping, white water rafting and jet boating. The popular ski destinations of Coronet Peak, Remarkables, and Cardrona are also close by. Our 220 guest rooms and suites, meetings facilities, business centre, gym, sauna, spa, feature contemporary city-inspired designed.

Our luxury hotel also offers accessible rooms for our special needs guests with our friendly staff on hand to assist you anytime. Most of our accommodation also offers scenic views of Queenstown city and mountains, providing the perfect backdrop to your trip. Millennium Hotel Queenstown is a 4-star plus and Enviro-Gold Qualmark rated hotel, with an Environmental Sustainability Plan for the future. We are firmly committed to sustainability

best practices, constantly reviewing and improving operations to minimise impact on the environment.

- Please note that there is a 2.0% transaction fee when you pay with a credit card or a Visa/MasterCard debit card at this hotel.
- There is no charge for payments made with EFTPOS or cash. Book here for our Best Price Guarantee promise.
- Earn and spend loyalty points on all qualifying stays.
- The level of points, benefits and privileges are subject to availability and may vary at certain participating hotels.

The airport runs a free shuttle from the hotel to the Queenstown Town Centre every hour.



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Dress code

Queenstown is a tourist town and has a very relaxed to dress standard. Being in between seasons and with an average temperature range of 45-72 degrees Fahrenheit we strongly recommend you pack warm clothing including jackets and thermals for outdoor activities.

Closing night dinner

- Gentleman – smart casual attire – jacket no tie.
- Ladies – evening dress and jacket

Delegate dress standards

- For conference sessions and private club visits - smart casual clothing
- For the Moonlight Country – Team Building – casual clothing/footwear – you will be out and about on a working sheep cattle and deer farm.

Delegate/Partner dress standards

- For the Lake Cruise and BBQ Lunch, Safari of the Scenes Tour - warm clothing and footwear – you will be out and about on working sheep cattle and deer farms.
- For the Amisfield Long Lunch- smart casual clothing
- For Jacks Point Golf – smart golf clothing including wind jacket
- For Adventure Day – Jet boating/Bungy - warm casual clothing /footwear – you will be out and about on a jet boat and will get wet. With the bungy you determine whether you want to get dipped into the water!!!
- For the Remarkables Walk and Routeburn Walk – appropriate warm hiking clothing and footwear.
- For the Bike the Wineries tour – cycling gear including an appropriate shoes, warm jacket and water bottle
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PARTNERS PROGRAMME

Queenstown is New Zealand's leading alpine resort and a favorite destination for international visitors. Magnificent during all of its distinctive four seasons, Queenstown offers an eclectic diversity for thrill seekers and strollers alike. Its well-earned reputation as an adventure capital is enhanced with sensational restaurants, shopping galore, history, heritage and wineries. All set amidst the most spectacular scenery.

Welcome to Queenstown. Enjoy!

Day 1 - Thursday 4 October

Thursday October 4, 2018 – morning

Spirit of Queenstown Scenic Cruise/ Mt Nicholas High Country Farm 4WD Wilderness Experience



Come and join us for a sensational cruise discovering the very best of what the beautiful Queenstown region has to offer. Sit back and relax aboard our new purpose built, luxurious and ecofriendly vessel - Spirit of Queenstown.

Enjoy refreshments from our on-board café / fully licensed bar and adore the magnificent sights through our large viewing windows with warm indoor seating. Take in spectacular views of the crystal-clear Lake Wakatipu as you cruise towards the isolated Mt Nicholas High Country Farm.

Marvel at the 360-degree panoramic views of Mt. Earnslaw, Bob's Cove, The Remarkables and Cecil Peak from our open top deck. An interesting commentary will be provided by your local skipper and you're even welcome to join him in the open wheelhouse for a real hand on experience!

Spirit of Queenstown allows you to cruise further and see more for a truly memorable journey.

This morning will take you on a leisurely cruise down Lake Wakatipu, explain the history of the lake and its environs and ensure you land safely to take in the 4WD Station tour and gourmet lunch.

Day 1 - Thursday October 4, 2018 – afternoon

Mt Nicholas High Country Farm 4WD Wilderness Experience/ Spirit of Queenstown Scenic Cruise



Relax in tranquility on a real working farm with breathtaking views of middle earth. Hop off Spirit of Queenstown at Mt Nicholas High Country Farm for an exclusive, behind-the-scenes visit to a truly authentic, family-run merino sheep farm. Mt Nicholas, with over 100,000 acres of pristine terrain, is home to New Zealand's historic family owned Merino sheep station.

The authentic Woolshed Experience will allow you to get a true sense of how the locals live on this traditional and isolated high-country station.

In an interactive and fun environment, trace the steps from the merino sheep to the successful Icebreaker clothing produced from the finest and softest wool of any sheep or take on your friends in a virtual sheep shearing competition!

This afternoon we will give you a 4WD tour of the Station, encourage you to get up close and personal with our stock and enjoy a sumptuous Central Otago artisan lunch accompanied with some special Central Otago wines. Bon Appetit! The return trip to Queenstown is again a leisurely cruise on the Spirit of Queenstown.

Day 2 - Friday October 5, 2018

Morning/Afternoon – Queenstown Nature tour options

Option 1 – Safari of the Scenes - Glenorchy



For Lord of the Rings fans, this is the trip where Nomad Safaris really does take you There and Back again! Bring the films to life with our authentic replica props, dress up and take photos, or simply soak up the scenery!

Visit the filming locations for Isengard, the Ithilien Camp, Lothlorien forest and the Seat of Seeing/Battle of Amon Hen, plus filming locations from the Hobbit trilogy! This scenic safari offers breathtaking mountain and forest views along the shore of Lake Wakatipu towards Glenorchy and the Paradise Valley.

Option 2 – Routeburn Track Walk – 6 hours



Enjoy the rich, natural diversity and breathtaking scenery of New Zealand's Great Walk, the Routeburn Track. Hike beneath the canopy of old growth rainforest, while surrounded by crystal clear rivers, soaring mountain peaks, and beautiful birdsong, as you explore the region's unique wilderness.

Your private guided adventure starts from Queenstown with a scenic drive along the shores of Lake Wakatipu to the Routeburn Track. From here, you will begin a 2-3-hour hike that climbs steadily through the cool undergrowth to an alpine glade at Flats Hut. En route, there will be plenty of time to stop and savor your surroundings: beautiful waterfalls, verdant vegetation, and some of the region's rarest birdlife. Once at Flats Hut, reward yourself with an open-air lunch as you absorb panoramic vistas of New Zealand's snow-capped Southern Alps. Your return 1-2-hour journey is all downhill to the Routeburn Shelter, giving you a chance to stretch out the legs and once again enjoy the vibrant forest, with photographic opportunities at every turn.

On this guided hike, you will discover the efforts being made to conserve New Zealand's natural heritage. You will learn about the flora, fauna, geography, and history of the region, while witnessing some of New Zealand's most spectacular landscapes. More than just a hike, this interactive adventure brings you closer to the elements as you embrace the spirit of New Zealand's wilderness

Evening - Kawarau Bungy Centre



A piece of living adventure history the Kawarau Bridge was the site Bungy Pioneers AJ Hackett and Henry van Asch first leapt into the global spotlight when they launched the world's 1st commercial bungy jumping operation back in 1988.

Now with over 27 years' experience thrilling visitors and helping to secure Queenstown's reputation as the Adventure capital of the World, The Kawarau Bridge Bungy is still seen as a rite of passage for those looking to complete an authentic Queenstown adventure.

Face the fear and feel the adrenaline as you step up to the edge and secure your place as a conqueror of the legendary Kawarau Bridge Bungy.

This evening we will be hosting you to a night of fun and excitement. We will explain the evolution of bungy to you, have our professional team give a bungy demonstration, and if you dare invite you to video on film your very own bungy jump.

Day 3 - Saturday October 6, 2018 – User pays option

Option 1 - Milford Sound Fly/Cruise/Fly tour – 4 hours; Option 2 - Milford Sound Bus Charter Tour – 12 hours



Join us for the ultimate day-trip to New Zealand's unforgettable Milford Sound.

Known as the 8th wonder of the world, Milford Sound is home to peaks, waterfalls and glorious rainforest, not to mention the regal Mitre Peak, raising more than 1 kilometer into the air out of crystal water. Experience for yourself the grandeur and stunning beauty of a place where mountains plunge steeply into a deep fiord teeming with rare wildlife. You'll soon see why Milford Sound is one of the world's greatest destinations as you take in the scale of this natural wonder.

You will join Real Journeys on a cruise like no other. Venture across the tranquil Sound to get up close and personal with the rugged, untouched beauty of granite cliffs, waterfalls and abundant wildlife.

All this adventure deserves a buffet lunch, which you'll enjoy on board. You'll find that the spacious viewing decks and lounges offer you the best views of the breath-taking scenery just mere meters from your seat. Enjoy the ride as your vessel ventures right under the waterfalls!

Day 4 - Sunday 7 October 2018

Morning - Free for shopping, leisure walks around Queenstown.

Afternoon - Long lunch Amisfield Restaurant and Winery



We invite you to play a part in our wine story and enjoy a taste of our place. Our team of passionate and knowledgeable staff are only too happy for you to share in their passion for wine and food and ensure your experience is as memorable as the dramatic landscape.

Central Otago is most renowned for Pinot Noir, and you'll find we always have between two and four on our wine list for you to take home.

Today we will be offering our signature Long Lunch and you will have a chance to sample some of Amisfield award winning wines. Post lunch there will be presentations from the Amisfield chef and winemaker and the providers of the meats, cheeses and local produce that were on the table today.

Day 5 - Monday 8, October 2018

Morning - Option 1 Golf - Jacks Point



"Jack's Point was simply unforgettable. I haven't seen such an exciting layout for a very long time and the condition of the pure fescue fairways is unmatched in my experience."

— Peter Dawson, Chief Executive of R&A

With a backdrop of 2300 vertical metres of the Remarkables mountain range and an armchair view of an outstanding lake panorama, Jack's Point Golf course is one of the most visually spectacular in the world. As an 18-hole par 72 championship course it offers golfers an exciting challenge with five tee positions to choose from, providing all golfers an unforgettable golf experience. While this is a private course, we embrace the opportunity to show case our championship course to the golfing fraternity.

The course has been designed around the natural landscape, with minimal excavation. The course measures 6388 metres (6986 yards) from the championship tees and is built on the most spectacular of Jack's Point terrain. Designed in harmony with the natural and local eco environment, weaving through native tussock grasslands, dramatic rock outcrops, steep

bluffs and swathes of native bush to the edge of Lake Wakatipu. The presentation of the course is second to none, which makes Jack's Point one of the world's great golfing experiences. Located beneath the Remarkables mountain range, Jack's Point is 20 minutes from downtown Queenstown.

This morning we will take you on a golfing experience to one of the most picturesque golf courses in the world with scenery to die for. We will arrange a haggie on the day, prizes for outstanding achievements and listen to the banter over another sumptuous lunch. Post lunch there will be a business session where we will explore the future prospects and direction of our great game.

Morning - Option 2 - Bike the Wineries Tour



Take a break from the slopes and enjoy Queenstown crisp, clear winter days with a full day self-guided Bike the Wineries Tour over some of New Zealand's best loved trails exploring wineries at your leisure. Your journey will begin with a scenic and informative transfer to the quaint village of Arrowtown which is steeped in rich gold-mining history. Here you can enjoy one of the many cafes or get straight on your bike and take to the picturesque Arrow River Trail.

Morning - Option 3 - Half Day Remarkables Range Guided Short Walks - Climbing Queenstown



The Remarkable Alpine range is undoubtedly the finest in the country, renowned for its spectacular hiking/trekking terrain and awe-inspiring views.

Your guide will take you on a hike tailored to your fitness and experience level, exposing you to the most breathtaking sights of this alpine wonderland.

Escape the crowds and discover this renowned beauty at your own pace. Our highly skilled and qualified guides uncover dramatic scenic vistas and unforgettable views over Queenstown (some 2000 meters below) and the Southern Lakes area.

A truly exhilarating and authentic way to experience the remote treasures of this alpine paradise.

Day 6

Morning/Afternoon Tuesday 9 October 2018 – Relax!! Party tonight!!

Option 1 – Kiwi Birdlife Park



Come enjoy the sights, sounds and textures of the New Zealand bush and wildlife in our 5-acre sanctuary. New Zealand is home to an amazing array of unique wildlife, the Park allows you to see these animals and learn all about them right in the heart of Queenstown. We have over 20 species of native wildlife on display, including New Zealand's national icon, the kiwi and our living fossil, the tuatara. Most of the animals held at the park are part of nationally managed breeding programmes for conservation.

Option 2 - Body Sanctum's 1hr Tranquility Massage



The perfect way to relax, unwind and get in the holiday spirit. Body Sanctum provides the ultimate in massage experiences combining the skills of expert therapists with a luxurious setting to ensure you are transported far away from life's stresses.

Body Sanctum's 1hr Tranquility Massage is a traditional relaxation style massage using long flowing, kneading strokes.

Day 6

Tuesday 9 October 2018 – Evening

BMI International Conference Closing dinner/Golf Managers Association Conference Opening Dinner

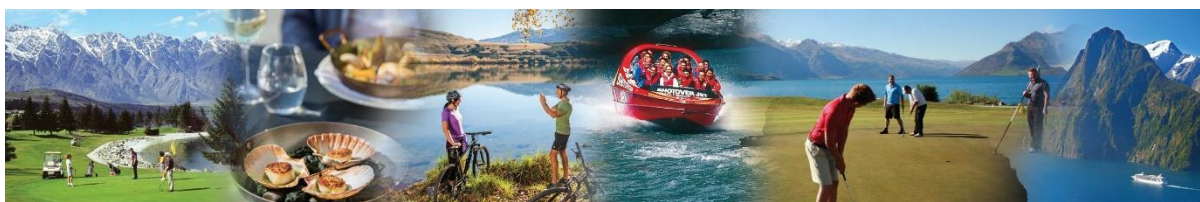


This evening you will be able to sit back and relax and take in the stunning views as you ride the Skyline Queenstown Gondola - the steepest cable car lift in the Southern Hemisphere and one of the must-do activities in Queenstown!

You'll be carried 450 meters above Queenstown and Lake Wakatipu to the top of Bob's Peak, where you'll enjoy the best views in the region unfolding before your eyes. You get to experience a spectacular 220-degree panorama with breath-taking views of Coronet Peak, The Remarkables, Walter and Cecil Peak and, of course, Queenstown.

You will dine amidst breathtaking views at the Wakatipu Restaurant at the Skyline. Each table will enable you to admire some of the most incredible views you have ever witnessed in your life while partaking in a luxurious meal filled with the best New Zealand cuisine and wines.

A keynote speaker and entertainment will put the close on what we hope will be a wonderful evening of fun and friendship and the perfect finish to a memorable kiwi style BMI International Conference for delegate and spouse guests.



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Delegate Name:

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Relationship to you.....

Have you registered for the Conference on-line Y/N

Do you have a guest/spouse travelling with you Y/N

Guest/spouse Name.....

Has he/she signed up for the online spouse programme Y/N

Have you booked accommodation at The Millennium Hotel Y/N

If no please indicate where you intend to stay for the conference and your contact details

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Dietary requirement:

Do you or your spouse have any special dietary requirement Y/N

If yes please specify.....

Are there any other special requests or information we should be aware of?.....

We look forward to hosting you in Queenstown