

## Otago and Beyond

**Catlins**, eastern coastal road. Catlins Information Centre, [www.catlins.org.nz](http://www.catlins.org.nz) for further information on this scenic area.

**Nugget Point Lighthouse, Kaka Point.** Walk out to the lighthouse and view the dramatic coastline, seals and *Celmisia lindsayii*.

**Curio Bay**, New information centre and café. Walk along the beach and discover *Gentianella saxosa* and *Myosotis rakiura* growing in the sandbanks adjoining the grassed area. Also ancient petrified trees in the sea are visible at low tide.

## Central Otago

**Alexandra**, interesting area, ancient goldmining sites. Major summer fruit growing area. Good accommodation and restaurants available along with excellent wines.



**Old Man Range**, accessible via Symes Road. Road can be very rough, more suitable for 4WD, probably not a hire car! Several gates, which must be left as found. Wonderful views from summit and wide range of plants to be found. *Myosotis pulvinaris*, *Gentianella amabilis*, *Celmisia brevifolia*. 4WD tours are available.

**Pisa Range**, excellent road access. Road toll applies, check in at hotel on the mountain where accommodation is also available. Excellent range of flora.

**Queenstown**, adventure playground of the south. Wide range of accommodation and restaurants for all tastes available.

**The Remarkables** Skifield, good access road, usually accessible with no gates. Leave vehicle in carpark and walk up to Lake Alta. Superb views. *Ranunculus buchananii*, *Aciphylla simplex*.

**Wanaka**, large grape growing region, wine tasting and excellent food. Many walks including Mt. Iron and Mt. Roy. Further information from the Wanaka Tourist Information Office [www.lakewanaka.co.nz](http://www.lakewanaka.co.nz)

