

# WELCOME TO MANGAMAUNU RETREAT

Located just 10 minutes north of Kaikōura, where the mountains meet the sea, this newly renovated accommodation opened in 2024 to outstanding reviews. Thoughtfully designed architectural spaces ensure every detail has been considered, providing everything you need for a comfortable and memorable stay.



# OVERVIEW

Mangamaunu Retreat is luxury coastal accommodation located on the stunning Kaikōura coastline, with sweeping views of the Pacific Ocean and surrounding mountains, just 10 minutes north of Kaikōura township.

For couples and small families, guests can choose from four beautifully appointed 1–2 bedroom guest suites. Larger groups can book the Front House or reserve the entire Retreat for an exclusive stay. Powered by solar energy, Mangamaunu Retreat offers a sustainable escape that blends luxury with environmental care.

Located just minutes from the world-renowned Mangamaunu Surf Break and apart of the Stargazing Dark Sky Sanctuary, the Retreat provides a peaceful and private setting surrounded by five acres of native gardens and abundant wildlife. Whether you are seeking a relaxing getaway, family holiday, surf escape, or unforgettable celebration, Mangamaunu Retreat is the perfect destination.



# ACCOMMODATIONS



## Oceanview Suite

Wake up to stunning ocean views from the comfort of your king-size bed in our boutique one-bedroom suite, complete with a private ensuite and kitchenette.



## Hapuku Studio

Spacious one-bedroom suite with stunning ocean views, featuring an open-plan layout with a comfortable lounge area, dining table, and fully equipped kitchen.



## Surfwatch House

Two-bedroom guest suite with spacious lounge, kitchen, fireplace, and bath, all set against stunning ocean views. Comfortably sleeps up to four guests, making it ideal for small families or groups of friends.

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## Mangamaunu Cottage

This charming one-bedroom cottage features rustic character with a cobblestone fireplace and handcrafted timber finishes. It offers a private entrance, secluded garden area, and an outdoor bath for a unique stay experience. Comfortably sleeps up to three guests.



## Front House

The Front House offers three private guest suites, each with its own living area, bathroom, and kitchen. This accommodation is ideal for families or friends, that enjoy both privacy and shared time together. The main house accommodates up to eight guests across four beautifully appointed bedrooms.



## Mangamaunu Retreat

By booking the Retreat, you can enjoy exclusive use of the entire property, including the three guest suites in the Front House and the Cottage, each with its own living area, bathroom, and kitchen. The Retreat comfortably accommodates up to 11 guests, making it ideal for private group stays.



# WHY STAY WITH US?

At Mangamaunu Retreat, every detail has been thoughtfully designed to create a relaxing and memorable stay. Surrounded by expansive gardens and breathtaking views of both the mountains and the Pacific Ocean, the retreat offers a peaceful coastal escape. Guests can often spot dolphins and even whales passing by offshore from the comfort of their accommodation.

## Amenities

- Five acres of beautifully landscaped gardens to explore
- Abundant wildlife, including native birds, rabbits, and our charming chicken coop at the rear of the property
- Just a short walk to Mangamaunu Beach
- Eco-friendly, solar-powered accommodation
- Breathtaking ocean views from the scenic viewing deck
- Only a 10-minute drive to Kaikōura township
- High-speed Wi-Fi throughout the property
- Complimentary on-site parking
- Enjoy fruit from large orchards in Summer and Autumn

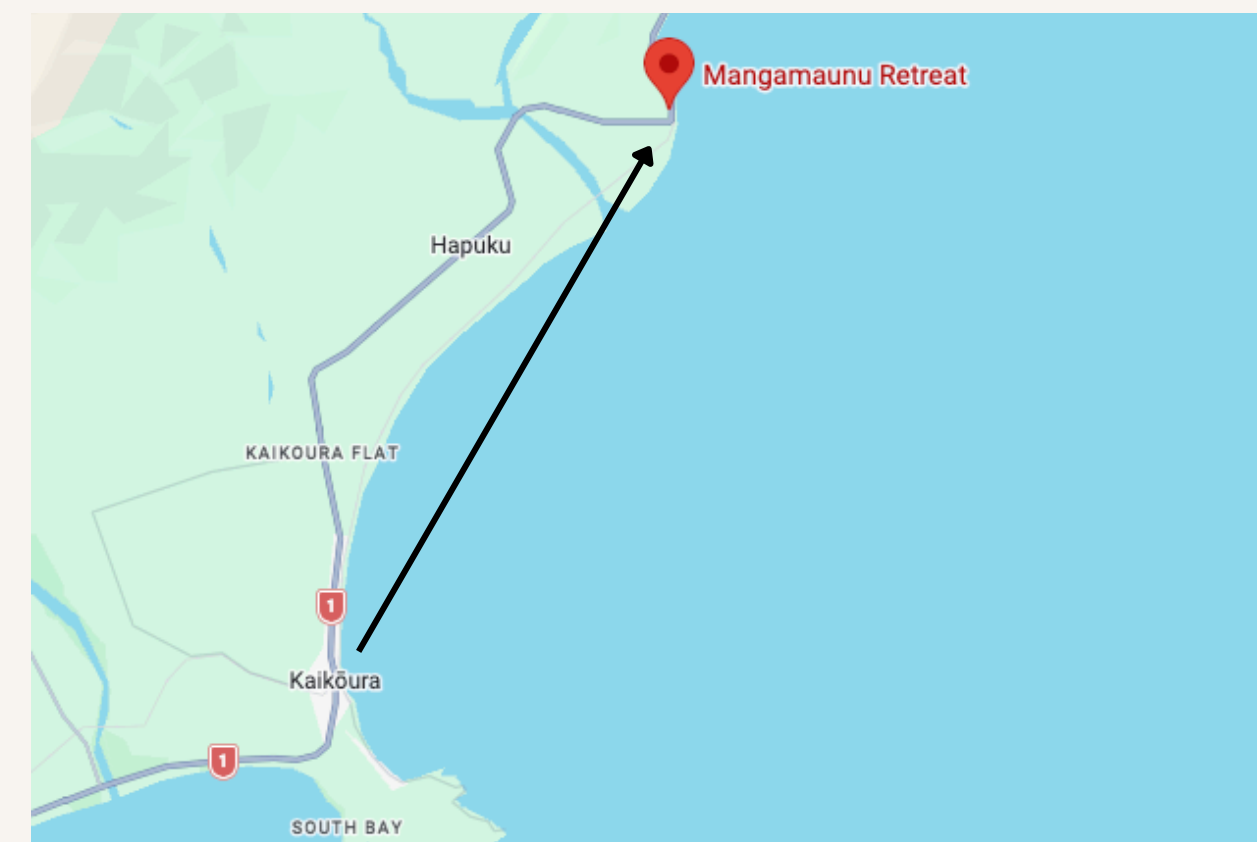
# EXPLORE KAIKŌURA

Nestled along New Zealand's stunning South Island coastline, Kaikōura is renowned for its extraordinary marine biodiversity, thanks to the deep offshore Kaikōura Canyon, which attracts an abundance of marine life.

From whale watching and dolphin encounters to mountain biking and scenic helicopter tours, Kaikōura offers unforgettable experiences for nature lovers and adventure seekers alike. With its dramatic meeting of mountains and sea, this unique coastal destination has something for everyone to enjoy.

## Activities in Our Local Area

- Whale Watching
- Surfing
- Snorkeling with seals or dolphins
- Stargazing with Moana Skies (can be included as part of your stay)
- Scenic hiking and mountain biking trails
- Local seafood dining, including Kaikōura's famous crayfish
- Kayaking tours
- EcoZip Adventures
- Helicopter tours
- Wine tours - *We recommend Hop n Grape in Blenheim*



*We are located 10 minutes North of Kaikoura*

# SURFING AT MANGAMAUNU

Mangamaunu Retreat sits right on the door step of three of the best surf breaks in Kaikōura. There is consistent swell all year. The best season for surfers is Autumn and Winter as the swell is often cleaner and more consistent

## Why you will love us for your next surf hoilday

- Mangamaunu point was recently voted the #1 Surf Break in New Zealand
- We are located close to Mangamaunu point, Graveyards and Meatworks Surf break. It's 5 minute walk to Mangamaunu Point.
- Uncrowded waves with reliable conditions
- Surf viewing deck overlooking the lineup at both Graveyards and Meatworks surf breaks
- Warm cosy rooms
- Hot outdoor bath available in select rooms
- Fireplaces are available in select rooms
- Stunning Mountain and Ocean views
- Two surf cams on our website



# DARK SKY SANCTUARY

Kaikōura is officially recognised as an International Dark Sky Sanctuary, making it one of the best places in New Zealand for stargazing. From Mangamaunu Retreat, the night sky is breathtaking—free from light pollution and offering unparalleled views of the Milky Way, constellations, and even the occasional aurora.

We can also offer Moana Skies stargazing tour during your stay.



# BOOK YOUR STAY TODAY!

Experience the ambience of Mangamaunu Retreat. Book your stay with us directly through our website.



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