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The Tin Shed Visitor Experience >





Far from the madding crowd

Located in beautiful rural South Canterbury and converted from an old grain shed in 1985, this big country store is set within a mini farm yard complete with animals, flourishing native gardens and old farm memorabilia.

The Tin Shed stocks what is probably New Zealand's most extensive range of quality New Zealand-made merino and merino possum garments (both on location and online).

All New Zealand-made

All of our merino and merino-possum knitwear, accessories, bedding and home furnishings are made in New Zealand. Experience one of the most extensive selections available.

Low overheads and low prices

No chance of expensive city rents pushing up our prices. We sell direct. Why pay more?

Pure New Zealand woolly and warm

Our team of friendly, knowledgable staff are passionate about promoting the benefits of NZ-made merino wool and possum products.

Five star customer reviews on Trip Advisor

Tripadvisor.co.nz > Search: The Tin Shed, Geraldine

Extensive product range

Merino knitwear

Luxury fashion garments, jackets and coats and light-weight undergarments.

Bay Road Merinos

New Zealand's biggest and best range of women's merino tops, colours, styles and sizes to fit all.

Merino-possum knitwear

Luxurious sweaters and jackets for men and women, shawls and capes, scarves, hats, socks and gloves.

Sheepskin and possum fur products

Single skins, designer rugs, slippers and ugg boots.

Knitting wools and handknits

Merino, alpaca and merino-possum yarns, locally handknitted sweaters and cardigans.

Baby and children's clothing

Merino clothing, baby shawls and rugs, slippers and socks.

Products for the home

Alpaca, mohair, and merino-possum throws, wool blankets, wool filled duvet inners and underlays.

Skin-care and health products

Lanolin and manuka honey creams, propolis, manuka honey and deer velvet.

Souvenir products: NZ-made T shirts, soft toys and jewellery.





Qualmark Endorsement

As an endorsed visitor service we are independently assessed each year and judged to be a professional and trustworthy business. We're committed

to environmental sustainablity and support Tourism New Zealand and Qualmark's Responsible Tourism Guidelines, and support the Buy Kiwi Made campaign.

"I personally just loved the atmosphere of The Tin Shed... homely, rural and like what New Zealand stands for." John Cushon - Qualmark Tourism Business Advisor, June 2014

Talk to the animals

Amble through our farmyard with its interesting pieces of old farm machinery and a native garden full of indigenous plants. See our sheep, kune kune pigs, alpacas, donkey, rabbits, and hens.

Save NZ tax and mail your goods home

We mai our customers purchases around the world - a huge benefit for those with baggage space issues. We post your purchases home and you save 15% NZ GST off the purchase price.

Shop online at thetinshed.co.nz

Guaranteed 100% secure for all online transactions. We mail purchases worldwide tax free!

Worth the journey

If you're travelling by car on Highway 1 from Christchurch to Queenstown or Mt Cook, you can't miss us. Just travel through Asburton and across the Rangitata bridges, then turn right onto Highway 79 and you'll find The Tin Shed a kilometre down the road. If you're travelling from Timaru or Dunedin, turn left onto Highway 79 just before Rangitata. If you want to find us from Queenstown or Geraldine, cross the one-way Orari bridge and then turn right onto Highway 79.

Open every day except Christmas Day 8.30am - 5pm.

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