

ROUTE 21

Southland Meander

Start	Invercargill
KMs/Miles	
260/163	Wanaka
261/164	Fox Glacier
206/129	Greymouth
375/235	Picton
182/114	Wanganui

5 DAYS

1284 KILOMETRES

805 MILES

Route Information

ENTRANTS: IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO MAKE contact with the 'Branch Contacts' upon receipt of this notice, to confirm your reservation and the total number in your party for the refreshments offered by each Branch, irrespective of whether they are free of charge or a chargeable item on a pre-pay basis. Each Branch can then cater for the total number of Entrants visiting each Branch venue on this Rally Route, thank you.

THURSDAY 12TH JANUARY - INVERCARGILL TO WANAKA 260 KMS / 163 MILES

START AT SOUTHLAND VCC, ARIKI LODGE, 46, ARIKI AVENUE, OTATARA, INVERCARGILL

HOSPITALITY: SOUTHLAND VCC, ARIKI LODGE, 46, ARIKI AVENUE, OTATARA, INVERCARGILL

BRANCH CONTACT FERG McDOWELL 03-235-8449

E-mail: fergandenise@woosh.co.nz **Mobile:** 027-614-9723

REFRESHMENTS: Breakfast available Invercargill style – Cost \$ 10.00

EN-ROUTE:

HOSPITALITY: CROMWELL VCC, LITANY STREET, CROMWELL

BRANCH CONTACT JOHN MARTIN 03-445-0598

E-mail: martin_jw@xtra.co.nz **Mobile:** 021-109-1309

REFRESHMENTS: Afternoon Tea from 2.30 p.m. Gold coin donation

FINISH: OVERNIGHT STOP AT WANAKA

FRIDAY 13TH JANUARY - WANAKA TO FOX GLACIER 261 KMS / 164 MILES

START AT WANAKA

FINISH: FOX GLACIER

Route Information

SATURDAY 14TH JANUARY - FOX GLACIER TO GREYMOUTH 206 KMS / 129 MILES

START AT FOX GLACIER

FINISH: GREYMOUTH – VCC WEST COAST, 330 RUTHERGLEN ROAD, PAROA

HOSPITALITY: GREYMOUTH – VCC WEST COAST, 330 RUTHERGLEN ROAD, PAROA

BRANCH CONTACT JOHN ROTHERY Home: 03-762-7400 / Work: 03-768-7089

E-mail: jlrothery@xnet.co.nz **Mobile:** 021-057-8912

REFRESHMENTS: NOT AVAILABLE – CAR REPAIRS POSSIBLE

SUNDAY 15TH JANUARY - GREYMOUTH TO PICTON 375 KMS / 235 MILES

START AT GREYMOUTH – VCC WEST COAST, 330 RUTHERGLEN ROAD, PAROA

HOSPITALITY: GREYMOUTH – VCC WEST COAST, 330 RUTHERGLEN ROAD, PAROA

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REFRESHMENTS: NOT AVAILABLE – CAR REPAIRS POSSIBLE

EN-ROUTE STOP: MARLBOROUGH VCC, REDMAN ROOM, BRAYSHAW PARK, ARTHUR BAKER PLACE, BLENHEIM

BRANCH CONTACT JUDITH BRUCE 03-578-4184

E-mail: judithbruce@xtra.co.nz **Mobile:** 027-685-5226

HOSPITALITY: MARLBOROUGH VCC, REDMAN ROOM, BRAYSHAW PARK, ARTHUR BAKER PLACE, BLENHEIM

REFRESHMENTS: SUBJECT TO THE ARRIVAL TIME OF DAY. ALL ITEMS ARE PRE-PAY BY CHEQUE

Route Information

CHEQUES TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO: RETAC GROUP. QUOTE YOUR RALLY NUMBER.

Payment Deadline: End of September.
Late entries 18th November 2011

POST TO c/o Mrs J. M. Bruce (Social Convener), 12, Elisha Drive,
Witherlea, Blenheim, 7201 N.Z.

Morning Tea: Tea / Coffee, Sandwich and Muffin \$ 3.00,

Lunch: Salad, Bread Roll, something sweet with Tea / Coffee &
piece of fruit \$12.00

Dinner: Two course \$ 20.00

FINISH: PICTON - FERRY CROSSING

MONDAY 16TH JANUARY - WELLINGTON TO WANGANUI - 192 KMS / 120 MILES

START AT WELLINGTON VCC, HALFORD PLACE, JACKSON STREET EAST,
PETONE, WELLINGTON

HOSPITALITY: WELLINGTON VCC, HALFORD PLACE, JACKSON STREET EAST,
PETONE, WELLINGTON

BRANCH CONTACT COLIN WHITE 04-569-6549

E-mail: wellington@vcc.org.nz **Mobile:** 027-442-6579

REFRESHMENTS: MORNING TEA AVAILABLE – FREE OF CHARGE

EN-ROUTE STOP: LEVIN – HOROWHENUA VCC, AP&I SHOWGROUNDS, 14 TIRO TIRO
RD LEVIN

HOSPITALITY: HOROWHENUA VCC, AP&I SHOWGROUNDS, 14 TIRO TIRO RD LEVIN

BRANCH CONTACT IAN FRANKLIN 06-368-1561

E-mail: franklini@xtra.co.nz **Mobile:** 021-679-527

Route Information

REFRESHMENTS: Open from 10.00 a.m. tea, Coffee, Scones, Sandwiches, Cake, Savouries etc. Gold coin donation appreciated.

FINISH: WANGANUI

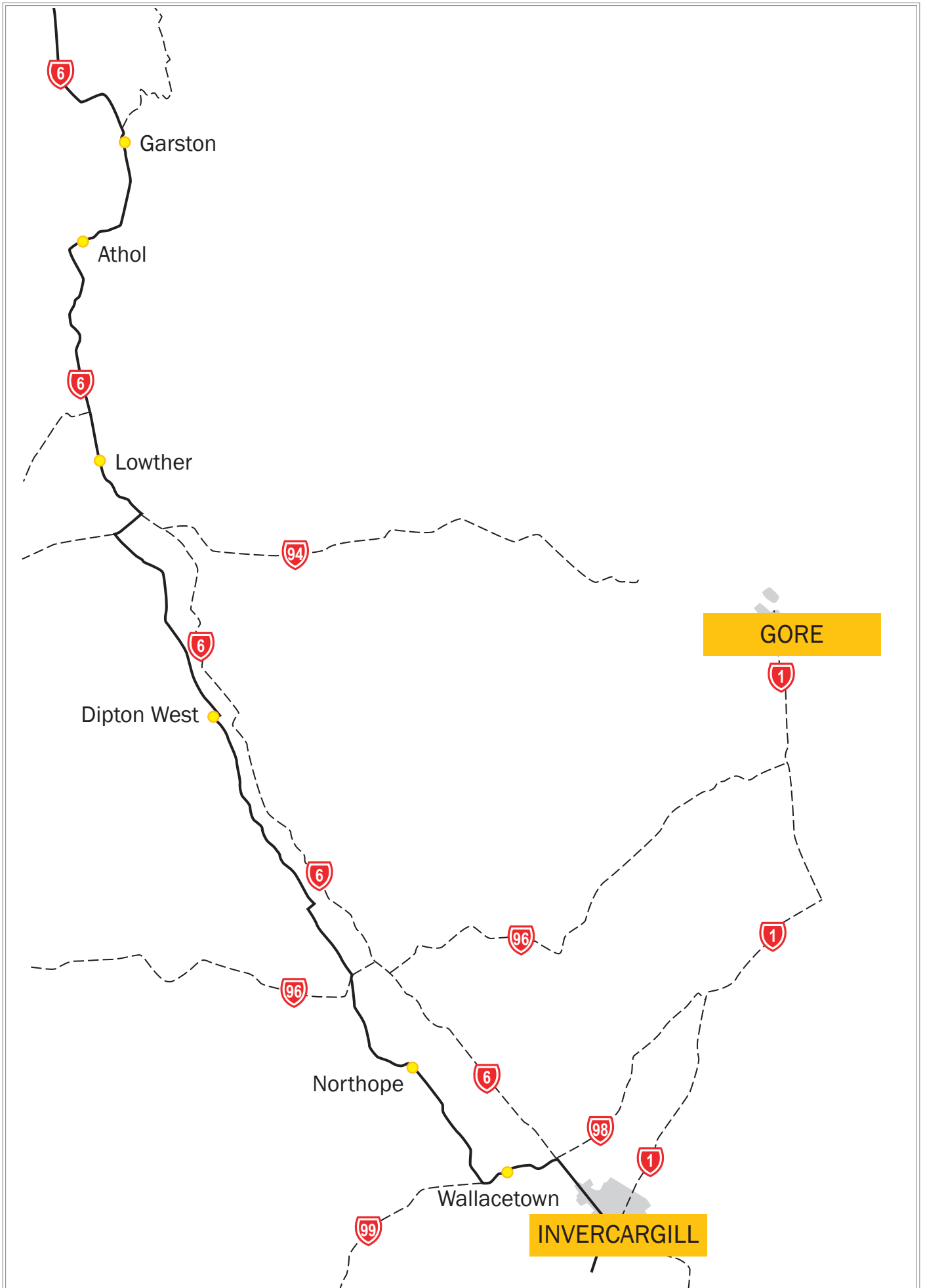
Please refer to the last page of the route for the 'Town Route' leading to the Rally Venue.

We hope you will enjoy your Rally.

PLEASE PLAN TO ARRIVE AT WANGANUI BETWEEN 3.30 P.M. – 4.00 P.M.

ADVISORY NOTES. FOR YOUR PEACE OF MIND AND ENJOYMENT.

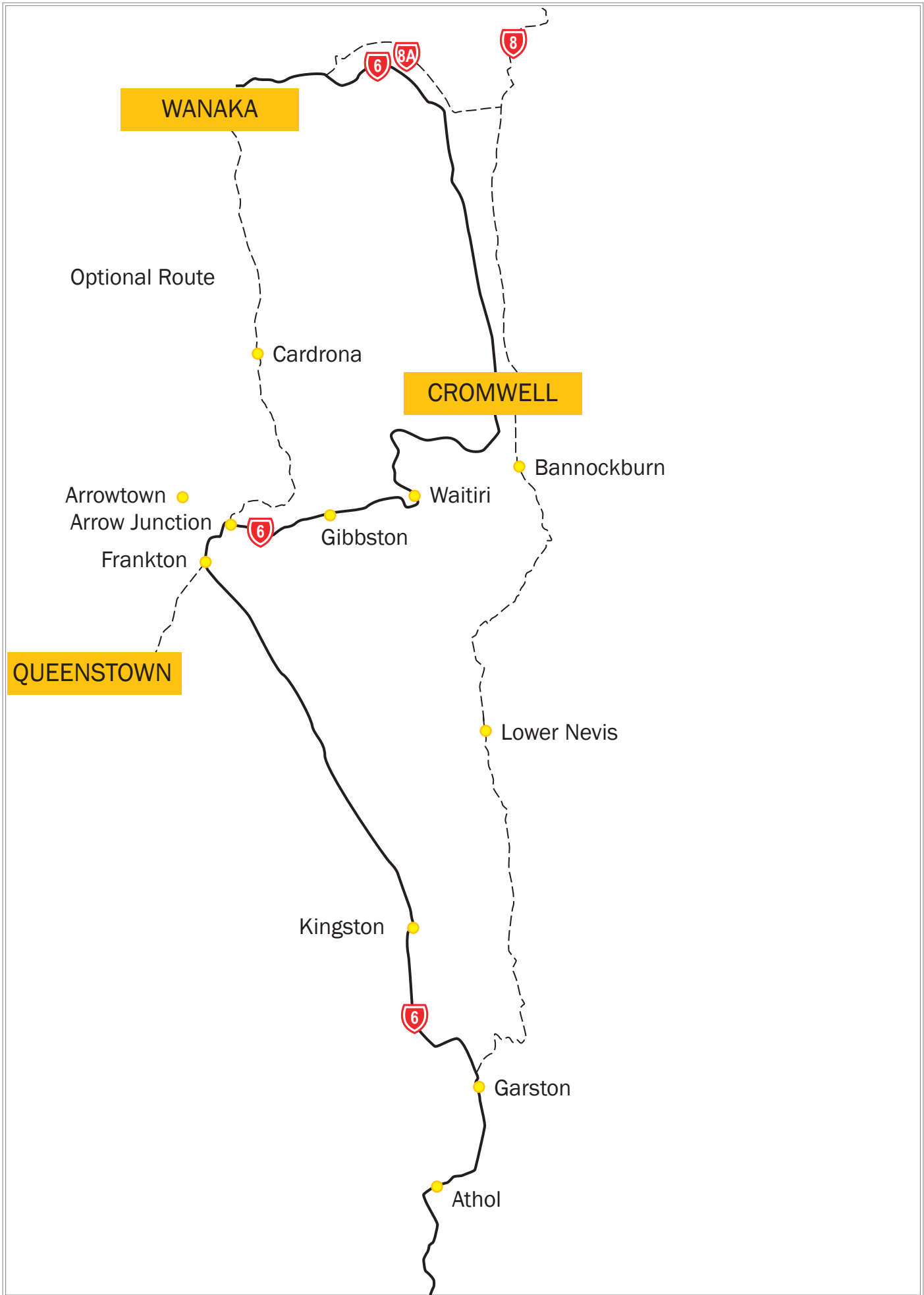
Your vehicle must be roadworthy for the Rally duration and should also be insured. It is advisable to start the Rally Route with a full tank of petrol each day. You should carry a mobile phone, have a recovery service in force such as the AA service, First-Aid Kit, Fire Extinguisher, Road Triangle, Day-Glo Vest, Tow Rope, filled Petrol Can, Torch, Tool Kit and pertinent spares for your vehicle.



Day 1

Invercargill to Wanaka

Route	Road	Time (mins)	KMs
Invercargill (Fuel)			
Leave Southland VCC Clubrooms in Ariki Avenue			
Go to Main Road			
Turn right into Dunns Road leads into Stead Street			
Over flyover to traffic lights			1
Turn left into Clyde Street SH 1	SH 1	-	4
Go to Lorneville; turn left onto SH 99	SH 1	-	7
Wallacetown	SH 99	-	5
Pass through town	-	-	2
Turn right into Oporo Flat Road			
Northope	-	-	10
Spar Bush Winton Road			
Proceed to Main Highway 96			
Bear right and immediate left into Riverside Road			8
Turn left into Dipton Road			
Over crossroads into South Hillend	-	-	0.5
Dipton West	-	-	18
At T-junction turn right and first left into Castlerock Road			
Castlerock	-	-	18
At crossroads, turn right onto SH 94			
SH 94	SH 94	-	2
Proceed to SH 6 and turn left			



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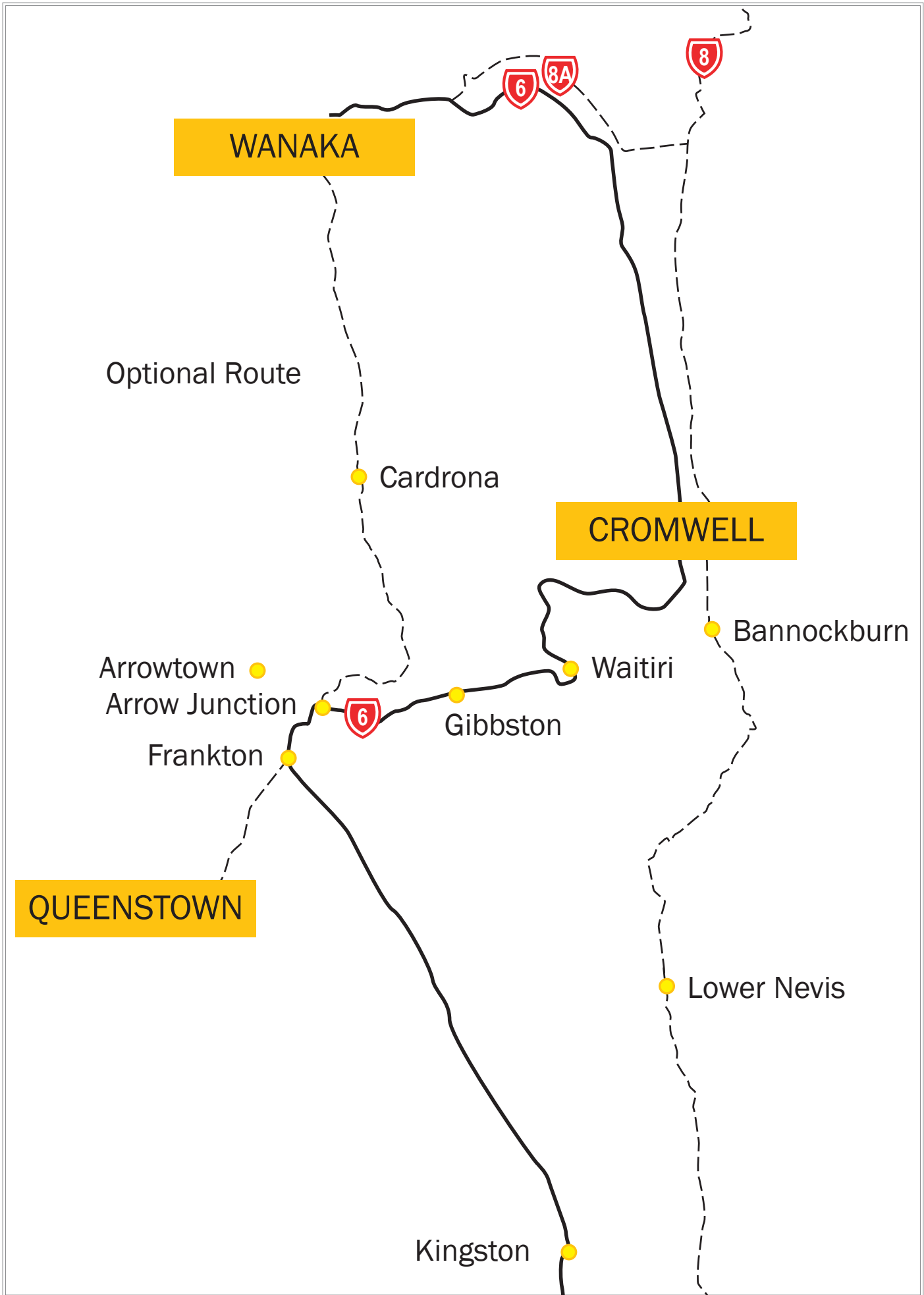
Invercargill to Wanaka

Route	Road	Time (mins)	KMs
Athol	SH 6	-	29
Pass through Lowther, Five Rivers, Parawa			
Stop for morning tea			
Garston	SH 6	-	12
Pass through Nokomai to Garston			
Fairlight			
Kingston			
Frankton	SH 6	-	60
Lake Hayes			
Arrow Junction			
Gibbston			
Waitiri			
Kawerau Gorge			
Cromwell (Fuel)	-	-	56
Litany Street			
Visit Central Otago VCC Clubrooms and Stop for Lunch			
Leave Clubrooms and return to Neplusultra Street			
At junction, turn left	-	0.5	-
At junction, turn right into Barry Avenue			
Proceed to junction			
Retrace your route to Arrow Junction using SH 6	SH 6	-	30

OPTION:

If you want to go to Wanaka via the Cardrona Hotel, continue on SH 6 via Arrow Junction

Turn right onto unclassified road to Cardrona Hotel



Day 1

Invercargill to Wanaka

Proceed to Cardrona Hotel and Wanaka

Mount Pisa

Queensberry

Luggate

Wanaka

SH 6, 84 - 40

Wanaka (Fuel)

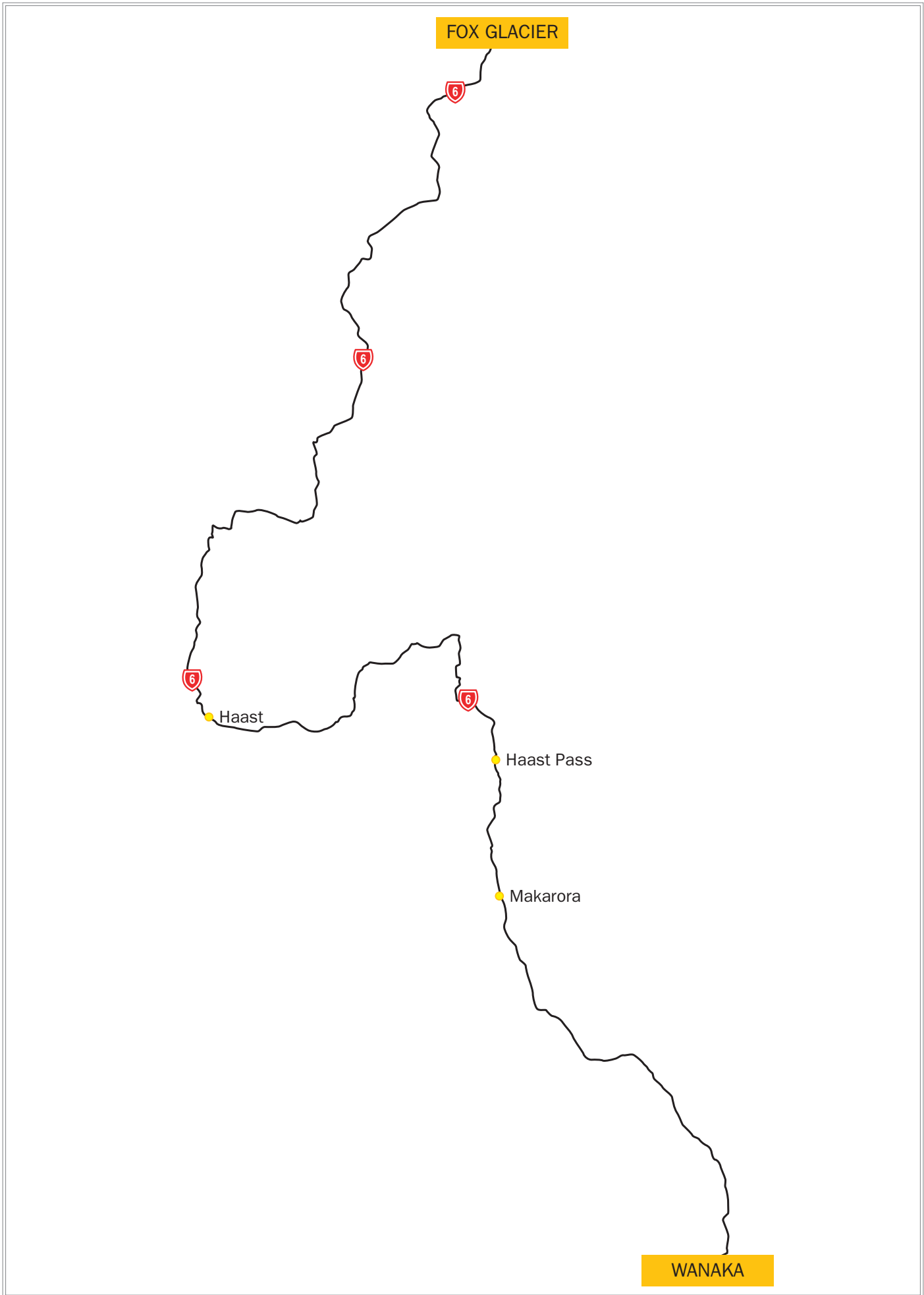
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Make sure you have a full tank before you leave Wanaka

Road becomes Crown Range Road leads into McDougall Street

At T-junction turn right into Ardmore Street leads into Wanaka Luggate Highway

Stop overnight



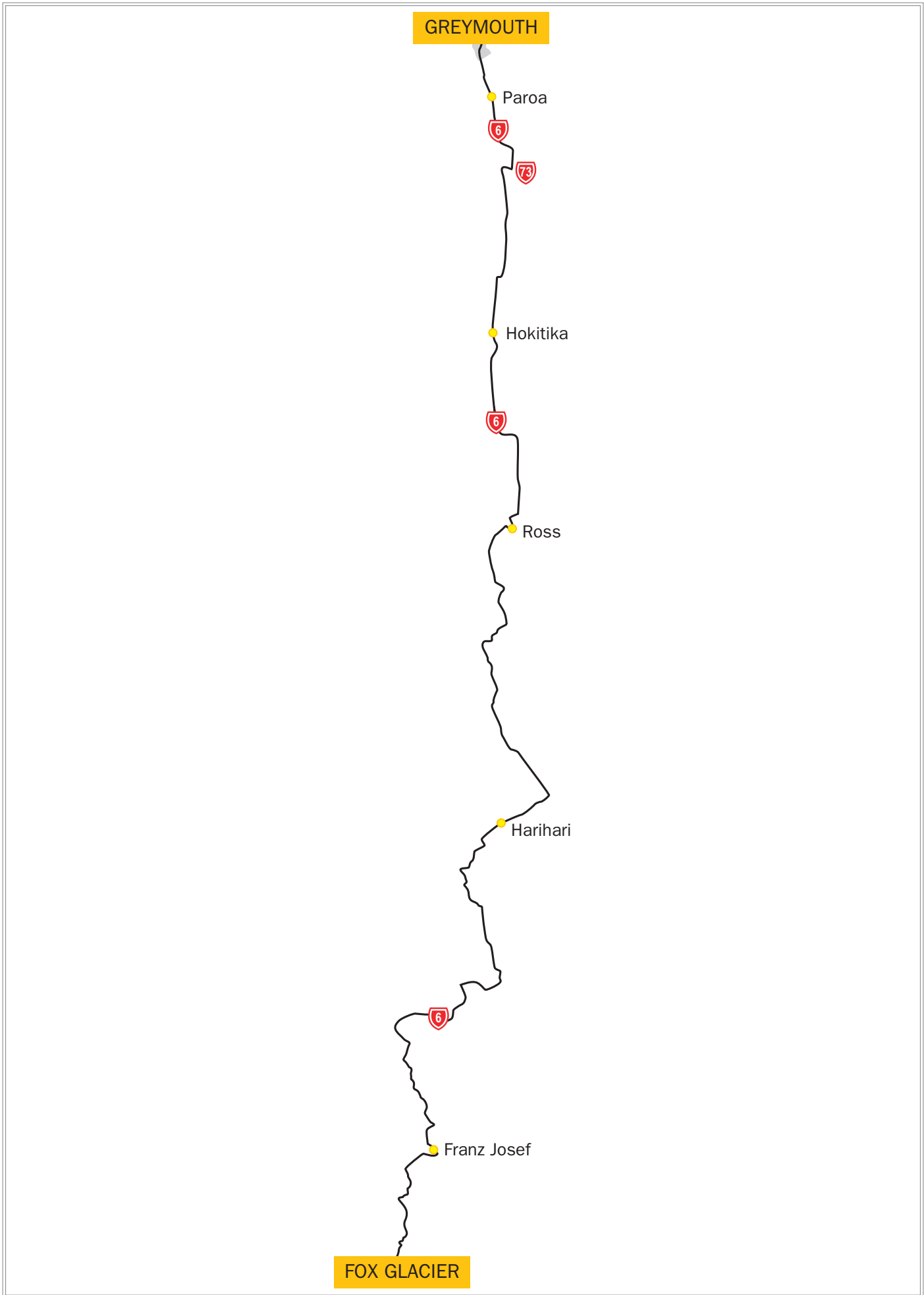
Day 2

Wanaka to Fox Glacier

Route	Road	Time (mins)	KMs
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[Leaving Wanaka, make sure you have a full tank and spare petrol]

SH 84	-	-	3
Proceed to SH 6 and turn left to Albert Town and Haast			
Makarora	SH 84	-	-
Haast Pass	SH 6	-	79
Take time to see these unique views; morning tea			
Haast	SH 6	-	59
Fox Glacier (Fuel)	SH 6	-	120
Lunch stop; stay overnight			

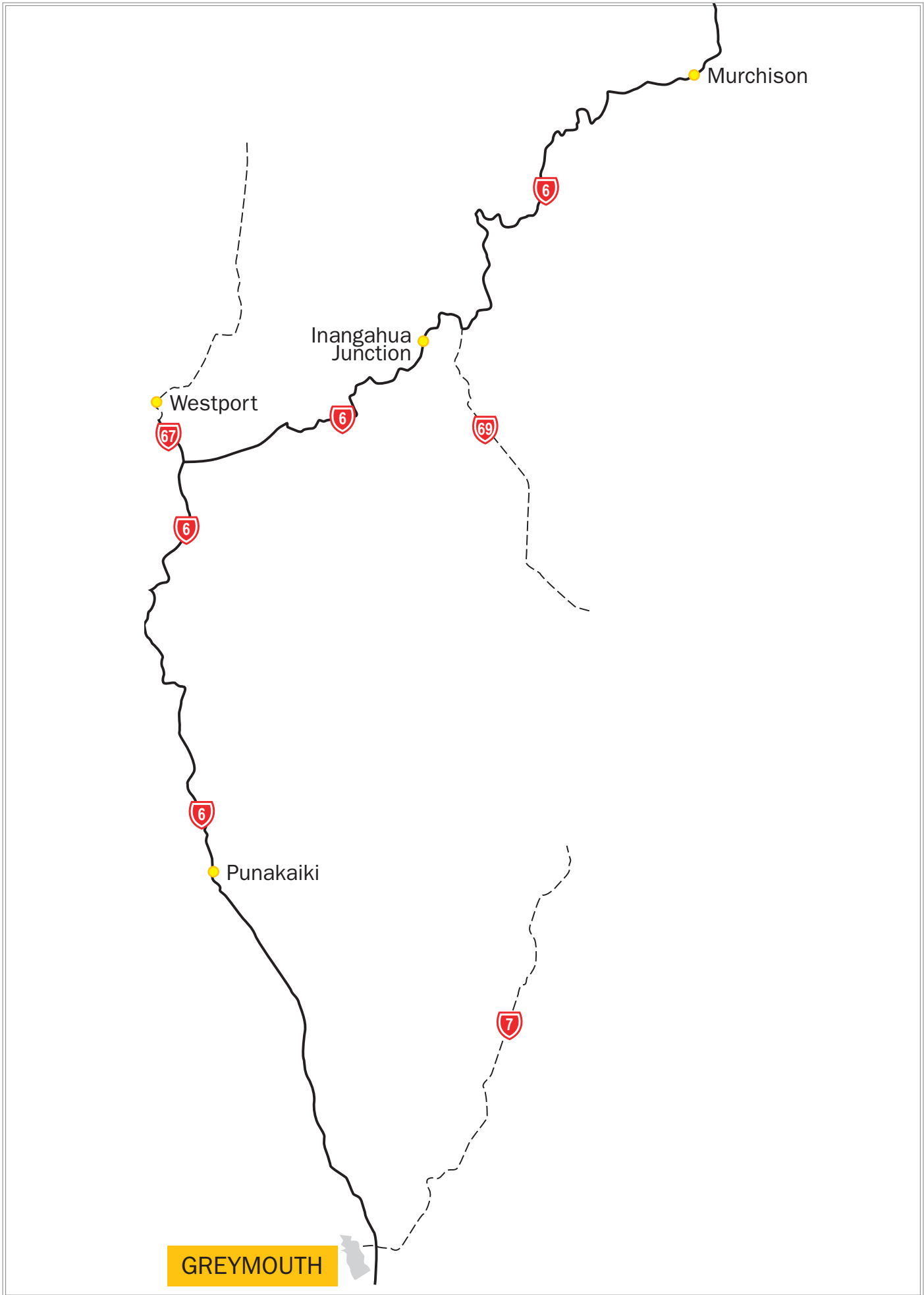


Day 3

Fox Glacier to Greymouth

Route	Road	Time (mins)	KMs
[Leave Fox Glacier]			
Franz Josef (Fuel)	SH 6	-	24
Harihari	SH 6	-	64
Ross	SH 6	-	46
Hokitika	SH 6	-	27
Paroa	SH 6	-	-
As you approach Paroa, pass Saltwater Creek Road, 100 metres			
Turn right into Rutherglen Road and visit West Coast VCC Clubrooms			
Greymouth (Fuel)	SH 6	-	45

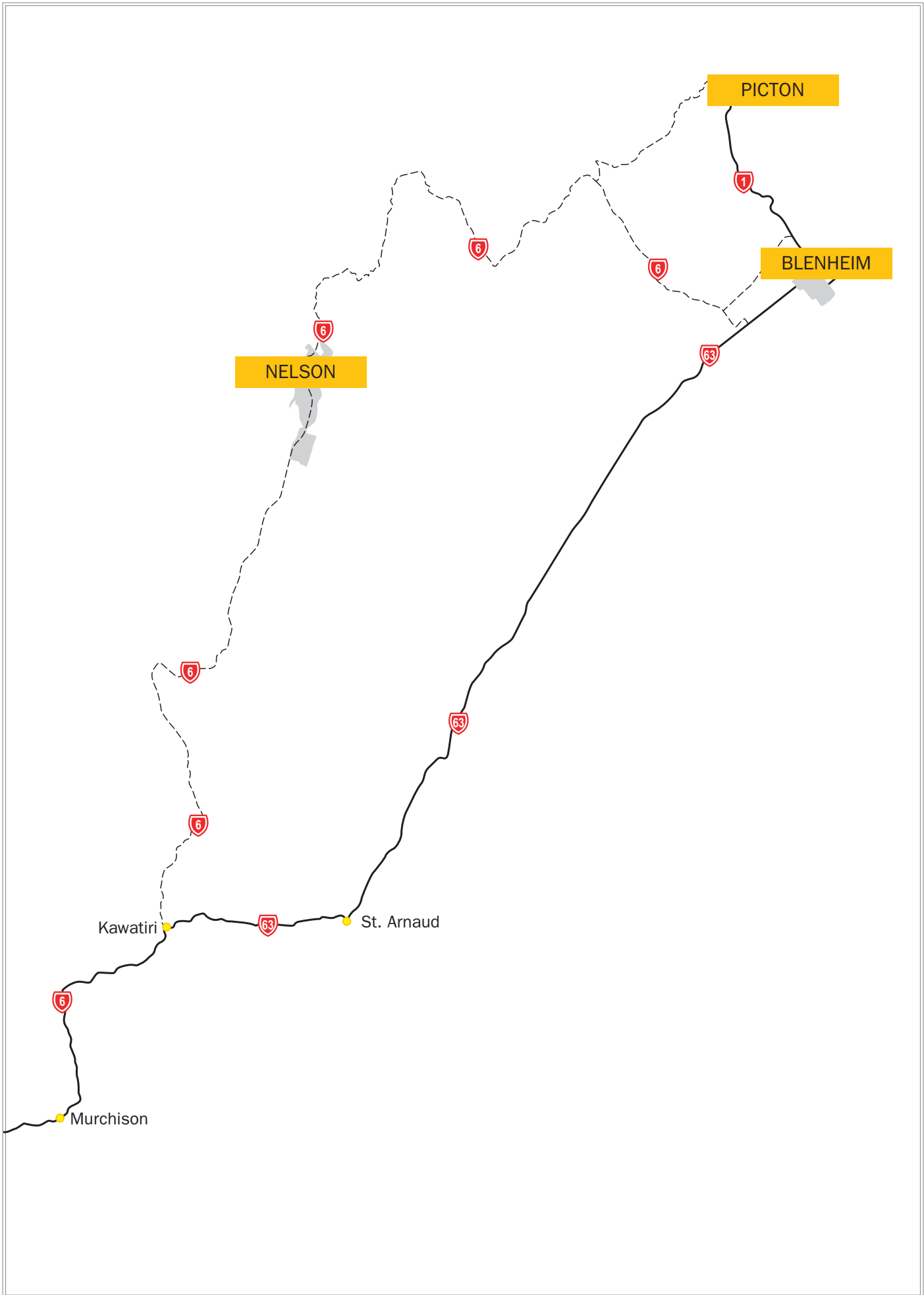
Stay overnight



Day 4

Greymouth to Picton

Route	Road	Time (mins)	KMs
Greymouth (fuel)	SH 6	-	-
Leave Greymouth northwards			
Bear left and cross over railway crossing			
Punakaiki	SH 6	-	44
Stop and see the pancake rocks			
Westport	SH 6	-	50
SH 67	SH 67	-	5
Option to visit town, fuel available; morning tea			
Inangahua Junction	SH 6	-	40
Turn left			
Keep on SH 6 to Murchison			
Murchison	SH 6	-	53



Day 4

Greymouth to Picton

Route	Road	Time (mins)	KMs
Murchison	SH 6	-	53
Kawatiri	SH 6	-	36
Bear right onto SH 63			
St. Arnaud	SH 63	-	24
Blenheim	SH 63	-	93

Main Road becomes Middle Renwick Road

On your left pass Rose Street

Pass Severne Street on your right

On your left pass Adam's Lane

After 100 metres turn right into Batty's Road

At the main T junction, pass Waters Avenue on your left hand side and turn left into New Renwick Road

Pass Waikura on your right hand side

Turn right into Arthur Baker Place and then right into Brayshaw Park to Marlborough VCC Clubrooms

Leave Clubrooms

Turn right into New Renwick Road to first roundabout

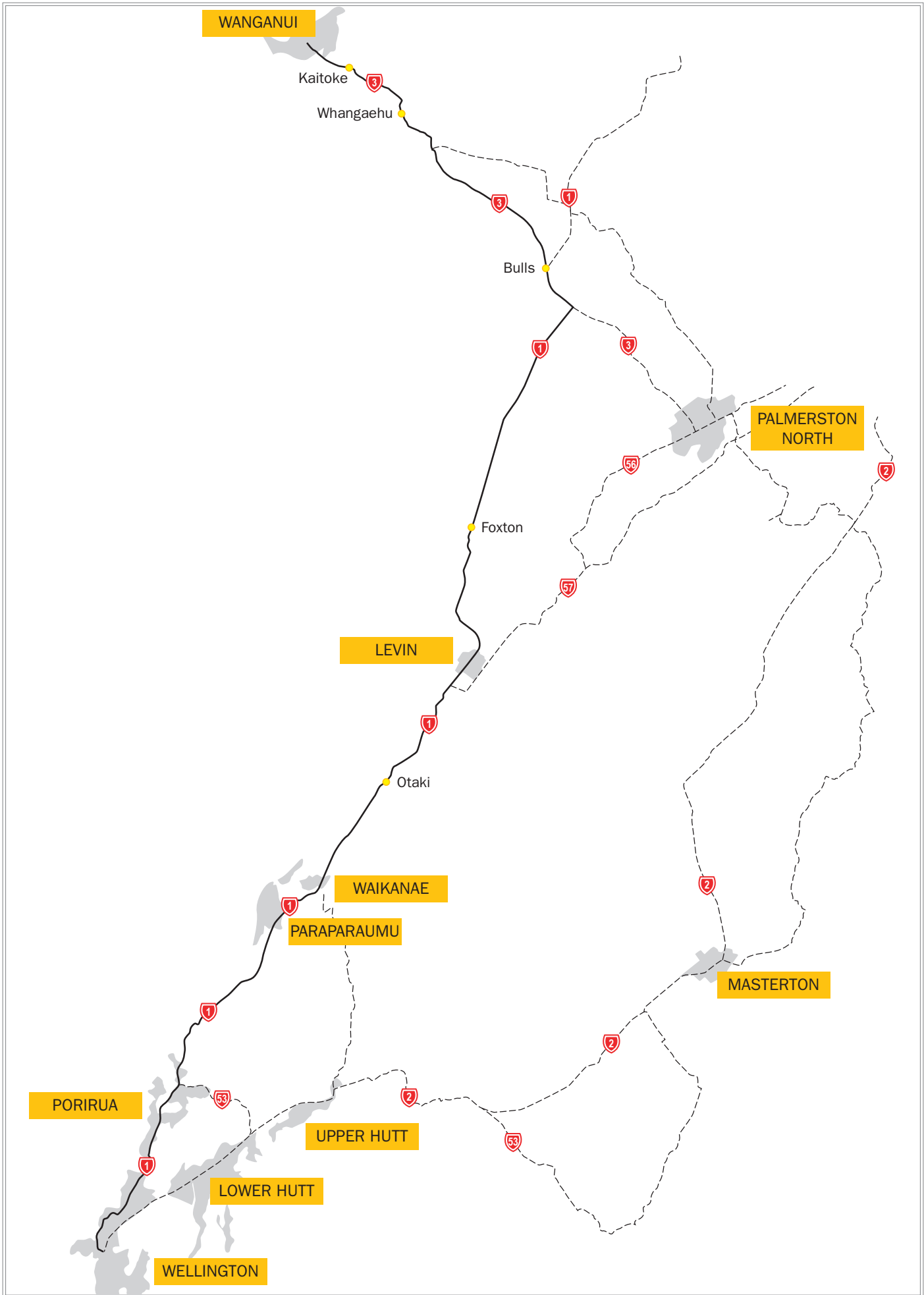
Take first exit into Maxwell Road, straight over roundabout Maxwell Road

At second roundabout, take first exit onto SH 1 towards Picton

Picton	SH 1	-	28
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Go to the ferry point

Refer to page over for the most direct route to Wanganui.



Day 5

Wellington to Wanganui

Clubrooms and Spares Department open 8:00am for a 9:00am start.

*Total Distance Today Approximately 120 miles / 192 km
Travel time only to Wanganui approximately 4 hours*

START: Wellington Branch Clubrooms Halford Place Petone. (Eastern End of Jackson Street)

Leave Clubrooms and veer left into Jackson Street.

Left into Patrick Street (Note this is a 100 year old heritage area with houses that have been restored. In the Colonial era)

Straight ahead at Give Way

Left at T. Somes Island is directly in front of you. Now a D.O.C. area.

Continue on the Esplanade and into Waione Street.

Pass over the Hutt River

Take the First exit from the Roundabout (Left Hand lane)

Continue on Randwick Road passing through Moera township.

Continue over Railway Bridge

2nd exit from the Roundabout into Whitesline East.

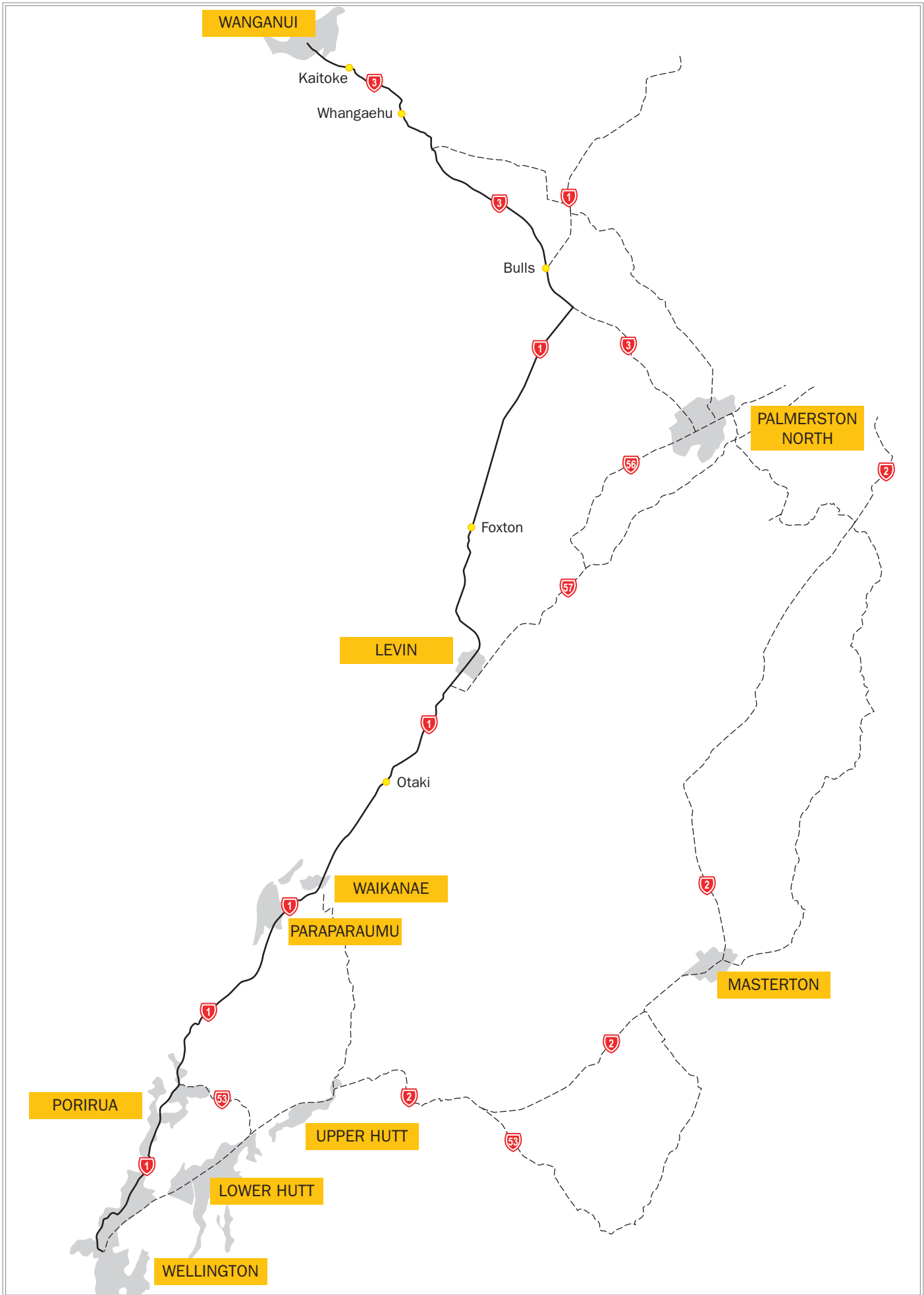
Move into left hand lane before traffic lights and turn left into Cambridge Terrace.

Continue on Cambridge Terrace keeping Railway line on your left.

Turn Right into Naenae Road

Veer left to continue on Naenae Road.

1st exit from the Roundabout to follow Upper Hutt sign (Daysh Street)



Day 5

Wellington to Wanganui

Over Railway Bridge and continue Straight ahead at roundabout. Follow Wellington Upper Hutt signs.

Pass Over the Hutt River

Right at Lights to continue on SH2 (Two lanes turn Right at this set of lights.)

Turn Left at Highway 58. (Haywards Hill) To follow Porirua Pauatahanui signs.

Continue on Highway 58 towards Pauatahanui.

Second Exit from Roundabout.

Follow Through Pauatahanui Village. (Mind the Humps)

Left Into Grays Road

Turn Right at Plimmerton traffic Lights onto SH1. (Two Lanes for Right Turn)

Follow SH1 through Pukerua Bay, Paekakariki, Paraparaumu and Waikanae.

Southward Museum is at Otaihanga and well worth a visit. (Maybe on your way back)

Pass through Te Horo and onto Otaki.

Straight ahead at Roundabout.

As you approach Levin and enter the 70kph zone pass Hokio Beach Rd on your Left

Enter the 50kph zone and pass the Railway Station on your Right

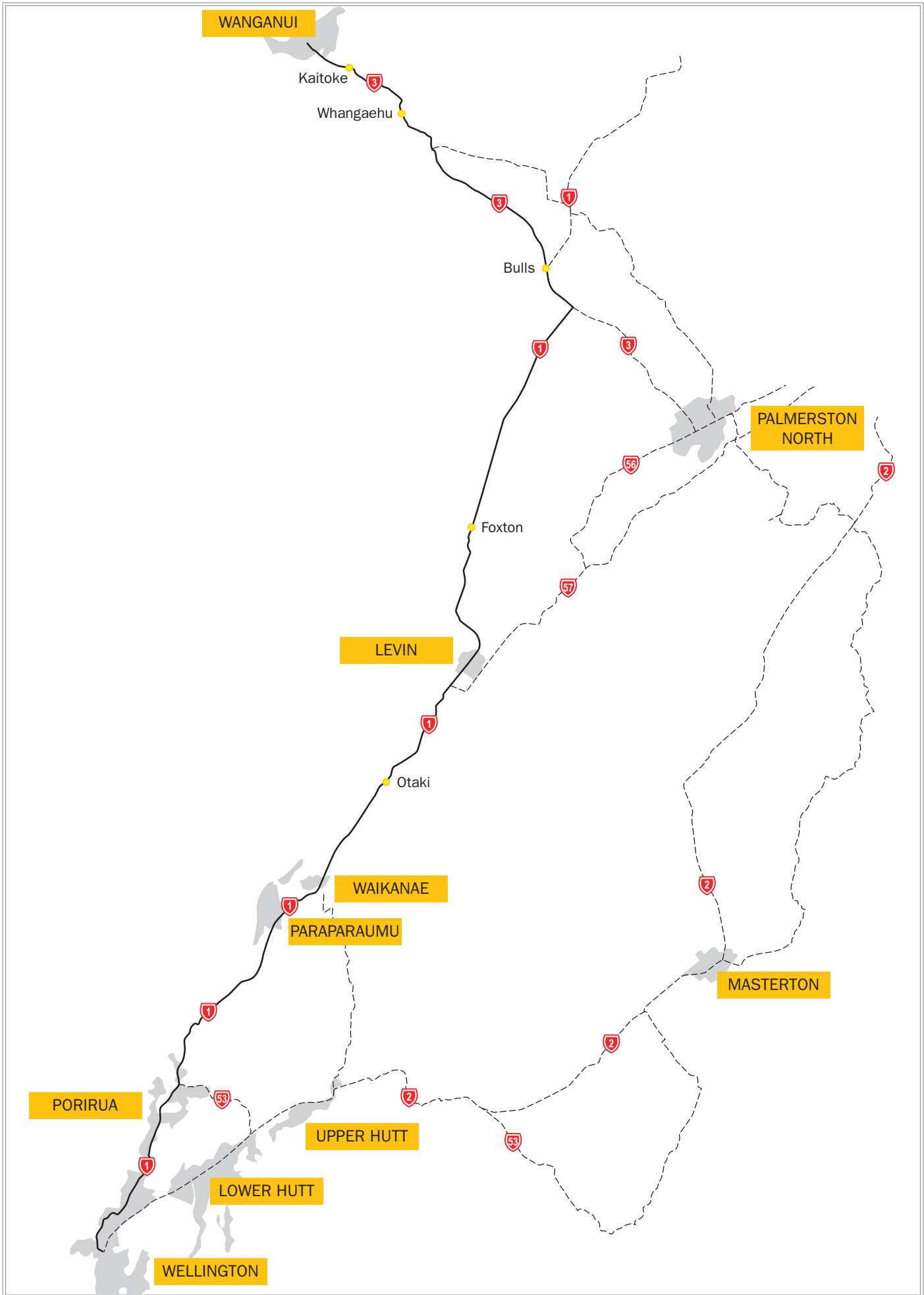
Pass the B.P. Service Station on your Left

Next Left Makomako Rd (There is a large park on the opposite corner)

3rd Right Tiro Tiro Rd

At approx 100 Metres turn Right into the Horowhenua Branch Clubrooms

Levin was the home of the LEVIN INTERNATIONAL MOTOR RACING CURCUI of the 50's through to the 70's



Day 5

Wellington to Wanganui

Leaving the Clubrooms turn right into Tiro Tiro Rd

Left at Tee Kawi Rd and stay on until

Left at Stop **WITH CAUTION** (This is SH1 no sign)

Ignore Waitarere Beach Rd on your Left

Cross the Manawatu River and travel onto a long concrete bridge.

This bridge is known locally as the WHIROKINO TRESTLE BRIDGE. It was built with manpower labour during the depression years. The land below was originally a flood plain for the Manawatu River and was a swamp. As you cross the bridge you will notice large stop banks passing under the bridge these are part of Moutoa Floodway. There are large flood gates built into the river stop banks at Moutoa and when opened the water flows between these stop banks to join the river nearer to the sea.

To visit the shopping centre of Foxton you need to turn off SH1 follow the signs

Foxton has a Windmill and cafes which might be a good lunch stop.

Continue onto Sanson (another possible lunch stop)

At Sanson turn Left to follow SH1 & SH3 Taihape & Wanganui.

Continue onto Bulls.

At Bulls ahead to follow SH3 Wanganui Leaving SH1 Taupo on your Right

Continue on SH3 to pass through WHANGAEHU and KAITOKE

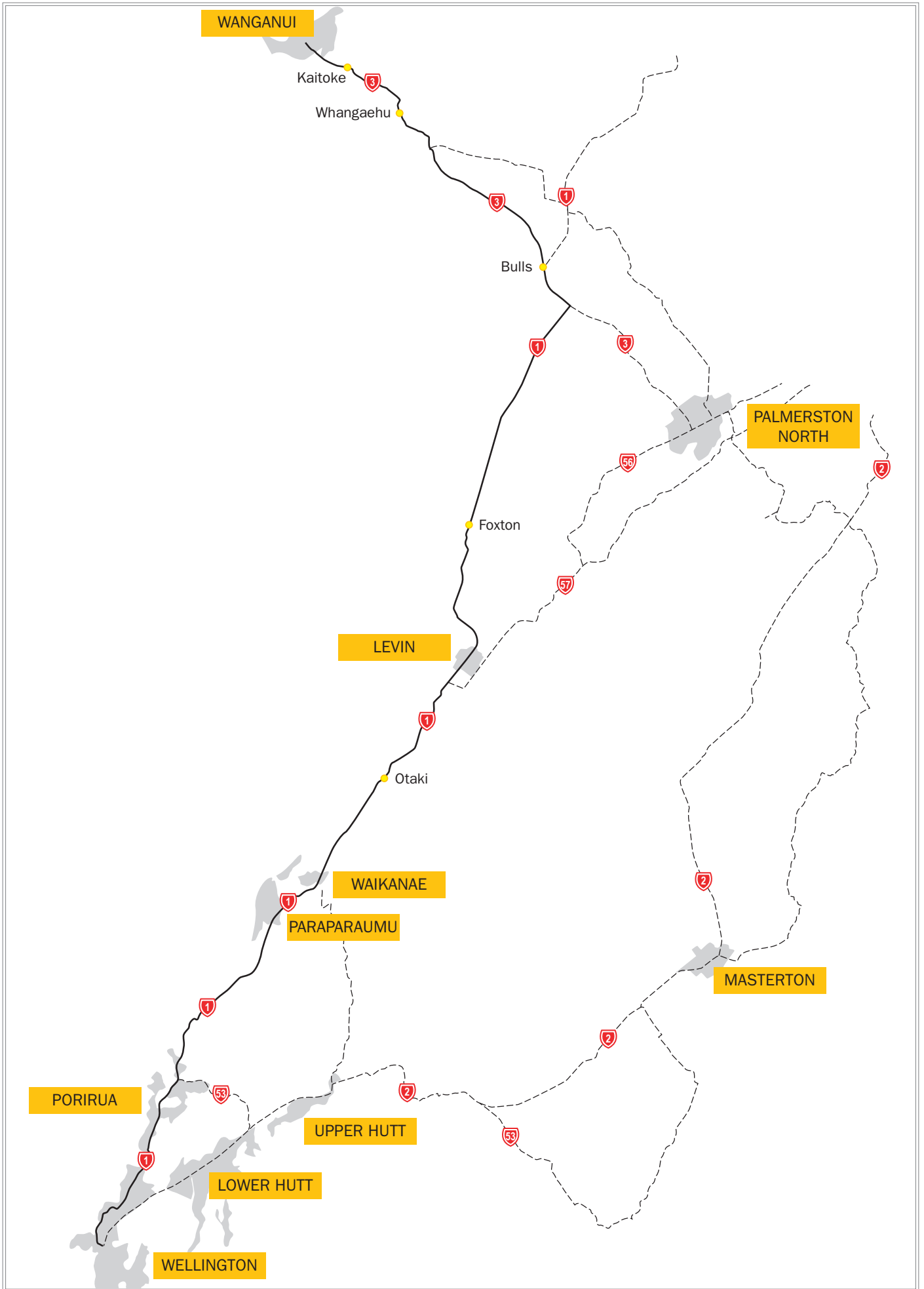
After passing the 80kph sign move to Right turn lane to follow National Park SH4 (Wikitoria Rd)

Stay on SH4 which becomes Putiki Drive

Ahead at Traffic Lights (Putiki Drive becomes Anzac Parade)

Left at Roundabout to cross Dublin St Bridge

Left at the next Roundabout onto Somme Parade



Day 5

Wellington to Wanganui

Stay on Somme Parade keeping the Wanganui River on your Left and you will come to a CONTROLLED AREA.

At the CONTROLLED AREA please follow directions to the 'WELCOME AREA'

After you have been welcomed to WANGANUI CITY and the VCC RALLY 2012 please proceed to your accommodation.

We sincerely hope you have enjoyed the tour to Wanganui