



Prime Minister

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Trout Fishing and Recovery from Breast Cancer in New Zealand

As a keen trout fisherman and the Minister of Tourism it is my great pleasure to encourage you to enjoy some of the best trout fishing in the world.

Breast cancer affects a growing number of women and recovery from treatment can be a long and sometimes traumatic experience.

It's great to see organisations like Casting For Recovery running innovative programmes that help breast cancer sufferers get better while teaching them one of the world's most relaxing and rewarding pastimes.

New Zealand is world-renowned for our trout fishing. Our sparkling rivers and lakes, our healthy trout fisheries, and our fantastic scenery complement our warm Kiwi hospitality and the wide range of facilities available for our visitors.

If ever there was a part of the world designed to help people recover from an illness – while making them feel at home – it must surely be in New Zealand.

Best wishes and happy fishing!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'John Key', written in a cursive style.

Hon John Key
Prime Minister
Minister of Tourism