

### PINELEE COUNTRY GARDEN

open: by appointment- admission: yes  
food: lunches and teas by arrangement  
owners: Warren and Judith Howard



The name Pinelee is appropriate as the garden is surrounded by tall Pinaster Pines. The plantings in the garden comprise a wide variety of natives from NZ, AUS and SA providing an interesting mixture of colour all the year. Warren is a mastercraftsman in traditional English furniture and gives lectures on furniture quality, marquetry and period design.

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### FLAMETREE ART GARDEN & GALLERY

open: spring to autumn (Sep-Apr) Thur-Sun 11-4  
closed winter/public holidays, details posted on website - owner: Shelley Chignell admission: free



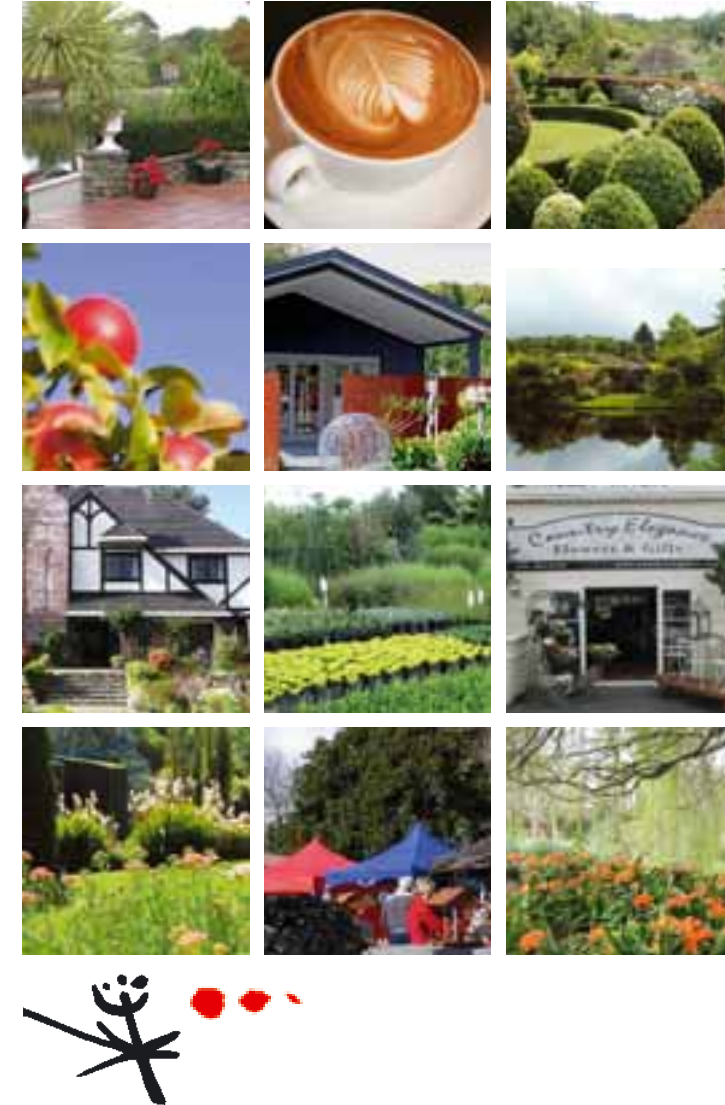
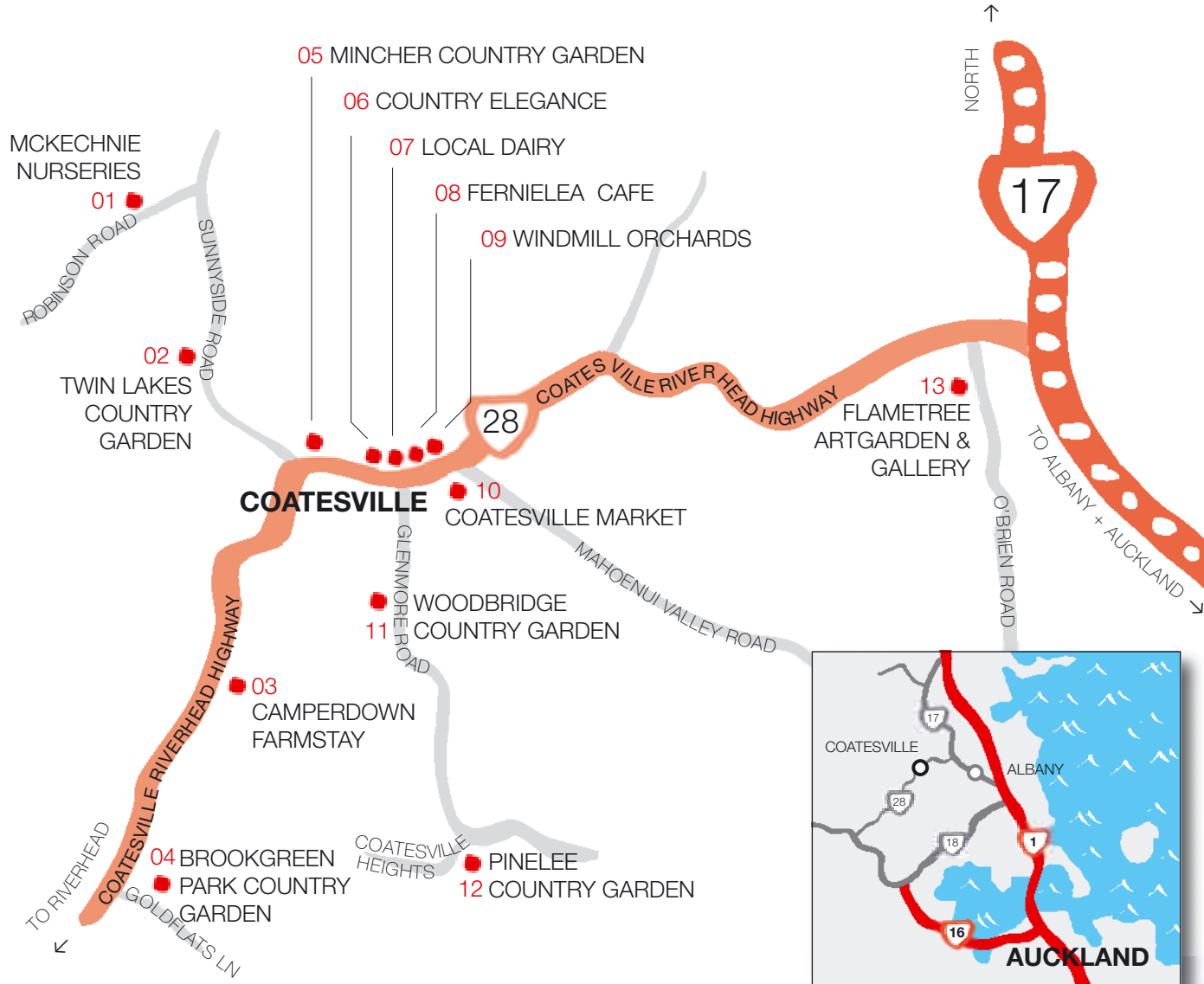
The professionally equipped gallery houses top-quality exhibitions of visual art and art objects, the outdoor sculpture court and garden walk hosts a changing array of outdoor artworks. High quality, original NZ artworks in a relaxed setting – children and well behaved dogs welcome! Drop by after a day at the market, café or local gardens to see what's new.

13 16a O'Brien Road  
Coatesville  
(look for the orange  
Flametree sign)  
(09) 414 7433  
www.flametreegallery.co.nz



## The Coatesville Experience

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# INTRO

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Just 10 minutes north of Auckland's fastest-growing city of Albany lies a peaceful valley filled with quiet country charm yet within reach of great coffee, exceptional food, landmark gardens, a bustling market, unique destinations and accommodation. Discover the Coatesville Experience...

## MCKECHNIE NURSERIES

**01** Robinson Road Coatesville  
(09) 415 8806  
mck.nursery@clear.net.nz  
mckechnienuseries.co.nz

open: Dec - Mar, Mon - Fri, 8.30 - 5.00  
Apr - Nov, as above plus Sat 9 - 5.00  
owners: Julie & Grant McKechnie admission: free



We're specialist growers of plants for rural places. But there's lots for town gardens too in our large selection of landscaping, shelter, hedging and native reveg plants. We grow what we sell, and offer friendly, helpful advice. Check out our range at Robinson Rd, 5 minutes from the heart of the village, or get in touch for stock enquiries, consultations or planting quotes.

## GARDEN OF SIGNIFICANCE TWIN LAKES COUNTRY GARDEN

**02** 83 Sunnyside Rd Coatesville RD3 Albany  
(09) 415 8762  
twin.lakes@xtra.co.nz  
www.twinlakes.co.nz

open: Oct to May, by appointment · admission: yes  
food: lunches and teas for groups by arrangement  
owners: Jim & Faye Nilsson



A peaceful country garden formed around a five acre lake with waterlilies and exotic water-fowl. It features ornamental borders around the house with areas of mixed planting, rock & bog gardens. Ostriches and sheep are farmed here and a large aviary is open for viewing. Sorry, no children or dogs.

## CAMPERDOWN FARMSTAY

**03** 455 Coatesville/Riverhead Highway, Coatesville  
(09) 415 9009  
chris@camperdown.co.nz  
www.camperdown.co.nz

open: all year  
food: yes  
owners: Chris and Dave Hempleman



Nestling in the rolling green splendour of the Coatesville valley, this is a home away from home. This comfortable Tudor-style home and small working farm with sheep and cows has been warmly welcoming local and international visitors for more than a decade. Great base from which to discover the history, great beaches, food, wine, walks, horse trails.

## GARDEN OF NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE BROOKGREEN PARK COUNTRY GARDEN

**04** 15 Goldflats Lane Coatesville  
(09) 415 4433  
(0274) 779 333  
brookgreen@xtra.co.nz  
www.gardens.org.nz

open: Oct to May, by appointment  
admission: yes food: lunches and teas by arrangement-picnics allowed-owners: Helen&Bryan Airey



A large country garden in park like setting with topiary and a Monet style bridge overlooking water lilies. Other areas are our maples and hostas, clivias under trees, palm garden and potager. With water features in different parts of the garden it makes for a relaxing time away from the pressures of city life. Sorry no children or dogs, not suitable for wheelchairs.

## GARDEN OF NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE MINCHER COUNTRY GARDEN

**05** 338 Coatesville Riverhead Hwy, RD3 Albany, Auckland,  
(09) 415 7469  
minchergarden@xtra.co.nz  
www.gardens.org.nz

open: all year by appointment only · admission: yes  
food: lunches and teas for groups by arrangement  
owners: Bruce and Angela Spooner



A Georgian styled home set amongst the remnants of an old orchard. Formal area: Cottage garden, "kissing gates", four hectares of native walkways, expansive grassed areas, a traditional walled kitchen garden, complete with gardener's cottage and Victorian inspired glasshouses. Water is a feature throughout with viewing platforms of stream and bush.

## COUNTRY ELEGANCE LUXURY GIFTS & FRESH FLOWERS

**06** 308 Coatesville/Riverhead Highway, Coatesville  
(09) 443 4150  
info@countryelegance.co.nz  
www.countryelegance.co.nz

open: Mon-Thu 9-5.30 · Fri 9-6 · Sat 10-4  
food: chocolate!  
admission: free



Purveyors of luxury gifts and sensational fresh flowers. Our store is full of an abundance of absolutely beautiful items: paintings, candles, furniture, French accessories, homewares, fine glassware and fabulous fresh flowers! We have a huge range of gift ideas, including hand made soaps, glassware, gift baskets, mens & ladies toiletries, greeting cards.

### COUNTRY CLASSIC

## COATESVILLE STORE LOCAL DAIRY

**07** Coatesville Village Coatesville/Riverhead Hwy  
(09) 415 9745

open: Summer Mon-Fri 7-7. w/e 8-6.30  
Winter Mon-Fri 7-6. w/e 8-6  
food: yes admission: free



Right in the heart of Coatesville country village is the long-established Coatesville Store. This is the place to stop for big, hand-rolled ice-creams in heaps of flavours. Browse the village notice board to find everything from a new pony to a ride-on mower or a house-sitting position. Spend a few minutes on the seat out front to watch the world go by.

## FERNIELEA CAFÉ LICENSED CAFE

**08** 302 Coatesville Riverhead Highway, Coatesville available for private functions, phone to book  
(09) 415 6442  
www.fernieleacafe.co.nz

open: Wed - Sun 8.30 - 4, Fri nights 5 - late  
owners: Rachel and Matt Macfarlane  
bookings recommended



Quality service and a friendly atmosphere makes this a relaxing dining experience. Only five minutes from Albany, the cafe has impressive all-day breakfast and lunch menu. Quality meals are creatively presented, fresh produce is grown onsite, great coffee, delicious hand-made slices. The sunny deck overlooks the beautiful garden, playground and sandpit.

## WINDMILL FRUIT ORCHARD AND SHOP

**09** 294 Coatesville Highway Coatesville  
(09) 415 9497  
info@windmillorchards.co.nz  
www.windmillorchards.co.nz

open: shop all year, orchard daily mid Jan-31 May  
Mon-Fri 8.30-6.00, w/e & pblc. hlds 8.30-5.30  
owner: Graham Jensen admission: free



Bringing you healthy country goodness from our farm at our shop in central Coatesville. Visit our beautiful orchard and experience the fun of picking your own high quality fruit straight off the tree. Or buy ready picked. We also stock our own delicious fruit juices and garden fresh veggies, from our farm and other local growers. Fresh, local, delicious.

### ONE OF AUCKLAND'S FINEST

## COATESVILLE MARKET COUNTRY MARKET

**10** cnr Mahoenui Valley Rd Coatesville/Riverhead Hwy  
for more information  
phone (09) 444 4636  
Market Manager: Leanne

open: 1st Sunday of every month except January  
10am-2pm · also two twilight markets per year:  
3rd week March and 2nd week Dec 3pm-8pm



One of Auckland's finest markets, jam-packed with great food, crafts and artisan wares in the beautiful rural setting of the Coatesville Settlers Hall and Reserve. Join those in the know. 100 stalls with local crafts, fresh produce, hand made wares, multi-cultural food, hand-made clothes - all NZ made. Plenty of parking available. No Eftpos so bring cash.

### GARDEN OF NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE

## WOODBIDGE COUNTRY GARDEN

**11** 36 Glenmore Road Coatesville  
(09) 415 7525  
woodbridgegardens@xtra.co.nz  
www.woodbridgegardens.co.nz

open: all year by appointment · admission: yes  
food: lunches and teas by arrangement  
owners: Christine & Tony Peek



Starting as bare farmland in 1991, Woodbridge has matured into a 10-acre country garden, featuring perennial borders, vegetable garden, Mediterranean garden, bog gardens and bluebell wood. Tony and Christine invite you to visit and enjoy the tranquil and delightful surrounds of Woodbridge garden.