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FLIGHT CARD

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Cape Reinga - Northland

Water · New Zealand

GPS coordinates	-34.42062, 172.67963
Elevation	0 m
Maximum height	120 m max
Access	On foot < 1,000 m
Spot reference	298295



Spot location and restrictions (Drone-Spot map image)

Sun (local times, UTC+13:00)

Day	Dawn	Sunrise	Sunset	Dusk	Day length	Golden hour
Sun 22 Nov	05:45	06:13	20:18	20:46	14 h 05	06:13–06:49 · 19:42–20:18
Mon 23 Nov	05:44	06:12	20:19	20:47	14 h 06	06:12–06:48 · 19:43–20:19
Tue 24 Nov	05:44	06:12	20:20	20:48	14 h 07	06:12–06:48 · 19:44–20:20

Description

At the northern tip of New Zealand, come and admire the separation between the Tasman Sea and the Pacific Ocean and its beautiful lighthouse. Easy access on foot less than 1 kilometre from the car park. Video of Cape Reinga from 1:37

Scan to open the up-to-date spot page: weather, map and restrictions.

https://www.drone-spot.tech/en/fiche-spot.aspx?id=298295

Before every flight: check the UAS zones map, NOTAMs and temporary areas, the weather and the Kp index.

Preparing the flight

Pre-flight Check-List

- ☐ Area checked: UAS zones, restrictions, protected areas
- ☐ NOTAMs and temporary areas checked
- ☐ Weather: wind, gusts, rain, visibility; Kp index
- ☐ Operator number displayed on the drone
- ☐ Training certificate or licence with me
- ☐ Third-party liability insurance checked
- ☐ Batteries charged: drone, controller, phone
- ☐ Propellers, motors and frame in good condition
- ☐ Memory card inserted and empty
- ☐ Software up to date, compass and IMU calibrated
- ☐ Return to home: home point and return height set
- ☐ Electronic signalling or remote ID active
- ☐ Take-off area clear, people informed and at a distance
- ☐ Observer present for FPV flights

Good practice

This spot is outside Europe: the country's rules apply. Check with its civil aviation authority before flying; the Drone-Spot library gathers leaflets from several countries.

- Keep the drone in sight and fly low (120 m maximum is the most common rule).
- Do not fly over people, crowds or roads.
- Stay away from aerodromes, military sites and prohibited areas.
- Check whether registration, training or an authorisation is required in the country.
- Respect privacy and check your insurance.

Non-exhaustive summary: rules change. Reference: the DGAC open-category guide and the country's regulations.

Useful links

UAS zones map around the spot : https://www.drone-spot.tech/en/carte-uas.aspx?lat=-34.42062&lon=172.67963
Drone pilot library : https://www.drone-spot.tech/en/bibliotheque

My flight notes

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