

More Great Savings on Tolls!

We're very pleased to announce a drop in price on many of our toll rates for our customers, from 1st July.

BENEFITS

Quicksilver's tolls have NO minimum monthly spend, NO joining fee, NO peak periods, and Favourite Country rates for further discounts to your 3 favourite places.

We've included some samples of the new rates on the right.

To see more information on signing up for toll calls through Quicksilver, see our website:

www.quicksilver.co.nz/tolls.htm

Country	Normal Rate	Favourite Rate
Australia	25c	14c
China	22c	18c
China Mobile	22c	18c
Fiji	79c	64c
India	79c	54c
Indonesia	79c	39c
Malaysia	35c	19c
Pakistan	\$1.66	\$1.54
South Africa	72c	35c
South Korea	25c	14c
South Korea Mob	42c	32c
Thailand	73c	45c
UK	25c	14c
USA	25c	14c
Vietnam	\$1.95	\$1.18

Prices per minute, excluding GST

Refer a Friend - earn \$10

If you have an existing account with us, and you refer a friend to us, you'll receive a **\$10 credit on your tolls or internet account.**

Simply ask your friend to mention your Internet Username or Tolls Phone Number when they apply.

\$10 credit will automatically be added to your Quicksilver account when your friend pays their first invoice.

Direct Debit Prize Draw

Pay by one of our preferred methods (see below) during July, and you will automatically go in the draw to win one of 3 giftboxes from www.sendabox.co.nz, or our main prize, an HP Deskjet 3325 Printer from www.pcu.co.nz

All you need to do to be in the draw is pay by Direct Debit, ongoing Credit Card payments, or have a



Prepaid dialup account in the month of July.

To set up a Direct Debit payment, print out the

form here:

www.quicksilver.net.nz/payment_options.html

Call us to set up ongoing credit card payments, or to prepay your dialup account for 3, 6 or 12 months. The winners will be drawn on 20th July.

Sponsored by:



PC's Unlimited
www.pcu.co.nz

Send A Box
www.sendabox.co.nz



Last Month's Winners

Congratulations to last month's prize draw winners!

Winners of the Lifeview Flycam USB 100k Pixel Webcams:

Bill Edmonds, Auckland
Eve Lima, Auckland

Winner of the main prize Lifeview Flycam USB 300k Pixel Webcam:

Beverly Parlane, Christchurch

NZ Domain Names
\$49.50
per year

www.quicksilver.co.nz/webhosting.html

9 Quick Computer Security Hints

- Quicksilver scans incoming email for viruses, but email is not the only way viruses can infect your computer. Install a good Antivirus program and scan and update regularly. We recommend AVG (Free download from www.grisoft.com).
- Be wary of clicking on popup ads or messages from websites. These are often designed to trick you and will install unwanted software.
- Consider running a personal firewall such as the free Zone Alarm at www.zonelabs.com.
- File sharing programs can push you over your Jetstream data allowance if you allow them to share files with other users. Don't leave them running, and switch off sharing if possible.
- Use hard to guess passwords, and change them regularly.
- Don't allow others to use your computer without your knowledge. If they do anything illegal, you could be liable.
- Run Spybot to check for Spyware (unwanted software that has installed secretly on your computer). Free download from <http://beam.to/spybotsd>
- Visit Windows Update regularly (<http://windowsupdate.microsoft.com>) and get the latest security updates.
- Make sure kids internet access is supervised, and in a busy area of the house where you can see them. Talk to them about the dangers of giving out personal information, meeting with strangers, or sending their photo. Not everyone online is who you think they are.

CONTACT DETAILS

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Corporate Website: www.quicksilver.co.nz
Members' Website: www.quicksilver.net.nz
Webmail page: webmail.quicksilver.net.nz

Helpdesk: (8.30 AM to 10 PM, 7 days, Public Holidays 9 AM to 5 PM):
0508 QSILVER (0508 774583)

Dialup numbers (see www.quicksilver.net.nz/help_connect.html for a full list):
Auckland: 9160210, 9774100
Hamilton: 9575500
Christchurch: 9400100, 9615922
Palmerston North: 9520800
Wellington: 9168000
All other areas: 086745837

Customer Profile

www.kauricomputer.co.nz



Kauri Computer Services are a brand new reseller of Quicksilver Internet Services in Dargaville.

Being one of the many Kiwi's stuck on a rural dialup connection, they well know the frustrations of not being eligible for Jetstream high speed internet.

They reckoned Quicksilver Slipstream was the perfect answer to their problems, and were more than happy with the results.

Ian and John from Kauri Computers downloaded the free Slipstream trial and installed it on their home computers. John is about 7kms "down the line" and Ian about 15km from the Dargaville exchange. Both of them experience the usual dial up difficulties that are so common throughout rural areas. Both of them were somewhat sceptical that this product would in fact do what it claimed, after having tried other Web Accelerator products, which didn't work for them.

John said "This one certainly did work for us. We have both noticed an appreciable improvement in our connections, up to 2.7 times faster on web browsing"

Kauri Computer Services offer PC services from training, to PC maintenance and Desktop Publishing, with a wonderful personal touch and outstanding service to their customers.

Quicksilver's new Slipstream service speeds up web browsing and email on a dialup connection, and can be added to any dialup account for just \$10, with a free one month trial.

See www.quicksilver.co.nz/slipstream for more information about Slipstream or visit Kauri Computer Services at:

79 Victoria Street. Dargaville.
New Zealand
Phone: +64 9 439 4315
E-Mail: sales@kauricomputer.co.nz
www.kauricomputer.co.nz/services.htm

Business Watch

New Q-biz Connect Business Package

\$99
per month

Q-biz Connect is a complete small business internet package, with everything you need to get your business online for one low monthly fee of **\$99 inc. GST.** (install and connection fees may apply)

Benefits of Q-biz Connect Package

- a complete small business internet package
- value for money
- versatility
- free helpdesk

What's Included

- Internet connection - flatrate dialup or Jetstream (Jetstream line & install charged separately by Telecom)
- 1 year FREE domain registration (worth \$49.50)
- Domain hosting & 20MB webhosting
- Up to 20 mailboxes
- Q-biz Virtual Mail Server, for up to 20 users
- Customised webmail system - branded with your logo and company colours

Full details of the package available here:

www.quicksilver.co.nz/qbizconnect.html

About Q-biz Mail Server

Q-biz Virtual Mail Server gives you an easy, affordable, secure way to control your business's email addresses without the need for expensive hardware.

Find out more about Q-biz Virtual Mail Server at www.Q-biz.co.nz

Sign up for the Q-biz Connect Package today:

Email sales@quicksilver.co.nz or ring 0508 774 583

Surfing with Quicksilver

BUYING A PC ONLINE



If you're thinking about buying a new PC, or upgrading, or even looking at a new printer or scanner, the first place to start is online.

Almost all PC retailers in NZ now have at least catalogues online, and most allow you to order through the website and have the item delivered.

Research your products carefully. Usually Google.com is a good place to start looking for reviews. Shop around as well, as many PC retail prices vary.

PC's Unlimited
www.pcu.co.nz

Kauri Computer Services
www.kauricomputer.co.nz/services.htm

Silicon Tree Computers
www.silicontree.co.nz

JM Computer Services
www.jmcomputers.co.nz

Atech Computers
www.atech.co.nz

Smart PC's
www.smartpc.co.nz

Compare Prices with Pricespy
www.pricespy.co.nz

PC World Reviews
<http://tinyurl.com/esjw>

GeekZone Reviews
www.geekzone.co.nz

Tom's Hardware Reviews
www.tomshardware.com

E-One Computers
www.e-one.co.nz

Ascent Computers
www.ascent.co.nz

Paradigm PC's
www.ppc.nz

Advantage Computers
www.advantage.co.nz

Compulink
www.compulink.co.nz

Dick Smith Electronics
www.dse.co.nz