



RNZYS 2017 CHARITY REGATTA

**#GREATBLAKERACE**



**THE ROYAL NEW ZEALAND YACHT SQUADRON AND SIR PETER BLAKE TRUST IS DELIGHTED TO INVITE YOU TO THE 2017 CHARITY REGATTA 'GREAT BLAKE RACE'**

**CELEBRATING  
GREAT YACHTIES...  
PAST, PRESENT  
& FUTURE**

We invite you to join us to celebrate yachting greatness and raise money for two great causes at the home yacht club of Emirates Team New Zealand and the America's Cup!

Building on the massive success of last year's Charity Regatta we are again partnering with the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron for this year's Charity Regatta 'Great Blake Race'.

Join us for an afternoon of sailing, followed by great food, beverages, live auction and live music and sail in the name of Sir Peter Blake with members of ETNZ as we celebrate those great yachties of the past, present and future.

Funds raised from this event will support the Sir Peter Blake Trust Young Blake Expeditions that provides life changing adventures in the foot steps of Sir Peter and the RNZYS International Sailing Fund that helps our most talented youth sailors take their yachting careers to the international stage.

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| <b>DATE</b>      | Thursday 2nd November 2017, from 1pm   |
| <b>VENUE</b>     | Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron   |
| <b>PROGRAMME</b> | 1pm - Welcome drinks and canapes   |
|                  | 1.45pm - Race briefing   |
|                  | 2.15pm - Skippers and crews depart for their yachts                                |
|                  | 3pm - 'Great Blake Race' start - harbour sail                                      |
|                  | 5.30pm - Approximate 'Great Blake Race' finish in front of the Squadron            |
|                  | 6pm - Prizegiving, food and beverage tasting stations, live auction and live music |
|                  | 12am - Event finish  |

**TICKETS**

\$250 per person or \$2,400 for a boat of 10 people. Strictly limited tickets available. Ticket price includes drinks and canapes on arrival, the 'Great Blake Race' on an RNZYS members' yacht for a harbour sail and an evening of delicious food tasting stations prepared by Head Chef Leigh Lambert, beverage, live auction with over \$100,000 worth of items up for grabs and live music by Phil Madsen.

To secure your tickets please contact Lara Harrison 0220793554 or [info@sirpeterblaketrust.org](mailto:info@sirpeterblaketrust.org)

We look forward to you joining us in November to celebrate yachting greatness!

Steve Mair  
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