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SPRINGTIME AND THE SEALINK JASSY DEAN GARDEN SAFARI

For the third year running, SeaLink is the main sponsor of the Jassy Dean Garden Safari on Waiheke Island, scheduled for 12th and 13th November.

Under the clear blue skies of spring the island is splashed with light and colour and those “on safari” get to experience magnificent island landscapes as they travel between stunningly beautiful gardens not normally open to the public.

“We are enormously grateful to SeaLink for their sponsorship,” said trustee Greg Dean. “Our partnership has been instrumental in growing this wonderful event.” The Jassy Dean Trust has been raising funds through the garden safari for the past 11 years and island children suffering from health issues are the beneficiaries of these efforts, as well as their families and the wider community.

SeaLink’s general manager Todd Bolton says the company works hard to promote the event to Aucklanders. “We are delighted to continue our relationship with the Trust as this sponsorship is a perfect fit for us - the best way to get around the safari is by car and SeaLink is perfectly positioned to deliver this business.”

SeaLink offers a special package for the weekend for \$188. This includes two people in their car on the ferry and two tickets to the safari (a saving of \$72). Accommodation packages are also available and people without a car can choose the coach tour option. Visitors are reminded to book early as it is a very popular event in the island’s calendar.

“We see the Jassy Dean Trust as a vital community charity,” said Mr Bolton “having the opportunity to support such a worthwhile event at the same time as bringing business to the island creates a “win, win” situation for everyone.”

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