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SEALINK SPONSORS ONETANGI BEACH RACES

The Onetangi Beach Races is firmly established on Waiheke Island's colourful calendar of events.

It's a day that is worked around the lowest possible tide, providing the maximum amount of sand at the right time of day, meaning the event sometimes runs in February, March or April. Whatever the date, the event always promises a great day of family fun and this year it is scheduled for Sunday 28th February. Planned entertainment for the day has racing line-ups with individual horses, horses and buggies, tractors and Sealegs as well as games novelty races, tugs o' war and competitions.

SeaLink has been an enthusiastic sponsor for the past ten years. As part of their sponsorship the company provides transport for mainland horses to get to the island for the event as well as travel packages encouraging families to make the most of this fun-filled day. "We are promoting family travel deals" said general manager Donna Gauci "it's a "must-do" outing on any family's summer activity calendar."

For those who decide to bring their car for the day or the weekend, each adult will receive one free race pack.

FACT FILE:

Walk-on passenger options

Family Day Out \$104 – one adult and up to 3 kids

Family Day Out \$135 – two adults and up to 3 kids

Price includes ferry, bus transfers and one race pack.

Drive-on package options are also available and include one free race pack per adult (maximum 5 per car).

More information can be found on the Hot Deals page at www.sealink.co.nz

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