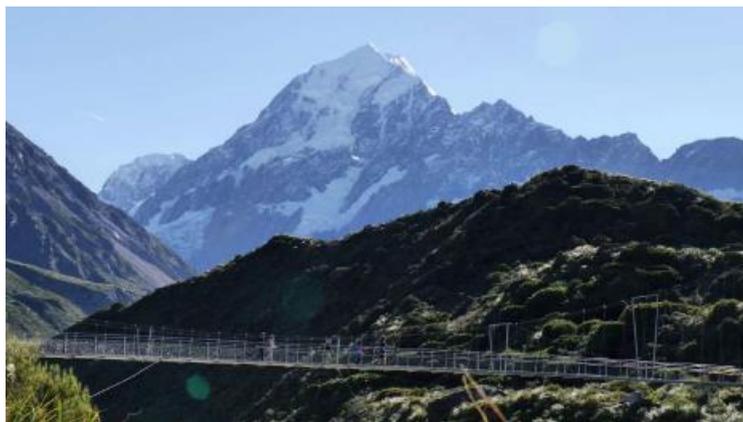


Kia ora! New Zealand is calling!

We are launching our next exciting **Charity Challenge Adventure**. This challenge will be led by Volunteer Charity Challenge Coordinator, Cath McDowell, who ably led our Three Capes Track Challenge back in 2017 and lives with Type One Diabetes.

The trip is put together by **No Roads Expeditions** who will have one of their experienced guides join us on the journey.



The Challenge is a seven-day guided trek on the picturesque South Island of New Zealand, starting in Christchurch and finishing in Queenstown. The final dates are yet to be set, but the trek will take place in October, 2021.



“There is a special silence one experiences when in the company of remote, giant mountains. It is nature at its purest and you will be part of this incredible scene as we venture from Mt Aoraki, New Zealand's highest peak, to the Southern Alps and the Gillespie Pass trail”.

During the trek there is an optional **Heli Hike on the Tasman Glacier**, at an additional cost per person, this trip duration is 3-4 hours, weather dependent. What an amazing opportunity!

If you would like more information including an itinerary emailed to you regarding this adventure or you would like to put in an expression of interest to join Cath please contact her via email cathy@howrahplumbing.com.au or on 0417 596 743.

As with all of our **Charity Challenges** the main aim (apart from having heaps of fun!) is of course to raise funds and awareness for Diabetes Tasmania, so of course there is a fundraising component that all participants will be asked to either pay themselves and be eligible to claim on their tax, or fundraise. There will be assistance available if you wish to fundraise and an online platform will be set up. This fundraising component is on top of any trip costs per person.



An update on Tour du Mont Blanc Charity Challenge

Due to the current COVID-19 pandemic it has been decided that travelling to Mont Blanc is not in the best interest and safety of our participants. So, we have sadly had to cancel this Charity Challenge, which was to be led by Leanne Clark, our Operations Manager. Leanne will soon be putting another Charity Challenge together and we will keep you informed of its whereabouts.