

***Enderby scholarships***  
***“Keeping alive the Spirit of Enderby”***



***Enderby Trust invites applications  
for the 2014/2015 Enderby Scholarships.***

***Enderby Scholarships allow recipients to experience the Southern and Pacific Ocean in the same spirit of exploration and discovery as the vessels of Enderby & Co.***

*Open to applicants aged 18 – 30 years, who would otherwise be unable to travel to the Southern Ocean.*

**Enderby Scholarship Background**

Starting in 1830 the London based *Enderby & Co* outfitted vessels for commercial voyages of discovery, captains were expected to go above and beyond their normal duties in the services of discover & exploration. A series of remarkable voyages began with the 1830 departure of the *Tula* and the *Lively*, on this voyage Captain John Biscoe discovered land at 67°S and named it Enderby Land. In 1838 John Balleny, sailing to the Southern Ocean on the *Eliza Scott* accompanied by the *Sabrina* discovered the Balleny Islands and Sabrina Land. A stalwart of *Enderby & Co*, Charles Enderby, was a founding member of the Royal Geographical Society and in 1841 he was admitted to the Royal Society of London for his “promotion of geographical discovery in the Antarctic regions”.

Enderby Trust works in conjunction with New Zealand’s premier expedition travel company, Heritage Expeditions, to offer scholarship positions aboard expeditions to the Subantarctic Islands and Antarctica aboard the *Spirit of Enderby*. Refer to [www.heritage-expeditions.com](http://www.heritage-expeditions.com) for vessel and expedition itinerary information.

Enderby Trust was founded by the Russ Family knowing the opportunities for young people to visit these regions are limited but believing it is vitally important that young people experience this amazing region. The Trustee’s hope scholarship participants will share their experiences and enthusiasm with other people and grow the awareness of the Southern Ocean and Antarctica. Each expedition is accompanied by a team of naturalists and biologists to enhance the learning possibilities.



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### **Application Process**

In less than four hundred words you must persuade the trustees why you should receive a scholarship and how the experience will benefit both you and the region. The trustees encourage creativity & passion, so let this shine through in your application. Applications can be submitted in the medium that best suits you!

Applications should include:

- 1) Full name and Date of Birth (proof of age may be required)
- 2) Address including daytime and after hours telephone numbers
- 3) Scholarship applied for (Name and Departure Date)
- 4) Submission expressing interest within the Southern Ocean (see above).
- 5) Name and address of one referee
- 6) Declaration that you have sufficient funds to pay the contribution required.

### **Submit applications to:**

The Trustees  
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### **Applicant Requirements**

Successful applicants for the scholarships are expected to make a contribution to the expedition cost. This equates to 30% of the advertised cost of the expedition, Enderby Trust contributes the remaining 70% plus applicable government landing fees.

Successful applicants are required to submit a presentation in a mutually agreed style on a topic of their choice within three months of their travel. Recipients are reminded that a goal of the trust is too encourage greater interest in and understanding of the Southern Ocean, its landscapes, history and biological diversity. The submitted presentation should be in keeping with the aims and goals of the trust.

### **Closing dates for applications:**

Friday 10 October 2014



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**Enderby Trust is offering scholarships on the following expeditions this season with Heritage Expeditions, full itineraries for these expeditions can be viewed at [www.heritage-expeditions.com](http://www.heritage-expeditions.com) :**

**Birding Down Under  
9 – 25 November 2014  
Invercargill to Waitangi/Christchurch, New Zealand**

Advertised price: US\$10,000 pp.  
Cost to successful applicant: US\$3,000

Heritage Expeditions offers this annual Southern Ocean expedition to cater for those interested in birds and nature. Birding Down Under is arguably one of the greatest birding expeditions anywhere in the world and gives participants a unique opportunity to view numerous birds, in some cases including rare pelagic species and also endemic island species, it is the only Heritage Expeditions voyage that visits all of the Subantarctic Islands including the Chatham Islands. This expedition will forever change your appreciation of the Southern Ocean and its wildlife. *(The Trustees will also pay the applicable landing fees of US\$750 pp)*

**Forgotten Islands of the South Pacific  
4 – 11 January 2015  
Invercargill to Invercargill, New Zealand**

Advertised price: US\$4,100 pp.  
Cost to successful applicant: US\$1,230

The New Zealand islands that this voyage visits are among the most remarkable wildlife reserves in the Southern Ocean, they are remote, uninhabited and on no regular shipping route. Exploring the forgotten islands of The Snares, Auckland and Campbell Islands we share in the world of the albatross, penguins and myriad seabirds that call these waters theirs, and the islands home for breeding. Timed to coincide with megaherb flowering time this voyage provides opportunity to those with zoological, ornithological and botanical interests. *(The Trustees will also pay the applicable landing fees of US\$375 pp)*



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## **South West Pacific Odyssey**

**6 – 23 April 2015**

**Tauranga, New Zealand to Kokopo/Rabaul, Papua New Guinea**

Advertised price: US\$6,300 pp.  
Cost to successful applicant: US\$1,890

Incorporating many of the key birding areas in the South West Pacific this cruise from New Zealand follows the path of the voyage traditionally known in birding circles as 'Western Pacific Odyssey or WPO', this itinerary ends in Papua New Guinea (with an option to continue on until Japan). Sailing from Tauranga for the rich waters of the Hauraki Gulf this voyage heads northward to Norfolk Island and New Caledonia. We then spend four days in the Solomon Islands birding on remote islands before cruising across the Britain Trench to our final port at the township of Kokopo in East New Britain, PNG.

Catering for those interested in birds, cultural history and the rich marine life of these lesser known islands in the South Pacific Ocean this odyssey allows participants the opportunity to experience the ecosystem of these Pacific and Melanesian islands. *(The Trustees will also pay the applicable landing fees of US\$500 pp).*

## **Pacific Pelagic Odyssey**

**23 April – 7 May 2015**

**Kokopo/Rabaul, Papua New Guinea to Yokohama, Japan**

Advertised price: US\$3,500 pp.  
Cost to successful applicant: US\$1,050

Departing from Kokopo, Papua New Guinea we cross deep into the equatorial ocean desert, this is the northern itinerary of the expedition popularly known in birding circles as 'Western Pacific Odyssey' which finishes at the Port of Yokohama, Japan. There are opportunities to see rare pelagic seabirds plus many island endemic species. The potential cetacean list includes Killer, Sperm, Melon-headed, Minke and Baird's Beaked Whales. Flying fish and squid have also been spotted breaking the water's surface. We stop at Truk Island (Federated States of Micronesia) where birding and snorkel opportunities are available before we set our course for Japan, en route our path will take us close to Torishima and Miyakejima Island. Although primarily about birds, this voyage is the only one of Heritage Expeditions Pacific Ocean expeditions that sails through this remote Pacific region. *(The Trustees will also pay the applicable landing fees of US\$100 pp).*



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