

Invest in our team so we can invest in yours



Photo Credit: Nathan Wakely, Biosecurity Ranger



Nestled in the heart of the mighty Waikato, Sanctuary Mountain® Maungatautari is the largest pest-proof fenced eco-sanctuary in New Zealand, home to some of the nation's most endangered species. My name is Helen and I'm the General Manager here. I am reaching out to organisations, such as yours, with the aim of establishing a partnership programme which includes the opportunity to pay **\$70,000 per year** to sponsor one of our ten rangers. Ideally, I would love partnerships to be a three-year commitment so that I can focus the team's energy on smashing our goals in order to keep the sanctuary operating for future generations.

What's in it for you and your organisation?

Central to our partnership is the opportunity for your organisation to align your sustainability objectives through the work that we are achieving. Aside from enhancing your brand and tangibly showing investment in staff wellness, sponsorship will also: -

- ✓ Give satisfaction in knowing that you are funding a ranger who is doing vital work to keep New Zealand's largest fenced eco-sanctuary pest free and thriving for future generations;
- ✓ Allow annual use of our education centre for conferences or team building – the centre can cater for up to 100 people;
- ✓ Fund a co-branded uniform that your ranger will wear daily directly advertising your business to visitors on the maunga;
- ✓ Provide a 50% discount on self-guided walks for all your staff and their immediate family;
- ✓ Be identified as a platinum sponsor on our website and vehicles raising your brand profile;
- ✓ Provide the ability to use our branding on your website;
- ✓ Give us the opportunity to provide information to your stakeholders on the tangible difference the partnership programme is providing;
- ✓ Provide an opportunity for us to visit your team twice a year and talk about the work we do with the goal of increasing staff engagement and raising awareness of sustainability outcomes.

A bit about us!

Every day the recently translocated kākāpō mingle with kiwi, hihi, kākā, takahē, geckos and Mahoenui giant wētā (to name a few) in our 3400 hectares, safe in the knowledge that we are actively managing pests and maintaining the 47km of fence line.

We are more than just a stunning sanctuary, we are a place that delivers a comprehensive education experience to 4000 students annually, leaving a lasting imprint of what predator free New Zealand will feel like and sound like. We are also a place that is central to the largest kiwi translocation programme in New Zealand's history. In 2024 we are aiming to translocate 300 kiwi to other conservation projects in the North Island.

It costs us approximately \$5,000 a day to deliver on our annual work programme and ensure unwanted predators are kept out, and central to this goal is the work of our ranger team.

We are proud of our history and how we join with mana whenua and local landowners to be kaitiaki for our iconic sanctuary, delivering a legacy for future generations... and if that's not enough there's even more to come!



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OUR RANGERS
DO SOME
PRETTY DARN
INCREDIBLE
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Our sanctuary is huge and so are our aspirations!

We don't just set goals, we set **BIG, HAIRY AUDACIOUS GOALS** ... the biggest of which is to be internationally recognised and nationally cherished within the next five years.

We are looking for you to help get us there through the creation of our ranger partnership programme.

We have solid foundations to launch from. Our reputation within conservation circles is sound, evidenced by kiwi thriving and kākāpō being on the maunga, the first time in almost forty years that they have been on the mainland. We are commencing the next phase of our journey, elevating what we do onto the world stage and now is the time to join us as a sponsor/partner.

We offer a small amount of tourism and want to expand the visitor experience whilst retaining what makes us so special. We aim to become more visible locally and internationally, with the goal of delivering a consistently engaging visitor experience that showcases our conservation efforts, our ancient forest, our history, our people, our spirit, and the importance of the maunga to mana whenua.

We view the maunga as a life force, something that we give to, and it gives back. We are using this force to establish programmes that will deliver social change and are reaching out to government agencies and other not-for-profits to work alongside us on this journey.

We are raising the visibility of our science and research

work to solidify our place on the international conservation stage and be known for delivering best practice and quality learning experiences.

Now is a great time for us to build a lasting partnership with your organisation, as we become nationally cherished and internationally recognised.

A day in the life of a ranger

On any given day the team are hiking the mountain, checking monitoring lines to see if there have been any predator incursions. They are repairing the fence and clearing vegetation to ensure kākāpō stay put.

And then there's the fun of monitoring the fence 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Research informs us that we have less than 90 minutes to repair damage before significant numbers of external predators get in, and for every breach we have a six-week monitoring programme to ensure that we remain pest free.

It's a physically hard job and it is incredibly rewarding. As diverse as our wildlife is, so too are the backgrounds of our team. From baristas, to librarians, to ecologists and vets, the common thread is our love of the environment and the direction we are heading.

How do I get on board?

There are only ten partnership opportunities - so jump in and be part of the next big success story that we clever kiwis offer the world.

Email me now! helen@maungatrust.org



Want to help another way?

If this idea doesn't float your boat and you are keen to help in some other way, we have a heap of opportunities for you to pitch in. Get in touch with Helen via the details below and let's chat!

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