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EPILEPSY NEW ZEALAND
 THE NATIONAL EPILEPSY ASSOCIATION OF NEW ZEALAND
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EPILEPSY INFORMATION EVENING

**Wonderful opportunity for anyone affected by epilepsy
 including parents, family/whanau members, friends, and carers
 to have all those questions answered.**

Featuring guest speaker

Neurologist Ian Rosemergy

& Also Susan Hill speaking on the Ketogenic Dietary
 treatments and how they may help prevent seizures.

Thursday 31 March 2016

6.00pm – 8.30pm

Walter Nash Stadium EVENT CENTRE

Taine Street

Taita

Lower Hutt

To register, phone 0800 EPILEPSY (374 537)

Email judith.wn@epilepsy.org.nz

RSVP By 24 March 2016



REMINDER...

The Easter break includes Tuesday
 29 March





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The sacred disease

How clinical research has transformed understanding in epilepsy genetics

Laureate Professor Ingrid Scheffer AO



Ingrid Scheffer is a physician-scientist whose work as a paediatric neurologist and epileptologist at the University of Melbourne has led the field of epilepsy genetics for over 20 years. In collaboration with Professor Samuel Berkovic and molecular geneticists, she helped identify the first epilepsy gene and many more genes subsequently.

Ingrid Scheffer has received many awards including the 2012 L'Oréal-UNESCO Women in Science Laureate for the Asia-Pacific region for 2012 and the 2014 Prime Minister's Prize for Science. She was elected as a Fellow of the Australian Academy of Science in 2014 and also elected Vice-President and Foundation Fellow of the Australian Academy of Health and Medical Sciences. In 2014 she was awarded the Order of Australia.

Professor Ingrid Scheffer's visit to New Zealand is in partnership with the University of Otago, Wellington. She will also be presenting two midday academic seminars on Wednesday 13 April in Wellington and Friday 15 April in Christchurch as part of the Dean's Open Lectures Series 2016. More details on www.otago.ac.nz/wellington

Wellington | 6pm, Wednesday 13 April

Nordmeyer Lecture Theatre, University of Otago, Wellington,
23a Mein Street, Newtown, Wellington

Bookings: To ensure a seat, please register at www.royalsociety.org.nz/events
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