



## Evening Reception

### Inspiration, networking, and cultivation opportunity.

Bringing together key local community members for an evening of networking and cultivation can be supplemented by a brief presentation about Phil's journey with epilepsy, recent voyages, the Sail For Epilepsy mission, inspirational stories of our Virtual Shipmates, and ways that the local community can support those affected by epilepsy. This event would primarily be for the benefit of the local host organization and can be customized to best fit the intended audience and needs of the host.

### PRESENTATION

Serving as the keynote speaker at a private residence, restaurant, sailing club, or larger venue, Phil's presentation will appeal to anyone interested in an inspirational message of perseverance, adventure, and positive attitude in the face of physical, emotional, and mental challenges. Community members should have the opportunity to mingle with each other and the host organization before and after Phil's presentation. The host organization is encouraged to foster current relationships with community members and build new connections with additional key figures in the local area.

#### One More Step Challenge

The One More Step Challenge is a signature feature of the Sail For Epilepsy program. At the end of Phil's presentation the audience

will be encouraged to identify something that they can do to live a fuller life. Participation in the Challenge results in becoming a Virtual Shipmate. The first names of all Virtual Shipmates are added to our boat so they can join us as we sail the oceans of the world. Phil will feature select Virtual Shipmates in videos and connect live with Shipmates while offshore.

#### Materials

Attendees will receive a Sail For Epilepsy flag customized with the latitude and longitude of the port stop. Sail For Epilepsy will provide educational materials for the audience to take home and will work with the host organization to provide these materials in multiple languages as needed.

### HOST REQUIREMENTS

- secure suitable location
- provide tables / chairs / tents / volunteers as needed
- seek local sponsorship to offset host costs (host will keep all proceeds)
- sell tickets or manage any required advanced registration
- provide any necessary food or drink
- publicize to local audience

