



## NEWSLETTER

23rd July 2018  
Term three, week one

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome back to the new term and a busy one it is going to be too. Attached to this newsletter you will find the term's calendar and also the assembly host dates for your reference. You can also access these via the website [www.rere.school.nz](http://www.rere.school.nz).

I would like to say a **MASSIVE THANKYOU** to everyone that has been involved in the fundraising for our camp in Queenstown. The airpoints may have covered the cost of flights but there is still accommodation, food, and the cost of all the exciting activities we will be doing. A special **SHOUT OUT** must also go to the Bus Group who have donated the cost of our transport in Queenstown. The children are in for the adventure of a lifetime!

Also **THANK YOU** to all those who came and tidied up the school ready for a busy term ahead of teaching and learning.

### THIS WEEK'S AWARDS:

Congratulations to **Putu Reedy** and **Sophia Green** who received our **VALUES** certificates for **RESPONSIBILITY** for the last week of term two. Putu received his award for taking responsibility for his learning by setting goals and putting action plans in place to achieve them. Sophia received her award for taking responsibility for her learning.

**SCHOOL VALUE:** the value at the heart of our learning community this week over the next two weeks is **RESPECT**.

**CONGRATULATIONS** also to **Hamish Cook** who received a classroom award for always using a positive attitude. **Tess Worsnop** for being so enthusiastic about taking on new challenges.

### SCHOOL NEWS:

You will have read on various media sites that teachers and principals will be striking on the 15<sup>th</sup> of August. Caron and I will not be striking even though we support the cause as we have a very busy term planned and we believe that every minute matters. Rere School will be open for learning as usual.

### SCHOOL CAMP TO QUEENSTOWN:

One more week to go! A reminder that each person is allowed 1x carry bag (up to 7kg) needs to have packed lunch, drink bottle and small bag cereal for the next morning. 1x checked bag (up to 23kg). We will need to meet at the airport by 12.55 (one hour before departure). We arrive back Friday at 3.20pm.

**FOOD FOR THOUGHT:**

Get a head start with breakfast;

- refuels the body after a long night's sleep
- provides get-up-and-go for sport and play
- helps kids grow to their full potential
- essential energy to focus on learning

Some low cost healthy breakfast options;

- two wheat biscuits, fruit and milk
- banana in bread (monkey roll)
- porridge, fruit and milk
- baked beans on toast
- an egg and a slice of toast

**BUSES:**

Your drivers this week are Wharekopae- Paula Reedy, phone 8673585

Taumata – Kay Twigley, phone 8670866

**COMMUNITY NEWS:**

We would like to thank Bunnings, Walters Plumbing and Baty Plumbing for their very generous donations of PVC piping for the children to design and create outdoor structures.

Regards,



Katrina Dekker  
Principal