

## **Statement of Purpose**

The Lake Tekapo Bright Stars Community Trust oversees the establishment and operation of facilities for the care and education of pre-school children in the Lake Tekapo District.

The LTBSCT is the custodian of the Lake Tekapo Bright Stars Centre in accordance with their long term lease with the Mackenzie Co-operating Parish. The Lake Tekapo Bright Stars Centre is to be utilised primarily for the provision of Early Childhood Education opportunities for the Lake Tekapo Community. This may also extend to other charitable purposes, including such projects as the furtherance of education, health, cultural, recreation or community development projects for the benefit of families and residents of our community.

## Goals

- To ensure that Early Childhood services meet the needs of our community
- To provide opportunities, where appropriate, to support the health and wellbeing of our community through education, health, cultural, recreation or community development projects or activities
- To actively seek funds and resources to ensure a high quality of facilities and services that
  meet both the current needs and a long-term plan to provide for expansion or development
  into the future
- To communicate openly with members of the community and service providers to actively review service delivery and community satisfaction

## **Values**

Organisations or entities wishing to use the Lake Tekapo Bright Stars Centre should align with the values of our Trust:

- have a charitable purpose
- support the development of our tamariki and whanau / children and families
- acknowledge and cater for the diversity within our community
- respect the building and environment of the Lake Tekapo Bright Stars Centre as a taonga of our community and adhere to the terms of their conditions of use
- foster participation and collaboration with our Lake Tekapo community