

# NewWine

## **WHY A NEW WINE TEAM MEMBER?**

Leading churches is hard work, especially when you've got young leaders you know could grow if only you could invest in them. Let us help you! At the New Wine summer festival we provide training and opportunity to minister in a safe, well-structured environment which has proven to have lasting impact on the local church and encouragement for those involved.

Do you have people who would benefit from being part of a team community, and even from being stretched a little? A New Wine team involves fun, hard work, training, ministry opportunities, mentoring and equipping and is guaranteed to invest in those who have answered the tough call of leadership in your context.

What we're looking for are those with a passion for New Wine, who love God but also love to serve others. They ideally will have interests or skills in areas such as administration, hospitality, kids ministry, youth ministry, logistical site skills, prayer ministry, or even in shorter and less diverse tasks such as community BBQ's or welcoming.

We have confidence that whoever you encourage to serve, we will place them well and grow them on. The festival is diverse, and anyone joining the festival team will be part of a group 250 or more strong.

## **WHO IS NEW WINE?**

New Wine exists to equip churches to live and minister in the power of the Holy Spirit.

We're most visible as we gather together at the **New Wine Festivals** which are life changing events. The things we value which are outworked at the festivals, and therefore give time, training and resource to are;

- Ministry in the presence and power of the Holy Spirit
- Mission focus. Simply said we value Jesus' imperative of Kingdom centred mission.
- Love for the Church. We action this through generous engagement in local church life to see her work out the vision of changing the nation.
- Biblical faithfulness. We value the truthfulness of the Bible and outwork that in worship, ministry and teaching.

## **WHAT THE FESTIVAL IS ABOUT**

With the plethora of events and activities wooing us over summer the question to be answered is Why New Wine and Why a summer Christian festival?

God is at work in the world and he loves it when His people gather to join him. He calls us to the work of living as Christ, both loving Him and loving others - and changing our nation as we do. Inevitably we realise we need others to walk with us and New Wine summer festivals forms part of that journey; refreshing, re-envisioning, reconnecting and setting us up for the year ahead.

As parents and church leaders our ambition is to retain and grow youth and kids in the faith; to harness and focus the energy of your church; and to grow in effectiveness in your local community.

We simply can't do this alone. And we can't do it without intentionality. It doesn't matter how amazing you are! What research tells us is that when kids and youth see their parents and respected elders worship, they commit themselves to Jesus in far greater numbers than in silo'd programmes.

There is no better way for churches and families to start the year than with the New Wine 5 day festival. We dive deeply into the word and we worship in varied and wonderful ways - but that's not so unique. Our distinctive is that we hungrily pursue the presence of God in ministry, across all ages.

Our heritage is through John Wimber and our family is Soul Survivor, HTB (through Alpha), and Vineyard.

### **WHAT ARE THE DETAILS?**

The festival at Raumati, Kapiti will run on Wellington Anniversary weekend from Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January (Wellington Anniversary Weekend) and will feature local speakers as well as Kenny Borthwick from Scotland and Mark Griffiths, leading Kids Zone, from Wales.

Team come as a part of their spiritual formation and so treat it as a mission trip. Some teams are eligible for team package rates - \$50 earlybird or \$100 post 30 November unless they're already included in a family rate cap. (Note, there are some exceptions who come for free, particularly administration and stewards).

We supply team breakfasts, recordings of festival teaching, special team times and training, team t-shirts or hats all free of charge.

### **FURTHER DETAILS**

Our website has details of us and our activities [www.newwine.org.nz](http://www.newwine.org.nz)

The team page list out more details, policy documents and how to apply for team [www.newwine.org.nz/summer-festivals/get-involved/](http://www.newwine.org.nz/summer-festivals/get-involved/)