

# Responsible Camping

## Summer 2024–2025

Our Summer Ambassadors team have had a busy summer educating visitors on responsible camping practices, community expectations and the dos and don'ts of camping.

Here's how we've been managing freedom camping across the district:

**8** Summer Ambassadors

**4** Responsible Camping Vehicles

**2,317** Summer Ambassador visits to popular 'hot spot' sites

**3,619** Summer Ambassador hours worked

**286** Freedom Camping Act infringements (\$400)

**59** Reserves Act infringements (\$800)

**233** queries and reports from the community responded to

**255** interviews with campers about their behaviours and experience in the district

Picking up litter at popular spots to help keep our special places beautiful!



### Need to report poor camping behaviour?

PHONE IN URGENT REQUESTS 24/7:  
03 441 0499 (Queenstown) or 03 443 0024 (Wānaka)

Email less urgent requests to [services@qldc.govt.nz](mailto:services@qldc.govt.nz)  
or use the Snap Send Solve app.



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All data from December 2024–February 2025.