



Papanews Community Edition

Friday 29 June 2018

Principal's Perspective

I would like to start by acknowledging and congratulating, the students who attended the senior formal last Friday week. Our students are wonderfully mature, and socially responsible, and these attributes were clearly demonstrated on the night. It was also very pleasing to see so many staff attend (over 50), reflecting the genuine interest they have in the students, and in sharing in the occasion.

This week has been another busy week for many of our students.

We had a large group of Year 12 students involved in a Mountain-bike camping experience at Hanmer Springs, a group of Year 11 students travelled to Dunedin for the "Brain Bee" Neuroscience Challenge, eleven members of the Student Council represented the school at the unveiling of our sponsored Teenage Room at Ronald McDonald House, our final combined assemblies for the term, and House Indoor Football Competitions at lunchtimes.

Next week, our Music students will leave on Tuesday and travel north on the Nelson music tour, twenty Year 12 students will attend the "Emerging Leaders" conference at Christ's College with a number of other Christchurch schools, and a group of twenty students will travel to Auckland on Thursday and Friday to perform in the SOULcircle project (an organisation that stands for Sources Of Unconditional Love, actioning female empowerment, and gender equality), they will perform a 5 minute piece that includes, dance, singing, spoken word, and visual projection.

Finally, I would like to remind parents and caregivers of the upcoming Junior Report Evening for our Year 9 and 10 students, on Thursday 5th July from 6.00pm through to 9.00pm in J Block. We would encourage all parents and caregivers to make interview bookings via the school interviews website. We look forward to seeing you there on Thursday.

Jeff Smith
Principal

The Week Ahead

JULY

Monday 2	World Scholars club – STAC Y12 Physics trip to UC Otago Uni Maori liaison & Te Roopu Maori @ UC
Tuesday 3	Nelson Music Tour Y12 Emerging Leaders conference
Wednesday 4	Jnr - 2 weekly engagement reports Nelson Music Tour
Thursday 5	FT/Interval – Defence Force visit SOULcircle trip Nelson Music Tour Jnr Report evening: 6.00pm – 9.00pm
Friday 6	Nelson Music Tour SOULcircle trip LAST DAY TERM 2

PYDT
Encouraging Young People to be all they can

LIVE BANDS
Friday June 22nd
7:30-10pm
S5 Entry in collaboration with 491

MOVIE NIGHT
Friday June 29th
7-9pm
FREE ENTRY

PAINT PARTY
Friday July 6th
7-9pm
FREE ENTRY

3 weeks of fun to end out the term!
1a Harewood Rd, Papanui
Food & Drink available for purchase
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Digital Citizenship Beyond the School Gates

What is cyberbullying? [According to Netsafe](#), cyberbullying is when a person uses digital technology to send, post or publish content with the intention to harm another person or a group. This behaviour is often aggressive, is repeated and involves some kind of power imbalance between the people involved.

Cyberbullying can take many forms:

- name calling online
- repeated unwanted online messages
- spreading rumours or lies
- fake accounts used to harass people
- excluding people from social activities
- embarrassing pictures, videos, websites, or fake profiles

What is the difference between traditional bullying and cyberbullying? As our young people are often connected online all the time. This means, they can't get away from cyberbullying. We encourage families to have a conversation about the amount of time spent online, and whether young people need access to their device after bedtime. We often observe that young people don't choose to switch off to protect themselves. They may need you to prompt them.

Our advice is if you think your teenager is being cyberbullied, read Netsafe's options for dealing with cyberbullying.

- Read:
 - [What to do if your teenager is being bullied.](#)
 - [Bullying. Not a normal part of growing up. Advice for adults](#)
 - [If your child is the bully...](#)
- Ask:
 - What strategies can you and your teenager use if s/he is victim of cyberbullying?
 - How can you encourage your teenager to talk to you about cyberbullying?

If cyberbullying is serious or impacting your child greatly, report incidents online to Netsafe [here](#) or the NZ Police.

Brain Bee Competition

Four Year 11 students travelled to Dunedin this week to compete in the Brain Bee competition, a neuroscience quiz, held at the University of Otago. They competed individually and as a team answering questions about brain physiology and anatomy, neurotransmitters and diseases. In the individual competition, two students made the semi-final, and one continued to the final. Unfortunately not to receive a place, the group was really happy with their success. In the group competition the team took out 3rd place. As well as the competition, the group were treated to a lecture from a professor of neuroscience and a series of laboratory activities in the electrical stimulation labs, which gave them a taste of being first year students at the university.



Photo: Students receiving their 3rd place trophy: Katie Fraher, Naomi Beechey, Molly Smallman-Kitto and Henri Liswoyo with sponsors.



A number of Student Council members had the exciting opportunity to represent the school for the unveiling of our sponsored room at Ronald McDonald House on Thursday. These students took part in the ribbon cutting and room opening for the Teenager Room which Papanui High School is an annual supporter of. We are the only school supporting Ronald McDonald House in this amazing way. Well done to everyone who contributed in raising funds last year. The school looks forward to again supporting this sponsorship in Term 3 and 4 this year.

Musical Success

JAZZ COMBO COMPETITION

On Tuesday the 19th of June, the Papanui Jazz Combo, under the tutelage of Steve Gill, went to contest Jazz Quest at Ara. This competition is renowned for its incredibly high standards and gruelling workshops, in which students are pushed to the limits of their musical abilities.

It has been five years since the Papanui Combo last gained the prestigious Gold award. This year "Genevieve and the Jazz Cats" had their work cut out for them, with over 35 groups vying for the top award. The group featured Genevieve Eaton on Tenor Sax, Kayla Gay on guitar, Jai Tudor-Oakley on Drums, Holly Osgood on Double Bass, and Cameron Joe on Trombone, and was confidently led Mathijs Rijnberg on Keys. After a dynamic performance performing four songs, two Jazz standards, and two modern Jazz funk tunes, the group attended a very beneficial workshop led by the Jazz School tutors.



On Friday the youngest member of the band, Jai, attended the gala as the rest of the band were at the school formal. Jai was astonished and thrilled to learn that this year the Combo had earned a Gold rating for their stunning performance. With such a great start to the year, this hard working combo is now working towards the Southern Jam Jazz competition in Blenheim, where they will perform not only at many gigs, but also for the competition itself. We wish them all the best as they attempt to go for double Golds this year.

CHAMBER MUSIC COMPETITION 2018

This year's Chamber Music competition saw seven PHS students performing across three groups. Olivia Shakespeare played for Burnside High School, and Betty Shin, and Jessie Dalton played for the CSM.



Our own group, *Quartet Triste*, a saxophone Quartet comprising of Genevieve Eaton, Mathijs Rijnberg, Izzy Orr, and Yuna Nishikawa, played to a enthralled audience. Their performance was dynamic and beautifully timed. The standard at the Chamber Music competition is extremely high and we can all feel very proud of their efforts this year. Quartet Triste was awarded the KBB Music Award in recognition of the strength and vivacity of their playing.

Playing at the competition is developing into a yearly tradition, and this is largely the result of the time, effort and encouragement Ms Georgina Rees-Stevenson has given to this genre, and her continued involvement in promoting Chamber Music within our school.

NCEA REVIEW

Links to different ways to have a say in the NCEA review

Christchurch Public Workshop/Hui

We're running a public workshop where you can explore the future of NCEA.

Wednesday 25th July 2018 7pm – 9:30pm

Venue: Burnside High School, Christchurch

Registration Link: <https://e.core-ed.org/registration/nceahaveyoursaychch18#/912/4/start>

Quick Survey on NCEA

Take our quick survey to tell us about your experiences of NCEA and how we could improve it for all our rangitahi.

[Start the survey now.](#)

Longer Survey on NCEA and the Big Opportunities

This survey will help us understand in more detail what you think about NCEA and the [Big Opportunities](#).

[Start the NCEA and Big Opportunities survey.](#)

Leading Conversations

Here you will find resources, promotional material, posters and booklets to help support conversations with New Zealanders who have a range of interests in NCEA.

<https://conversation.education.govt.nz/conversations/ncea-have-your-say/get-involved-today/leading-conversations-on-ncea/>

Detailed submission

If you have lots to say, a detailed submission might be the best way to share your views. You can either upload your own document, or fill in the online form.

<https://consultation.education.govt.nz/education/ncea-detailed-submission>

Get social

Stay in the loop and join the conversation on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and Neighbourly. Make sure you share the kōrero far and wide using the following hashtags:

- #NCEAReview
- #NCEAHaveYourSay
- #EdConvo18
- #NCEAMakeYourMark

Note - The public consultation closes on 16 September 2018

House Update

In this week's combined assembly, an update from our House Committee was given, including the results for several house events which have taken place this term and have contributed to the House Sports Shield. The results of these were.

Cross Country

4th Ruu Whenua

3rd Taa Hiko

2nd Ahi Ka

1st Ngarunui

Indoor Football - Final Ruu Whenua 2 v Taa Hiko 1

When combined with the results from the Term 1 house relay that the current points for the house shield are.

- 1st place with 6 points is Taa Hiko
- 2nd place with 6.5 points Ngarunui
- 3rd place with 8.5 points is Ahi Ka
- and in 4th place, with a total of 9 points is Ruu Whenua

The house shield will be decided in Term 3 when the inter-house Table Tennis Competition takes place.

Term 3 and 4 will see a number of other house events taking place.

Term 3

- Week 4 Lip sync challenge - Monday (Ahi Ka v Ngarunui), Wednesday (Taa Hiko v Ruu Whenua) & Friday (mixed v staff) at lunchtime in the hall.
- Week 5 Lip Sync Final - Thursday at Lunchtime in the hall.
- Week 6 Table Tennis Competition - Friday at Lunchtime (also week 8 and 9)
- Week 7 Banner challenge - All week

Term 4

City Mission Can Collection, Junior wearable arts, and top house competition.

The lip sync was promoted in this week's assembly and more information will be available regarding entries early next term.

Sport News

Canterbury Secondary School Gymnastic Championships

On Tuesday 26th June Brooke Tear of Year 11 competed in the Canterbury Secondary Schools' Gymnastic Championships at Olympia in Wigram. She competed in the Elite Women's Trampolining event placing 1st.



House Indoor Football Competition

Over the last week we have held a House Indoor Football Competition at lunchtime. The final was between Yellow (Taa Hiko) and Green (Ruu Whenua) House. It was a very close game, and exciting to watch with the game being tied 1-1 at full time, going into penalty shootout. Green went on to win the penalty shootout 1-0 taking the win.



Have you competed in a Sports Competition lately? Send your story and results (with pictures if possible) to Kirsten in the Sports Office – hik@papanui.school.nz
This is a great way to showcase what our students are doing outside of school in sport with our community.

Sport Results:

Basketball:

Thomson Trophy – were just defeated by Lincoln

U17 Boys – were defeated by Gators

U15 Boys – were defeated by Burnside High

Football

Girls' 1st XI – beat Avonside 2-0

Boys' 1st XI – were defeated by Cashmere High School

Junior Boys' 7 aside – beat Hillview 6-4

Hockey

Girls – beat Middleton 2-1

Boys – beat Rangiora 4-2

Netball

Senior A – were just defeated by Rangi Ruru

Senior C – beat Villa 26-18

Junior A – were defeated by Christchurch Girls' High School

Junior B – beat Burnside High 11-9

Rugby

Girls – beat Villa Maria 52-5

Important Dates/ Notices

- Cheerleading "Taster" session in the gym Monday lunchtime – open to all students.
- Make sure you follow our Papanui High School – Sport Facebook Page and Download the School App to receive all sports notices
- School Sport Canterbury also have an app to access the weekly draw for your chosen sport – see below to download.



Download the School Sport Canterbury app



Kirsten Hill
Sports Coordinator

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