



## Papanews Community Edition

Thursday 23 August 2018

### Principal's Perspective

I would like to acknowledge the staff and students who competed at the Southern Jam competition in Blenheim recently, and congratulate them on their outstanding success. The Big Band and the Jazz Ensemble won Gold, two students took out individual awards, Mathijs Rijnberg for best keyboardist and Yusuke Ito for best guitarist, both were selected as members of the All Stars Band. To cap off the night, the Big Band were awarded runner up for the whole competition. A more detailed report can be found in a following article.

Junior Speech competitions were held on Tuesday. This event is facilitated by the English Department and was well supported by family, friends, and staff. The quality of the speakers was exceptional, and their speeches reflect a significant degree of social awareness, critical thinking, and were delivered with a high degree of confidence. Congratulations to the six finalists. (winners in the following article)

On Thursday 30th, and Friday 31st August, the school presents Infinite 2008, the annual Dance showcase spectacular. A large number of students have worked incredibly hard developing choreography and learning performance pieces. These nights provide a wonderful opportunity for their hard work to be shared with our community, and I encourage you to come along and enjoy and celebrate these talented students.

Next week I will be travelling with the school's Director of International Students to Japan. We will be meeting with parents of current, past, and future students, schools that have students with us, and those that will be attending next year, and then also with a number of agents. During my absence Mike Vannoort will be acting Principal.

Jeff Smith  
Principal



### The Week Ahead

Monday 27	Y11 Music assessment Auto22 OED22F snow trip 1
Tuesday 28	Y12/13 Music assessment Auto22 OED22F snow trip 1 Year 10 – Y11 Course selection evening
Wednesday 29	Jnr - 2 weekly engagement reports 11.35am ARA course planning Auto22 OED22F snow trip 1 BOT meeting
Thursday 30	OED12F field trips Inspiring writers workshop Infinite Dance Showcase 2018 - 6.30pm
Friday 31	OE12F Field trips Yoobee Open Day visit Infinite Dance Showcase 2018 - 6.30pm

## Junior Speech Competitions

On Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> August six students from Year 9 and 10 participated in the annual Junior Speech Competition. They presented speeches of at least four minutes on a range of topics from 'The Future of Food', to 'Sustainable Energy'. Our adjudicators, Denis Pyatt and Katie Mills, were impressed by the students' ability to explore complex topics and speak confidently and convincingly. A special thanks to Chloe Hawthorn for being our MC and keeping the audience entertained in between speeches.

Our congratulations to the winners:

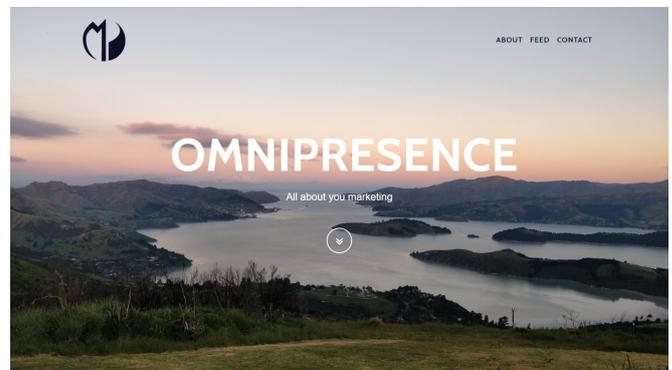
- Jude Duven Year 9
- Samuel Potts Year 10

Kerren Langdon  
English Department

## Year 13 Business Studies

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## Changes to Car Parking Outside of the School Gates

There have been some changes to the car parking on Langdons Rd (outside the school gate) that parents/caregivers need to be aware of when dropping off or picking up students from our school.

The Christchurch City Council Traffic Operations team have installed P3 (park 3 minutes) parking restrictions between the hours of 8am to 9am and 2.15pm to 3.15pm directly outside the school gate. These changes have come about due to there being significant concerns regarding the safety of people at the start and end of the school day, when this area of Langdons Road is particularly busy.

We encourage parents/caregivers to use this facility respectfully when dropping off or picking up students. Parking Officers will be enforcing this directive at the times indicated on the signs.



Thank you

## Musical Success

### SOUTHERN JAM 2018

The Papanui High School Jazz musicians have had a very successful competition season in 2018. This year has seen the Big Band and the Jazz Ensemble take out Gold at this year's Southern Jam. Under the Directorship of Papanui music teachers, Georgina Rees-Stevenson, and Mr Steve Gill, the band played superbly and gained a gold out of a field of nearly fifteen schools, and over 25 bands. Mathijs Rijnberg took home best keyboardist, and Yusuke Ito took out best guitarist. Both were selected for inclusion in the All Stars Band. This is an honour and a challenge as the judges select only those they consider to be the best on each instrument. Then, after only two hours rehearsal, they perform at the Gala Concert.



But the best award came right at the end. The Big Band took out runner up for the whole competition. The students have come back buzzing and are already planning their repertoire for next year and getting ready to start work, aiming for even greater success in 2019!

### VOICES OF CANTERBURY

The Voices of Canterbury Festival, held on Tuesday the 14th of August, provides an inclusive performance opportunity for vocal groups from Canterbury. The concert contains an eclectic mix of traditional choir groups as well as theatre groups and offers a fantastic chance for students to be themselves and show their talents. This year was no exception with some highly creative pieces being provided by the Hagley Theatre Company - one of which was a highly comical 'Flight of the Conchords' piece. A moving rendition of 'Hallelujah' by Jeff Buckley in Te Reo Maori, by Linwood College was a highlight of the night as of course was the Papanui "Vox" choir who performed their set that included 'Just The Way You Are' by Bruno Mars, and 'Take Five' by Dave Brubeck.

The small but perfectly balanced choir was accompanied by Vernon Easter on Piano, and earned the certificates for best 'Jazz rendition' and 'best remix of an acapella song'. They performed wonderfully on stage, received a rapturous applause and then took part in a massed item at the end of the concert where they performed 'Don't stop me now' by Queen.

Throughout the afternoon, the choir got to take part in workshops with experts in the Performing Arts field. These included an acapella workshop where students got to practice their beat boxing skills, a vocal technique workshop, and even a dance workshop in which students were pushed out of their comfort zones. This was a great way to get to know students from other schools, was highly educational and was a lot of fun.



The choir was led by Alexander Reeves, and included Brianna Alsford, Shona Anderson, Maddison Bayliss, Elizabeth Bracefield, Zoe Helleur, Theo Henderson, Hannah-Grace Horton, Emma Lilly, Myrna Reid, Olivia Shakespeare, Quan Tay, Olivia Welsh, Larissa Wilson, and was accompanied on Piano by Vernon Easter.



## Neighbourhood Week 2018-19 – Let's Get Together This Summer

Neighbourhood Week is now all summer long! from 27 October 2018 to 31 March 2019. Are you wanting to organise a Neighbourhood gathering this summer? Neighbourhood week is about bringing people closer together, getting to know the people who live close to you and celebrating the unique and diverse mix of each neighbourhood. So why not organise a local gathering to get to know your neighbours, community, family group, or sports team!

**Applications are open until 7 September at 5pm.** Find out more by heading to [www.ccc.govt.nz/GetTogether](http://www.ccc.govt.nz/GetTogether).



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Applications for funding close 5pm, Friday 7 September 2018

For more information, application forms and great ideas visit [ccc.govt.nz/GetTogether](http://www.ccc.govt.nz/GetTogether)

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The poster features a colorful illustration of a backyard scene with a white fence, a red and yellow striped umbrella, a table with drinks, a person grilling, and a person with a cricket bat. A small bird is flying in the sky.

## Sports News

### School sports news

#### Friday Basketball Winners

Congratulations to our Junior Girls' Basketball team who made "History" in winning the Intermediate Girls Div 1 Final vs Rangī Ruru– an amazing season by the players and coaches involved.



### Canterbury Karate Cup

Dan Fojas from Year 9 recently participated in the Canterbury Karate Cup held last Sunday, August 18, 2018 at the Pioneer Stadium.

This was his second tournament in New Zealand where he gave a passionate performance which helped him win the Silver medal for Kata in the male category for 14-15 years old. This was for the Premier level, which is an advanced category (in 2nd Kyu and above) for those aspiring to join the National Teams.



### Canterbury Secondary Schools' Skiing Championships – Mt Hutt

On Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> August eight students represented Papanui High School in the 2018 Canterbury Secondary Schools' Skiing Championship up at Mt Hutt. A great day enjoyed by all and supported by Mr Dalkie and Mrs Scott.



Have you competed in a Sports Competition lately? Send your story and results (with pictures if possible) to Kirsten in the Sports Office – [hk@papanui.school.nz](mailto:hk@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 – beat St Thomas 81-78 to go into the Div 2 Final, next Tuesday 4pm @ Cowles Stadium.

U17 Boys – were defeated by North Canterbury

U15 Boys – beat Burnside 66-51

Open Boys – beat St Thomas 74 - 2

## In House Competition –

Team	Played	W	L	Bonus	Total points	Place
Yr 13 Blue	6	5	1	5	30	2
Yr 13 Green	6	5	1	2	26	4
Yr 12 Blue	6	3	2	4	19	5
U17 Green	6		6		0	10
Yr 11/12 Green	6	6		1	30	2
Mixed 1	6	2	4	2	12	6
Teachers	6	6		2	32	1
Mixed 2	6	1	5	3	8	8
Junior B	6		4	8	8	8
Jnr Tourmie	6	1	5	5	10	7

### Football

Girls' 1<sup>st</sup> XI – beat Avonside 5-3 to go into the Final play offs next week.

Senior Boys' 7 aside – beat Rudolf Steiner 2-1

Junior Boys' 7 aside – beat Hillview 6-2

### Hockey

Boys – came 2<sup>nd</sup> to Rangiora in the Mid Week Boys Competition.

### Netball

Senior A – were defeated by St Margaret's – Semi Final this Saturday 1:15pm Ct 6 vs Marian

Senior B – were defeated by Villa Maria

Senior C – beat Christchurch Girls' High School 30-19 – Semi Final this Saturday 11:25am Ct 7 vs St Andrew's

Junior A – were defeated by Avonside

Junior B – were defeated by St Andrew's College

### Important Dates/ Notices

- Sport Trophies are to be returned to the library or sports office by the end of August please.
- Winter Sport Uniforms can start being handed in if not required for tournament.
- 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.



Canterbury School Sport

**Download the School Sport Canterbury app**

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Do you have a favourite piece of furniture that needs to be recovered so that you can continue to enjoy using it? Come along to Papanui High School and join our popular Upholstery Course and learn how to repair, repad, and recover your furniture. This course is being taught by Steve McDonald from McDonald and Hartshorne Upholstery and is being held on Saturday 8 and Sunday 9 September 9 am - 4 pm both days at a cost of \$153. This is a hands on course and students will need to bring their own small item of furniture to recover, along with materials. For further information and enrolment please visit our website <https://www.papanui.school.nz/com-ed/category/arts-crafts> or email Barbara Roper [rpb@papanui.school.nz](mailto:rpb@papanui.school.nz) or telephone our office on 033520701. Course limited to 8 students so be in quick.



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**Thinking about spring cleaning your house?  
Keep Papanui High School in mind when you do!**

The Papanui High School PTA will be organizing a school Webfair in the spring and to make this successful, we need your help.

Do you have any unwanted stuff or perhaps things you no longer need or that no longer fit, you would like to donate? Do you know any companies or organisations that would be interested in donating goods, products and/or services? Restaurants, that might be willing to donate vouchers? Or other shops? If yes, please contact Caroline at: [cvanzoggel@hotmail.com](mailto:cvanzoggel@hotmail.com)

**The more items the better!**

Sales proceeds will go directly to Papanui High School.

If you have any questions about how this all works, please check out Webfair at: <https://webfair.co.nz> or contact Caroline. We look forward to making this a great Webfair!

Papanui High School PTA

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Tōku Kura, Tōku Tiketike, Tōku Haepapa*