



## Principal's Perspective

Kia Ora,

I would like to thank and acknowledge our junior school for their contribution to Work Day on Thursday afternoon. This was to raise funds to support Ronald McDonald House through the sponsorship of the Teenager Room, which the school aims to raise \$10,000 annually for. Earlier in the year senior students held a similar fundraising event. Further information follows.

On Thursday afternoon the Tōtaranui Kāhui Ako held it's annual Cultural Festival at Casebrook Intermediate, The afternoon consisted of cultural and musical performances from our cluster schools. There was a very good community response to this through their attendance, all the students involved can be congratulated for their contribution.



I would like to thank the members of staff who participated in this year's MOverner (supporting men's health), for either growing a moustache, or participating in the many activities held throughout the month. MOverner ended with a quiz after school on Friday.

Senior exams are fast coming to an end with the final two days on Monday and Tuesday. Next Wednesday senior sign out will be held for all Year 11 - 13 students. In the evening the final farewell Leavers' dinner will be held at Addington Raceway.

Jeff Smith  
Principal

## The Week Ahead

### DECEMBER

- Monday 2
- Tuesday 3      NCEA Exams end  
Peer Support training
- Wednesday 4   Snr sign out day  
Y9 Shakespeare Festival  
Final date for Library issues – Jnrs  
Peer Support training  
**Jnr weekly Engagement Reports**  
Leavers Dinner
- Thursday 5      Cambodia trip departs  
Kimi Ora Celebration – 12.15 – Hall  
BOT meeting
- Friday 6          **Activity Day**

## PTA Uniform Sale Dates

- Saturday 7 December - 9-11am
- Saturday 25 January 2020 - 9-11am

If you wish to sell or donate uniform items, they can be donated to the PTA or we can sell them on your behalf for a 25% commission. Forms for your contact information, and with the terms of sale, are available from the school office, or you can provide your name, phone number, and bank account details for payment on a piece of paper and put it in a bag with your clothes. You can attach a list of suggested prices, or we can price items for you. Uniform items can be dropped off at the school office.

## Activities Day - Friday 6th of December

Next Friday Year 9 and 10 students will be participating in our annual activities day. The day will start with form time at 8.30am, then for the remainder of the day, students will rotate in form classes around six activities which include Swiss/volleyball, a general knowledge quiz, tabloids, multisport, and water balloon drop. Year 10 students will spend a short amount of time off site at the Papanui Youth Centre which is run by [Papanui Youth Development Trust](#) and Year 9 students will visit the Whare to learn Tikanga Māori, and the Haka. Students are asked to wear active wear for the day, and are reminded that it is important for health and safety that they wear appropriate sports shoes for practical activities.

There is no cost for the day, but a number of food items will be available for sale at lunchtime including a sausage sizzle, Mr Whippy, and Candyfloss.



## School Policies

Our school policies can be found at  
<https://papanui.schooldocs.co.nz>  
Username: papanui password: pride



## Digital Citizenship

### What challenges do young people face online?

We all need to understand online risks and support our young people to have better online experiences. There may be a gap between what you and your children know of the online world, but you don't need to be a tech expert. The basic rules of right and wrong apply online just as they do offline. So what are the main challenges that young people face online?

- **Online bullying** - one in five young people is the recipient of online bullying in NZ every year.
- **Unwanted contact** - as children grow they will connect with more people they don't know and this can lead to children being groomed or talking to someone who isn't who they say they are.
- **Social media** - social media can present a number of challenges for young people around content, connections, and privacy.
- **Sexting** - describes sending and receiving nude content, including naked pictures and sexual text messages.
- **Inappropriate content** - this can be illegal or offensive content and young people can be exposed to it without searching for it.

Netsafe have put together a great Online Safety Parent's Toolkit which you can find [here](#). It provides a range of ideas to "enhance your digital parenting knowledge and reinforce key elements of online safety." **Here are three things you can do right away:**

1. **Learn** - Ask your child about what they do, how they use devices and who they talk to. Learn about their activities. Check in regularly to see what has changed.
2. **Agree** - Create a family code with your child to agree on what they can do online including sites to visit, appropriate behaviours, privacy settings and limits
3. **Plan** - Make a plan so everybody knows what to do if something goes wrong and where you will be able to get advice and support in challenging times (see last week's Papanews!)

## Work Day

### Papanui High School Work Day – Thursday November 28.

Thank you to all of our Papanui High School community who got behind this wonderful event that supports Ronald McDonald House, especially our hard working Year 9 and 10 students.

Photos below show our wonderful Kimi Ora department washing staff cars to raise money.

Just a reminder that monies can be deposited through the school bank account with a reference "**(Students Name), Workday**" 123147 0225793 00.

Or the money can be paid through the school office. It is preferable for payments to be made by Tuesday 3rd December where possible.

Thank you.



## Congratulations

Congratulations to Aleisha Hurd (Year 11) who has won a fully funded NZIIU Scholarship to Japan in 2020 for three months. Aleisha and six other New Zealand students will spend three months experiencing life at a Japanese school, and staying with a local host family.

Aleisha was eligible to enter for consideration for the scholarship by achieving exceptionally well in an Education Perfect competition. She then had to go through the application and interview process to get selected.

A link to the post is below:

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## Start of School Year 2020

**NB: SENIOR STUDENTS (Year 11 – 13). Students will be notified if course changes are required. The Senior Course Tutor will be available from 21 January for consultation.**

**Monday 21 January - School Office opens**

**Tuesday 22 January – Thursday 24 January**

Peer Support training camp

**Monday 28 January**

Teacher Only Day

**Tuesday 29 January**

New International students report at 8.45am

Year 9 students report in full uniform to Hall, 9.00am – 2.30pm

Transferring students (Years 10-13) in full uniform to Hall, 9.00am – 12noon

Powhiri for ALL new students – 9.00am

**Wednesday 30 January**

All Year 9 students report to form classes at 8.30am – 2.30pm

All Year 12 students report to hall in uniform at 9.00am – 10.30am

All Year 13 students report to hall at 10.00am – 11.30am

**Thursday 31 January**

All Year 9 students report to form classes at 8.30am – 2.30pm

All Year 10 students report to hall in uniform at 9.00am – 10.30am

All Year 11 students report to hall at 10.00am – 11.30am

**Friday 1 February**

Timetable starts

**Monday 4 February**

Normal school day

**Wednesday 6 February**

**Waitangi Day - School closed**

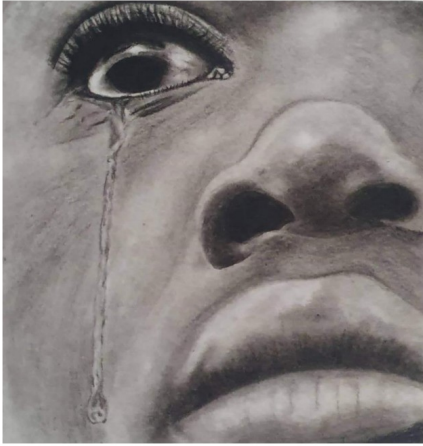
## Art Students Shortlisted

The Creators' Room shortlist for the top 15 student artists

Congratulations to Boston Beanland (Year 12), Kyra Elliott (Year 12), and Emma Lilly (Year 11), for making it into the top 15 artists as judged by The curators of the Ashburton Art Gallery, and the Centre of Contemporary Art, in addition to the artist duo Edwards and Johann.



These top 15 artists will have one or more of their works included in an auction at an exhibition in May 2020



Artist: Boston Beanland  
Age: 17  
School: Papanui High School  
Artwork Title: Adolescent Sadness  
Dimensions: 140mm x 140mm  
Medium: Graphite



Artist: Kyra Elliot  
Age: 16  
School: Papanui High School  
Artwork Title: Untitled  
Dimensions: 117mm x 115mm  
Medium: Charcoal pencil



Artist: Kyra Elliot  
Age: 16  
School: Papanui High School  
Artwork Title: Untitled  
Dimensions: 166mm x 120mm  
Medium: Charcoal and coloured pencil on background print



Artist: Emma Lilly  
Age: 16  
School: Papanui High School  
Artwork Title: Shattered Reality  
Dimensions: 201mm x 254mm  
Medium: Charcoal and acrylic on wet strength paper

# PTA Fundraiser



## The Gift that keeps on giving

Gladly accepted, instantly available, year-round savings



'Tis the season for supporting and we have a great gifting opportunity which helps our fundraising efforts.

The Gift of Entertainment is a new Digital Membership valid for 12 months from the day of activation. You can buy that special someone a Single City or Multi City Membership so they can save year-round on everything they love to do. Simply buy it, print it, gift it!

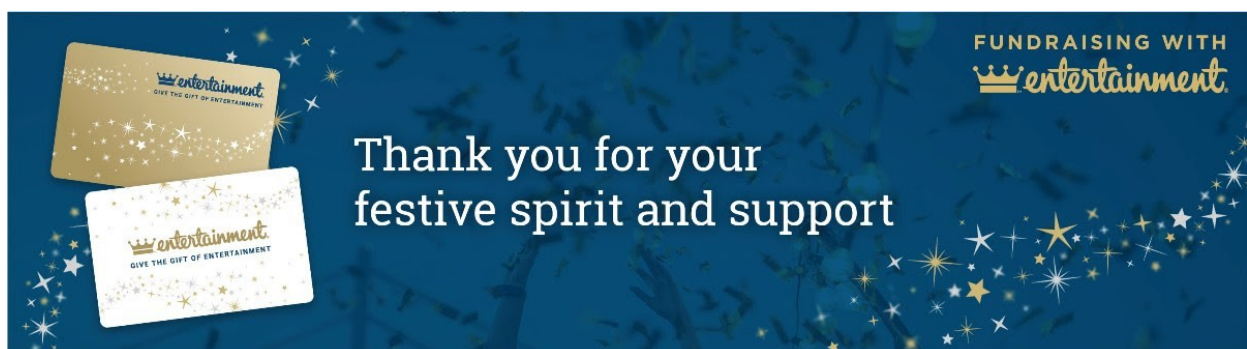
<b>Single City</b> <b>\$69<sup>99</sup></b> 1 Year Discover all the best savings in your city	<b>Multi City</b> <b>\$119<sup>99</sup></b> 1 Year <b>MOST POPULAR</b> Enjoy savings across all of Australia, New Zealand and Bali	<b>Multi Plus</b> <b>\$229<sup>99</sup></b> 2 Years <b>BEST VALUE</b> 2 years of savings across Australia, New Zealand and Bali
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The PTA receives 20% of the sale from each Membership for our fundraiser and you'll get 12 months of thanks and appreciation for being an exceptional gift giver.

The Gift of Entertainment has savings for everyone, with thousands of 2-for-1 offers and up to 50% off:

- Dining, cinema, theme parks, events and attractions
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- Flights, car rental and gift cards and more

**BUY NOW**



## Sports News

### Premier Junior Girls' Touch (Year 9 - Year 11)

A Quadrangular Tournament was run by Rangī Ruru Girls' School on Wednesday 27th November. Avonside Girls' and Papanui joined the two Rangī Ruru (premier and development) teams in a tournament. The purpose of the tournament is to provide more opportunities for competitive Junior Touch and to support preparation for these girls transitioning in to the Super Touch Competition. Our Premier Girls' team performed well, progressing through each game and individually contributed some highlights in each game. Ella Ross and Emma-Jay Tauwhare demonstrated leadership and communicated effectively with the team. Lily showed speed with her intercept and chasing down players in space. Ciara listened well, supporting her team on defence. Maia showed strength in her understanding of the game by controlling and communicating yardage plays expertly. Briar was solid in defence, showing great determination to not let players pass her. Holly held her space well and connected well on defence.



### Student Achievements

Canterbury Softball Age Group Team Selection

Congratulations to the following students on their Canterbury Softball Team Selections:

U18 Boys: Rory Vaeluaga

U15 Boys: Patrick Heywood & Hunta White

#### Canterbury u18 Boy's Team 2019

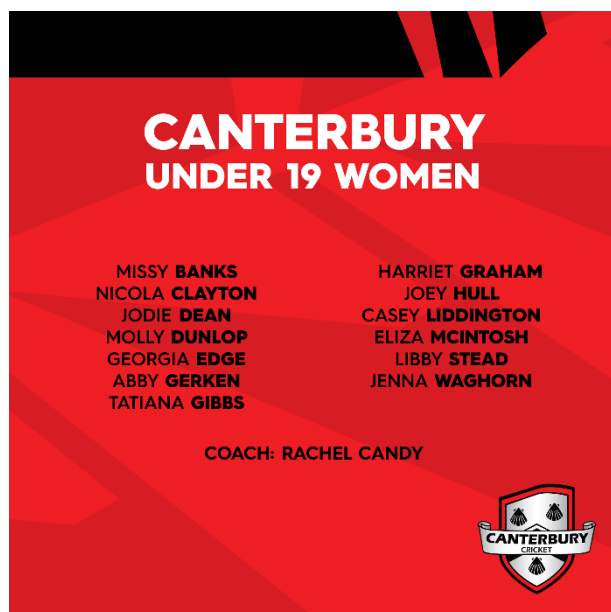
Harrison Bruhns Croy  
Liam Potts  
Hunter Simpson  
Jacob Davidson  
Rueben Elkins  
Blake Hardy  
Caleb Parsons  
Scott Tansey  
Fletcher Due  
Kotiti Patea  
Lopeti Sumner  
Te Ahu Wall  
Ollie Wright  
Rory Vaeluaga

#### Canterbury u15 Boy's Team 2019

Raikyn Barnes  
Cambell Codyre  
Geordan Day  
Joseph Flynn  
Brody Helem  
Patrick Heywood  
Brooklyn Holmes-Hurst  
Blake Holt  
Hapene Kumeroa  
Jayden Potts  
Adam Rapson  
Liam Ruki  
Jack Simpson  
Hunta White

## Canterbury Cricket Team Selection

Congratulations to student Abby Gerken who has been selected in the Canterbury Under 19 Women's team to play in the National Tournament in Lincoln next month.




**CANTERBURY  
UNDER 19 WOMEN**

MISSY **BANKS**  
NICOLA **CLAYTON**  
JODIE **DEAN**  
MOLLY **DUNLOP**  
GEORGIA **EDGE**  
ABBY **GERKEN**  
TATIANA **GIBBS**

HARRIET **GRAHAM**  
JOEY **HULL**  
CASEY **LIDDINGTON**  
ELIZA **MCINTOSH**  
LIBBY **STEAD**  
JENNA **WAGHORN**

COACH: RACHEL CANDY



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.*

### School sports news

2020 Term 1 Sport Registrations

If you want to get ahead of the game for 2020 feel free to sign up for Term 1 Summer Sport now via the link below:  
<https://forms.gle/nHCSHv7RZPAAPCYx9>

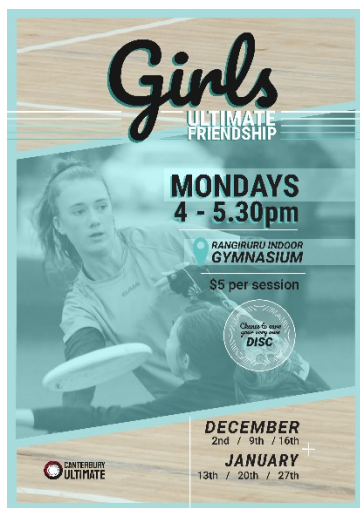
### Important Dates/ Notices:

*Students that have finished sport for the year need to return their uniforms to the sports office.*

### Community Notices

Youth Ultimate Frisbee Opportunities This Summer

Get in touch with Catherine Teo from Canterbury Ultimate directly at [catherineteow@gmail.com](mailto:catherineteow@gmail.com) for more information



**Girls**  
ULTIMATE  
FRIENDSHIP


**MONDAYS**  
4 - 5.30pm

RANGIRURU INDOOR  
GYMNASIUM

\$5 per session

Check to see  
your own  
DISC

**DECEMBER**  
2nd / 9th / 16th  
**JANUARY**  
13th / 20th / 27th



**Youth**  
ULTIMATE  
SKILLS CLINIC

**SUNDAYS**  
2 - 3.30pm

Triangle Fields  
North Hagley

Starting 1st Dec  
Break for holidays:  
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Sport Canterbury app**



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A promotional poster for Papanui High School's Night Classes. The background is a dark grey surface with various items: a guitar, a book titled 'VENICE A TRIP THROUGH HISTORY', a pair of scissors, a bowl of nuts, a bowl of fruit, a green folder, and a small photo of people in a dance studio. The school logo and name are at the top. The main title 'Night Classes' is in large red letters. Below it, a list of activities is shown in yellow text. At the bottom, there are details about the start date, class frequency, pricing, and contact information, along with a QR code.

**Papanui High School**  
Adult & Community Education

# Night Classes

Photography, Video, Music, Stone Carving, Woodwork,  
Exercise, Crafts, Art, Beekeeping, Languages, ESOL English,  
Upholstery, Dressmaking, Cakes & Cooking, Home Decorating...

- Term 1 begins 10 February 2020
- Weekly evening or weekend classes • Pricing from \$99

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or phone 03 352 0701

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Tōku Kura, Tōku Tiketike, Tōku Haepapa*