

2021 Annual Report



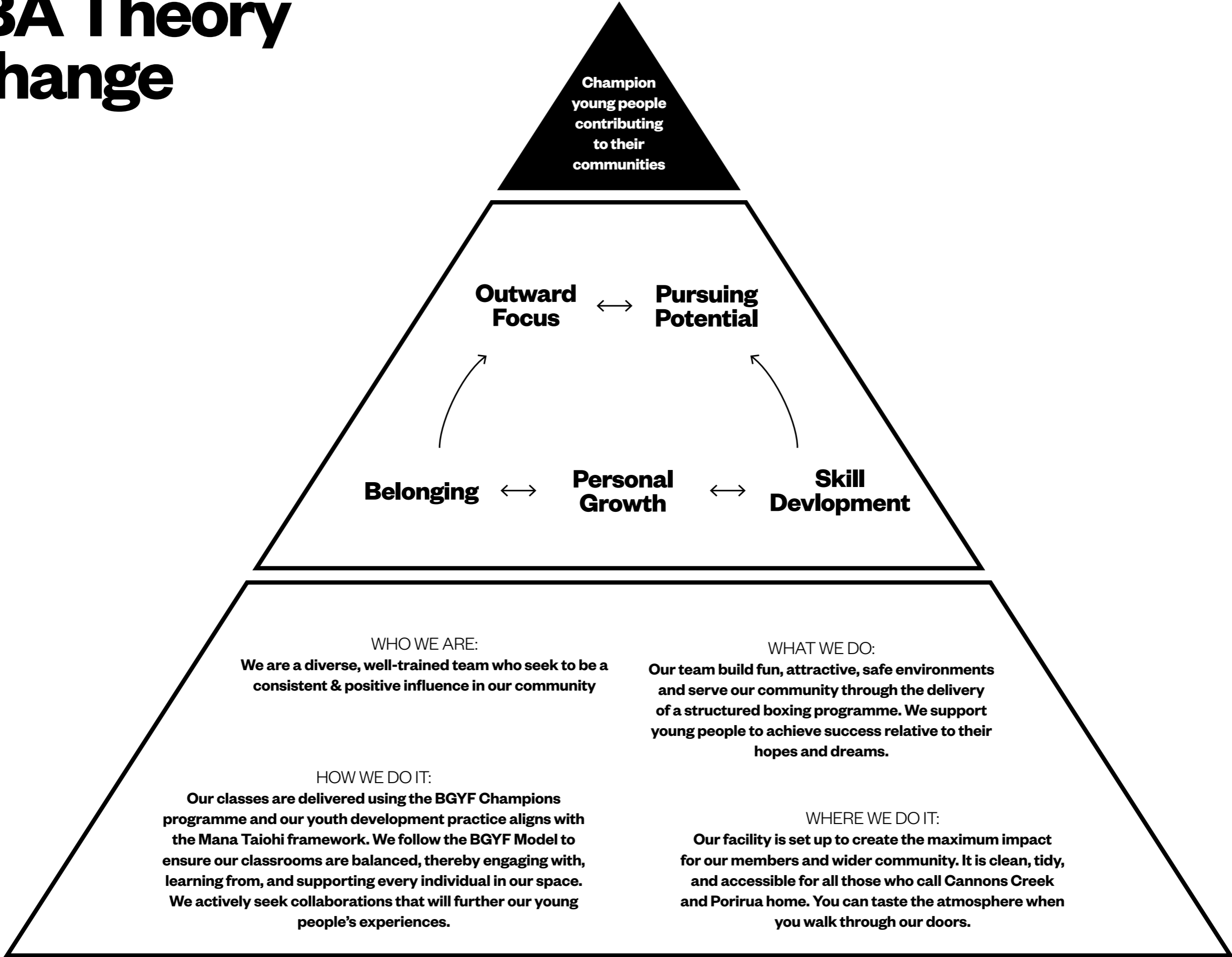
**Cannons Creek
Boxing Academy**

Billy Graham
Youth Foundation



**Champion young people
contributing to their communities**

CCBA Theory of Change



A letter from the CCBA Manager

2021 – our 7th year of operation and although we were hopeful it proved to be another year where we felt the impact of COVID-19 with a new strain arriving on our shores and bringing with it challenges and more cases than we had ever experienced as a nation before.

Once again, we had to cancel our in person membership classes due to another lockdown. However, we were well equipped to deal with this and stayed connected to our young people through social media by posting work out challenges, calling our young people and their whanau to see if they needed any support and catching up over 'Zoom' meetings with our competitive team.

As a team, we knew what we had to do and were well prepared for what we can offer our community in times like this. We learnt that in spaces that are unknown and where it is easy to disconnect the importance of staying connected and whether that be by a phone call, connecting services to our whanau or posting challenges online, this was something we were able to offer to our young people and their whanau.

However, even with all the challenges and low points the pandemic has brought us, there has been many 'highs' as well. We were able to host a Community Connection breakfast and bring all our local community groups, businesses, schools, not for profits and the youth sector together to connect and share over kai. We had special guests come in Saints basketball player Rangimarie Mita and the Hurricanes Du'Plessis Kirifi come in to speak to our guests or to train with our rangatahi.

We were blessed once again by Outward Bound to offer a scholarship to one of members to go down to Anakiwa and experience their Mind, Body, Soul programme. Our head coach Dave took a group of our rangatahi to the snow, and for some this was a first time experience.

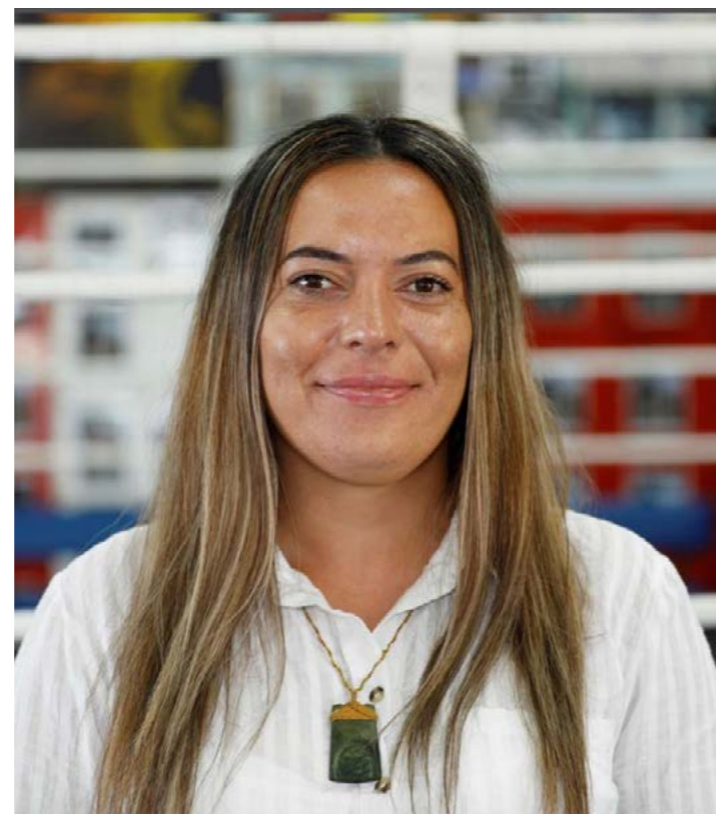
I would like to acknowledge and congratulate all the mahi Paul Sayers did here over the past two years and the rebuild him and his team were able to achieve. Members numbers increased over 2021 again, to the point that all male classes were full, and our waitlist continued to grow. We engaged with 14 schools, alternative education, and community groups throughout the year. Paul also managed to win the Capital & Coast District Health Boards award for Outstanding Leadership.

We are proud of our young people and team, and their achievements throughout 2021. We hope that after reading this report, you'll be proud of them too.

A massive 'Thank You' to all our community partners, funders, donors, and volunteers for your on-going and unwavering support. Without you, we wouldn't have made it through the pandemic, and we almost certainly wouldn't have made it through 2021. Without you, our young people and community might have lost access to a special space where they feel they belong. We cannot thank you enough for your help. Thank YOU!

"He aha te mea nui o te ao?"
"What is the most important thing in this world?"
"He tāngata, he tāngata, he tāngata."
"It is the people, it is the people, it is the people."

Ngā mihi maioha,
NATASHA THOMPSON
Cannons Creek Boxing Academy Manager



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Our Young People

29%

9-10 Year Olds

35%

11-13 Year Olds

36%

14+ Year Olds

96♂

Ninety six of these members were boys.

71♀

Seventy one of these members were girls.

167

Registered
Members
by the end
of 2021

38%

of our young people
identified as Māori

24%

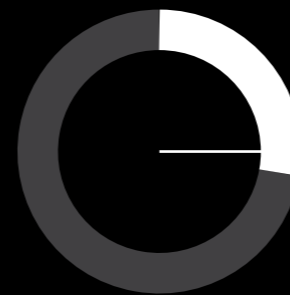
of our young people
identified as Pasifika

29%

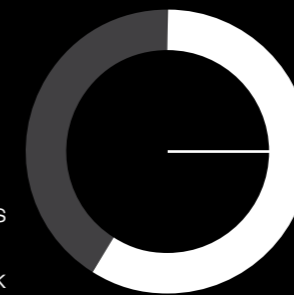
of our young people
identified as Pākehā

9%

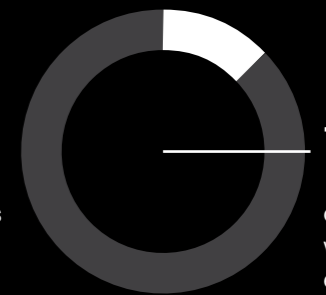
young people
identified as
another ethnicity



28%
of the members
were from
Cannons Creek



62%
of the members
were from the
rest of Porirua



10%
of the members
were from
elsewhere

Our Work

“Helped teach discipline and have fun at the same time using boxing as the avenue. Through boxing, CCBA teaches how to respect others.”

Boxing

‘The Champions Programme’

In 2020, all coaches began implementing a newly designed, structured boxing programme – ‘Champions’, developed by Harry Otty, NBA Head Coach & BGYF National Development Coach. The objective of the ‘Champions’ Programme is to attract boys and girls aged 9 to 16 to the physical, mental, and social benefits of an organized and graded exercise programme.

The programme is based upon boxing skills and physical conditioning grounded in the fundamentals of movement, balance, coordination, and overall physical/motor-skill development. The programme also includes elements of teaching personal and social responsibility with our ‘Passport to Success’ values.

‘Our classes - 2021’

In 2021, we ran 4 different membership classes for our male and female members. These classes met twice per week, for one hour. Our competitive Youth & Elite boxers often practiced 3x per week.

- Fundamentals (Boys): Ages 9-11
- Juniors (Boys): Ages 12-14
- Combined Junior/Development (Girls): Ages 12-17
- Development/Youth/Elite (Boys): Ages 15+



Youth Development

Established in 2014 with significant support from the Vodafone Foundation and the Tindall Foundation, Cannons Creek Boxing Academy (managed by Cannons Creek Youth Charitable Trust) was the first academy set up outside of its pioneering academy in Naenae. With a vision for inspiring and empowering young people through the vehicle of boxing, the academy was set up with support and encouragement from the New Zealand Police.

We achieve our mission via the disciplines of the sport of boxing, and our Passport to Success values; Respect, Responsibility, Compassion, Consideration, Kindness, Duty, Obedience, Honesty and Truthfulness. We encourage every young person to learn these values and put them into practice both within and outside of the Academy.

“Helped me with anxiety, being able to talk and make new friends. Helped me get fit.”



What our Tamariki say

- Most young people said that the academy:
- Going to academy was fun but it also challenged them and improved their fitness.
 - They learnt about values, such as respect, discipline and to look after people.
 - They have become more confident, respectful, helpful, and developed self-discipline and control.

“Helped me with anxiety, being able to talk and make new friends.”

“You have helped me develop important life skills such as values. You’ve helped me gain confidence and encourage me to take risks and take my interests and passions and turn them in to something positive for myself and others.”



Our Impact

In 2021, with the help of Point Research & Associates, we surveyed all of our young people to find out how they feel about Cannons Creek Boxing Academy, and what impact the academy has had on their lives. Here’s what they had to say.



What our Rangatahi say

According to our members (15+), in 2021 CCBA helped them with:

70%
Self-respect

70%
Friendships

50%
Family Life

70%
Education

80%
Self-discipline

90%
Respect for others

90%
Fitness/ Wellbeing

“Kept me active in thinking about what I am doing with my life and how I can use my time to maximize my results in everything I want to highly achieve in.”

“Wow... My kids know how to defend themselves, respect others and make friends. You guys doing a great job thanks everyone especially the coaches for helping them and our community.”

What their Whanau say

According to our young people’s whanau, in 2021 the academy helped their children with:

60%
Home Life

80%
Friendships

100%
Child’s fitness/ wellbeing

70%
Child’s respect for others

50%
Education/School

90%
Child’s self-discipline

90%
Child’s self-respect



Hayley

Hayley has been a member of the academy for a couple years now and started purely because her aunty knew the coach and thought she would give it a go. On her first class she felt really shy and nervous because she didn't know anyone. Slowly but surely, she became more comfortable in the academy and would advise anyone who is thinking about the academy to "go for it!"

Hayley has learnt on her journey with us that it is much more than just boxing in the ring, there are the values she has learnt from our Passport to Success and the mates she has made along the way. Hayley believes that being in the academy has had a positive impact on her and has enabled her to become more confident and be able to talk to people more.

Hayley is a member of our Combined Girls class, and her coaches say "seeing the change in her from when she started to where she is now looking to compete has been absolute privilege to be apart of"

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- Hayley's Coaches

Troy

Troy started with Cannons Creek Boxing Academy initially because he had heard about it from another member of Senior Boys class who had been going and was really enjoying it. He thought it sounded interesting and wanted to give a new sport a go.

On his first day he was pretty nervous because there were a lot of people and he had never done boxing before but once he started getting in it, he started to enjoy it but even after that first day he still wasn't too sure if boxing was for him but as he kept coming more and more, he began to enjoy it and now really loves it. The reason why his love for boxing has grown is not just because of the boxing but because everyone here is nice and he enjoys the experience he gets out of the academy.

Troy is now participating in the sparring that happens in the Senior Boys class and admits that the first time he ever sparred he barely threw any punches and thought they were way to good to now where he is a lot more confident and steps in the ring with them all the time and one of his favourite memories being in the academy "The first time I managed to land some punches in the ring. It was a massive confidence boost."

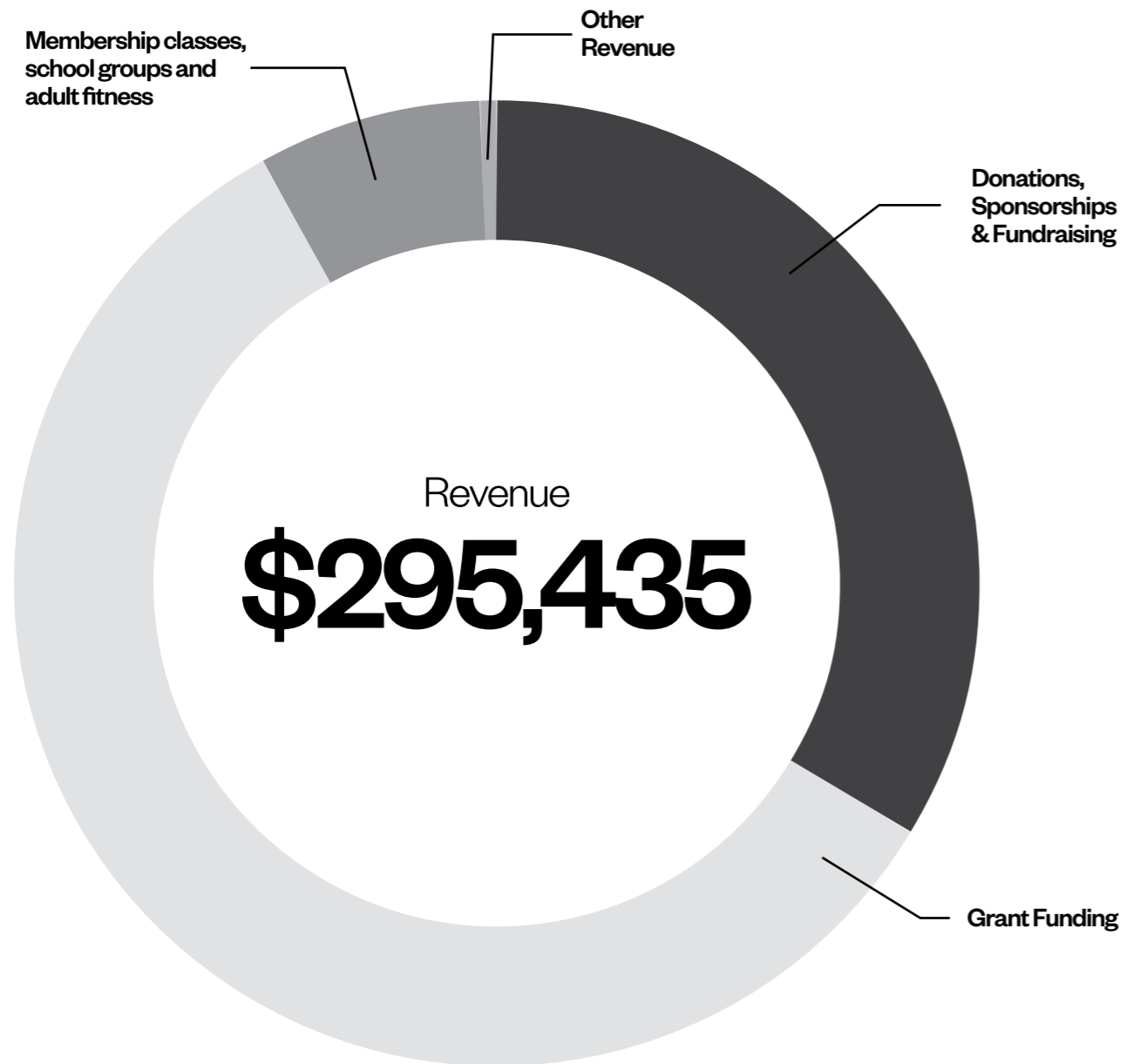
Alongside the boxing skills Troy has said that he has learnt skills that he can apply in his everyday life. Speaking to one of his coaches he said, "the benefits of working hard like when you focus on something you can really notice that you can get a lot better which is something I didn't really do much of outside boxing."



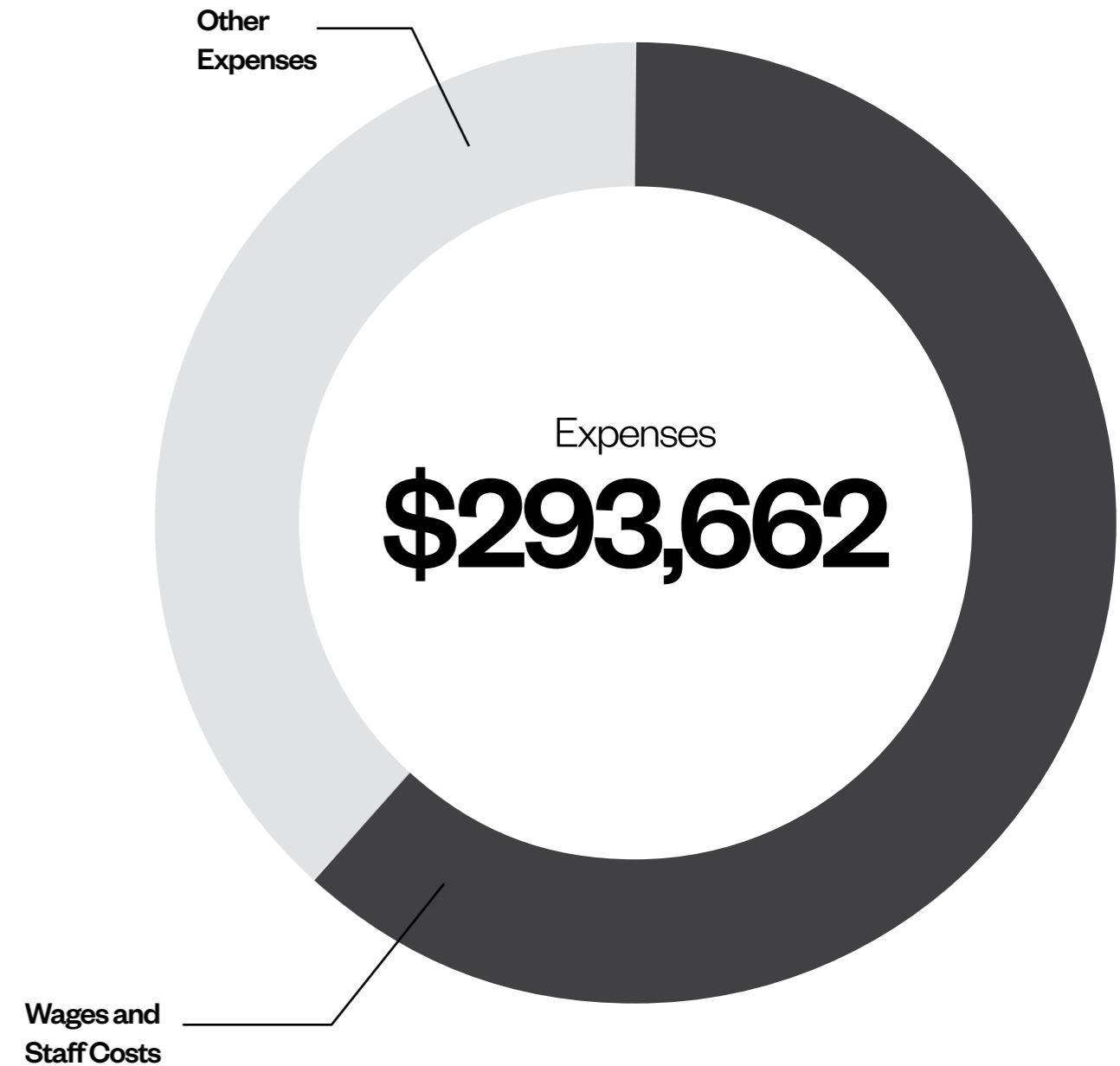
Stories of Us

Financials

For the year ended
31 December 2021



Donations, Sponsorships & Fundraising	\$99,766
Grant Funding	\$172,111
Membership classes, school groups and adult fitness	\$21,921
Other Revenue	\$1,637
Total Revenue	\$295,435



Wages	\$181,552
Other Expenses	\$112,110
Total Expenses	\$293,662
Surplus for the Year	\$1,773

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Award Winners

Fundamentals Boys



HIGHEST ATTENDANCE
Mike



MOST IMPROVED
Ngaziah



BEST ATTITUDE
Jack

Junior Boys



MOST IMPROVED
Sergio

Fundamentals Girls



MOST IMPROVED
Praise & Glory



BEST ATTITUDE &
HIGHEST ATTENDANCE
Maya

Junior Girls



HIGHEST ATTENDANCE
Faith



MOST IMPROVED
Sienna

Senior Boys



HIGHEST ATTENDANCE &
BEST ATTITUDE
Ali



MOST INITIATIVE
Tim



COMPETITOR & BOUT OF THE
YEAR
Toby



BEST ATTITUDE
Isaac

Senior Girls



BEST ATTITUDE
Eden



HIGHEST ATTENDANCE
Ava



MOST IMPROVED
Hayley



BEST ATTITUDE
Jasmine

Special Awards



HIGHEST ATTENDANCE
Carter



OVERALL COACHES CHOICE
AND NEW LIFE MEMBER
Mana



MOST IMPROVED
Jye



OUTWARD BOUND
YOUNG LEADER
Josiah



OVERALL COACHES CHOICE
Neevyah



NZ POLICE COMMISSIONER'S
CHALLENGE COIN
Izzy

Board of Trustees, Staff, and Volunteers

In 2021 Cannons Creek Youth Charitable Trust established its own Board of Trustees in July. We would like to acknowledge those Board members who served us prior to this:

- Brian Ross
- David Graham

Cannons Creek Youth Charitable Trust Trustees

- Brent Albiston – Chairperson
- Nicole Robson – Secretary
- Hape Hauwaho
- Peter Mellars

Cannons Creek Boxing Academy Staff

- David Graham – Head Coach
- Hailey Collins – Lead Female Coach
- Ashley James – Assistant Female Coach
- Cahn Ahpene – Male Assistant Coach
- Jordan Quin – Intern Male Coach
- Paul Sayers – Manager through till December
- Tash Thompson – Manager from December

Volunteers

- Krishan Kumar
- David Graham
- Bruce Walton
- Ioane Washburn



Make a difference



Cannons Creek Boxing Academy has an awesome opportunity to assist young people with their membership fees for 2022.

For just \$5 a week, you can support a young person to take part in 2 training sessions per week at CCBA.

We know this is a difficult time for Kiwis up and down the country, and we sincerely hope that your own financial situation is secure. If you are able to, please consider supporting our members at the Cannons Creek Boxing Academy at \$5 per week. In doing so you will be a part of developing our rangatahi into Champion Young People.

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 \$5 Weekly Automatic Payment



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