

# ART & FACTS

## Greetings from our 2021 Arts Captain ... Dominic Fransen

Hey! I'm Dom Fransen and I am humbled and excited to be the Arts Captain for 2021!! This year is set to be an awesome year, and I can't wait to see how it unfolds! I've been a passionate member of the Performing Arts Department since my Year 7 days, and I would never have believed it, if some strange man from the future told me that I would be the Arts Captain, the feeling truly hasn't sunk in yet!



Both myself and the Arts Committee are super excited about planning some very exciting events, and will be committed to doing the best job we possibly can. I'm very happy to be working with such great individuals, who are as amped about this year as I am. Here are a few things we're looking forward to working on throughout the year:

- **Spamalot!** This year's HIBS production is a very comical twist on the English Medieval period, and preparation is already well underway. It has the potential to become one of the best productions we have ever put on at HIBS, so watch this space!!

- **Getting the Arts out into HIBS!** I would like to have Performing Arts showcased all through school, and let everyone experience the enjoyment and entertainment on offer. This includes live bands and DJ performances throughout the year - I think it's fair to say we have more than enough quality musical acts so I'm really looking forward to seeing them perform to a wider audience.

- **Inter School Events!** In addition to Performing Arts out there in the HIBS community, I would also like to extend the talent of the HIBS boys out to other schools in the Hutt Valley region! From Music to Drama to Film, ideas are on the cards, and I can't wait to get started planning these events!

There are many more I could name, so if you or your son want to learn more I'm always up for a chat. 2021 is going to be a great year, and I hope you're ready for what's about to come from the P Block doors this year!!

Dom Fransen

# MONTY PYTHON'S SPAMALOT™

We are having an absolutely EPIC time rehearsing for Spamalot, which we look forward to bringing you in June (tickets will go on sale next Term).

These photos taken by Spencer Rangihaeata, (a member of our Arts Committee) capture the camaraderie and excitement that is just going to keep building until we explode in a magnificent spectacle, under dazzling lights, with a live Orchestra, to bring you the HIBS Production 2021 **SPAMALOT!**

This hilarious spoof on Monty Python's Holy Grail will deliver song, dance, drama and perfectly timed comedic performance and we look forward to sharing it with you all.





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## **MUSIC LESSONS AT HIBS**

For up to date information on what time your lessons are on, the night before your lesson, please go to the School of Music on the HIBS website, click on **Timetables**, or cut and paste the following link into your browser:

<https://music.hibs.school.nz/timetables.html>

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