

Nathan Adams

I was co-opted on to the board last year because of my day-to-day role as a Partner at Gallaway Cook Allan, Lawyers. It has been a privilege to serve on the King's High School Board and to help maintain an environment in which our young men can excel. I have learnt a lot about the education sector and King's High School in particular and I am standing for election to the Board with a view to doing what I can to "Build Men for Life".

My youngest son is in year 11 at King's and so I hear regularly about his day at school, a useful account if I were to be elected but, regardless, good bonding.

I hope you will support me with your vote. It's interesting and challenging times as ever in the education sector and in the lives of our young men. If elected, I will bring critical analysis and pragmatic solutions to matters that arise.

Thank you

Nathan Adams



Nomination Statement – Julie Broderick



I am Julie Broderick, currently serving as a co-opted member on the King's High School Board of Trustees and a proud parent of two boys attending King's High School. As Owner-Operator of New World Gardens Supermarket, and an Executive Member of The Valley Project in North East Valley, I bring business leadership and an active, community-oriented perspective. In addition, I enjoy the opportunity to contribute positively to our wider school community where I can.

I am committed to the mission of King's High School: **Building Men for Life**. I firmly believe in encouraging and challenging our students to pursue personal excellence across all areas, uplifted by the school's high standards and traditional values—standards I uphold in both my business and family life.

My experience operating a local business gives me a practical understanding of governance, budgeting, strategic planning, and stewardship of resources. As an Executive Member of The Valley Project, I regularly collaborate with community stakeholders, run community dinners, support grassroots initiatives, and foster connections between business and local development.

With two sons in the school community, I have a vested interest in seeing the Board's decisions reflect the needs of students and families. I aim to support policies that promote academic excellence, student wellbeing, and inclusive opportunity. I'm dedicated to ensuring that King's High School continues to uphold its tradition of excellence, while evolving to meet the challenges of today's learners.

If elected as a parent-elected trustee, I will bring:

- A strong collaborative approach informed by experience in business and community initiatives
- Respect for the school's traditions and a focus on maintaining high standards
- A forward-thinking mindset to help uphold King's values and support student growth

I would be honoured to continue serving on the Board and working with the school community to nurture the boys who are shaping their lives—and our future.

Julie Broderick

Jordan Dalley



My name is Jordan Dalley, and I am standing for election as a parent representative on the King's High School Board.

I have a background in information technology and over 20 years' experience working within primary and secondary education across Australia and New Zealand. I also hold an MBA, which has strengthened my skills in governance, strategic planning, and financial oversight.

King's focus on "Building Men for Life" through Personal Excellence—emphasising respect, integrity, responsibility, and compassion—is a model I fully support. I believe in nurturing character as much as academic success, and I share the school's commitment to empowering young men to grow into thoughtful, well-rounded individuals.

I value fairness, inclusion, and open communication, and I'm passionate about supporting school leadership while genuinely representing the voices of parents and caregivers. If elected, I would work collaboratively with the Board to uphold King's commitment to academic excellence, wellbeing, and character development—ensuring every student is set up to be their best self.

Thank you for your consideration.

Chriss Hamilton

Alongside a professional career in management, community development, and funding advice, I have almost 20 years' experience as a School Trustee/Board Member, a PTA member and Treasurer, and actively engaged on Discipline, Finance and Policy sub-committees. I also served on a Board which established the first Kāhui Ako in Dunedin and I appreciate the benefits from participating in a proactive network/community.



Although my family has only recently joined the King's High School community, I have been impressed with ethos of the School and how well it supports young men to achieve as much as possible, across all measures of success.

My governance skills lie with drafting policy, and with linking that policy to both strategic plans and operational practice/procedures. Additionally, I bring a focus on supporting students considered neuro-diverse and those who face additional challenges. I believe that diversity, equity and inclusion are matters to be role modelled and supported by the Board.

Life-long learning is certainly something I encourage and recently I became a qualified referee for Basketball Otago. I also continue as a Basketball Otago Representative Team Manager; teach classical ballet on the weekends; and I'm currently a Reader/Writer at the School. Service to the community is just part of who I am.

I currently work at the University of Otago as the International Partnerships Coordinator and would welcome any opportunity to extend the relationship between the School and the University.

Thank you for considering my nomination.

Chriss

Tony Kramers

I am a proud King's Old Boy and have been actively involved in the school community for the past five years as a parent. One of my sons has successfully transitioned through King's and is now at university, while my younger son is currently in Year 11.



Over the years, I've had the privilege of coaching within the King's sporting system, which has been incredibly rewarding. Since moving to the University of Otago Rugby Club as a coach, I've continued to enjoy the sideline catch-ups and connections with the King's community.

Thank you, Tony

Kia ora,

I am Simon Reay, husband to Naomi and father to James, Isaac and Flynn. I was born and raised in Dunedin and was schooled locally at College Street Primary, Macandrew Intermediate and then King's.

I attended Otago University and graduated with BSC in Geography before joining NZ Police. I have 21 years' experience as a Police Officer and am currently working as a Prosecutor.



I am dedicated to my family and helping them grow and succeed. I have been active in my children's endeavours, particularly with sports and have coached various teams they have been in. I have found the experience of helping them and their teammates grow in confidence and ability to be very rewarding.

James currently goes to King's and will be followed by Isaac next year and then Flynn in 2028. As I am going to be connected to the school for some time, I am invested in its success not just as an 'Old Boy' and local, but as a parent. I have a deep respect for the school and the place it holds within the community. King's commitment to developing personal excellence through providing a quality education and a healthy environment are key contributors to attaining success in life that I believe in. I want to offer the school and the local community the benefit of my experience within and beyond Police. I am skilled at working with diverse members of the community and have proven communication, relationship, partnership building and problem-solving ability. I hope to use these skills to contribute to the continued success of the school and the community.

Nga mihi,
Simon

Tēnā koe,



My name is Bryan Simpson, and I am standing for election as a parent representative on the King's High School Board of Trustees. My wife and I are proud parents of three children—our eldest, Henry, is in Year 9 at King's, and our two daughters attend St Clair Primary School. Henry's high school journey has inspired me to contribute more formally to the school community.

I am motivated to join the Board to support King's values and strategic direction, ensuring a positive, future-focused environment for all students.

Professionally, I am a practicing pharmacist with a PhD from the University of Otago and over 20 years of experience in leadership and governance within Aotearoa New Zealand's health system. Over the past two decades, I've held academic, clinical, and advisory roles, contributing to health service improvement and innovation. My current work at Health New Zealand | Te Whatu Ora—where I've led cross-functional teams, driven innovation, and delivered complex digital solutions—builds on this foundation. I am now transitioning into a Clinical Informatics Director role, where I will continue to champion data-informed, patient-centred care.

I bring skills directly relevant to Board responsibilities:

- **Strategic Governance:** Aligning vision, operations, and long-term goals.
- **Financial Management:** Ensuring responsible and transparent use of resources.
- **Stakeholder Engagement:** Building strong relationships with staff, students, whānau, and the wider community.
- **Policy Development:** Creating and implementing effective policies in complex environments.

I am committed to fostering inclusive, diverse environments and ensuring equitable outcomes. I want every student and staff member at King's to feel valued and supported.

I believe my governance experience, strategic thinking, and commitment to community values will be an asset to the Board. I am collaborative, a strong communicator, and dedicated to helping King's High School thrive for all its students.

Nāku iti noa, na

Fa'atālofa atu le pa'ia ma mamalu ua aofia, tainane mā'ave 'ese'ese. Mālō le soifua ma le Lagi e mamā.



Professional Experience:

I have been working in local government for the past 17 years with various roles to help our environment and local communities with services across arrange of departments.

My current role at Dunedin City Council is 3 Waters Network Operations Manager. I oversee all our Raw water intakes; pipe works within the Dunedin City Boundaries to resident households and commercial buildings. I'm also managing our Network Maintenance Contract for pipe works to deliver drinking water from Water Treatment plants to your house along with all Waste and Stormwater pipes from households/commercial buildings towards our Wastewater treatment plants. Other contracts I have managed within Dunedin City Council is the Kerbside recycling and refuse collection. I have also held management roles at Otago Regional Council where I managed the Flood Schemes, River networks and State of the Environment Data collection and reporting.

I was co-opted onto the Board in January 2020 and became a member of the Property Committee for King's High School. At the beginning of 2022, I transitioned to Chair the Property Committee succeeding previous Board Chair David Booth.

Working with the current Board has been an honour to support King's through its many successes. The past 3 years I've been the Board Chair for King's and would love to continue to be a part of King's governance for the betterment of our boy's education and future generations.

About Me:

I am a passionate Kings Old Boy who is wanting to give back to the school that provided me the foundation for success in my tertiary education and later in my professional career. My wife Gemma and I have three sons. Two of which attend King's High School. Orlando who was the Head Boy in 2022, and Jeremiah the current Deputy Head Boy and our youngest son Phoenix currently in Year 9. Gemma and I fully support our boys in a wide range of activities, academic, sporting or culturally.

Attributes:

My professional experience in Contract Management has required me to engage effectively with many individuals from varying backgrounds and across a wide range of disciplines. I bring a strong critical decision making and governance with my previous involvement of the Board, but also within Local Government positions.

I am passionate about King's and the success of our school. It would be a privilege to continue the great success of ensuring our boys realise their full potential – Building Me for Life.

Your support for my election would be greatly appreciated

Soifua ma ia manuia,

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Scott Weatherall – Candidate for King’s High School Board of Trustees

Kia ora koutou, my name is Scott Weatherall, and I am excited to stand for election to the King’s High School Board of Trustees.

I’m a lifelong Dunedin resident, a committed supporter of our school, a King’s Old Boy, and most importantly a parent of two sons currently at King’s one in Year 9 and one in Year 11.

I have a strong passion for education and youth development, and I believe every student deserves a safe, inclusive, and empowering environment in which to grow and succeed. I bring a wealth of governance and leadership experience to the table.

I have served on the Saddle Hill Community Board for 24 years, including twelve as Chair. I also served on the Board of Trustees at Big Rock Primary School for nine years—six of those as Chair—giving me a clear understanding of the governance responsibilities and expectations of a school board member.

Professionally, I work as the National Health and Safety Advisor for Surf Life Saving New Zealand, and I’m also a Registered Paramedic with Hato Hone St John here in Otago.

My career has always centred around people, safety, wellbeing, and leadership—values that strongly align with the needs of our school community.

I am an approachable advocate who enjoys engaging with families, students, and staff to ensure all voices are heard. I bring a strong leadership focus and pride myself on being collaborative, strategic, and grounded in the community.

I’m standing for the King’s Board of Trustees because I care deeply about the success and wellbeing of every student. I want to contribute to a governance team that supports excellence in education, nurtures the school’s culture and traditions, and ensures that every young man at King’s has the tools and support they need to thrive in the world as we know it today.

If elected, I will bring experience, energy, and a people-first approach to the Board. It would be a privilege to serve and help guide the ongoing success of King’s High School.

Ngā mihi nui
Scott Weatherall



Kia ora, My name is Nick Wilson. I have a strong connection to the St Clair and Dunedin community. My son Matt Wilson is currently in Year 9 at King's High School. My two daughters, Georgia and Brooke Wilson, attend Queen's High School. I was raised in Dunedin and am a St Clair local. I am committed to fostering an inclusive, supportive environment where every student can have the ability to thrive under mature governance. In my spare time I am an active outdoors enthusiast. I enjoy travel, snowboarding, fishing, hiking, and playing many games of family touch rugby.



I bring over 30+ years of professional experience in the construction industry across the UK and New Zealand. I hold a Bachelor of Construction (Quantity Surveying) and am a qualified builder and teacher in Adult and Tertiary Education. My roles have included quantity surveying, project management, commercial management and business ownership. I have worked on and managed construction industry projects ranging from residential refurbishments to multi-million-dollar commercial developments, overseeing contracts, finances, policies, and teams. This experience honed my governance, strategic planning, and leadership skills.

Currently, I am a senior lecturer at Otago Polytech, where I supervise students, provide pastoral care, develop the curriculum and assess academic achievement. My role involves mentoring staff, leading academic programmes, promoting health and safety, and I contribute to institutional goals through teamwork and professional development. These responsibilities have sharpened my ability to listen, guide, and drive positive outcomes - skills I will bring to the board to support student success and equitable education.

For six years, I have coached and supported junior rugby for the Pirates rugby club, working with many of our school's Year 9 students and their peers in sports like touch rugby, cricket, and athletics. The connections through my three teenage children, give me insight into the needs and aspirations of our youth, ensuring I can represent parents' voices effectively while monitoring and aligning with the school's policies, resources, and long-term vision.

With a proven record in governance, collaboration, community engagement, and leadership, I am driven by the opportunity to represent our school community and contribute to the ongoing success of our Kings' men, building men for life.