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### CITATION

### COMMERCE CLUB/CANTERBURY SPORTS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FOR JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

### JIAYI ZHOU

Jaiyi is 14 years old and is a table tennis player of exceptional promise.

She is currently a student at Burnside High School and has been playing table tennis seriously since the age of 8.

During 2017 she achieved the following results:

- Oceania Under 15 Girls Champion
- Winner of NZ National Championships under 18 Girls
- Winner of the NZ National Championships under 15 Girls
- Winner of the NZ Secondary Schools Girls teams title
- Winner of NZ Secondary Schools Girls Under 15 title
- Number 4 New Zealand ranking for Womens Table Tennis

In December 2017 she was invited by International Table Tennis Federation to attend the “Rough Diamond” training camp in Luxembourg for talented players from all over the world in the 13 – 15 year Group; being the sole participant from Oceania, training under former Olympic Champion, Zhang Yining. She is likely to return to this camp in 2018.

Also in 2018 Jiayi will represent Oceania in the World Cadets Challenge for players Under 15 in Japan. She has had tremendous success for one so young and is likely to become New Zealand’s number 1 female player in the near future

The Commerce Club and Canterbury Sports Foundation are proud to assist this very promising young Athlete

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