Phil like playing?

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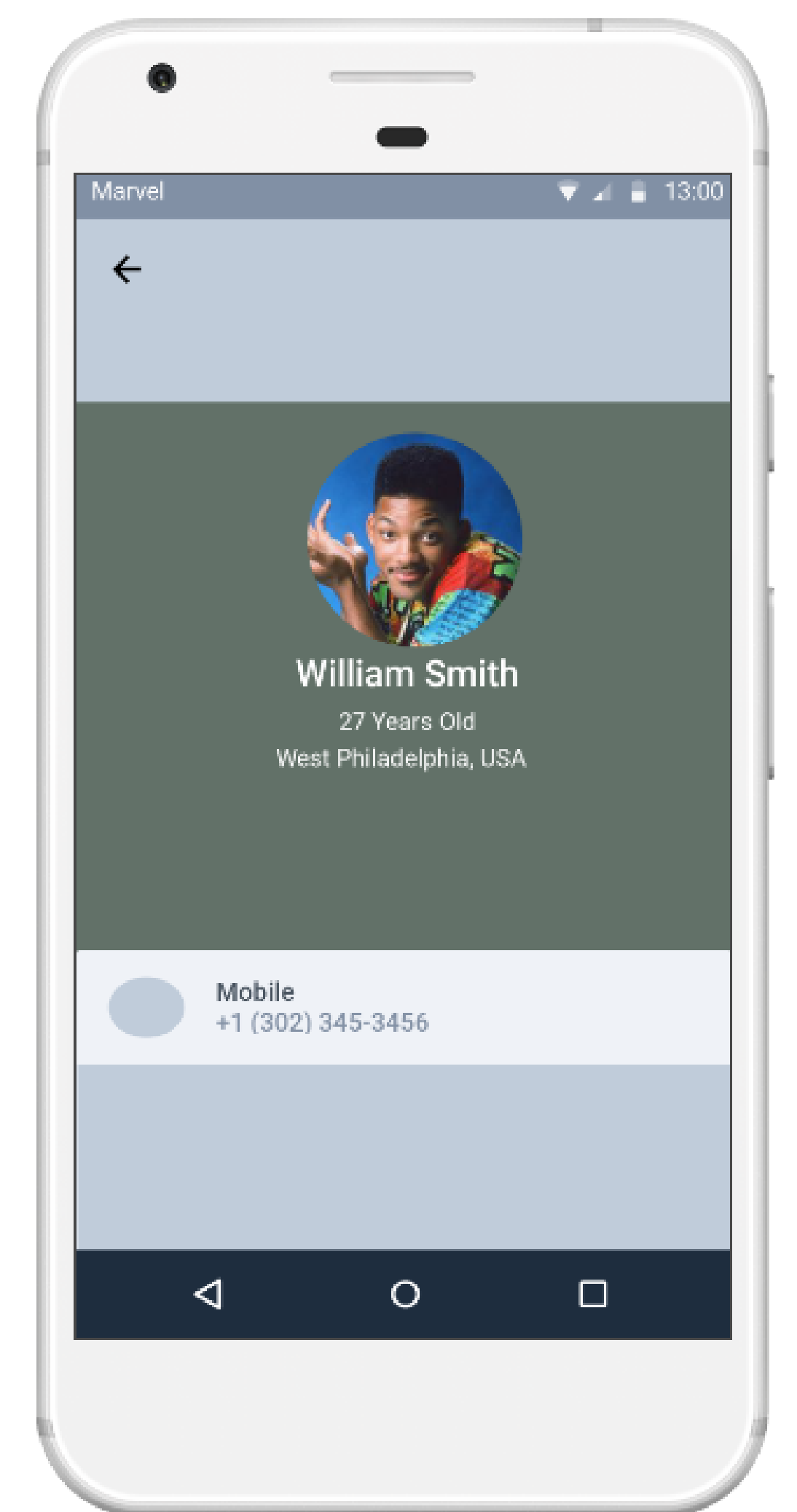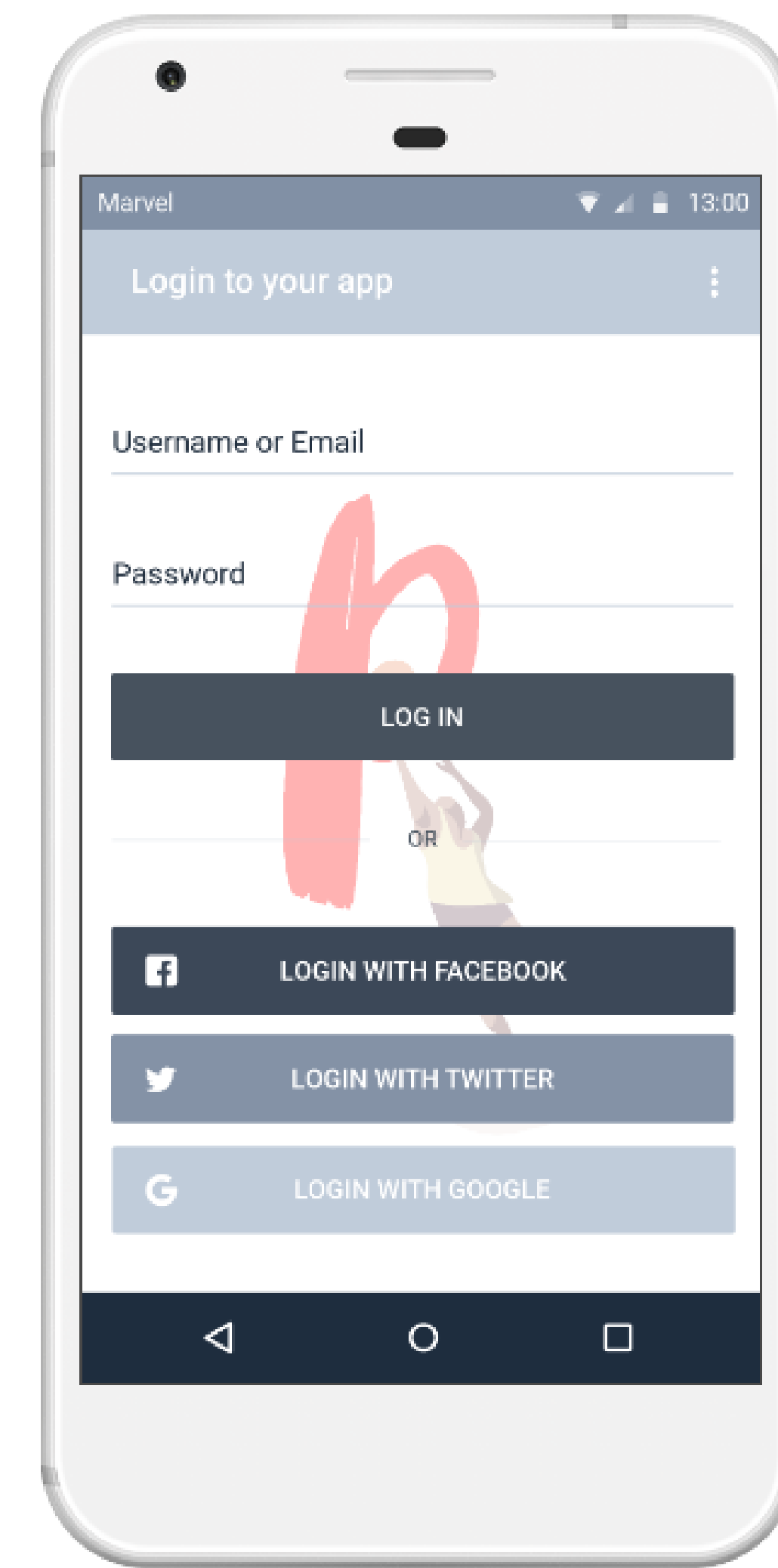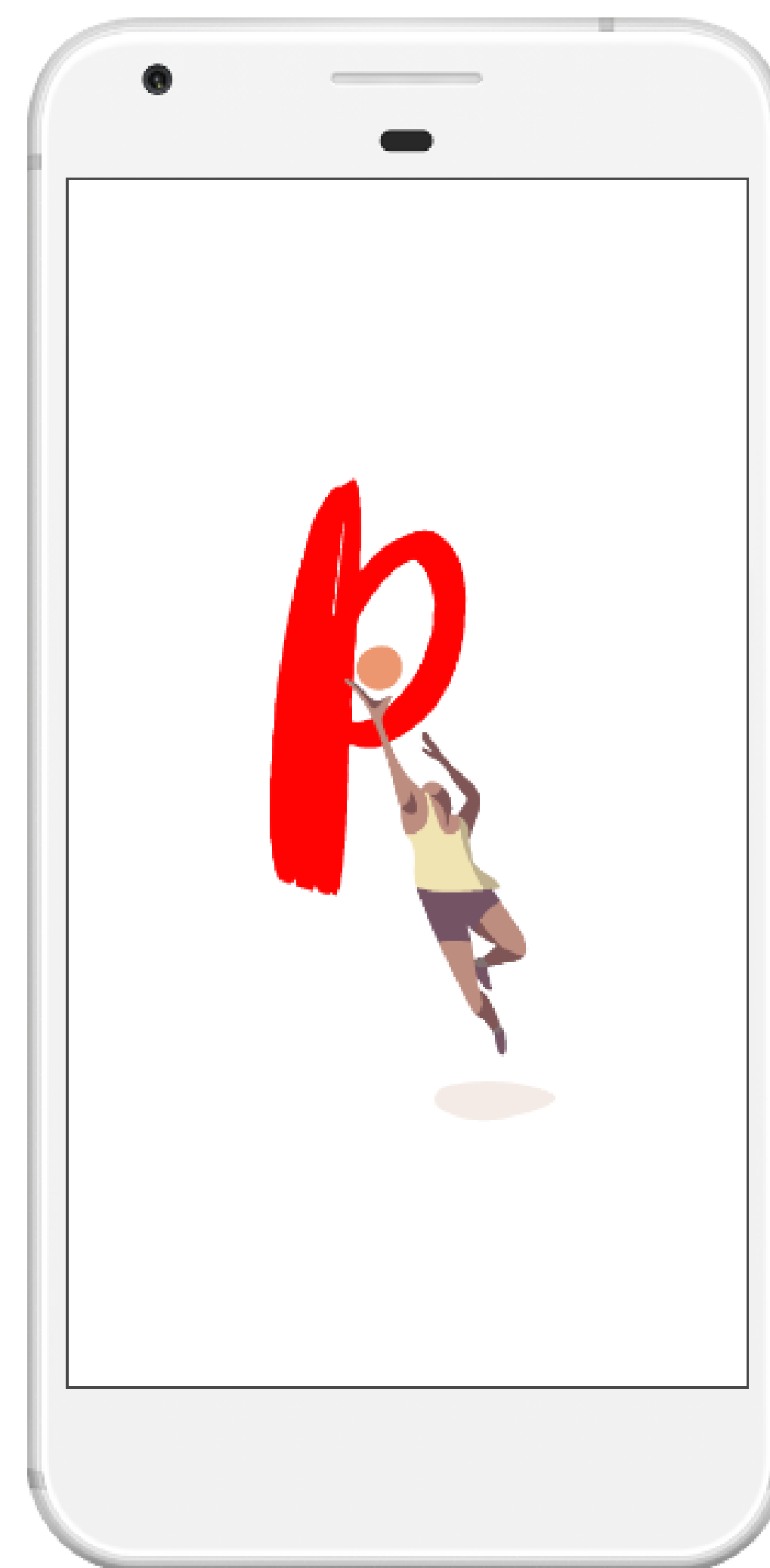
THE APP

PROBLEM

Through researching issues within central Philadelphia we decided we need to improve the health and overall well-being of the community members. In doing this we found that within the Center City, 56.3% of the population are made up of single adults, with the majority living alone. They also have 65.8% of the population working in white collar jobs.

These situations consist of long working hours which decrease the percentage in social interaction. This can also lead to other issues such as mental health, where stress levels are high.

SOLUTION

Our solution to combat the problem is to create a smartphone app called 'Phil like Playing'. The idea behind this app is that users can create a profile to view sports fields and courts, then be able to book time slots for the selected area and invite other users with the app to join. These invitations can be public, i.e to all other users in the area, or private, where a specific user can be invited.

Our app connects the community through physical activity where app users can invite other users to join or play in their game.
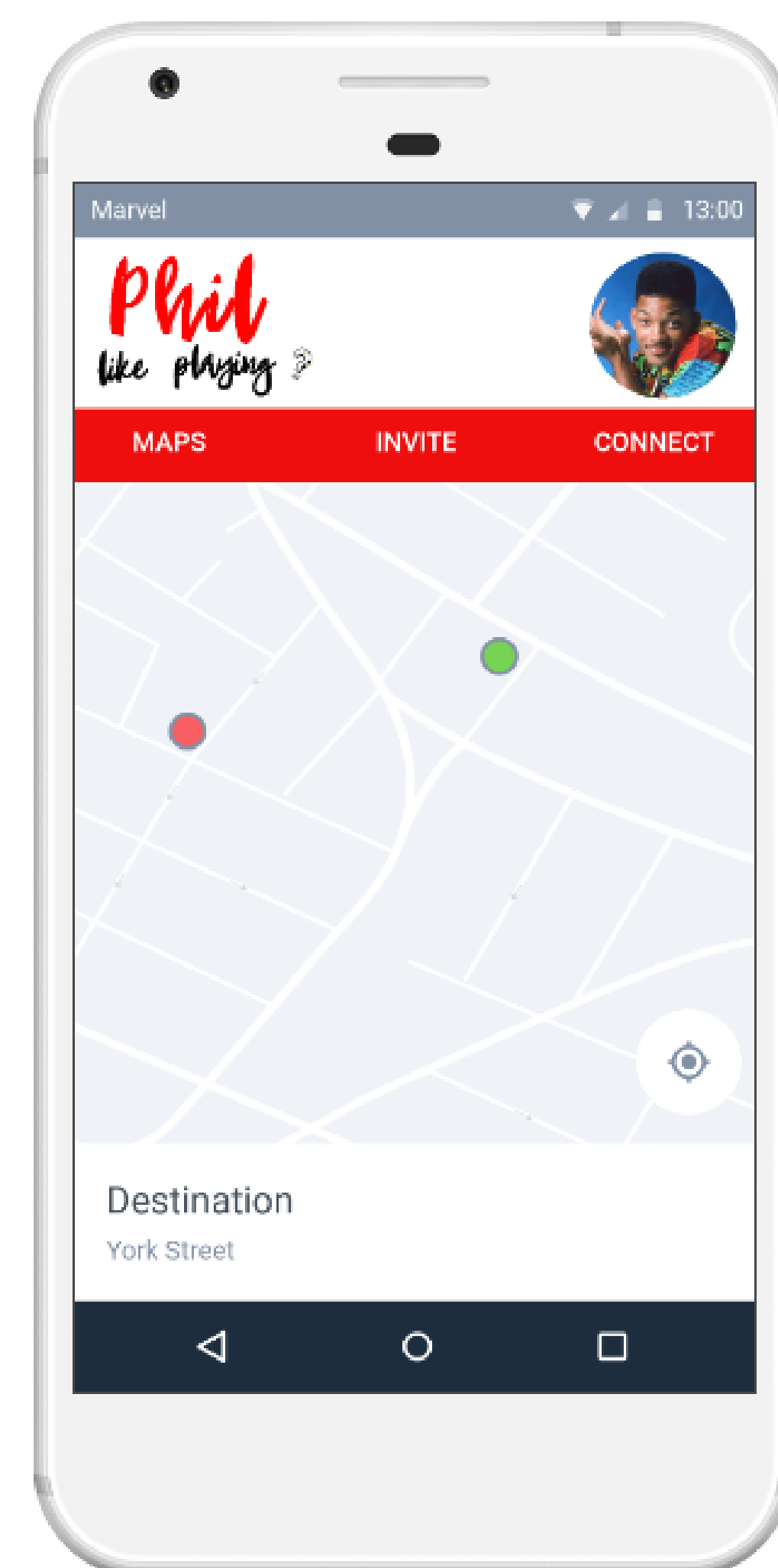
MAPS- This tab displays the map of the area. On this map there are red and green dots which indicate what playing courts/ fields are currently available. These can be selected to display information such as the name of the area, users who are currently active in this area. It also displays a button where you can select a time slot for reserving, and a paying option if it is a private space.

INVITE- In this tab you can create an invite, public/private. It displays invitations for other games which can be responded to, therefore allowing the source user to connect with you.

CONNECT- This tab displays connections and profiles who you are planning to play or have already played. By allowing access to their contact details, messages can be exchanged, e.g if plans change the reservation can be cancelled.