

## Swimmer Profile

<b>Name:</b> Blake Horne	<b>Age:</b> 15
<b>Club:</b> Otumoetai	<b>Coach:</b> Stefan Swanepoel
<b>About Blake</b>	
<b>Greatest achievement in swimming:</b>  Gold Medal in National Age Group Champs 200m Free (14yrs) Breaking Kane Radford's 2 longstanding BOP 200m Free Records for 13 and 14 year old boys Awarded Top Backstroke swimmer for 2014 in Bay of Plenty at age 15 Being selected in the Aquaknights Team for Victoria Age Group – 2012 & 2014 6 medals at National Age Group Championships in 2013	
<b>Major goals for the next 2 years:</b>  Medal at National Age Group Championships 2015 Attend NZ Opens for the first time this year Pan Pacific Championship 2016 Australia Age Group Championship - 2016 Long Term - 2018 Commonwealth Games 2018	
<b>Interests:</b>  Water Skiing, Snow Skiing, Jet Skiing	
<b>School/University/subjects/company/position?</b>  Bethlehem College – Year 11	



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### **What New Zealander inspires you the most & why?**

Sir Edmund Hilary because he showed true grit and determination and never gave up. He showed true compassion for the Nepalese people.