

Swimmer Profile

Name: Samuel Wardhaugh	Age: 15
Club: Neptune	Coach: Gennadiy Labara
About Samuel	
Greatest achievement in swimming: <p>I have not had a particular greatest achievement, but lots of proud moments including winning my first medal at the age of 7, or qualifying for Juniors and then NAGs for the first time. In recent times, the achievement that I have enjoyed the most was being part of the Otago Boys Senior relay team at South Island Secondary School Champs in 2014, swimming in a team with my friends and walking away with a win in the 4x50 freestyle relay.</p>	
Major goals for the next 2 years: <p>Train really hard in the build up to NAGs so that I can try and qualify for Aussie Age.</p>	
Interests: <p>My interests are mainly based around my sport. Swimming takes up most of my time but I also play water polo and AFL. I have just recently completed my surf lifeguard award and I am enjoying being involved with St Clair Surf Club. I am also interested in aircraft, particularly military aircraft, and would love to fly helicopters in the Air Force one day.</p>	

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School/University/subjects/company/position?

Student at Otago Boys High School studying mainly sciences- Chemistry, Physics, Biology, and also Maths, English and Physical Education.

What New Zealander inspires you the most & why?

Richie McCaw is an inspiring old boy of my school. He was Head Boy at Otago Boys High School, and at the same time excelled in sport and achieved great academic success (Proxime Accessit to Dux). Many years later, he still continues to train hard and achieve great things.