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CITATION

2016 COMMERCE CLUB/CANTERBURY SPORTS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FOR JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

CHARLOTTE WHITTAKER

Charlotte is 15 years old and is a rising star in the Basketball field. She is tall at 6 foot 2 ½.

She first represented New Zealand in 2013 as a 12 year old as a member of the New Zealand Koru Team competing in the Australian State Championships at under 14 level.

She has since graduated in 2015 to the New Zealand Women's Under 16 and Under 17 teams and is a member of the Junior Tall Ferns (under 19) programme in 2016. This squad will compete in 2016 in the New Zealand Senior Women's Championships and the Oceania Basketball Championships and is expected to qualify for the FIBA World Championships in 2017.

Among her other achievements are:

- Member of Rangiora High School Senior Women's team in 2014 at 13 years of age.
- Member of Rangiora High School Senior Women's team 2015 and 2016
- Canterbury Wildcats (Senior Women's team) Development player 2015.
- North Canterbury Women's Premiership player 2015.
- Canterbury Wildcats main squad player 2016

Her progress to date is clear evidence of her potential. She is a deserving recipient of this scholarship which will assist with her continuing training and competition costs. We congratulate her on her achievements to date and wish her well in her future endeavours.

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