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### CITATION

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##### ARI GRAHAM (TRIATHLON)

This award was to Ari Graham, who has just competed at the World Junior Triathlon Championships in Rotterdam, finishing a very creditable 15<sup>th</sup> of 70 competitors in her first International event.

She is 18 years old and one year out of St Andrews College, but has already amassed an outstanding record in the sport in 2017 having won the National Junior series overall female title and The National Under 19 Championship. This followed a 2016 year where she was first in the Under 19 Canterbury Secondary Schools Triathlon Future Championz Festival, winning the Aquathon, 1500 Metre run and Sprint Triathlon and finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Open Water swim.

She has also achieved in Athletics, finishing first in the New Zealand Club Championships in U18 1500m, 800m and 4x400m relay; first in the Canterbury Track & Field championships Under 18 800m and 1500m and also winning the U20 400m.

She was also a member of the NZ Secondary Schools' Cross Country Team that competed in Australia in 2016.

She is an extremely promising athlete with the prospect of a long and successful career at the international level

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