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Focus on four water polo players: Photo in a circle + text

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***Samuel***

***Club Pool Pirates Water Polo***

***14/U Boys***

***“Water polo is fun and different and I like it because not many athletes play it. It’s great because it includes swimming, ball skills and is a fantastic team sport.”***

***Lily***

***Clubs Bendigo & Essendon 14/U, 16/U, SL2, SL1***

***Team Captain 2014 14/U Victorian State Team***

***Tier 2 Athlete Development Program***

***“Water polo isn’t just a sport for me, when I play, nothing else***

***matters but the game, and the great people I get to play it with,***

***the rest of the world just melts away.”***



***Leo***

***Club - Melbourne Collegians***

***Victorian NWPL SEAL***

***AUS Junior Men’s team***

***NWPL Mens All Stars Team 2015***

***Transferred from swimming & football***

***“I liked playing for my school and discovered that the combination of physicality and skill really suited me. It is such a unique team sport.”***

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***Rowena Webster***

***Club – Richmond SL1 team, Victorian NWPL SEAL***

***Australian Olympic Team (London 2012)***

***“I feel free when I play water polo, there’s***

***something in me that just lets go of everything. It incorporates skills that we would utilise in other sports, however when thrown in a deep pool, they become so much more challenging to execute.”***