NORTH STOKE SCHOOL SPORT PARTNERSHIP

STARS SQUAD

2010 - 2011
Foreword

It is with great pleasure that Stoke City Football Club is seeking to support potential Stoke-on-Trent medal winners at the London 2012 Olympic Games.

For some younger athletes this may come a little too soon with their aspirations more realistically geared to the Rio de Janiero Olympic Games in 2016.

The emergence of the North Stoke School Partnership STARS squad in the past twelve months has demonstrated just how much talent in such a wide variety of sports originates from Stoke-on-Trent.

The enclosed biographies allow readers to see for themselves the breadth and range of achievements of the athletes and their ambitions to achieve greater things.

Can I stress to any prospective private sponsor, the value and positive profile this will bring to a City constantly striving to portray a positive image to the outside world.

If you have any enquiries, please direct them to our School Sport Partnership colleagues.

Tony Scholes
Chief Executive
Stoke City Football Club
North Stoke School Sport Partnership was first approached in 2009 to get involved in the STARS programme. Previously all applications to enter this Youth Sport Trust programme were accepted from individual schools. Programme manager and former Olympic rower Guin Batten was keen to see how bringing together the talented athletes from a number of schools would work.

In January 2010 an official launch with significant media coverage took place. Representatives from the other 9 Staffordshire SSP’s were invited along with the Lord Mayor of Stoke-on-Trent, Local Authority representatives, Headteachers and the Stoke-on-Trent 2012 coordinator.

International gymnast and leading athlete mentor Craig Heap was drafted in to deliver 3 workshops in the programme along with local high flying athlete Alex Nelson. School Sport Coordinators and Further Education coordinators from the SSP nominated 20 young athletes for the squad using three criteria:

1) participation in an Olympic sport
2) performance to national standard
3) training and/or competing for up to 15 hours per week.

After a second session in the spring a meeting of parents took place to investigate the possibility of forming an action committee to bid for funding to support athletes in their progress. Mark Roberts (former International long distance runner) and Tim Bailey (Beswicks Solicitors) have given valuable advice in how the STARS squad can begin to sustain itself, and indeed fund the needs of its athletes.

As the squad programme looks towards 2011, this portfolio is being used as the next method of raising the squad profile and generating 'in kind' and financial support, from the world of business and commerce, for these aspiring young stars. Should you be interested in becoming involved in the squad, or with the support of specific athletes please contact me directly.

This year the North Stoke STARS squad will be the role model for the development of similar squads in South Stoke, Staffordshire Moorlands and Newcastle SSP’s.

In a quest to sponsor a talented Stoke based athlete on their route to the London 2012 Olympics podium, Stoke City Football Club have set up an Aspiring Athletes Fund of £40k over the next 2 years, which athletes of any age can seek to bid into. The principle aim of the fund is to provide support in travelling, training and competition expenses, hardship and injury rehabilitation costs.

Good Luck to all the athletes in their quest for glory and to their respective supporters, coaches, mentors and sponsors.

Nigel Edwards (Partnership Development Manager, North Stoke SSP)
**Stephanie Crowley**

**Canoe Slalom**

**Age:** 17  
**DOB:** 02/11/1993  
**Place of Birth:** Stoke on Trent  
**Hometown:** Stoke-on-Trent  
**Clubs:** Stafford and Stone Canoe Club  
**Coach:** Phil McDonagh  
**Sporting Hero:** Lizzie Neave, Canoe Slalom bronze medallist at World Championships 2009  
**High School/College:** St Peters CE High School & International Language College

**Sporting History**

I began Canoe Slalom as a recreational sport in 2007, training just once a week on the River Trent at Stone. My coach along with a world class coach both decided that I was progressing very fast and asked me to join in with the world class potential group, where I would be training 3 times a week. That year I began competing and quickly gained promotion to Division 2. With only 2 more promotions to gain before hitting Premier division I never backed down and 2 seasons later I was competing amongst Olympic standard ladies in the Premier Division. I won the Yorkshire Water Championship cup and also trialled for the Great Britain Team. This year 2010, I began training in the newly developed women’s C1 class and will be trialling for the GB team in 2011.

**Competitive Record**

- Divisional champion
- Yorkshire Water Champion
- Great Britain team trials 7th 2008 & 2009

**Ambition:**

My ambition is to make the GB team in C1W in 2011. My ambition then is to medal at the world cups and Europeans next year.

**Sporting Motto:**

Pain is temporary, quitting is forever.

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**Sassan Emadi-Coffin**

**Track Cycling**

**Age:** 16  
**DOB:** 20/11/94  
**Place of Birth:** Stoke on Trent  
**Hometown:** Stoke-on-Trent  
**Clubs:** Brian Rourke CC  
**Coaches:** Mehrdad Emadi, Chris Pyatt, Steve Cronshaw  
**Sporting Heros:** Sir Chris Hoy, Usain Bolt  
**High School/College:** St Peters CE High School & International Language College

**Sporting History**

**Track Cycling:** started racing at 5 years of age at Newcastle Track.  
**Shotokan Karate:** 1st Ku.  
**Football:** played for the school football team in primary school. Reserve City of Stoke Keeper for U12’s.

**Competitive Record**

- Silver Medallist Sprint UK School Games 2010.  
- Bronze Medallist Team Sprint UK School Games 2010.  
- 5th in Sprint Junior National Track Championships 2010.  
- 6th in 500 m. Junior National Track Championships 2010.  
- Unable to compete in 2009 due to injury.

**Ambition:**

To be selected for the British Cycling Olympic Development Programme. To be chosen to compete at the Junior World Track Championships and European Track Championships.  
To continue progressing through the British Cycling Olympic Talent Programme and eventually to represent Great Britain at the Olympics.

**Sporting Motto:**

“Races aren’t given to you; you need to take them.”
Matthew Fair
Rowing

Age: 15
DOB: 08/11/94
Place of Birth: Newcastle Under Lyme
Hometown: Newcastle Under Lyme
Clubs: Trentham Rowing Club
Coach: Darren Barton
Sporting Hero: Matt Pincent
High School/College: St Peters CE High School & International Language College

Sporting History
Darren Barton (my coach) came to our school and taught us how to use an ergo in PE. He asked me if I wanted to enter the biggest indoor rowing competition in Britain. I said yes!
After joining the school ergo club, he asked me if I wanted to go down to Trentham Lake after school every Tuesday during spring. From there I joined Trentham Boat Club and moved onto bigger races.
I still do indoor and outdoor championships.
My most recent competition was earlier this year when myself and a fellow rower, Ruairidh McKenna entered the National Championships in Scotland in a double skull.
I am now helping to coach the younger members of the club who are new to rowing and I am training for the winter Head Season.

Competitive Record
2006 British indoor rowing Championship – 8th
2007 English indoor rowing championships – 4th
2007 British indoor rowing championships – 2nd
2008 English indoor rowing Championships – 3rd
2008 British indoor rowing championship – 1st
2009 English indoor rowing championships - 1st
2009 Inter regional championships – 2nd
2009 National schools Regatta – 4th
2008 National Championships – 4th
2010 National Schools head – 3rd
2010 National schools Thames head – 3rd
2010 Inter regional championships – 4th
2010 National schools regatta – 6th
2010 National championships Scotland – 15th

Ambition:
I would like to be an awesome guitarist in a heavy metal band.

Sporting Motto:
Pain is temporary, quitting is forever.

Najee Fox
Discus Throwing

Age: 17
DOB: 01/12/1992
Place of Birth: Stoke on Trent
Hometown: Stoke-on-Trent
Clubs: Stoke AC
Moving: Birchfield Harriers
Coach: Andy Brittan
Sporting Hero: Usain Bolt
High School/College: St Peters CE High School & International Language College & Stoke on Trent 6th Form College

Sporting History
Started discus at the age of 8 after being introduced to the event by my Dad.
I joined Stoke AC in 2005 and was winning competitions almost immediately. In my first year I was ranked Number 1 in the UK leading my peers by 3 metres.
A serious road traffic accident meant I had an enforced lay-off from athletics for 12 months.
I now train 6 days a week, with my Birmingham based coach, Andy Brittan.

Competitive Record
UK Number 1 at Under 13’s.
2006 Silver medal at the English Schools Championships.
2009 Silver medal at the British Championships.
Unbeaten in County and Midlands championships.

Ambition:
To receive my European juniors call up in 2011.
Get to a European Championship, World Championship or The Olympics at senior level.
To forge a career in motivational speaking and to work with younger generations who have had the same problems as I have, and to give them hope through my own successes.

Sporting Motto:
Ability is what you’re capable of doing. Motivation determines what you do. Attitude determines how well you do it.
Alice Hall
Athletics – Multi-events

Sporting History
Started running at the age of 10 at Stoke AC in particular 100m and 200m.
Rowing: Started indoor rowing when I started St Peter’s High School
and International Language College.
Football: Started football at the age of 9 for Kidsgrove Owls FC (boys team) then moved on to Congleton Vale girls team.

Competitive Record
• Gold medal in the under 13’s 4x100m relay team in the national championship finals at Birmingham 2010.
• Ranked 6th in the country in girls under 13’s 70 meter hurdles 2010.
• Silver medal in the relay rowing squad national championships in Birmingham.
• Ranked 11th in the country for rowing in the Birmingham championships single.
• Staff’s AAA’S champion hurdler May 2010.

Ambition:
To be a part of the GB squad and represent my country in the pentathlon event.

Sporting Motto:
Everybody falls down, it’s the way you get up that counts.

Age: 13
DOB: 27/10/97
Place of Birth:
Newcastle Under Lyme
Hometown:
Packmoor
Clubs:
Stoke AC
Trentham Boat Club
Congleton Vale FC
Coaches:
Neil Gilson &
Michael Frances
Sporting Hero:
Jessica Ennis
High School/College:
St Peters CE High School
& International Language College

Sophie Hilditch
Kickboxing, Gymnastics & Trampolining

Sporting History
I started gymnastics when I was three and competed at regional/county level giving me the basic strength and flexibility which gave me a head start.
Then at the age 13 (end of 2006-06) a friend introduced me to kickboxing and straight away I loved it. I kept going and training hard gradually building up my hours and increasing my ability. When my coach felt I was ready I started competing at amateur and national tournaments gaining confidence and experience, until eventually I qualified for my first world championships and became part of the GB squad.
After that the titles kept rolling in taking me all over GB competing and even to other countries such as Croatia for the European Championships, Spain and Germany for the World Championships.
However at the end of a brilliant year only a few months after my 3rd world championship in 2007, I dislocated my knee, snapping my Anterior Cruciate Ligament. I had reconstructive surgery and followed rehab for the whole 7-8 months and then got back fighting. The physio gave me the all clear, but it happened again and I had a second operation from which I’ve finally recovered. I am now also competing strongly in national gymnastics competitions such as the NDPS and various floor and vault competitions and also performing at event and festivals. In addition, for trampolining I am currently working my way up through regional levels hopefully qualifying for the nationals by next year.

Competitive Record
INTERNATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS – KICKBOXING
2 x Irish open champion, 2006 & 2007
Bronze individual medal in Croatia 2006
Team bronze + silver individual medal in Germany 2007
Grand Champion 2007
Super league team champions 2007
Super league world cup gold 2007
Senior masters of the mat team gold 2007
Plus many national titles.

GYMNASTICS:
8th NDPS tumbling championship finals
Winning all regional tumbling competitions, both for the club and representing the college
Winning floor and vault regional titles, including team silver.

TRAMPOLINING:
2nd team place at Loughborough national college finals
Winning the regional grades, and even reaching the top mark in order to allow me to leap frog grades.

Ambition:
To get back fighting, and claim the world gold numerous times. To get freestyle kickboxing into the Olympics and become a recognised sport, and to dominate the grand championship titles.
To win NDPS in gymnastics and when I go to uni win BUSA’s.
Reach Fig B level in trampolining.

Sporting Motto:
Never give up, keep chasing that dream because if you dream hard enough it will come true.
Bethany Johnson
Taekwondo

Age: 13
DOB: 23/05/1997
Place of Birth: Stoke on Trent
Hometown: Stoke-on-Trent
Clubs: Stoke UTA Taekwondo
Coach: Peter Johnson
Sporting Hero: Sarah Stevenson
Olympic bronze medallist, Taekwondo Beijing 2008.
High School/College: Holden Lane High School & Specialist Sports College

Sporting History
I started WTF Olympic Taekwondo in 2000, when I was 3 years old. My dad who teaches the sport introduced me to it. I also did eight years of ballet, tap and disco dancing at the Angela Beardmore Academy. I did this for eight years. I was also part of the COSSSACC’s swimming club, which I did for two years. I have recently taken my hockey umpiring course as well as playing for the school team. But the main sport I focus on and enjoy is Taekwondo.

Competitive Record
2010 – Korean open, Gumi, Bronze medallist
2010 – Scottish open, Falkirk, Silver medallist
2010 – London open, Crawley, Gold medallist
2010 – Dorset open, Bournemouth, Gold medallist
2010 – Northern Ireland open, Belfast, Gold medallist
2010 – Milton Keynes open, Milton Keynes, Gold medallist
2010 – London masters open, Crawley, Gold medallist
2010 – BTCB national fighting championships, Sports city, Bronze medallist
2010 – BTCB national poomsae championships, Sheffield, Gold medallist individual and pairs.

Ambition:
My ambition is to improve my performance as I move up into the junior category, and hopefully medal in the 2011 BTCB national poomsae championships. I want to compete internationally in 2011, then to further develop to world standard in 2012 and medal in the World championships and maybe the Olympics.

Sporting Motto:
Kick higher, stronger and compete longer! Confidence and belief is the key to achieve!

Aaron Lymer
Trampolining

Age: 13
DOB: 20/6/1997
Place of Birth: Stoke on Trent
Hometown: Stoke on Trent
Clubs: Stoke Elite Trampoline Club
Coach: Laura Davis and Louise Finney
Sporting Hero: James Higgins

Sporting History
Competed at a national level. Qualified to the British trampoline championships, held at the National Indoor Arena in Birmingham where I came 1st.
This competitive season I have also qualified to a Fig B level which will allow me to trial for international events in the future.
Competed in gymnastics at a younger age (floor and vault), which introduced me to the sport of trampolining.

Competitive Record
28/3/09 Regional E: 1st place qualify to Regional D
10/1/10 Regional D: 1st place qualify to National C
06/2/10 National C: 9th place qualify to the British National Trampoline Championships
12/6/10 National C: 1st place qualify to Fig B for 2011
24/7/10 British National Championships: 1st place.

Ambition:
Get into the Great Britain squad 2011, retain at a Fig B level for all of 2011, trial for Home Nations, also trial of World age groups held in Birmingham in 2011. Represent my country in many international competitions and get into a future Olympics.

Sporting Motto:
Energy and persistence conquer all things.
**Joel Mann**

**Athletics**

**Sporting History**
I have been really interested in sport from a very young age. When I was 6, I joined the Star Track group at Northwood Stadium which I really enjoyed. I stayed in this group until I was 10 then I was asked if I wanted to join Stoke AC. I was approached by George Cooper who asked me to do a time trial in the 100m to see if I was good enough to join the Young Athletes Team. I was successful and was picked for the team even though I was underage. I initially competed in the 100m and 200m and did really well. I continued to train with George twice a week and started to improve. The following year George entered me in the 800m which I really excelled in, I got a PB of 2.25 when I was 11 years old. During my last season I worked really hard and achieved a great deal, I reached National Standard in the 100m, 200m and 800m gaining Grade 1 in all events. I broke the Stoke AC record in the 800m by 3 seconds with a time of 2.13.2 which has stood since 1999. I also broke the Staffs County Championships record in 800m, Shropshire vs Staffordshire schools record, the Stoke AC Open Meet record, the Staffordshire Schools Championships record, as well as 3 other records in different open meets and all the schools records. My best achievement was to get Athlete of the Match in the National Young Athletes Auxiliary Final 2010 at Sport City in Manchester for my 800m.

**Competitive Record**

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**Ambition:**
To run for GB and compete at the Olympic Games.

**Sporting Motto:**
No pain no gain!

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**Shingi Mhembere**

**Gymnastics**

**Sporting History**
I started Gymnastics at the age of 5. I went to the Gymnastics Centre as part of PE and the instructor spotted my natural ability and asked my parents to take me along to the club. My career started from there and I have been a member of the City of Stoke Gymnastics Club ever since.

**Competitive Record**
I have won 21 medals in a range of Regional and National Gymnastic competitions, including 1 shield for the highest score.
Gold - 13
Silver - 5
Bronze - 3
Shield - 1

I am training really hard so I can get a lot more medals!

**Ambition:**
My ambition is to go to the Olympics one day

**Sporting Motto:**
Never give up when it gets tough!
Deo Milandu  
**Decathlon**

**Age:** 18  
**DOB:** 30/10/1992  
**Place of Birth:** Democratic Republic of Congo  
**Hometown:** Stoke on Trent  
**Clubs:**  
Stoke AC  
Coach: Geoff Ward  
**Sporting Hero:** Usain Bolt  
**High School/College:**  
Sandon Business & Enterprise College & Stoke-on-Trent 6th Form College

**Sporting History**  
Athletics for County, region and country.  
Football for the Stoke schoolboys.  
Basketball for my school team.  
Rugby for Stoke Rugby Club.

**Competitive Record**  
Silver medal at the AAA championship for decathlon.  
Competed for the county in hurdles at the English schools for three years.  
Competed for the county in decathlon at the multi-events championship at the English schools for four years.  
Two times Northwest champion for multi-events.

**Ambition:**  
To become an Olympic, World and European champion in my chosen event.  
To win the lottery.  
To hold a record.

**Sporting Motto:**  
What doesn’t kill you makes you stronger.

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Louis Preston  
**Track cycling**

**Age:** 15  
**DOB:** 12/07/1995  
**Place of Birth:** Stoke on Trent  
**Hometown:** Stoke on Trent  
**Clubs:**  
Lyme Racing  
Coach: Martyn Shaw  
**Sporting Hero:** Sir Chris Hoy  
**High School/College:**  
James Brindley High School & Specialist Science College

**Sporting History**  
I started cycling after seeing the Tour of Britain in 2008. My Dad brought me a road bike for Christmas that year and I joined Lyme Racing towards the end of the track racing season 2009. I started to compete this year in the British schools championships, the Brooks cycles track league at Lyme Valley stadium and the National youth track championships. Next year I will be intending to compete in more events and hope to be more competitive getting better results over the winter. Before the season starts I will be training hard to achieve this.

**Competitive Record**  
- British schools national champion 2010 (first year racing)  
- BSCA roller racing national 2nd regional 1st  
- BSCA grass track national and regional 1st  
- BSCA hard track 5th national  
- BSCA time trial 6th national 3rd regional  
- BSCA hill climb 6th national  
- National junior track championships  
- Flying 200m sprint 21st national  
- 500m time trial 7th national  
- Brooks cycle track league finished over all 3rd

**Ambition:**  
To become a professional track cyclist and compete against others as part of the GB team, also compete in the Olympics and Commonwealth games for my country.
Sophie Powell
Rowing

Sporting History
I started Rowing when I was 11 years old, and have been competing for 4 years now. I have always loved many different sports including, Karate, Swimming, Netball, and Rounders, being the main ones. When I originally started rowing, I liked it because it was something I had never experienced before and when I went to the after school club, the coach Darren thought I would be better suited to being a cox in rowing, as I am very small and light, which is ideal for a cox. So I went down to Trentham Gardens lake and gave coxing a go and loved it, because, it gives a sense of power and control, and it’s good for letting anger out.

Competitive Record
In total I have 69 medals. 5 are national medals, ranging in Bronze, Silver and Gold.
My first ever National championships I came 1st.
My most recent national competition I came second, when coxing a women’s eight.

Ambition:
To win even more medals, be a part of the Great Britain squad and race in an Olympics.

Sporting Motto:
Winners never quit and quitters never win.

Nicole Stephens
Rowing

Sporting History
I had never been very interested in sport, apart from football, until I went to the after school rowing club at school. I basically went to try and get fitter and I loved it as soon as I started going. There were five other girls my age that showed talent at rowing so we formed a team. In November 2007 we had our first race and won it by 18 seconds. A week later we were British Champions at the British Indoor Rowing Championships. Since then we have gone from strength to strength racing all over the country, gaining an impressive reputation and even a British record. This last summer we were given the privilege to race for our country in Ireland. We were ecstatic, however, because we had been picked due to our performance in the age eighteen category, the people we raced were up to four years older than us. We had the race of our lives and came second which is amazing. We also smashed our previous best for 2000m.

Competitive Record
International race: 2nd place
National races: 6 golds 6 silvers 2 bronze
Smaller/regional regattas and heads around the country: 20 golds 2 silvers

Ambition:
To enjoy and make the most of life whatever I do.

Sporting Motto:
Believe!
Matthew Stevenson
Swimming

Age: 12
DOB: 26/12/1997
Place of Birth: Staffordshire
Hometown: Stoke on Trent
Clubs: Biddulph Amateur Swimming Club
Coach: Peter Abbott
Sporting Hero: Michael Phelps
High School/College: Haywood Engineering College

Sporting History
I swim for Biddulph ASC. I have represented Staffordshire at County level and also at National County Championships. I have also swum for the North Midlands in the Inter Association Finals. My best achievement was to reach the National Age Group Championships in Sheffield this year. Even though it is early in the swimming season, I have just qualified to swim in next year’s National Championships 2011, 13 year old age group. I am now a member of the England Team Development Squad.

Competitive Record
British Gas National Age Group Silver Medallist 100m Butterfly
British Gas National Age Group Silver Medallist 200m Butterfly
North Midlands Inter Association Final Gold Medallist 100m Butterfly
North Midlands Inter Association Final Gold Medallist 200m Butterfly

Ambition:
To swim for Team GB

Sporting Motto:
SWIM HARD AND SWIM TO WIN

James Taylor
Athletics (Sprint Hurdles)

Age: 15
DOB: 09/02/95
Place of Birth: Staffordshire
Hometown: Stoke on Trent
Clubs: City of Stoke AC
Coach: Don Mossn
Sporting Hero: Colin Jackson
High School/College: St Peters CE High School & International Language College

Sporting History
I joined Stoke Athletics Club in 2004 as a Sprinter and started competing for them when I was 11 (at Under 13’s), that was in 2006. Half way through the season I started hurdling, finishing 10th in the UK rankings. The next season I had a successful season this time finishing 1 in the UK. In 2009 I won all the major Indoor and Outdoor Championships and finished Number 1 in the UK yet again.

Competitive Record
2007: Staffordshire Schools and Staffordshire County Champion and record holder.
2009: Staffordshire County and Midland Regional Champion (Indoor & Outdoor), & County Record Holder.
Staffordshire Schools Champion & Record Holder.
English Schools Champion, UK Champion and Number 1 Ranking in the UK.

Ambition:
To represent Great Britain at the Olympic Games and World Championships.

Sporting Motto:
To be the best that I can.
Joe Anderson  
Rowing

**Age:** 15  
**DOB:** 15/01/95  
**Place of Birth:** Stoke on Trent  
**Hometown:** Newcastle Under Lyme  
**Clubs:** Trentham boat club  
**Coach:** Darren Barton  
**Sporting Hero:** Zak Purchis  
**High School/College:** St Peters CE High School & International Language College

**Sporting History**
I came to High school playing football in 2006; however, when I got here I quickly joined the St Peters indoor rowing club. From there I moved on to the water with Darren at Trentham Lake. As I improved I was invited to join the club at Trentham in 2007. Since then training six days a week on the water, at the gym and on ergos with Darren has helped a great deal in getting to the stage I am at now.

**Competitive Record**

**Indoors:**

**On the Water:**
National championships double scull silver 2010, National schools regatta double forth 2010, National junior sculling head bronze 2010, schools head bronze 2010, inter regional 4+ forth 2010, National junior sculling head quad silver 2009, National inter-regional finals quad silver 2009, National schools quad for 2009, National championships quad for 2009, 10 single scull gold’s at small regattas/heads, 1 single scull bronze at small regattas/heads, 42 double scull gold’s at small regattas/heads, 2 double scull silver’s at small regattas/heads, 1 double scull bronze at small regattas/heads, 18 coxed quad gold’s at small regattas/heads, 2 coxed quad silvers at small regattas/heads and 2 coxed quad bronze at small regattas/heads

**Ambition:**
My ambition is to continue to improve my skills throughout rowing. My key target is to qualify through the GB trials and represent my country in the next two years. I will get many chances to do this, for example the GB France match trials in the coming year, or the GB junior squad trials in the next two years. In the more short term, I wish to perform at the fours head in the quad and win the double at the national championships in the coming year.

**Sporting Motto:**
The difference between a successful person and others is not so much a lack of strength or knowledge, rather a lack of will.

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