

### **Catherine Millar**

Previous board member 2019/20 Business owner for 20 years. Competencies in Health and Safety and HR. Interest in health and well-being within Capital Swim Club.

### **Geoff Brown**

A competitive swimmer at a young age continues to be active in masters swimming. New Zealand Swimming board member 2012 to 2019. Where I Chaired the Audit and Risk committee. Significant governance background in financial services. I have a strong financial background, currently Head of advisory for Craigs Investment Partners.

### **Hirata Titcombe**

Strong background in service design and behavioural economics in public and private sectors (including NZ high performance sporting codes). Over 15 years experience in corporate governance, policy, regulations, models of best practice in NZ and UK. Current national sports committee member of Surf Life Saving NZ. Previous Capital Swim Club Board Member in 2015/16 and 2016/17. Recently worked on the Capital Swim Club's current Constitution. Past competitor and coach in 3 sporting codes.

### **Michelle Burke**

I am extremely passionate about sport . My first and strongest love has always been swimming. I swam for the old Boys Institute club which later became Capital in the late 80's. I represented Wellington from age 12 and represented New Zealand from 1988-1991, including Commonwealth Games, World Cup and Pan PACs to name a few. I held many Wellington and NZ records, and NZ Age Group and NZ open titles in my time. I was offered a full scholarship to USC in California making the Pac10 and NCAA travelling teams and we were top 10 NCAA's.

I had a successful career in IT working for National Bank for 5 years and Gen-i for approximately 5 years also. After having my 2 children I opted to pause my IT career to bring up my 2 girls. In 2010 I was offered a place in the Royal NZ Police College which I turned down again in favour of being able to bring up my own kids. In 2017 I purchased an existing Promotional Products, Printing and apparel company and ran our Wellington based sales office. I left the business in 2019 to take up a position as a Property Manager at Oxygen where I am still currently to be closer to my girls school and to be available to facilitate their sporting needs (aka taxi driver). My girls Brooke and Tayla Miles are both currently in the Youth Group under Andre Kudaba. My motivation for being on the Capital board is simple. I believe I can make a strong contribution as a former high performance swimmer and commonwealth games medalist. This club was my grass roots stuff, and I want to see the club succeed so swimmers get the same opportunities and better that were available for me in the 1980's and 90's under Gary Hurring. I understand what it means to have great leadership, great coaching and a happy club working together to make it stronger and secure for its future. From the littlest through to the Olympians we are in this together as a Club to grow and be successful for everyone.

### **Sharon Pippas**

Senior aquatic extract instructor of WRAC Swim School from pre 2010 to 2015

Coach capital Swim Club bronze and silver squads 2015-16

Capital Swim Club Volunteer (2014 to to current) Roles include: Administrator (2017 to 2019), Race secretary, Carnival committee member & Accounts (2017 - current)

Volunteer Swimming Wellington Administrator (2018-current)