



Clearwater Construction Backs New Zealand Representative Triathlete Bruce Hunter



As part of our commitment to our community Clearwater Construction assists in funding Bruce's programme of training & competition in the National & International arena. Bruce has competed in Triathlon/Duathlon for the past 9 years. In the last 2 seasons he has stepped into the Elite ranks, where he has found a huge learning curve.

He relocated to Boulder, Colorado for 2 months over the southern hemisphere winter 2009 and after a very tough build up competed in Portland, Oregon, where

he achieved a 3rd place finish. Returning to New Zealand he successfully defended his National Elite Duathlon Title which was a great step forward. He has recently competed in the Karapiro Half Ironman (a first attempt at this distance) and finished 3rd, another good result.

December & January 2009 are geared towards the Tauranga Half Ironman which doubles as the New Zealand Half Ironman Champs. Although new to the distance Bruce believes he will perform well against some of New Zealand's best long distance athletes.

For the balance of 2009 he'll be racing in the National Series with the grand finale being held in Wellington and doubling as the New Zealand Olympic Distance Champs/Selection Race. The Oceania Triathlon champs will also be held later in the year in Mooloolaba, Australia and this will be the 2nd Selection race into the New Zealand Triathlon Squad.

We continue to support Bruce, we wish him well and we'll be keeping a keen eye on his progress in these grueling and extremely competitive events.

Major Achievements:

New Zealand Duathlon Champs 08/09
Portland Midsummer Triathlon Champs 09 (Portland, USA)
World Triathlon Champs 09
Karapiro Half Ironman 09

1st
3rd
11th
3rd

