

Hayley Peirsol

Elite Triathlete

Born in August 1985...23 years old



Hayley began triathlons in July of 2008 then returned to school in September of 2008 and graduated in December. She is now training under Siri Lindley with Sam Warriner and Mirinda Carfrae in Borrego Springs, California since February of 2009.

Hayley's brother, Aaron, competed in the 2000, 2004, and 2008 Olympics and has medaled in each Olympics for the 100m and 200m backstrokes as well as in several relays.

Swimming Accomplishments

- Six-time All-American
- NCAA Individual Champion in the 1500yard Free in 2006 and 2007
- NCAA Team Champion in 2005, 2006, and 2007 for Auburn University Division I
- SEC Champion in 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007.
- 2007-World Championships Bronze Medalist (800m Free)
- 2007-Ranked 2nd in the world in the 1500m free, 4th in the 800m free and 4th in the 400m free
- 2006-U.S. Senior National Championship Gold Medalist (800m Free)
- 2006 U.S. Senior National Championship Silver Medalist (400m Free)
- 2006-Pan Pacific Championship Silver Medalist (1500m free): 3rd women in the world to ever break 16 minutes in the 1500m free.
- 2006-Pan Pacific Championship Bronze Medalist (800m free)
- 2005 and 2006 U.S. National A Team Member
- 2005-World University Games Silver Medalist (800m free)
- 2005-World University Games Gold Medalist (1500m free)
- 2003-World Championship Silver Medalist (1500m Free): Hayley and Aaron were the first sibling duo to ever medal at the same World Championships.
- 2002-Pan-Pacific Bronze Medalist (800m Free)

Triathlon Accomplishments

- First triathlon: in Chattanooga Tennessee: 5th place overall woman, 1st out of the water for women. (July 2008)
- Second triathlon: Bandits Challenge in North Carolina: 1st place overall woman, 1st out of the water, including men. (August 2008)
- Third triathlon: Kaiser Permanente in Los Angeles: 2nd elite woman, 2nd women out of the water overall including men. (September 2008)
- Received pro card after 3rd triathlon.
- Fourth triathlon: in La Quinta, California: 1st place elite finisher, 2nd out of the water overall including men. (March 2009)