



CHS water polo tournament team, from left, Shane Rose (coach), Taine Rose (co-captain), Kian Mathieson, Janey Hanna, Tane Lindsay, Caiti Elmore, Mitchell Abbott, Ben Hawken, Mitchell Lamb (co-captain), Cody Lamb, Trent Rose, and Sam Scott. Mackenzie Jones was absent. PHOTO: SUPPLIED

CHS water polo team makes a splash

Cambridge High School has been enjoying recent success with its water polo teams.

The school entered three teams into last month's Waikato Waterpolo Secondary Schools 2016 competition. One of those was the school's first water polo girls team.

The girls went on to place fourth equal.

CHS's Tina Rose said the girls

were unlucky not to gain a semi-final playoff due to count backs.

The school's Mixed B team played in the Boys Div 2 competition. They were ranked first having won eight games and lost two throughout the season.

The same B team won the Waikato competition last year as well.

Cambridge High's Mixed A Team beat Hamilton Boys' High School's A team in the final with a

penalty shoot-out going on to decide the better team.

This is also the second year Cambridge High School's A team have won the Waikato final.

Around 70 Cambridge High supporters travelled attended the finals game at Te Rapa.

Rose said having the stands full of Cambridge High School supporters at the event "certainly helped our team".

Both Taine Rose and Mitchell Lamb (co-captains of the Mixed A team) were named in the Waikato Tournament Team.

At the recent NZ Secondary Schools competition, Cambridge High School placed fifth equal.

The team that won the competition – Auckland's Rosmini College – was the only team Cambridge High School lost to during the round robin competition.