



# Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc

60<sup>th</sup> Annual Report



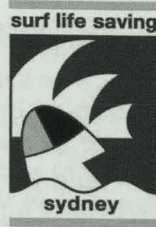
2008-2009 season







# **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INC.**



## **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Notice is hereby given that the 60<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc. will be held at the Sutherland Tradies Club on Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> August 2009, commencing at 7.30pm.

### **AGENDA**

**7:30 pm Welcome – President**

**Apologies and Proxies**

**Confirmation of the minutes of the 59<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc. held 5<sup>th</sup> August 2008**

**Presentation of the Annual Report for Season 2008 – 09**

**Presentation of the Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> May 2009 and Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> May 2009**

**Announcement of Life Members/Presidents Medal**

**Meeting Closed – Invitation to refreshments**

***John C. De Cean***  
**DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION**



# PRESIDENT' REPORT

I am proud to present to the meeting the Annual Report for SLSS 2008-2009 Season.

For those members involved in the administration of Branch and Clubs, this time of year can be as busy (if not busier) than the active patrolling part of the Season. Annual Reports in surf life saving form part of the history of the Association. I would like to thank those responsible for the report's production including officers of the Branch to the Clubs for supply Branch with the Club Annual Reports. I appreciate that it is a busy time of year and thank you for assisting us in meeting our reporting timetable.

Our sponsors are very important to us and in addition to welcoming you I would like to thank you for your ongoing support and commitment to our Branch. Our volunteer lifesavers work very hard to provide our service and it is fantastic that these efforts are recognised through the generosity of our sponsors.

Sydney Branch remains incredibly loyal to the fundamentals of the volunteer based history of surf life saving. Our results are equal to any other Branch in the country and in many areas we lead the way. Once again Sydney Branch has had a season that we can all be proud of.

The Director of Life Saving – Michael Hodsdon and Director of Surf Sports – Mike Vitnell are in their second year and were able to consolidate on the ground work done in the first year. John de Cean once again has been invaluable to me and the Branch. It was the end of an era for the BJD with Tim Murray handing over the guard to Doug Hawkins. Special thanks to Tim for a great job at the helm of BJD and good luck to Doug. Peter Carney looked after finance.

There are several highlights that I would like to mention from last season:

Lifesaving highlights including:

- Rescues 1,802
- Preventative Actions 29,083
- Total Awards 7,756 - (Seniors) 2,809
- Cert II Awards (Bronze) 856
- Total Branch Membership 14,275 (representing a 16.6% growth rate over the last 6 years)
- Successful participation in the City/Country Exchange Programme
- Having several of the Branch Clubs assist Garie with Patrols which was a highly successful initiative
- Ongoing management of Special Operations Group covering IRBs, RWC's and the ever present and reliable ORBs

The focus on additional awards is substantial with many awards being for silver medallions or above. The efforts required in training, facilitation and assessment is substantial. Congratulations to all those involved in this process.

Mike Vitnell as Director of Surf Sports has taken a highly strategic approach to improving Surf Sports. Building on his first year, he has made great inroads on what should be regarded as a fantastic year. We have continued to run our traditional carnival calendar. Our carnivals have been well run and we have greatly benefitted from the increased number of carnival officials.

Competition Highlights including:

- Officials Mentoring Program and Real Growth in Officials – 193 to 246
- Expansion of Carnival rounds – Ski, Board, Sprints
- Inclusion of U/13's in selected Senior Carnivals
- Sydney branch Team selection program
- High Performance and Emerging Athletes Program



- Development Squad
- New Junior Carnivals
- Carnivals with a focus on U/17 and U15's
- Great Juniors Development camp - going 25 yrs
- Facilitated first Club Competition Directors Forum
- Held the first Sydney Branch Surf Sports Development Camp
- First IRB Carnival hosted by a Branch club in many years
- More Coaching Clinics

Team captains Chris Allum and Jamie McGee lead by example all the way to a fantastic 2<sup>nd</sup> at the InterBranch. Our performance in competition as a Branch is also worthy of mention. Overall, the Branch achieved the following results, which reflects well on the caliber of Club competition strength:

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| • Aussie Masters 41 | Aussie Open 54 |
| • State Masters 91  | State Open 105 |
| • State Junior 114  |                |

Once again, prior to the commencement of the season with a Forum for Presidents, Club Captains and Chief Instructors, Surf Sports and Administrators. It was well attended and the results achieved a strong start to the season.

Tim Murray has done a great job once again leading the Board of junior Development and the BJD events have been extremely well supported. Our Junior movement has continued from strength to strength with 5770 members in our nippers movement representing 40% of our total Sydney membership.

George Fatseas, our Director of Youth, has continued to provide motivation for this demographic of the Branch which remains a key area of focus for the Branch.

Despite a drop in sponsorship, a review of the financials will show that the Branch is in good financial shape and thanks to the Director of Finance Peter Carney and the Finance Committee for their hard work. We have once again been able to keep our fees to the lowest in the State – both capitation and carnival entry fees. Peter will address this separately but I am pleased to announce a profit for the year of \$29,206. Also significant is the fact that the Branch has acquired another property with a view to shoring up future revenue streams for the ultimate benefit of the Clubs.

I wish John de Cean and the team best wishes for a great Season for 2009 – 2010.

**Rob Yeldon**  
**President**



**Mike Vitnell – 09 Sydney Branch Member of the year  
together with Sydney President Rob Yeldon.**



# OFFICERS & COMMITTEES 2008 – 2009 SEASON

## PATRON

Bill Marshall (Dec)

## VICE PATRONS

Premier of New South Wales  
M.H.R.A.E.S of Branch Seaside Areas  
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The Honourable Leader of the State Parliamentary Opposition  
The Lord Mayor of Sydney  
Director, National Parks and Wildlife Service  
Mayor, Sutherland Shire Council  
Mayor, Randwick City Council  
Mayor, Botany Bay City Council  
Mayor, Waverley Municipal Council  
Mayor, Woollahra Municipal Council  
President, Surf Life Saving New South Wales  
President, Illawarra Surf Life Saving Branch  
President, Sydney Northern Beaches Branch  
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President, Caringbah Bowling Club  
Patrick O'Neill, Medina Executive Apartments

## PRESIDENT

Rob Yeldon

## DEPUTY PRESIDENT

John De Cean

## DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING

Michael Hodsdon

## DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

Peter Carney

## DIRECTOR OF JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

Tim Murray

## DIRECTOR OF YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

George Fatseas

## DIRECTOR OF SURF SPORTS

Mike Vitnell

## DELEGATE TO SURF LIFE SAVING NSW

Rob Yeldon

## POINTS RECORDERS

Graham Giles & Stephen Strange

## SLSS INC. TEAM MANAGER

John De Cean

## SLSS INC. TEAM COACH

Doug Iredale

**Assistant Team Coach** – Daniel Neilson/Tracey Schriek

## I.T. ADVISOR

Purrana

## HONORARY LEGAL OFFICER

Bartier Perry Solicitors

## HONORARY GRIEVANCE OFFICER

Bartier Perry Solicitors – Mark Paul

## AUDITOR

Frank Larosa

## OFFICE STAFF

Linda Perrin, Yvette Rutherford  
Leann Grant (res 4/3/09)

## BOARD OF LIFESAVING COMMITTEE

Director of Lifesaving – Michael Hodsdon  
Deputy Director of Lifesaving – David Jenkins  
Education Manager – Kym Pennell (res) Marris Jank  
Support Operations Manager – George Shales  
BOL Secretary – Peter Quartly  
Communications Officer – Kerry Briody (res) Gary Pracy  
Youth Advisor (vacant)  
RWC Officer – Brent Armitage  
IRB Officer – Bob Leys  
ORB Officer – Ron Camilleri  
Peer Support Coordinator – George Shales  
Advanced Awards Coordinator – Peter Agnew  
Lifesaving Competition – Michael Bretherton

## LIFESAVING SUPERVISORS

Royal National Park District – Peter Pearce  
Cronulla Sutherland District – Michael Batty  
Randwick District – Mark Doepel  
Waverley District – Martin Drennan

## EDUCATION SUPERVISORS

Royal National Park District – Margaret Pearce  
Cronulla Sutherland District – Scott Rofe  
Randwick District – Trent Thomas  
Waverley District – Jayme Smith

## BOARD OF SURF SPORT COMMITTEE

Mike Vitnell – Director of Surf Sport  
Assist. Director of Surf Sports – Graham Bruce  
BOSS Secretary – John De Cean  
Competition Manager – Greg Pearce  
BJD Competition Coordinator – Michael Royce

## BOARD OF JUNIOR ACTIVITIES

Chairman – Tim Murray  
Deputy Chairman – Peter King  
Secretary / Treasurer – Margaret Sears  
Competition Coordinator – Michael Royce  
Lifesaving Adviser – Doug Hawkins  
Assist Team Manager – Wayne Druery  
Selectors – Wayne Druery, Stephen Strawbridge

## GEAR STEWARD

Peter Burst

## OFFICIALS ADVISERS

Stephen Strawbridge (Beach), Ben Dillon (R & R), Michael Royce (Juniors), Jeff Brown (Craft), Ian Goode (Water), Craig Jordan (IRB) res., Matt Thompson, Kevin Neilson (Coaching), Announcing (Greg Holland), Chris Gately (Pool Advisor)

## LIFE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

John De Cean, Peter Pearce, Keith Grima, John Restuccia, Peter Quartly, Edwin Brooker, Ken English, Ron Camilleri,

## CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

Peter Quartly, Ken English, Stephen Strange, John De Cean

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

Peter Carney (Chairman), Peter Pearce, Brian Ferguson, Karl Solomonson, Ben Hutt

## JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

John Restuccia, Keith Grima, Michael Batty, Peter Quartly, Edwin Brooker, Ian Toll, Glen Clarke, Dick Bignold, Ron Camilleri.

## SELECTION COMMITTEE

Mike Vitnell (Chairman), John De Cean, John Restuccia (res), Doug Iredale, Kevin Neilson, Greg Pierce.

## MERITORIOUS AWARDS COMMITTEE

Michael Hodsdon (Convenor), Ron Camilleri, Michael Bretherton

## RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

David Jenkins, Peter Quartly, Michael Bretherton, Peter Murphy.

## GEAR INSPECTION COMMITTEE

Mark Doepel, Michael Batty, Peter Pearce, Gary Daly, Glen Clarke, Peter Burst, John Restuccia, Peter Quartly, Scott Rofe, Greg Causar, Michael Bretherton, Peter Carney



## **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INC. LIFE MEMBERS**

P. V. Ainsworth (dec.)	W. Foerster (dec.)	C. F. Osborne
P. Agnew	G. C. Forshaw	C. J. Owens OAM
K. C. Andrews (dec.)	W. T. Gray (dec.)	P. M. Pearce
C. I. Badham OAM	K. M. Grima	R. E. Pears OAM
V. A. Besomo (dec.)	N. Hayton MBE (dec.)	A. J. Purcell (dec.)
E. M. Brooker OAM	J. N. Hodge (dec.)	J. Restuccia
H. J. Brown OAM	R. M. Howells OAM	P. G. Quartly
L. J. Buck	G. H. Johnson (dec.)	R. J. Sargeant
R. V. Buist (dec.)	G. A. Lindsay (dec.)	M. C. Singleton (dec)
M. J. Burke (dec.)	A. R. Loton (dec.)	E. C. Sier (dec.)
R. M. Camilleri	D. C. Lucas OBE (dec.)	H. A. Small (dec.)
J. H. Cameron (dec.)	L. S. McDonald OAM (dec.)	G. B. Staunton MBE
A. W. Castleman MBE (dec.)	W. J. R. McKenna (dec.)	E. B. Stephens OAM
G. R. M. Challis (dec.)	J. S. McRorie (dec.)	S.R. Strange
W. A. T. Crain MBE (dec.)	C. Mack (dec.)	J. R. Switzer OAM
G. S. Cohen (dec.)	E. J. Marsden (dec.)	B. J. Taylor
Sir A. Curlewis CVO CBE (dec.)	W. G. Marshall OAM (dec.)	L. D. Turner (dec.)
F. H. Dargan (dec.)	T. W. Meagher OBE (dec.)	J. K. Vaughan OAM (dec.)
R. P. Davison	K. F. Messenger OAM	J.B. Wardall (dec.)
J. C. De Cean	R. Michaelis (dec.)	K. W. Watson MBE (dec.)
J. W. Dempster (dec.)	G. Millar (dec.)	G. R. Webb (dec.)
G. S. Delitt (dec.)	N. S. Miller	C. W. Whitehead (dec.)
J. C. Dewey	T. F. Moran (dec.)	S. J. Windon (dec.)
J. B. Dillon (dec.)	D. R. B. Moroney (dec.)	G. Williams (dec.)
N. A. Dixon (dec.)	A. Moseley OAM	V. J. Williams MBE (dec.)
T. D. Elliott	A. D. Olson (dec.)	G. J. Wilson (dec.)
K. E. English		W. J. Young (dec.)

## **SLSS INC. BJA LIFE MEMBERS**

B. Breadner	W. McNamara (dec.)	E. Topper
B. Bulmer	A. Powell (dec.)	K. Walker (dec.)

## **SLSS INC. MEMBERS WHO ARE LIFE MEMBERS OF SLS NSW**

Greg Allum OAM	J. S. Fraser OAM	M. C. Singleton (dec)
H. J. Brown OAM	R. M. Howells OAM	G. B. Staunton MBE
R. Bignold	W. Marshall OAM (dec.)	E. B. Stephens OAM
E.M. Brooker OAM	A. Moseley OAM	S. R. Strange
J. C. Dewey	K. Neilson	J. R. Switzer OAM
W. H. Eady OAM (dec.)	C. F. Osborne	R. E. Pears OAM
T. D. Elliott	P. M. Pearce	P. Vanny
K. E. English	R. J. Sargeant	

## **SLSS INC. MEMBERS WHO ARE LIFE MEMBERS OF SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA**

G. A. Allum OAM	W. G. Marshall OAM (dec.)	P. R. Stapleton AM
H. J. Brown OAM	A. Moseley OAM	G. B. Staunton MBE
J. C. Dewey	R. E. Pears OAM	E. B. Stephens OAM
J.S. Fraser OAM	W. A. Rennie OAM	M. C. Singleton (dec)
R. M. Howells OAM	Rex Sargeant	J. R. Switzer OAM
	Stephen Strange	



# SPONSORS

Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc. is proud to acknowledge our sponsors' contribution, both financially and materially. Without sponsorship - corporate, government and individual - our task of providing viable Life Saving service to the community of Sydney would be difficult. It is appreciated, that here in our Annual Report, the major public document of Surf Life Saving Sydney; we recognise and thank our individual sponsors for their support - support that is given without restriction or interference with our objectives and achievements.



## MAJOR SPONSORS

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New South Wales Department of Sport & Recreation  
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Purruna



# SENIOR & JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP 2008- 2009 SEASON

MEMBERSHIP	Active (15-18 Yrs)	Active (18 yrs & over)	Associate	Award	Cadet (13-15 yrs)	General/Community	Honorary	Junior Activity Member (5-13)	Life Member	Long Service	Probationary	Reserve Active	08/09 TOTAL	07/08 Comparison	06/07 Comparison	05/06 Comparison	04/05 Comparison
<b>Bondi</b>																	
Male	22	182	125	-	18	16	9	145	15	201	1	11	745	765	658	802	642
Female	11	105	53	-	23	17	5	111	-	8	3	1	337	344	259	294	380
<b>Total</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>1109</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>1096</b>	<b>1022</b>
<b>Bronte</b>																	
Male	8	112	34	49	13	26	3	274	23	86	1	18	647	555	671	809	733
Female	9	52	12	22	6	9	4	271	1	3	1	6	396	378	398	502	393
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1043</b>	<b>933</b>	<b>1069</b>	<b>1311</b>	<b>1126</b>
<b>Burning Palms</b>																	
Male	-	24	61	-	1	-	7	9	8	20	2	2	134	129	133	121	140
Female	-	6	27	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	1	-	39	38	37	29	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>174</b>
<b>Clovelly</b>																	
Male	9	105	133	-	11	-	-	180	14	87	-	2	541	510	523	387	458
Female	6	31	23	1	8	-	-	172	1	7	-	3	252	224	232	175	191
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>649</b>
<b>Coogee</b>																	
Male	28	261	143	-	23	66	15	331	12	188	9	14	1091	1021	1023	944	1117
Female	32	148	57	-	27	31	0	319	0	5	5	5	629	575	497	458	494
<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1719</b>	<b>1596</b>	<b>1520</b>	<b>1402</b>	<b>1611</b>
<b>Cronulla</b>																	
Male	26	78	84	5	41	39	29	269	32	218	24	17	862	881	902	837	799
Female	27	40	68	5	40	18	5	265	-	23	5	6	502	526	538	519	468
<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>1364</b>	<b>1407</b>	<b>1440</b>	<b>1356</b>	<b>1267</b>
<b>Elouera</b>																	
Male	23	120	28	-	30	11	1	223	10	44	9	1	500	426	493	466	439
Female	31	43	31	-	19	16	2	271	-	4	6	1	424	409	359	339	282
<b>Total</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>923</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>721</b>
<b>Era</b>																	
Male	2	16	41	-	3	-	-	10	7	5	1	2	87	133	113	149	135
Female	4	14	41	4	3	-	-	7	-	1	3	-	77	87	68	97	84
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>219</b>
<b>Garie</b>																	
Male	4	31	15	4	4	4	17	58	11	16	12	3	179	142	165	135	118
Female	2	5	10	6	7	5	4	60	1	-	5	-	105	70	67	41	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>152</b>
<b>Maroubra</b>																	
Male	33	132	22	1	35	3	15	298	28	186	3	8	765	697	660	701	580
Female	18	31	0	-	15	1	13	255	0	5	1	1	341	313	304	308	239
<b>Total</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1103</b>	<b>1010</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1009</b>	<b>819</b>
<b>North Bondi</b>																	
Male	24	295	149	-	21	5	87	415	18	250	3	7	1274	1315	1267	1258	1151
Female	20	145	32	-	33	5	24	398	1	19	3	-	680	703	641	589	539
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1954</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>1908</b>	<b>1847</b>	<b>1690</b>
<b>North Cronulla</b>																	
Male	37	72	197	8	28	2	2	302	24	106	5	10	793	887	826	795	804
Female	16	50	65	1	28	-	8	249	1	8	3	2	431	500	471	429	380
<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1224</b>	<b>1387</b>	<b>1297</b>	<b>1224</b>	<b>1184</b>
<b>South Maroubra</b>																	
Male	23	106	44	4	21	20	3	216	21	34	2	22	516	494	567	520	506
Female	16	28	12	1	28	18	0	177	1	2	2	1	286	277	245	257	227
<b>Total</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>733</b>
<b>Tamarama</b>																	
Male	-	96	27	-	1	-	2	36	23	30	6	13	234	251	247	249	221
Female	-	42	5	-	-	-	3	30	0	0	3	1	84	83	93	78	87
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>308</b>
<b>Wanda</b>																	
Male	36	91	91	23	18	180	23	204	22	73	10	16	787	770	772	805	590
Female	17	36	21	15	16	214	2	213	1	6	0	1	542	546	556	579	331
<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1329</b>	<b>1316</b>	<b>1328</b>	<b>1384</b>	<b>921</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>2497</b>	<b>1651</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>5770</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>1634</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>14275</b>	<b>14269</b>	<b>13974</b>	<b>13672</b>	<b>11634</b>



# MEETING ATTENDANCE

Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc. held monthly Executive meetings and bi-monthly Council meetings from October 2008 to April 2009.

*Council meeting attendance is indicated below;*

COUNCIL MEETING ATTENDANCE	
SLSS Officers	
Robert Yeldon (President)	3
John De Cean (Dep President)	4
Peter Carney (Director of Finance)	2
Mike Vitnell (Director of Surf Sports)	3
Michael Hodsdon (Director of Lifesaving)	3
Tim Murray (Director of Junior Development)	2
George Fatsea (Director Youth Development)	0

Surf Life Saving Sydney would like to thank the Maroubra Seals Sports & Community Club for their support and allowing us to conduct our Council meetings at the club.



**Maroubra Seals**

CLUB	REPRESENTATIVE	ATTENDANCE
BONDI	PRESIDENT	4
	DELEGATE	3
BRONTE	PRESIDENT	1
	DELEGATE	-
BURNING PALMS	PRESIDENT	2
	DELEGATE	3
CLOVELLY	PRESIDENT	3
	DELEGATE	4
COOGEE	PRESIDENT	2
	DELEGATE	4
CRONULLA	PRESIDENT	3
	DELEGATE	3
ELOUERA	PRESIDENT	3
	DELEGATE	1
ERA	PRESIDENT	-
	DELEGATE	1
GARIE	PRESIDENT	3
	DELEGATE	1
MAROUBRA	PRESIDENT	2
	DELEGATE	4
NORTH BONDI	PRESIDENT	3
	DELEGATE	3
NORTH CRONULLA	PRESIDENT	4
	DELEGATE	4
SOUTH MAROUBRA	PRESIDENT	4
	DELEGATE	4
TAMARAMA	PRESIDENT	2
	DELEGATE	2
WANDA	PRESIDENT	4
	DELEGATE	4



## CLUB OFFICE BEARERS 2008-09

DISTRICT	CLUB	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	CLUB CAPTAIN
<b>ROYAL NATIONAL PARK</b>  1	<b>BURNING PALMS</b>	Wayne Vaughan	Peter Pearce	Mark Doyle
	<b>ERA</b>	Mark Wood	Kelly Hedderman	David Staples
	<b>GARIE</b>	Michael Byrne	Rita Taylor	Brad Taylor
<b>CRONULLA SUTHERLAND</b>  2	<b>CRONULLA</b>	Greg Holland	Emma Larsson	Keiran Day
	<b>NORTH CRONULLA</b>	Brian Ferguson	Brian Ferguson	Barney Johansen (dec) Steven Barlow
	<b>ELOUERA</b>	David Young	Stephen Warncken	Kym Pennell
	<b>WANDA</b>	Anita Pryke	David Gittus	Graham Hill
<b>RANDWICK</b>  3	<b>SOUTH MAROUBRA</b>	Paul Fownes	Helga Nilsen	Simon Torsellini
	<b>MAROUBRA</b>	Tim Murray	Keith Grima	Trent Thomas
	<b>COOGEE</b>	Simon Figures	James Turney	Catie Anderson
	<b>CLOVELLY</b>	Glen Clarke	Karon Lekeu	Alan Kane
<b>WAVERLEY</b>  4	<b>BRONTE</b>	Graham Ford	Keil Smith	David Fleeting
	<b>TAMARAMA</b>	William Shires	Shay Decuara	Rex Hatton
	<b>BONDI</b>	Rob Harvey	Lea Hill	Jacob Waks
	<b>NORTH BONDI</b>	Grant McMahon	Karen Stott	Murray Hayes

## CONGRATULATIONS

### 2008 SLSS PRESIDENTS MEDAL

Michael Batty, Peter Steenson and Arthur White on receiving the prestigious Surf Life Saving Sydney Presidents Medal for distinguished service to the Branch.

### S.L.S AUSTRALIA LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

Congratulations to Rex Sargeant & Stephen Strange on their Life Membership of Surf Life Saving Australia.

### S.L.S AUSTRALIA HALL OF FAME

SLSA President, Ron Rankin AM welcomed two new inductees into what he called 'an exclusive group of Australian surf lifesavers who have achieved to the highest levels' Dennis Green (Maroubra, South Maroubra, Southport and Kurrawa) and Barry Stuart (Maroubra and South Maroubra) were Australian Double Ski Champions in 1959, 1962, 1963, 1964 and 1967 while Stuart won an individual title in 1958 and Green in 1965. Green also won double ski titles with Wally Brown (Maroubra) in 1954 and 1957 and with Dennis McGuire (Maroubra) in 1961. Green and Stuart were the first of many surf lifesavers who went on to make their mark in the Olympic sport of flatwater kayaking, with Green representing Australia at five games, winning a Bronze Medal in his debut in Melbourne in 1956, while Stuart paddled for his country at Melbourne, Rome, Tokyo and Mexico City.



### **SLSA – Meritorious Award – Silver Medaillion - Recognising Bravery**

Major James (Jim) Peryman from North Cronulla SLSC, was posthumously recognised for his actions in 1950 at North Cronulla, when he rescued a 16 year old girl caught in a treacherous rip.

### **S.L.S NSW LIFE MEMBERSHIP**

Congratulations to Greg Allum & Kevin Neilson on their elevation to SLS NSW Life Membership.

### **S.L.S 2008/2009 NSW HIGH PERFORMANCE SQUAD – Sydney Members**

Anthony Kaskoutas – Wanda, Tyler Harding – Wanda, Bridget Little – Cronulla, Kyle O'Brien – Cronulla, Matthew Horton – Bondi, Kailah Elliott – Elouera, Dane Farrell – Elouera, Nick Fox – Wanda, Kristopher Papadatos – Coogee, Sarah Cook – Cronulla, Hayden Allum – Cronulla, Thomas Okeefee – Elouera, Bean Buttel – Wanda, Jamie McKee – Cronulla.

### **S.L.S NSW STATE TEAM – Sydney Members**

Jay Furniss – Wanda, William Patterson – Bronte, Bree Masters – Cronulla, Shiobhan Dibley – Nth Cronulla, Tyler Harding – Wanda, Kyle O'Brien – Cronulla, Matt Horton – Bondi, Sarah Cook – Cronulla, Chris Allum – Cronulla, Hayden Allum – Cronulla, Kailah Elliott – Elouera, Kevin Neilson (Coach) – Cronulla. Congratulations to the NSW team on retaining the Championships.

### **S.L.S NSW AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE**

NSW Lifesaver of the Year – Tony Grivell – Maroubra

NSW Volunteer of the Year – Tim Murray – Maroubra

NSW Athlete of the Year – Chris Allum – Cronulla

NSW Coach of the Year – Richard Garnsey – Cronulla

NSW Masters Athlete of the Year – Carolyn Macauley – Cronulla



**Anthony Grivell receiving NSW Lifesaver of the Year Award**



**Tim Murray receiving NSW Volunteer of the Year Award**





## **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR**

Nominees were: Brent Armitage - Maroubra SLSC, Anthony Grivell - Maroubra SLSC,  
Ilya Anisimoff - Bondi SLSC, Rob Gibellini - Coogee SLSC, Will Boa -  
Coogee SLSC

Winner was: Anthony Grivell - Maroubra.

Tony is a committed active member of Maroubra Surf Life Saving Club with 100% patrol efficiency. He is a Patrol Captain, completes water safety for nipper activities and is the Chief Training Officer within the club. Tony is a member of the SLSS Support Operations Group where he regularly patrols on the Randwick District Offshore Rescue Boat and the Support Ski. He averages around 140 personal patrol hours each season on the beach and within the Support Operations Group. Especially important to Tony is the retention of cadets from their SRC award to BM award and continuing lifesaving services.

## **LIFESAVERS OF THE YEAR**

SEASON	WINNER	CLUB
1989 - 1990	Peter Agnew	North Bondi SLSC
1990 - 1991	John Restuccia	Maroubra SLSC
1991 - 1992	Paul Cooper	Tamarama SLSC
1992 - 1993	Bernard Kelly	South Maroubra SLSC
1993 - 1994	Paul Cotter	Elouera SLSC
1994 - 1995	Craig Farrugia	Maroubra
1995 - 1996	Suzanne Young	North Bondi SLSC
1996 - 1997	Jason Madsen	North Bondi SLSC
1997 - 1998	Christopher Giles	Cronulla SLSC
1998 - 1999	Jodi Culbert	Burning Palms SLSC
1999 - 2000	Jodi Culbert	Burning Palms SLSC
2000 - 2001	Paul Booth	Bronte SLSC
2001 - 2002	Tony Waller	Coogee SLSC
2002 - 2003	Mark Frost	South Maroubra SLSC
2003 - 2004	Stephen Leahy	Coogee SLSC
2004 - 2005	Andrew Bloxsom	Coogee SLSC
2005 - 2006	Roslyn George	Nth Cronulla SLSC
2006 - 2007	David Haggart	Maroubra SLSC
2007 - 2008	Trent Thomas	Maroubra SLSC
2008 - 2009	Anthony Grivell	Maroubra SLSC



**Anthony  
Grivell**



## **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR**

Nominees were: Tony Beger – Clovelly, David Kowall – Elouera, Doug Hawkins – Coogee, Tim Murray – Maroubra, Gary Pracy – Maroubra, George Shales – Maroubra  
Winner was: Tim Murray – Maroubra

Tim has been involved at Maroubra Surf Club for the past 22 years holding various committee positions, as a competitor and a coach. Tim is currently an active patrolling surf lifesaver, patrol captain, club trainer, Maroubra SLSC Club President and SLS Sydney Director of Junior Development. This season he introduced a surf education program for people with disabilities. Tim is actively involved in community training of Resuscitation & First Aid classes at local primary and pre schools for teachers as part of the yearly reaccreditation requirement.

## **VOLUNTEERS OF THE YEAR**

SEASON	WINNER	CLUB
1997 – 1998	Brad Taylor	Garie SLSC
1998 – 1999	Gary Daly	Coogee SLSC
1999 – 2000	Kerryn Briody	North Bondi SLSC
2000 – 2001	Michael Batty	Elouera SLSC
2001 – 2002	Robert Yeldon	Coogee SLSC
2002 – 2003	Robert Yeldon	Coogee SLSC
2003 – 2004	Linda Perrin	South Maroubra SLSC
2004 – 2005	Gary Daly	Coogee SLSC
2005 - 2006	Graham Ford	Bronte SLSC
2006 - 2007	Doug Hawkins	Coogee SLSC
2007 - 2008	Tony Grivell	Maroubra
2008 – 2009	Tim Murray	Maroubra



**Tim Murray**



**Mike Batty receiving the Sydney Presidents Presidents Medal 2008**



# **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE**

## **SATURDAY 30 May 2009**

### **LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Anthony Grivell – Maroubra

### **VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR**

Tim Murray – Maroubra

### **UNDER 17 LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

James Caterson – Wanda

### **UNDER 19 LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Kane Hughes – Nth Cronulla

Tamara Murray – Maroubra

Rebecca Partridge – Coogee

### **UNDER 21 LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Brett Simpson – Nth Cronulla

### **ROOKIE LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Amy Teale – Coogee

High Commendation awarded to:

Anthony Farquhar – Garie

### **RESCUE OF THE YEAR**

Shaun Hudson – Nth Bondi

### **LIFESAVING INNOVATION OF THE YEAR**

Visiting Club Innovation from Garie

### **COMMUNITY EVENT OF THE YEAR**

Surf Education for Disabled People – Maroubra

High Commendation awarded to:

Pink Ribbon Day – Clovelly

### **UNDER 15 FEMALE ATHLETE**

Bree Masters – Cronulla

### **UNDER 15 MALE ATHLETE**

Aaron Markey – Cronulla

Tyler Harding – Wanda

High Commendation awarded to:

Rory Jenkins

### **UNDER 17 FEMALE ATHLETE**

Kailah Elliott – Elouera

### **UNDER 17 MALE ATHLETE**

Kyle O'Brien – Cronulla

### **UNDER 19 FEMALE ATHLETE**

Elly Graf – Cronulla

High Commendation awarded to:

Tara Coleman – Maroubra

### **UNDER 19 MALE ATHLETE**

Dane Farrell – Elouera

### **OPEN MALE ATHLETE**

Christopher Allum – Cronulla

High Commendation awarded to:

Hayden Allum – Cronulla

### **SPECIAL OPERATIONS GROUP MEMBER**

Gary Pracy – Maroubra

### **FACILITATOR OF THE YEAR**

Gary Daly – Coogee

### **ROOKIE TRAINING OFFICER**

Guy Hill – Wanda

### **TRAINING OFFICER OF THE YEAR**

Debbie Midwinter – Nth Bondi

High Commendation awarded to:

Paul Jefferson – Coogee

Tony Grivell – Maroubra

### **ROOKIE ASSESSOR OF THE YEAR**

Cathie Hall – South Maroubra

High Commendation awarded to:

Vince Johnston – South Maroubra

### **ASSESSOR OF THE YEAR**

Ray Robinson – South Maroubra

High Commendation awarded to:

Mark Percy – Clovelly

### **ROOKIE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR**

James Moran – Maroubra

### **MASTERS ATHLETE OF THE YEAR**

Carolyn Macauley – Cronulla

### **TEAM OF THE YEAR**

U19 Board Rescue Team – Elouera

(Members Tom O'Keeffe/Dane Farrell)

High Commendation awarded to:

Open Women's R & R Team – Bondi



**COACH OF THE YEAR**

Richard Garnsey – Cronulla  
High Commendation awarded to:  
Lisa McGuigan – Maroubra

**PATROL OF THE YEAR**

Maroubra  
High Commendation awarded to:  
Elouera – Patrol 11

**ROOKIE COMPETITION OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR**

David Charles  
High Commendation awarded to:  
Victoria Raymond – South Maroubra

**COMPETITION OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR**

Greg Pierce – Wanda  
High Commendation awarded to:  
Neil Swane – Cronulla

**OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN SURF SPORTS**

Hayden Allum – Cronulla

**BJD FEMALE LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Rosie Smith – Elouera

**BJD MALE LIFE SAVER OF THE YEAR**

Mitchell Rofe – Wanda

**BJD FEMALE ATHLETE**

Bree Masters – Cronulla

**BJD MALE ATHLETE**

Jay Furniss – Wanda  
High Commendation awarded to:  
Kyle Druery – Cronulla

**BJD FEMALE ROOKIE ATHLETE**

Madison Grant – Cronulla

**BJD MALE ROOKIE ATHLETE**

Aidan McColm – Cronulla

**BJD COMPETITION OFFICIAL**

Victoria Raymond – 5th Maroubra

**MOST AWARDS PER DISTRICT**

Waverley	Nth Bondi
Randwick	Coogee
Cron/Sutherland	Nth Cronulla
National Park	Garie

**PATROL EFFICENCY AWARDS**

Waverley	Bondi
Randwick	Coogee
Cron/Sutherland	Elouera
Royal National Park	Burning Palms

**OVERALL WINNER IS:** Coogee/Bondi

**GEAR INSPECTION WINNER**

Cronulla

**BRANCH MEMBER OF THE YEAR**

Mike Vitnell

## CHAMPION CLUB OF THE YEAR SEASON - 2009

This prestigious award was won by the BOND I Surf Life Saving Club.  
**Congratulations to BOND I SBLSC on a very successful season.**

**Pointscore Results 08-09**

1st	Bondi	97.0	2nd	Coogee	94.0
3rd	Maroubra	87.0	4th	Wanda	86.0
5th	North Cronulla	82.5	6th	South Maroubra	80.5
7th	Clovelly	69.5	8th	Cronulla	59.0
9th	Burning Palms	54.0	10th	North Bondi	49.0
11th	Elouera	45.5	12th	Bronte	42.5
13th (CB)	Tamarama	39.0	14th (CB)	Garie	39.0
15th	Era	17.5			

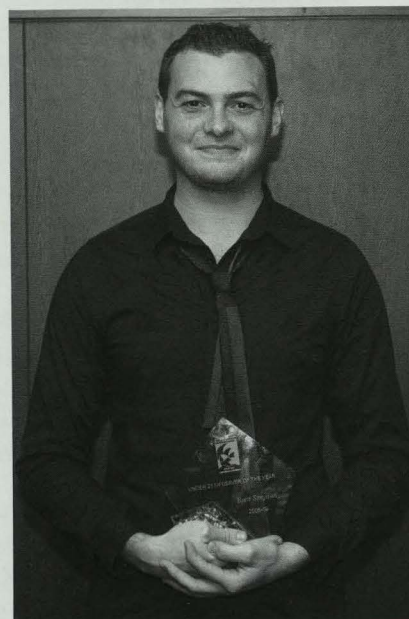




**Above – Royal National Park and Coogee SLSC collecting their Patrol Proficiency Awards. Below – Bondi club members enjoying winning 2009 Champion Club of the Year**



**Victoria Raymond  
BJD Competition Official of  
the Year**



**Above – Brett Simpson Under  
21 Lifesaving of the Year**

**Left – Cronulla members that  
collected awards on the  
night**



# BOARD OF LIFESAVING

Another season has passed and it would be remiss of me to not pause and thank all those who through their hard work as Volunteers at a Club, Support Service and Branch level. Where Surf Life Saving Sydney has continued its proud tradition of supporting the community.

A summary of highlights of the season included:

- There were more than 3,120 active voluntary lifesavers involved in patrolling in our Branch
- 119,403 hours of patrols were volunteered by the members of Clubs and associated Groups in the Surf Lifesaving Sydney area during this season
- 1802 rescues were performed by Clubs and Groups
- 7,756 awards (Junior Activities and Senior) were facilitated and assessed for Clubs and associated Groups during the duration of the season
- More than 150 Lifesavers participated in Board of Lifesaving activities such as Surfcom, RWC's, Assessment and Proficiencies, Facilitation, Duty Officers and Peer Support Councillors

## **BOL SECRETARY**

It only seems like yesterday that the Gear Inspection Panel spent the weekend visiting each Club in the Branch. To all those Club's that did the right thing and had their gear out and ready, you made our life that much easier. The success of the weekend will result in the format being retained for the coming season. Both our President Rob Yeldon & Deputy President John DeCean attended the weekend and assisted.

Again it was not an easy season with a number of issues faced and overcome; and another hopefully resolved by the start of the coming season. In the face of this Michael Hodsdon weathered the storm, making some unpopular but necessary decisions. David Jenkins provided excellent backup & is continuing to develop into an excellent administrator/lifesaver.

Marissa Jank, took over after the resignation of Kym Pennell and continued on from where he left off and has certainly continued to move Education forward and is no doubt looking forward to the new Bronze Medallion manual that by the time of publishing of this report will be well and truly in the education cauldron, as well as the changes to the ARC & Defib Awards. Peter Agnew took on the new role of Advanced Awards Coordinator & like everything he does, it was done well.

George Shales is running with Support Operations & his experience & expertise are greatly appreciated. We lost Kerry Briody to Western Australia & Gary Pracy took over as Communications Officer. Kerry whilst living in Sydney has held a number of positions on the Board & was a very active member, who both Assessed & Facilitated a number of Awards. We were sorry to see her go & wish her well for the future.

Mick Bretherton SLSNSW Director of Education has returned to the Committee & again his experience is most welcome. Michael was also elect to the NERD Panel. Past Director John Restuccia SLSNSW Director of Lifesaving, also returned, which again brought a great deal of experience to meetings. Mike Batty provided a paper on improving the Meritorious Award nomination protocols that were adopted & forwarded to the Branch for consideration & on forwarding. Mike was also instrumental in having the Gear Inspection procedures reviewed.



The Patrol Tribunal unfortunately was again convened on a number of occasions. It was felt the process although wearing on all, provided positive results to the issues at hand. A seminar programme was developed by David & George, for Patrol Captains & other Club Lifesaving Officers. The first one was held at North Bondi and was well received. Next season this will be redone in each District (with the RNP being combined with the Bate Bay Clubs). The seminar covered the full spectrum of Patrolling duties, protocols, procedures & obligations.

Once again SurfCom provided an excellent service, which is all the more amazing, due to the small number of volunteers that man it. We had to remind Club's on a number of occasions that protocols were not being followed with respect to inter Club communications and this problem will be highlighted again prior to the start of the season. SurfCom have now moved into the Helicopter Base & hopefully, this will be their final home.

Michael Bretherton organised the "Lifesaver Championships", with Peter George being Carnival Referee. It was better supported this season and was well run through the Garie Club. Hopefully we can continue to build and get the support it deserves, as it celebrates our core activity of patrolling. The Lifesaver of the Year was Tony Grivell & Tony Murray the Volunteer. Both Lifesavers are from the Maroubra Club.

Members gear is always a talking point & we saw new t shirts for Assessors & Facilitators. A number of members purchased the water proof jackets that were available. This coming season badges have been budgeted for all those Officers who do not have one.

After reviewing the structure & format of the Gear Inspection, the Committee will next season sit down & review it results over the last couple of years, where we are & most importantly where we want to go to in the future. This is something we have not done for a while, although we continually tinker at the edges.

We as a Board can be very proud of our achievements, however, we continue to need new blood and it behoves all members to encourage their mates and fellow Lifesavers to join, what is the cutting edge of Surf Life Saving.

**Peter Quartly**  
**BOL Secretary**

Patrol Hours per Club																				
Statistics used in this report are those taken from Surfguard as at 10/6/2009																				
Club	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	ORB2	ORB3	SURFCOM	RWC	TOTAL
Total Hrs 08/09	11084	6525	1156	5659	13927	9112	10321	1642	2576	7715	14818	8241	7377	5390	8378	1911	1879	672	512	119400
Active Members 08/09	373	224	33	175	538	275	268	44	56	272	545	243	245	153	231					3675
Total Hrs 07/08	10105	6983	1431	5325	12204	8316	10446	1228	2588	7733	16127	7857	6901	4556	7924	1828	2141	666	528	114892
Active Members 07/08	347	221	35	177	468	190	294	1	63	259	574	242	206	127	273					3477
Total Hrs 06/07	9394	5752	1319	4755	10855	8157	6319	1464	2317	6369	11980	7586	6579	4100	11886	2523	2157	580	939	105031
Active Members 06/07	247	289	34	176	466	264	226	66	67	282	510	226	221	131	308					3658



## **EDUCATION**

The last 12 months has proven to test even the most patient member due to the new procedures invested in education for Surf Lifesaving. That said, I am very pleased to confirm that we at Sydney Branch have met all the audit requirements to enable us to open our doors and fly that education flag for another 12 months.

We have had to implement a number of changes due to the Registered Training Organisation (RTO) requirements implemented by SLSNSW. Approximately 95% of Trainers and Assessors have successfully endorsed under the new procedures which will ensure that those Trainers and Assessors are current until 31 December 2011. A copy of the endorsed Assessors as at 15 May 2009 can be located at the end of the annual report.

On behalf of the BOL, I would like to thank the team at SLSS Branch Office, all Trainers, assistant Trainers, Assessors and Facilitators for the effort and time each member has put in throughout the season. Without you, we would not have been able to achieve the results which can be seen on the Branch Awards summary.

There has been a strong push for members to complete their Certificate IV in Training and Assessment which will continue next year. We have approximately 7 members who have successfully completed their Certificate IV in Training and Assessment. Congratulations to those members.

There will also be a new facilitated course introduced next season as the Certificate III in Public Safety, which follows on from the Bronze Medallion Award. Further details relating to this course will be distributed in the next 12 months. Later this year we will also see the introduction of the 33<sup>rd</sup> Edition of the Training Manual. Sydney Branch will be working closely with SLSNSW to roll out the new manual and resources for the manual.

As always members feedback is welcome and also any ideas on how to improve on any procedures and resources currently being implemented. Please forward your ideas and feedback to your Branch Education Manager via an Improvement Request Form which will then be forwarded to SLSNSW.

I would also like to recognise the efforts of Linda Perrin at Surf Lifesaving Sydney. Linda puts in an effort which is beyond what is expected in her role at SLSS and we all acknowledge and agree that without Linda's support, thoroughness, responsive attitude to her work and Linda's good nature and patience, we would not be where we are at today, that is 100% compliant with the RTO requirements for SLSNSW and generally organised and member satisfied.

On behalf of the BOL, I would also like to thank Steve Allan, Academy Support Officer for SLSNSW who has put in an enormous amount of effort with Sydney Branch to ensure that we meet the RTO requirements.

Once again, congratulations to the team at SLSS Branch Office, every Member, Trainer, Assessor and Facilitator who have contributed their time to education, for a job well done and I look forward to working with you next season.

**Marissa Jank**  
**Education Manager**



## SUPPORT OPERATIONS

The 2008-2009 season was a relatively busy season with a number of key objectives being achieved during this period. The most obvious and key crucial objective achieved was the relocation of Surfcom Sydney from the Coast Guard base at Kurnell to the Lifesaver Helicopter Base at La Perouse. This objective had been discussed and on the agenda for some two seasons, and was finally achieved one week prior to the start of the 2008-2009 season. The amount of effort and work that was required to ensure Surfcom was up and running and fully functional from day one was enormous and would not have been possible without the assistance of Brett Williamson and Peter Agnew from Surf Lifesaving Australia, Phil Vany and John Restuccia from Surf Lifesaving NSW and Peter Yates from the Life Saver Helicopter Base. Surf Lifesaving NSW also continued its support during the season by providing a significant amount of funding prior and during the season for major structural and relocation costs. With Surfcom Sydney now relocated in a state of art facility, it enabled Gary Pracy the Communications Manager to continue to build his team and ensure the level of service being provided to the clubs during the patrolling hours was at an extremely high level. I would personally like to take this opportunity to thank Gary Pracy for the level of commitment and tenacity he has provided during his first season as Communications Manager for Surf Lifesaving Sydney.

This year saw the Support Operations Group actively involved in a mock disaster which was held in Botany Bay. This mock disaster involved all emergency voluntary statutory services located in the local area including Offshore 2, Offshore 3, Lifesaver 1, Support Skis, Duty Officers and Rescue Coordinators. All groups were focussed on working and achieving the one goal to ensure all services could work together with the main objective being we all understood the capabilities and limits of each services should the need arise. I am pleased to advise all surf lifesaving services performed extremely well in difficult and testing conditions.

During the past season the requests for assistance from the Support Operations Services has increased with clubs within Sydney Branch as they become aware of they types of assistance available to them from the support team.

In closing, I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to the BOL management team, the office support provided by Linda and Yvette and the continued support from the respective officers, Ron Camilleri, Brent Armitage, Gary Pracy, Duty Officers and the peer support teams. It would also be remiss of me not to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to Scott Rofe from *Top Dollar Metal Recyclers* who provided a generous amount of funding to the support operations team which enabled the purchase of new equipment.

**George Shales**

**Support Operation Manager**

### Proficient Members for Core awards per Club (includes new awardees)

The following table outlines the number of members who are proficient in core awards required for patrols as shown in Surfguard as at 10/6/2009

Club	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA
BM/Cert II	329	252	37	176	508	313	269	34	27	200	425	269	196	159	251
ARC	139	26	13	61	129	38	49	5	15	47	106	38	63	7	108
SMIRBD	23	0	9	11	39	16	35	8	2	23	5	16	26	6	13
IRBC	59	19	17	10	99	25	51	14	2	43	35	35	48	19	18



## **RWC GROUP**

This year the RWC Group consisted of 3 jet skis, one based out of Maroubra which patrolled the Eastern Beaches, another based out of Cronulla which patrolled the Bate Bay Beaches and another out of Botany Bay.

With the Branch purchasing 2 new jet skis in the off season the RWC Group was well equipped for the busy season to come. The group performed a significant number of rescues and attended a number of call out operations. With over 100 rescues performed and 250 preventatives (excluding carnivals), the RWC group is an asset to the Support Operations within the Sydney Branch. These statistics highlight the importance of the branch continuing to support the RWC Group.

Other highlights during the season included the training of 10 new operators. The training these operators undertook was an intensive 10 week course where candidates were thrown into several demanding and difficult situations. They all performed very well under stressful conditions.

The skis have done over 700 hours this season. I would like to thank every driver who contributed to this outstanding figure.

I wish to make special mention to George Shales and Gary Pracy for their support over the last 2 years. George has guided me in the right direction and supported me where necessary, allowing me to direct and manage the group. Gary, despite not having his RWC Drivers, would whenever asked be able to lend a helping hand moving skis to get serviced or doing some running repairs. Gary has also housed Support Ski 1 for the past season at no cost.

I would like to thank Maroubra SLSC and the Cronulla District Lifesaver Rescue for their continued support in housing Support Ski 3 and Support Ski 2 respectively.

I would like to thank Linda and Yvette in the office for all their help and support over this season. Their assistance is invaluable.

Finally, I will not be standing in this position next year. The past 2 seasons have been challenging and in my opinion the RWC Group has achieved a lot. We now have 3 operational skis, with 35 proficient members, all who have contributed this season.

Thank you for a great 2008/09 season.

**Brent Armitage**  
**RWC Advisor**





## **LIFESAVING DISTRICT SUPERVISOR (LDS), CRONULLA – SUTHERLAND DISTRICT**

The Season commenced with the Annual Gear Inspection of all Sydney Branch Surf Life Saving Clubs on the weekend of 13 and 14 September 2008 with mixed results across the fifteen clubs. However, it is pleasing to report that equipment of each of the Bate Bay Clubs which was inspected was of an extremely high standard. Minor deficiencies were observed and the clubs expressed a willingness to promptly attend to any requests.

The decision that the same Gear Inspection Team would inspect all SLSS Clubs in Season 2008~2009 is applauded and is supported by this District for continuation in 2009~2010. It also is strongly recommended that observations made relating to 2008~2009 be reviewed for incorporation in 2009~2010.

The Assistant Lifesaving District Supervisor, Graham Hill, and I undertook unannounced Patrol Inspections of each Bate Bay Club at least once each month during the Season and copies of reports relating to the Patrol Efficiency Competition were forwarded to SLSS after each. Generally standards throughout were high and any areas identified for improvement were attended to promptly by individual clubs.

Either the Assistant or I - and usually both - attended each monthly meeting of SLS Cronulla Sutherland District Council Inc. (District Council), presented a Report, responded to queries and followed up on any matters arising at the meetings. This interaction was an important lifesaving strategy and the courtesy and consideration of the members of the District Council at all times was appreciated.

At the invitation of the Club Captains of Cronulla and North Cronulla Clubs I attended their Lifesaving Meetings and outlined the roles and operations of the LDS and the Assistant LDS. Unfortunately several offers to make similar presentations to the other Bate Bay Clubs went unaccepted.

The duties of LDS were made easier by the cooperation and availability of Brad Whittaker, Manager Beach Operations, Sutherland Shire Council and the Lifeguards. Regular contact was maintained either by telephone, emails or face-to-face. This open relationship enabled prompt settlement of the few problems which arose. The assistance is appreciated. As well, the Manager Beach Operations, Sutherland Shire Council, and I have been working together to effect a more effective utilisation of lifesaving resources and also to improve signage on the Bate Bay Beaches. The reviews continue.

Observations made during patrol inspections within Bate Bay and reported to SLSS BoL as areas for improvement included: relative youth/ potential inexperience of patrol captains; need for attention by clubs to standards of communication, particularly public addresses announcements and when using Surfcom; availability and maintenance of oxygen equipment; standards of patrol documentation and placement of patrol areas.

Mention must be made of the comradeship and the cooperation displayed by Bate Bay Clubs which followed the sudden death of Barney Johansen, Club Captain of North Cronulla at the time. It was pleasing that in time of such grief and uncertainty the Clubs pulled together to support their North Cronulla colleagues. It also was reassuring to note the professional and appropriate interventions of Duty Officers, support mechanisms, and emergency services personnel at all levels of SLS.

The ongoing legacy of the discontent between Cronulla District Lifesaver Rescue (ORB2) and the District Council has resulted in a worrying lack of trust between the two bodies. The unresolved review of the operations of the former has exacerbated the situation although, on the occasions



when ORB2 was tasked to assist one or other of the Bate Bay Clubs for a specific purpose, the members have responded professionally and without demur. It is in the interests of all organisations and personnel involved that the review be concluded with expedition to enable informed decisions to be taken.

From observation during Patrol Inspections and at other times during the Season I am confident that all persons using the areas patrolled by the four Bate Bay Clubs and ORB2 may do so in the confidence that active members of the clubs are professionally trained and proficient and that each is committed to provision of the safest possible aquatic environment. The dedication and professionalism of all active members of Cronulla, North Cronulla, Elouera and Wanda Surf Life Saving Clubs is acknowledged and appreciated. The ready assistance of Patrol Captains was evident and noteworthy.

The experience and commitment of Graham Hill who performed his duties as Assistant most creditably and the professional 'guiding hands' of the Director of Lifesaving, Michael Hodsdon; his Deputy, David Jenkins and the Support Operations Manager, George Shales, greatly assisted me during the Season and is acknowledged.

**Mike Batty**

**Lifesaving District Supervisor – Cronulla/Sutherland District.**

### **RANDWICK DISTRICT EDUCATION**

The education area is always the one of the most important sectors of life saving. It is testament to the four clubs and their chief instructors to the amount and quality of candidates that Randwick saw this year.

In seasons past it was Coogee who dominated the education sector with large amounts of candidates, this year there was a skew away from Coogee, who still as always had large amounts of candidates willing to be involved. This year saw the rise of Clovelly, Maroubra and South Maroubra. The three clubs presented high quality candidates and more candidates than previous years. This is a clear indication of the good quality training and management displayed within those clubs.

To the assessors, none of this is possible without the dedication and drive that you all exhibit. I was glad to see some new assessors come into the mix this year, especially three from Clovelly. The job becomes a lot easier knowing that there is a strong support network of well-qualified assessors.

The usual suspects still remain on the scene too, and without them nothing could happen. They are vital in all aspects of the assessment, from the actual assessing, to guidance and mentoring new assessors and trainers. It speaks to your character that you are all such committed individuals outside of your club commitments.

I do not wish to single any assessor out for amazing service or commitment this year, purely due to the fact that I believe this year there was numerous assessors who went above and beyond what was expected of them, and that I am proud of every single assessor in the Randwick district. You have made your club's proud as well as represented the district in fine form.

**Trent Thomas**

**Randwick District Education Supervisor**



## **ROYAL NATIONAL PARK DISTRICT REPORT**

What an exciting and busy season. We started with the Annual Gear Inspection in mid September with the new panel doing the complete Branch. When they reached the Royal National Park, all seemed suitably impressed at what they saw. Some of the panel members had never been to Burning Palms or Era before, so they were surprised to see how a few isolated clubs do it. I offer my sincere thanks to the Inspection Panel, the Clubs all went well with only minimal equipment requiring re-inspection.

Next there was the yearly proficiencies with the assistance of Margaret Pearce we were there for most. There was some confusion at a couple of them on what was required but I plan next season to arrange a meeting with the three Club Captains to fix the dates and explain what is required.

Beach patrols were there when required over the season and I extend my appreciation to the beach patrols at Garie, Era and Burning Palms. Garie was supported by Coogee and Maroubra and I would like to thank these clubs for their assistance. One Sunday at Garie with Coogee on patrol I counted 25 members on patrol. All three clubs can report "no lives lost" whilst patrols were on the beach.

There were seven patrol inspections carried out over the season. All were good with a few exceptions of patrol caps and not much rescue equipment on the beach in inclement weather. The standard overall was an improvement on last season and all were meeting with the patrol service agreement.

Garie in late December till the end of January had a Lifeguard service Monday to Friday with them also being at Wattamolla on Australia Day. The funding for this is provided by the National Parks and Wildlife Service.

My appreciation is also extended to Michael Bretherton and Margaret Pearce, District Education Supervision, for their assistance during the season. I would also like to thank the three Clubs and their members for their assistance in keeping our beaches safe.

**Peter M. Pearce**

**Lifesaving Supervisor - Royal National Park District**

## **ORB ADVISOR REPORT**

The 2008/2009 season was seen as a successful for the 2 SLSS Offshore Rescue Boat Groups. Both groups had little down time during the season and maintained a high level of preparedness for a 24/7 ability to respond to emergency calls for assistance. Their Rescue statistics are well documented and give credence to the value the groups give to SLSS and SLSNSW

The ORB's form an important part and are integral to the branches ability to respond to all areas under control of Sydney Branch 24 hours a day 7 days a week. They form an important part of our Branches Support Operations.

In addition SLSS is a member of the Botany Bay/Port Hacking marine sub committee disaster plan. Our ORB's together with other SLSS Support Operation Groups are recognized as having unique skills that contribute in preparing for marine disasters in our region.

Both groups this year have had low results in gaining ORB awards. This is an issue that will be addressed in the 2009/2010 season. The 2 ORB groups will be undertaking combined meetings to ensure strength and growth of both groups. This season we have been updating Surfguard with



prerequisites not listed against our Skippers. This information was overlooked when Surfguard was introduced.

ORB2 have been under review by the Cronulla Sutherland District Council since February 2006. This review is expected to be completed in the near future. The group should then be able to concentrate on replacing it's 16 year old craft.

SLSA and SLSNSW are growing their reach in marine rescue, not just between the Patrol flags but to areas not covered by surf lifesavers. Support Operations and in particular ORB's extend the reach of "Vigilance & Service"

**Ron Camilleri**  
**ORB Advisor**

### **INFLATABLE RESCUE BOAT ADVISOR**

As this is my first year in the Job it has been quite a learning experience and as always a steep learning curve which I have enjoyed. One of the enjoyable tasks was to help organise the IRB water safety from Sydney Branch of the Pope's visit. With about 20 IRB's heading out from the Waterways base at Blackwattle Bay was quite a sight and one not to be forgotten.

Gear inspection was another eye opener, for one who has only seen the eastern Sydney beaches. The bushwalk to Burning Palms was most enjoyable and rock hopping to Garie was another different aspect of gear inspection that was defiantly not expected or planned for. It has also amazed that as an important part of lifesaving that the IRB section in most clubs seems to cram a lot of expensive gear in very small spaces!

During the season one of the tasks has been to work with Bronte and Tamarama to help them rebuild their IRB teams. This is an ongoing task as good IRB crew and drivers just don't appear overnight. This has been done with joint training seasons with Bondi thus utilizing resources for the benefit of all. Input this year has been into the redesigning the IRB Log book which we hope will be easier to use.

One of next year's goal is to work with the all the District IRB supervisor to assist them to help their trainers and assessors to update and get used to the new systems that are being introduced as the RTO status of SLSA becomes more demanding. My thanks go to the other district IRB supervisors, Peter, Dennis, Sigi and Dave for their guidance and assistance through the past year.

**Bob Leys**  
**IRB Advisor**





## **BOARD OF LIFESAVING CONCLUSION**

I would like to thank all Life Savers who volunteered their time to the safe-guarding of life on our coastline as well as those who volunteered additional time in participating on the Board of Lifesaving, Board of Assessors, Support Operations and other areas of the Life Saving sphere at a Branch level. A vote of thanks also goes to the SLSS Office Staff for their superb efforts in keeping the paperwork moving.

Thanks go also to the Board of Lifesaving 'Executive' consisting of David Jenkins - Deputy Director of Lifesaving, George Shales - Support Operations Manager, Marissa Jank - Manager-Education and Peter Quartly - Board Secretary who spent countless hours in the performance of their duties on behalf of the member Clubs (which goes largely unnoticed and unrewarded).

I wish all Surf Life Savers, families and Surf Life Saving supporters every success for next season and into the future.

**Michael Hodsdon**  
**Director of Life Saving**

## **BOARD OF LIFESAVING MEETING ATTENDANCE**

<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>POSITION</u></b>	<b><u>Attended</u></b>	<b><u>Apology</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>
<b>Michael Hodsdon</b>	Director of Lifesaving	4	1	5
<b>Dave Jenkins</b>	Deputy Director of Lifesaving	3	2	5
<b>Peter Quartly</b>	BOL Secretary	5		5
<b>George Shales</b>	Support Operations Manager	3	2	5
<b>Peter Agnew</b>	Advanced Awards Co-ordinator	5		5
<b>Kym Pennell</b>	Education Manager	1	1	2
	Resigned			
<b>Marissa Jank</b>	Education Manager	2	1	3
<b>Brent Armitage</b>	RWC Advisor	4	1	5
<b>Bob Leys</b>	IRB Advisor	4	1	5
<b>Ron Camilleri</b>	ORB Advisor	5		5
<b>Mick Bretherton</b>	Lifesaving Competition Supervisor	4	1	5
<b>Kerryn Briody</b>	Communications Officer	-	-	-
	Resigned			
<b>Gary Pracy</b>	Communications Officer	4		4
<b>David Kowald</b>	Club's Education Advisor	4	1	5
<b>Jayne Smith</b>	Waverley Education Supervisor	1	4	5
<b>Trent Thomas</b>	Randwick Education Supervisor	4	1	5
<b>Margaret Pearce</b>	RNP Education Supervisor	4	1	5
<b>Scott Rofe</b>	Cron/Suth Education Supervisor	5		5
<b>Peter Pearce</b>	RNP Lifesaving Supervisor	2	3	5
<b>Martin Drennan</b>	Waverley Lifesaving Supervisor	2	3	5
<b>Mark Doepel</b>	Randwick Lifesaving Supervisor	0	5	5
<b>Mike Batty</b>	Cron/Suth Lifesaving Supervisor	4	1	5
<b>John Campanaro</b>	Asst L/s'g Sup Randwick	4	1	5
<b>Graham Hill</b>	Asst L/s'g Sup Cron/Suth'd	3	2	5
<b>John Restuccia</b>	Asst L/s'g Sup Waverley	2	3	5



# 08-09 AWARD TALLY

Club/Award	Bo	Br	B P	CI	Co	Cr	EL	Era	Gar	Mar	NB	N C	S M	Ta	Wa	08/09	Award	07/08	06/07
Surf Rescue Certificate (CPR Endorsed)	25	24		19	33	37	34		9	24	28	32	32		36	333	SRC	301	347
BM/Certificate II Public Safety	76	63	3	37	155	64	72	2	11	59	98	66	30	46	74	856	CERT I/IBM	773	786
Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management	22	15	1	8	19	9	8	1	2	3	21	20	1	14	2	146	SMPC/SMBBM	97	86
Gold Medallion (Advanced Life Saving)	4				10						5					19	Gold (ALS)	20	17
Basic Emergency Care															10	10	BEC	32	102
Resuscitation Certificate	13						110		1	24		1	79		17	245	RESUS	96	259
Advanced Resuscitation Certificate	74		2	6	35	14	17	2	2	8	31	19	9		42	261	ARC	269	289
Senior First Aid Certificate	29			10	72	9	7		3	2	11	5	5	1	1	155	SFAC	250	151
Silver Medallion Advanced Emergency Care	13	1		2	16	3				1	10			3	1	50	SMAEC	55	49
Radio Operators Certificate	1			9		3			7		1	5			34	60	ROC	50	41
VHF Marine Licence																	VHF Marine	1	26
Silver Medallion Radio Controllers																	SMRC	2	10
IRB Crew Certificate	10	4	2	7	27	3	9	7		26		16	13	10	5	139	IRBC	122	181
Silver Medallion IRB Driver	3		2		7	4	3	1		9	3	2	3		3	40	SMIRBD	61	65
Spinal Management	9	1	1	2	14	9	1	2	3	10	19	8	1	4	1	85	Spinal	131	239
ATV Operator Induction	12				16	1	4					1	7	1		42	ATV	50	
Rescue Water Craft Operator Cert				1	1	1	4			1		1		1		10	RWCOC	6	21
Offshore Rescue Boat Crew Cert											1					1	ORBCC	5	11
Offshore Rescue Boat Spec Crew Cert																	ORBSCC	0	0
Offshore Rescue Boat Driver Cert						1										1	ORBDC	4	5
Offshore Rescue Boat Skippers Cert																	ORBSC	0	2
Defibrillation Certificate	45		1	7	67	7	12	12		7	40	6		12	8	224	Defib	190	326
TAADEL301C	8	1			14	1				3	2	2			6	37	TAA DEL 301C	9	55
Training Officer - Bronze Medallion	4	2			13	2				3	3	1	1		5	34	TOC-BM	7	29
Training Officer - Surf Rescue					1												TOC-SR	2	0
Training Officer - Advanced Resuscitation	1			1	1					2			3		2	10	TOC-ARC	8	19
Training Officer - Radio																	TOC-Ra	2	1
Training Officer - IRB	3				3					1	1	2	1			11	TOC-IRB	4	12
Training Officer - Rescue Water Vehicle																	TOC-RWW	0	0
Training Officer - ORB Skipper																	TOC-ORBS	0	0
Assess Competence (TAA 401C/2C/4B)				3		1										4	Assess Comp	2	14
Cert IV Training & Assessment	3	3			1		2		2	2	2		4			19	Cert IV T&A		
Facilitator - Assessors																	FAC Asses	0	1
Facilitator - Defibrillation Certificate											1					1	Fac Defib	4	2
Facilitator - Advanced Emergency Care																	Fac SMAEC	0	0
Facilitator - Spinal Management																	FAC Spinal	3	4
Facilitator - Basic Beach Management																	Fac SMBBM	0	1
Facilitator - Snr First Aid																	Fac FA	3	1
Facilitator - Training & Assessment																	Fac T & A	0	1
Assessor - Bronze Medallion	3				1	3							1		1	9	A - BM	0	12
Assessor - ARC				1	1	2							2			6	A - Re	3	3
Assessor - Radio																	A - Radio	0	1
Assessor - IRB																	A-IRB	2	4
Assessor - ORB									1							1	A-ORB	0	0
<b>Total Awards 2008 - 2009</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>2809</b>	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>2564</b>	<b>3173</b>
<b>Total Awards Season 2007-2008</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>2564</b>			
<b>Surf Ed Awards 08/09</b>																	<b>Award</b>	<b>07/08</b>	<b>06/07</b>
Surf Play One U6	44				100	73	58		49	103		77	58	46	62	670	SP 1 (new)		
Surf Play Two U7	43				109	69	56		19	110		91	73	46	50	666	SP 2 (new)		
Surf Aware One U8	35	72		60	97	64	68		11	76	109	64	51		44	751	SA 1	710	521
Surf Aware Two U9	26	71		36	87	78	63	1	8	67	112	65	50		47	711	SA 2	536	547
Surf Safe One U10	23	46		33	81	47	54	1	28	44	94	59	53	41	44	648	SS 1	464	425
Surf Safe Two U11	33	46		17	72	61	57	1	22	34	67	46	37	28	36	557	SS 2	440	331
Surf Smart One U12	25	34		17	46	44	47		4	31	34	56	24	32	34	428	SSM 1	397	304
Surf Smart Two U13	22	31		12	50	44	35			28	41	39	26	13	40	381	SSM 2	264	315
<b>Total Surf Ed Awards 08/09</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>300</b>		<b>175</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>4812</b>		<b>2811</b>	<b>2443</b>
<b>Total Surf Ed Awards 07/08</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>2811</b>	<b>Surf Ed</b>		
Age Manager Awards	45					23	11		12			36	8			135	Age Manager	106	0
<b>GRAND TOTAL ALL AWARDS 08/09</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>1149</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>732</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>678</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>7756</b>	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		
<b>Grand Total All Awards 07/08</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>691</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>5481</b>		<b>5481</b>	<b>5699</b>

Note these award figures are from 8th May 2008 to 11th May 2009 inclusive.



# Rescue and other Patrol statistics

Statistics used in this report are those taken from Surfguard as at 10/6/09 and entered by Clubs/Services

RESCUES	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	ORB2	ORB3	RWC'S	08/09	07/08	06/07	05/06
No Gear	44	29	0	4	2	0	9	0	3	25	3	7	46	8	5	0	19	0	204	532	260	218
Rescue Tube	100	44	0	1	2	1	20	0	9	72	31	68	83	31	63	0	1	0	526	731	429	388
Rescue Board	88	36	0	14	4	23	30	1	0	57	42	76	92	31	49	0	0	0	543	777	674	698
IRB	49	24	0	6	6	6	23	0	3	11	42	19	35	11	34	0	0	0	269	403	426	387
RWVC	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10	0	0	19	1	0	0	0	106	137	303	157	115
ORB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	23	0	40	61		
Other	57	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	8	1	2	0	0	3	3	2	5	0	83	147	215	34
Season 08/09	338	133	0	27	14	30	83	1	23	176	120	170	275	85	154	19	48	106	1802			
Season 07/08	378	113	2	16	13	338	96	1	38	302	341	201	482	157	131	23	38	224		2954		
Season 06/07	339	165	4	18	26	46	61	13	19	163	445	249	155	78	127	71	37	106			2161	
Season 05/06	261	226	2	17	75	61	61	6	64	222	209	194	91	176	77	74	23	95				1934
FIRST AID	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	ORB2	ORB3	RWC'S	08/09	07/08	06/07	05/06
Marine Stings	589	98	0	318	503	170	76	2	107	420	107	174	417	90	162	0	0	0	3233	3095	4535	7125
Minor Cuts	99	36	0	235	86	46	36	5	13	20	89	38	29	8	20	15	0	0	775	812	946	817
Major Wounds	2	0	0	6	17	0	4	0	2	2	7	3	3	2	0	1	0	0	49	29	39	38
Fractures	4	2	0	0	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	19	22	25	16
Spinal	9	3	0	0	10	1	4	0	1	0	0	3	2	0	1	1	0	0	35	21	25	22
Resus	2	0	0	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	14	6	6	1
Other	27	5	2	9	28	3	13	2	20	7	26	5	17	4	9	2	1	0	180	242	214	204
Season 08/09	732	144	2	570	651	223	135	9	143	449	230	227	470	106	192	20	2	0	4305			
Season 07/08	543	191	3	322	369	149	50	1	159	1265	549	120	334	113	47	3	8	1		4227		
Season 06/07	1018	236	12	483	413	248	189	11	109	1431	624	214	434	194	115	35	19	5			5790	
Season 05/06	517	651	10	405	650	298	151	9	141	2093	752	445	1543	338	134	48	37	1				8223
PREVENTIONS	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	ORB2	ORB3	RWC'S	08/09	07/08	06/07	05/06
Lost Children	33	4	1	0	17	0	1	0	3	27	23	4	7	0	8	0	1	0	129	180	171	126
Preventions	9035	3748	3	56	801	150	452	13	616	4104	1852	1976	3108	1473	945	96	81	289	28798	33472	27858	26277
Searches	4	2	0	4	14	3	3	0	2	1	3	3	3	1	18	10	9	12	92	61	55	42
Shark Alarm	3	1	0	0	3	0	6	0	0	7	3	4	7	1	6	10	6	7	64	36	27	21
Season 08/09	9075	3755	4	60	835	153	462	13	621	4139	1881	1987	3125	1475	977	116	97	308	29083			
Season 07/08	10507	1717	6	136	1556	556	1119	20	289	6274	2337	3105	3903	1259	505	90	105	261		33749		
Season 06/07	6457	2050	4	313	1092	485	864	6	406	4906	2836	3577	3310	673	428	246	87	371			28111	
Season 05/06	5350	2411	6	128	513	742	873	41	827	5162	2795	4093	1474	994	333	175	67	482				26466
Season 08/09	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	ORB2	ORB3	RWC'S	08/09	07/08		
Incident Reports	20	2	1	2	61	3	22	0	3	12	8	6	22	9	6	2	0	0	179	161		
Beach Closure	1	3	2	0	0	2	7	2	7	0	0	9	16	0	9	2	0	0	60	95		



## Surfcom Operators Summary of Total Patrol Hours Season 2008/2009

Club	Surname	First Name	Member Total Surfcom Operator Service Hours	Club	Surname	First Name	Member Total Surfcom Operator Service Hours
Bondi	Briody	Kerryn	4.25	Maroubra	Serpa Gonzalez	Maxwell	1
Bondi	Gerber	Solomon	17.25	Maroubra	Shales	George	15
Clovelly	Beger	Anthony	101	Nth Bondi	Birch	Katherine	32.75
Cronulla	Guthrie	Ryan	16	Nth Bondi	Hodgson	Liza	21.75
Coogee	Bowley	Robin	43.5	Nth Bondi	Hudson	Shaun	37.25
Coogee	Harris	James	76.5	Nth Bondi	Stephenson	Gerald	31
Coogee	Kemp	Philip	7.25	Nth Cronulla	Simpson	Brett	23.5
Elouera	Kowald	David	36.5	5th Maroubra	White	Joe	235.75
Elouera	Kowald	Leura	19.5	Wanda	Rofe	Scott	3.75
Maroubra	Armitage	Brent	19.25				
Maroubra	Evans	Matthew	10				
Maroubra	Fuller	Peter	18.75				
Maroubra	Pracy	Gary	65.5				
Maroubra	Restuccia	John	9.5				

## RWC Operators Summary of Total Patrol Hours Season 2008/2009

Club	Surname	First Name	Member Hours	Club	Surname	First Name	Member Hours
Bondi	Mackey	John	26	Maroubra	King	Bryden	10.5
Bronte	Stone	David	59.25	Maroubra	Armitage	Brent	11
Bronte	Wilson	Sam	15.25	Maroubra	Grivell	Anthony	25.5
Clovelly	Hodge	Andrew	20	Maroubra	Murray	Timothy	29.5
Coogee	Bowley	Robin	38.75	Maroubra	Restuccia	John	10
Coogee	Jenkins	David	5	Maroubra	Serpa Gonzalez	Maxwell	9
Cronulla	Guthrie	Bruce	6	Maroubra	Spies	Alexander	29.5
Cronulla	Mannion	Steven	30	Maroubra	Thomas	Trent	42.75
Elouera	Kowald	David	35.5	Nth Bondi	Agnew	Peter	11
Elouera	Kowald	Leura	49.5	Nth Bondi	Pedavoli	Nicholas	14.75
Elouera	McKellar	Andrew	64	Nth Bondi	Smith	Jayme	6
Elouera	Pennell	Kym	27.25	Nth Cronulla	Hughes	Kane	66
Elouera	Thompson	Matthew	15	Nth Cronulla	Smith	Lindsay	10.25
Garie	McDonogh	Bradley	31	5th Maroubra	Simmons	Terry	9
				Tamarama	Zafir	Daniel	6



# BOARD OF SURF SPORTS

Surf Sports and Surf Life Saving Sydney has had a tremendous season. More competitors attended more carnivals, where we had more officials and more events. We have increased our participation at many levels; much of this is through dedication, willingness and that good old Australian tradition of having a go. Thanks to everyone from BOSS in joining in and lifting to the call.

Sydney Branch Board of Surf Sports is constantly moving with the times. Many things are not as they were, however tradition has not been discarded but embraced and rejuvenated. We have managed to set some trends, however always ready to look and learn from activities in fellow branches. We have a number of challenges this coming year, as we will be competing for the same sponsorship patronage against other well rehearsed organizations and sporting groups. We have a huge advantage, we are active from U6 through to over 65 and we are Lifesavers.

This year will see a focus on retention, development, expansion of programs and again change – introducing new, based on sound consideration, extensive planning and consultation. I will be asking the team to continue leading the way in striving for a high standard and we will be encouraging new members to step forward in activities such as coaching, officiating, administrating and mentoring. We need to sustain our growth and encourage the new to invigorate improvement. Some fine examples of this process from last season and next season can be seen in our branch representative team, our development team and our Emerging athletes program. Many changes have been implemented, the branch team support infrastructure was modified and many new activities introduced. I see even more improvement and greater participation as new, professional and very capable members are encouraged to nominate or take up positions in the branch team and other various teams supported by some of the best mentors around.

Through constant tinkering, feedback and planning we have seen an increase activity in our juniors competition, lead by Tim, his committee and a new competition subcommittee. Last season saw a new carnival added to the junior calendar. Thanks to South Maroubra SLSC even with frigid conditions, it got off to a great start. We saw expansion in the Cronulla Crays IMB carnival. For the first time including U/15's & U/17's. These activities will continue and grow, only with our branch member's patronage. We see more specialized activities and carnivals on the planning boards for next season. We must patronize and support home grown activities like these in our branch first. Many thanks must go to Tim and his team on the BJD. I look forward to working with Doug as he takes over the Directorship next season. I also know that Tim will not be too far away.

## **Officials and Education**

This year with Graham and Graham as the facilitators, we saw some new presenters come forward. Another outstanding result with 3 more level 1 courses filled to capacity. I hope that our new presenters will continue assisting the Grahams, again improving our depth and providing needed help. The past years efforts in Officials education teamed up with carnival mentoring has seen a real growth in active officials. Sydney branch can boast one of the healthiest levels of official's membership in the state perhaps in the country. BOSS this year increased its Level 2 ranks by 8 hard working active level 2 officials. Sydney branch has increased level 1 officials by 30% from 2008 to 2009. Last season our greatest growth in officials for many years. We hope to keep the growth and participation by officials through activities like, Mentoring, a real succession plan,



rest breaks in carnivals, more focused carnival programs, ensuring rotation of appointments to develop skill base.

### **Competition Forum:**

This season saw the first forum where clubs competition directors/ managers participated in open discussion on many topics concerning Surf Sports. Subjects covered were: what do clubs do to foster and support their officials? How do different clubs recruit officials and coaches? We provided information and discussed: the Emerging athletes program, HP and Development squad and branch selection process.

For the very first time we provided DVD, documented information and discussion on Pool rescue competition and the future of this activity. The Hottest item on the agenda was the up and coming Carnival program, discussion on ideas and a brainstorming session on how to increase participation. Finally a quick around the clubs on Coaching, clinics where and when, how do various clubs / districts provide what kind of coaching and what is needed.

All of this shared information assisted in delivery improved activities and set a sound starting block for more forums of this kind more frequently. Many issues were resolved and a number of positive ideas were taken back to clubs or BOSS.

### **Competition**

Sydney Branch did have a great year of competition. Competitor's patronage at the 4 main senior carnivals was improved. BOSS expanded the rounds concept in craft events and beach sprints. Next season will see this return with some fine tuning. We hope to see a greater return of branch competitors. We have more officials with more experience running the carnivals efficiently. Giving everyone more time to enjoy the day.

Branch members won medals in the following areas: Aussie Masters 41, Aussie Open 54, Sate Masters 91, State Open 105 and state Junior 114. This is just outstanding achievement. Congratulations to all. Sydney branch must consider how to keep this standard high in the years to come; many of our open competitors continue to migrate to compete for QLD clubs. We must again provide initiative, review, plan and foster more opportunities to retain top line competitors.

### **SLSS Interbranch team:**

The Carnival was held at Catherine Hill Bay. Great location with Sydney branch posting its best result in many years. Team captains Chris Allum and Jamie McGee lead by example all the way. Our team officials were a mix of seasoned campaigners and new professionals together steered and support this great team effort. Each and every team member dug deep bonded in the competition and achieved an outstanding second overall. There are many outstanding achievements however, to see our own captain and his brother swim to the aid of Alexander after a very nasty ski collision was testament to the integrity of our team. We provided fresh food on the beach, cold drinks. Electrolyte along with fresh fruit chilled and prepared in the team tents. The team took more resources to support our team in their effort. Thanks must go to Coaches Doug and Tracey, along with assistance from Mike, Greg and Wayne, our chaperones turned into chiefs during the day and boarder patrol during the night. To the team leader John, the selectors and all the people who helped us along the way in the trials and mini carnivals, thank you. Finally what can be said about the best bunch of team members 2<sup>nd</sup> for 2008-09 Fantastic effort! As director and chairman of selectors I see opportunity for improvement and hope that the branch will endorse new management, coaching and mentor combinations and along with improved selection procedures for the future season.



### **High Performance, Development and Emerging Athlete programs:**

BOSS will continue the expansion of HP, Development squads and Emerging Athletes Program with a "next phase" planning meeting, to be held as early as the week of the 24<sup>th</sup> May. Topics:

- The next phase for Sydney Branch Squads.
- Base line HP, Development and EAP activities to be planned and draft dates to be adopted into the 2009-2010 calendar
- Off season activities, where, what and how?
- SLSS Surf Sports HP squad camp role out plan
- The very next Development squad activity
- Identify and form the working groups needed to support these activities
- Costing and financial considerations to be a constant part of every activity planned
- The future plan looking at 1-3 year concept
- Improve and implement methods for talent identification, creating pathways for growth of our competitors as a fundamental part of HP, Development and EAP

### **Sydney Branch Surf Sports Development Camp 2009:**

This season saw our first Surf Sports Development camp. 48 competitors attended a 2 day camp at Wilson Island, Hawkesbury. The weekend provided team building, many positive individual and group discussions focused on: self improvement, where SLSA has many opportunities, setting goals, recognition of what your good at, The Fantasticat Zone, recognition of each other in self introduction. Praise and more praise. The weekend had all participants broken into various types of teams, to complete a selection tasks and challenges. All activities on the weekend were aimed at inclusion, team building and improving self confidence. Mentors and instructors reinforced positive team ethics by suggestion, working with team members at points of weakness, focusing the team and members on successes. The aim for teams was to complete tasks and challenges together with all participating. Surf Sports was strongly promoted as part of Lifesaving. That Lifesaving and surf sports were healthy and great ways of life, where many choices and opportunities were provided. That Surf Life Saving can be many things to many people.

### **SLSS Carnivals**

2009 season BOSS continued with initiatives based on last year's experiences. We further developed block programs with rounds, carnivals with team theme, inclusion of younger age groups. For the first time we had many carnivals with a full complement of officials. This year we had enough resources to appoint Liaison officers along with our Mentors; this will be expanded and improved next season. We observed an increase in Ski and board competitors. However we noted further decline in Boat and Beach competitors. To the clubs who were host to carnivals Wanda, Elouera, Nth Cronulla and Coogee, well done and thank you. We have on the planning boards a number of specialized Carnivals, aimed at encouraging participation and providing opportunity for solid competition. I hope that we can rely on all branch clubs and members to assist with these. The junior branch saw a new carnival added to the series and again I see planning for a Sydney Surf Series within our own branch. For the first time in many years we have our first IRB carnival hosted by Elouera as part of the state series. Again we have plans to expand this further. BOSS is already working on next season planning, collaboration with other branches, we have concepts for endurance and beach skins events. Next season will be full of many carnivals for many members.



### **Scrutineering and Gear Maintenance**

This season saw our new team headed up by Peter Burst jump into action. The branch gear trailer was refurbished, new equipment provided, old equipment repaired. Our storage container has undergone a huge change. Once again we are grateful for Caringbah Bowling Club for providing the space to store our asset. Graham Evans headed up new team of Scrutineers. Even though he was sabotaged by flaky stickers, he managed to provide scrutineering on 6 occasions at various locations to a record number of craft. Thanks to our new branch scrutineers we plan next season with expanded opportunities for craft scrutineering.

### **Coaching**

This season will see more coaching clinics for R&R, Pool Rescue, IRB competition to continue with last season's initiatives. We plan to provide more coaching opportunities in disciplines such as ski, board and swim through EAP. Through the competition forum a number of these activities were identified as sorely needed. I hope that the BOSS coaching advisor will provide us with an opportunity to plan more courses which will encourage more growth in our clubs. State centre has locked in another level 2 surf coaching course and we will be working with them on more level 1 course.

### **BOSS Goals:**

BOSS Goals for 2008-2009. Of the 16 Goals set this time last year the following was achieved:

- 9 Goals were implemented – Draft Calenders posted early with key activities dates listed, Increased competitor participation in carnivals, More carnivals, Official Mentor Program commenced, Sydney Branch Surf Sports Squads commenced, Emerging Athlete's Program commenced, Surf sports forums commenced, beach sprint gates completed, Coaching clinics commenced.
- 6 Goals commenced and are still in progress: Improve intercities carnival status, Sydney Branch Pool championships - indoors, Activities during Non patrolled season, state surf sports development program, SLSS branch IRB fully provisioned with trailer, To be The Premier Branch.
- 1 Goal remains in concept and pending: SLSS Women in Surf Sports focus group and BOSS advisor.

A new set of Goals will be developed as part of the BOSS progress plan 2009-2010.

Again each year I must say a very special thanks to the office staff. Yvette, Linda and Leann, always there, always supporting, always friendly, nothing ever too hard to do, your assistance and energy got us over the line again and Again, I echo past words which are hard to forget "It's hard to imagine life without them". How true! Thank You!!!

BOSS aim is to continue in the pursuit of excellence, to provide a positive environment in which we actively encourage participation at all levels of competition, development and activities. We will encourage everyone to always be ready to improve and to review and support all the hard work in the premier organization of Australia: Surf Life Saving.

**Mike Vitnell**

**Director of Surf Sports**



## **Gear Steward**

In the winter months we reviewed, fixed and/or replaced all of the carnival gear and trailers. Approx 150 hours were spent to get this ready for the 2008-2009 season. I would specially like to thank Frank Ridley and Ken Hudson for their support in the throughout the season, but there is still a little bit more to be done for next season.

I would also like to thank Stuart Cameron for getting the gear trailer to all the carnivals for the season and again I would like to thank the Caringbah Bowling Club for the space they provide us to leave the Gear Trailer and Gear Container on their premises.

**Peter Burst**

**Branch Gear Steward**

## **Sydney Team Managers Report**

The 2009 Interbranch Championships were held on the weekend of 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> December 2008 at Catherine Hill Bay beach which is situated in the Hunter Branch.

The team departed North Cronulla Surf Club on the Friday morning and travelled to Raferty Resort where we were staying and after being allocated their rooms all gathered at the Bar B Que area for lunch. The team then boarded the bus again and travelled to the beach for a light training run and to see what the conditions were like for the following day's competition.

That night we all dined at the resort and by evening the team had arrived and after several speeches from the team Management the Team Captain Chris Allum presented all members with their uniforms for the weekend, team was then allowed free time until 9.30pm when it was lights out.

The following morning we were up early and had breakfast at 7.00am before heading to the beach for day 1 of the competition and what a great surprise we got when we got to the beach to actually see a great surf running for the competition and it certainly made for some great results and competition in the water area.

Some great results by our members on the day in all age groups and both beach and water sections, which also showed in the pointscore as the event continued on the Saturday and we were in 2<sup>nd</sup> place at the end of day one and some 20 points behind Sydney Northern Beaches.

During the first day of competition Alex Fleming in the Open Women's water area was injured when a ski of another competitor when up and nose dived into her hip pushing her off her ski and leaving her in great pain, which required her to go to Belmont Hospital to have her leg checked out to make sure nothing was broken and we were lucky that it was not broken, but a very badly bruised leg which put her out of the rest of the competition for the weekend.

On Saturday Night we had a team meeting after dinner followed by our normal team photo and our awards night conducted by Team Captain Chris Allum and assisted by his brother Hayden who did an excellent job in presenting the awards on the night. During the night we had to decide what to do in regards to replacing Alex in the Board Rescue event on the Sunday morning and after Michelle Fretten from The Elouera Boat crew heard about the injury she offer her assistance in competition in the Board Rescue for the Open Women's. It was a feeling to know that the whole team were there to assist each other in what ever they could do.



Sunday morning when again had breakfast and headed to the beach for the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of competition and what a great day we had again with some very good results had by all again. The highlight of the day was the winning of the Means Life Saver Relay which saw us come from 5<sup>th</sup> place to win the last event of the day, what a great way to finish. I can report that we came second to Sydney Northern Beaches at the close of the competition. I would like to extend my thanks to all the competitors for your efforts over the weekend and also your behaviour during the weekend was excellent and can only congratulate each and every one of you.

My job as Team Manager is made easier with all the support staff that come along on the weekend and assist, I would like to thank Doug Iredale the team coach for his support and leadership to the team during the training and weekend of competition, to my co Managers Wayne Druery and Greg Pierce thank you for your assistance during the whole time, Special thanks to Assistant Coach Tracey Schriek for your support and for also looking after the younger members and being the mum for them as well, to our Chaperones Pam Vallis, Robyn Allan, Leann Grant, Sharon Vitnell and Mike Roye thanks for all your assistance in making sure the team was in bed when they should have been and also catering on both days to make sure that all competitors and team staff were looked after.

Special thanks to Mike Vitnell Director of Surf Sports for your assistance over the weekend and also the lead up to this day, it was a shame that you missed some of the competition on Saturday due to a meeting but well that is life, to all the parents that came away I would like to thank you for your assistance with the Team during the 2 days of competition it is a pleasure to work with so many parents who also want to see the team doing well.

**John De Cean**  
**Team Manager**





## SYDNEY BRANCH REPRESENTATIVE TEAM

### Under 12 Boys

Sam Fowler – Cronulla  
Aidan McColm – Cronulla  
Tom Lorkin – North Bondi

### Under 13 Boys

Kyle Druery – Cronulla  
Ryan Markey – Cronulla  
Mitchell Barbuto – North Cronulla

### Under 14 Boys

Jay Furniss – Wanda  
Mitchell Rofe – Wanda  
Will Patterson – Bronte

### Under 15 Men

Aaron Markey – Cronulla  
John Woods – Cronulla  
Tyler Harding – Wanda

### Under 17 Men

Kyle O'Brien – Cronulla  
Jake Little – Cronulla  
Brendan Nichols – Elouera

### Under 19 Men

Nick Fox – Wanda  
Dane Farrell – Elouera  
Matt Horton – Bondi

### Open Men

Nathan Smith – Cronulla (captain)  
Chris Allum – Cronulla  
Sean Reilly – Wanda

### Male Boat Crew

Matt Guy - Elouera  
Brett Mortensen - Elouera  
Timothy Nesbitt - Elouera  
Chris Sims - Elouera  
Grant Wilkinson (Sweep) - Elouera

### Under 12 Girls

Madison Grant – Cronulla  
Maddison Vitnell – Cronulla  
Brianna sears – Sth Maroubra

### Under 13 Girls

Lana Rogers – Cronulla  
Elyssa Pierce – Wanda  
Tara Liley – Wanda

### Under 14 Girls

Taylor Puskaric – Cronulla  
Dahlas Rogers – Cronulla  
Bree Masters – Cronulla

### Under 15 Women

Bridget Little – Cronulla  
Lani Hyer-Warton – Cronulla  
Nicole Rohr – Wanda

### Under 17 Women

Kayla Moore – Cronulla  
Jessica Lauricella – Cronulla  
Mikaela Allen – Elouera

### Under 19 Women

Tara Coleman – Maroubra  
Madeline Flemming – Cronulla  
Sarah Cook – Cronulla

### Open Women

Alex Flemming – Cronulla  
Tatum Lawler – Nth Bondi  
Jamie Mckee – Cronulla (Vice Captain)

### Female Boat Crew

Merivale Nesbitt - Elouera  
Belinda Handel - Elouera  
Michelle Fretten - Elouera  
Tracey Urquhart - Elouera  
Grant Wilkinson (Sweep) - Elouera





# RESULTS - SYDNEY BRANCH MEMBERS AT THE INTERBRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS – Catherine Hill Bay 2008- 09

<b>OPEN MALE</b>		
Ironman	1 <sup>st</sup>	Chris Allum
Surf Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Chris Allum
Ski Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Chris Allum
Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Sean Reilly
Flags	6 <sup>th</sup>	Sean Reilly
Board Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Hayden Allum, Chris Allum
Rescue Tube Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Chris Allum, Hayden Allum
Ironman Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Chris Allum, Hayden Allum
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Chris Allum, Hayden Allum
Board	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Hayden Allum
Board Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Chris Allum, Hayden Allum
Lifesaver Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Sydney Branch
Taplin Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Chris Allum, Hayden Allum
Surf Boat	4 <sup>th</sup>	Sydney Branch – Elouera crew
<b>OPEN FEMALE</b>		
Iron woman	5 <sup>th</sup>	Tatum Lawler
Ski	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Alex Fleming
Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jamie McKee
Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jamie McKee
Surf Teams	6 <sup>th</sup>	Alex Fleming, Tatum Lawler
Surf	5 <sup>th</sup>	Tatum Lawler
Rescue Tube Rescue	5 <sup>th</sup>	Tatum Lawler, Alex Fleming
Lifesaver Relay	5 <sup>th</sup>	Sydney Branch
Surf Boat	4 <sup>th</sup>	Sydney Branch – Elouera crew
<b>UNDER 19 MALE</b>		
Ironman	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nick Fox
Surf	5 <sup>th</sup>	Nick Fox
Surf Team	4 <sup>th</sup>	Nick Fox, Dane Farrell
Ski	4 <sup>th</sup>	Dane Farrell
Board Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Dane Farrell
Board Rescue	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nick Fox, Dane Farrell
Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mathew Horton
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Matthew Horton
Ironman Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Nick Fox, Dane Farrell
Board Teams	4 <sup>th</sup>	Nick Fox, Dane Farrell
<b>UNDER 19 FEMALE</b>		
Surf	4 <sup>th</sup>	Tara Coleman
Surf Teams	6 <sup>th</sup>	Tara Coleman, Madeline Fleming
Board	5 <sup>th</sup>	Tara Coleman
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Sarah Cook
Flags	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sarah Cook
Board Rescue	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tara Coleman, Madeline Fleming
Board Teams	6 <sup>th</sup>	Tara Coleman, Madeline Fleming
<b>UNDER 17 MALE</b>		
Ironman	5 <sup>th</sup>	Kyle O'Brien
Sprint	5 <sup>th</sup>	Brendan Nicholls
Board	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kyle O'Brien
Board Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kyle O'Brien, Jake Little
Board Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kyle O'Brien, Jake Little
Surf	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kyle O'Brien
Surf Teams	5 <sup>th</sup>	Kyle O'Brien, Jake Little
<b>UNDER 17 FEMALE</b>		
Iron Woman	5 <sup>th</sup>	Kayla Moore
Iron woman Teams	6 <sup>th</sup>	Kayla Moore, Jessica Lauricella
Surf Teams	6 <sup>th</sup>	Kayla Moore, Jessica Lauricella
Surf	6 <sup>th</sup>	Jessica Lauricella
Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mikaela Allen
Flags	5 <sup>th</sup>	Mikaela Allen
Board Teams	6 <sup>th</sup>	Kayla Moore, Jessica Lauricella
<b>UNDER 15 MALE</b>		
Ironman	5 <sup>th</sup>	John Woods
Surf	6 <sup>th</sup>	Aaron Markey
Board	5 <sup>th</sup>	Aaron Markey
	6 <sup>th</sup>	John Woods
Board Teams	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Aaron Markey, John Woods
Sprint	4 <sup>th</sup>	Tyler Harding
Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Aaron Markey, John Woods



Ironman Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Aaron Markey, John Woods
Surf Teams	5 <sup>th</sup>	Aaron Markey, John Woods
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Tyler Harding
<b>UNDER 15 FEMALE</b>		
Iron Woman	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bridget Little
Iron Woman Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bridget Little, Lani Hyer-Warton
Surf	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lani Hyer-Warton
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Lani Hyer-Warton, Bridget Little
Board	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bridget Little
Board Teams	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lani Hyer-Warton, Bridget Little
Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lani Hyer-Warton, Bridget Little
Flags	4 <sup>th</sup>	Nicole Rohr
<b>UNDER 14 MALE</b>		
Ironman	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jay Furniss
Board	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mitchell Rofe
Board Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jay Furniss, Mitchell Rofe
Sprint	4 <sup>th</sup>	William Patterson
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	William Patterson
Board Rescue	4 <sup>th</sup>	Jay Furniss, Mitchell Rofe
Ironman Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jay Furniss, Mitchell Rofe
Surf	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jay Furniss
Surf Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jay Furniss, Mitchell Rofe
<b>U14 FEMALE</b>		
Surf	1 <sup>st</sup>	Dahlas Rogers
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Dahlas Rogers, Taylar Puskaric
Iron woman	4 <sup>th</sup>	Dahlas Rogers
Iron woman Teams	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Taylor Puskaric, Dahlas Rogers
Board	6 <sup>th</sup>	Taylor Puskaric
Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Taylor Puskaric, Dahlas Rogers
Sprint	4 <sup>th</sup>	Bree Masters
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bree Masters
Board Teams	5 <sup>th</sup>	Taylor Puskaric, Dahlas Rogers
<b>UNDER 13 MALE</b>		
Ironman	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kyle Druery
Surf	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kyle Druery
Board	5 <sup>th</sup>	Kyle Druery
Board Rescue	5 <sup>th</sup>	Kyle Druery, Ryan Markey
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mitchell Barbuto
Sprint	6 <sup>th</sup>	Mitchell Barbuto
Ironman Teams	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kyle Druery, Ryan Markey
Surf Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kyle Druery, Ryan Markey
Board Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kyle Druery, Ryan Markey
<b>UNDER 13 FEMALE</b>		
Iron woman	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lana Rogers
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Tara Liley
Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tara Liley
Board	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elyssa Pierce
Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lana Rogers, Elyssa Pierce
Iron woman Teams	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lana Rogers, Elyssa Pierce
Surf	1 <sup>st</sup>	Lana Rogers
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Elyssa Pierce, Lana Rogers
Board Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elyssa Pierce, Lana Rogers
<b>UNDER 12 MALE</b>		
Surf	1 <sup>st</sup>	Sam Fowler
Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tom Lorkin
Flags	4 <sup>th</sup>	Tom Lorkin
Ironman Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aidan McColm, Sam Fowler
Ironman	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Aidan McColm
Board	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Sam Fowler
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aidan McColm, Sam Fowler
Board Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aidan McColm, Sam Fowler
Board Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aidan McColm, Sam Fowler
<b>UNDER 12 FEMALE</b>		
Iron woman	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Madison Grant
Board	1 <sup>st</sup>	Madison Grant
Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Madison Grant, Maddison Vitnell
Board Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Madison Grant, Maddison Vitnell
Surf	6 <sup>th</sup>	Maddison Vitnell
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Brianna Seers
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Brianna Seers
Iron woman Teams	5 <sup>th</sup>	Madison Grant, Maddison Vitnell
Surf Teams	6 <sup>th</sup>	Madison Grant, Maddison Vitnell



<b>MIXED</b>		
U17 Cameron Relay	5 <sup>th</sup>	Sydney
U15 Cameron Relay	4 <sup>th</sup>	Sydney
U14 Cameron Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Taylor Puskaric, Jay Furniss, William Patterson, Bree Masters
U13 Cameron Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Sydney
U12 Cameron Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Madison Grant, Sam Fowler, Brianna Seers, Tom Lorkin
Jnr All Age Beach Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tom Lorkin, Brianna Seers, Tara Liley, Mitchell Barbuto, Bree Masters Will Paterson
Snr All Age Beach Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tyler Harding ,Nicole Rohr, Brendan Nichols, Mikaela Allen, Matt Horton, Sarah Cook, Sean Reilly, Jamie McKee
<b>OVERALL POINTSCORE</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	

## INTERCITIES – Wanda – 17<sup>th</sup> January 2009 – Sydney Results

OPEN MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Ben Dowling	Helensburgh-Stanwell Park
	2	Marc Leabeater	Wanda
	3	Steve Hatch	Newport
UNDER 19 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Jake Lynch	Newport
	2	Tyler Harding	Wanda
	3	Almiro Clere	Manly
UNDER 17 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Dean Wall	Cronulla
	2	Brendan Nicholls	Elouera
	3	Erick Calderon	Manly
OPEN MALE BEACH RELAY	1		Helensburgh-Stanwell Park
	2		Cronulla
	3		Wanda
OPEN MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Jake Lynch	Newport
	2	Tyler Harding	Wanda
	3	Michael Schnabel	Coledale
UNDER 19 MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Jake Lynch	Newport
	2	Shaun Brooke	Bondi
	3	Michael Brooke	Bondi
OPEN FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Kristy Smith	North Cronulla
	1	Shelly Fletcher	Manly
	3	Ciaran Williams	Wanda
	3	Michelle Soper	Elouera
UNDER 17 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Lauren Archer	Cronulla
	2	Mikaela Allen	Elouera
	3	Laura Fitzpatrick	Cronulla
UNDER 15 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Madeleine Smith	Wanda
	2	Adrinana Wassens	Thirroul
	3	Nicole Rohr	Wanda
OPEN FEMALE BEACH RELAY	1		Elouera
	2		Cronulla
OPEN FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Michelle Soper	Elouera
	2	Jaimee McKee	Cronulla
	3	Ciaran Williams	Wanda
OPEN MARCHPAST	1	0 Pts - Ladies	Collaroy
	2	4 Pts	Caves Beach
	3	6 Pts - Bears	Collaroy
OPEN MALE 2KM BEACH RUN	1	Leon Baldwin	Manly
UNDER 15 MALE 2KM BEACH RUN	1	Tim Wylie	Towradgi
	2	Matthew Peterie	Wanda
	3	Jordan Williams	Coogee
UNDER 15 FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Adriana Wassens	Thirroul
	2	Sarah Veckranges	Bondi
	3	Amie O'Donoghue	Wanda
OPEN FEMALE 2KM BEACH RUN	1	Siobhan McCarthy	North Bondi



	2	Melissa Campbell	Wanda
	3	Ruth Kelly	Manly
UNDER 17 MALE 2KM BEACH RUN	2	Jackson Raymond	Maroubra
UNDER 15 FEMALE 2KM BEACH RUN	1	Kate Murphy	South Maroubra
	2	Courtney Becher	North Cronulla
OPENS MALE BOARD	1	Tom Atkinson	Queenscliff
	1	Ben Atkinson	Queenscliff
	3	Ben Squires	Wanda
UNDER 19 MALE BOARD	1	Andrew Sharp	Wanda
	1	Dane Farrell	Elouera
	3	Ryan Susans	Queenscliff
UNDER 17 MALE BOARD	1	Kyle O'Brien	Cronulla
	2	Mitchell Hand	Bulli
	3	Ben Griffiths	Bulli
UNDER 15 MALE BOARD	1	Jake Moses	North Cronulla
	2	William Budd	North Cronulla
	2	John Woods	Wanda
UNDER 15 MALE BOARD RELAY	1	Budd/Moses/Hughes	North Cronulla
	2	Doyle/Calo/Hanley	Elouera
	3	Pugh/Calo/Hughes	Elouera
OPEN FEMALE BOARD	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	2	Peta Smith	Elouera
	3	Kate Conder	Elouera
UNDER 19 FEMALE BOARD	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	2	Kate Conder	Elouera
	3	Rachel Schriever	Elouera
UNDER 17 FEMALE BOARD	1	Elizabeth Wise	North Bondi
	2	Kate Marshall	North Cronulla
	3	Louise Backhouse	Wanda
UNDER 15 FEMALE BOARD	1	Bridget Little	Cronulla
	2	Michaela Davies	Cronulla
	3	Kate Murphy	South Maroubra
UNDER 19 FEMALE BOARD RELAY	1	Smith/Fleming/Schriever	Elouera
UNDER 15 FEMALE BOARD RELAY	1	Ford/Davies/Little	Cronulla
	2	Philpott/Brinkworth/Adams	Towradgi
OPENS MALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Blake Johnston	Wanda
	2	Jake Bracken	Elouera
	3	Kirby Lofts	Bondi
UNDER 17 MALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Jake Bracken	Elouera
	2	Kirby Lofts	Bondi
UNDER 15 MALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Joel Gorham	Wanda
	2	Rhys Fowler	North Cronulla
	3	Riordan Foley	Elouera
OPEN FEMALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	April Charles	North Cronulla
UNDER 17 FEMALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	April Charles	North Cronulla
UNDER 15 FEMALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Emily Gurr	Queenscliff
OPEN IRONMAN	1	Mark Simpson	Cronulla
	2	Ben Squires	Wanda
	3	Dane Farrell	Elouera
UNDER 17 IRONMAN	1	Ryan O'Grady	Bulli
	2	Jake Little	Cronulla
	3	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
UNDER 15 IRONMAN	1	John Woods	Wanda
	2	Jay Furniss	Wanda
	3	Mackenzie Hynard	Wollongong City
UNDER 19 IRONWOMAN	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra



	2	Kate Conder	Elouera
	3	Georgia Fayn	Maroubra
UNDER 17 IRONWOMAN	1	Kate Marshall	North Cronulla
UNDER 15 IRONWOMAN	1	Bridget Little	Cronulla
	2	Kirsty Philpott	Towradgi
	3	Jessica Lauricella	Cronulla
OPEN FEMALE 5 PERSON R & R	1	4.5 pts	Wanda
	2	5.5 pts	North Cronulla
	3	6.5 pts	Bondi
OPEN 6 PERSON R & R	1	2 pts	Freshwater
	2	4 pts	Wanda
UNDER 19 5 PERSON R & R	1	6.5 pts	North Cronulla
	2	11 pts	Coogee
UNDER 15 5 PERSON R & R	1	9.5 pts	North Cronulla
	2	'B' 13 pts	Bondi
	3	'A' 15 pts	Bondi
OPEN MIXED 5 PERSON R & R	1	'Red' 6 pts	Wanda
	2	12.5 pts	Coogee
	3	13 pts	North Cronulla
OPEN MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Tom Atkinson	Queenscliff
	2	Glenn Bernard	Stockton
	3	Downie Langthorne	Bulli
UNDER 17 MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Mitchell Hand	Bulli
	2	Ben Griffiths	Bulli
	3	Shaun Wilson	Wanda
OPEN DOUBLE SKI (Single Gender)	1	Byrnes/Young	Bondi
	2	Georgaris/Buttel	Wanda
	3	Woodfriff/Hopkins	Bronte
OPEN MIXED DOUBLE SKI	1	Woodfriff/Morgan	Bronte
	2	Langthorne/Yardley	Bulli
	3	Gentin/Byrnes	Bondi
OPEN MALE SURF	1	Tom O'Keefe	Elouera
	2	Ryan O'Grady	Bulli
	3	Dane Farrell	Elouera
UNDER 19 MALE SURF	1	Tom O'Keefe	Elouera
	2	Oliver Schaffer	Bondi
	3	Adam Bryce	Elouera
UNDER 17 MALE SURF	1	Kyle O'Brien	Cronulla
	2	Jake Little	Cronulla
	3	Alex Clark	Wanda
UNDER 15 MALE SURF	1	Mackenzie Hynard	Wollongong City
	2	Jay Furniss	Wanda
	3	Beau Wheeler	Bulli
OPEN FEMALE SURF	1	Kailah Elliot	Elouera
	2	Kate Allum	Wanda
	3	Kate Conder	Elouera
UNDER 19 FEMALE SURF	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	2	Georgia Fayn	Maroubra
	3	Gabrielle McKinnier	North Cronulla
UNDER 15 FEMALE SURF	1	Llani Hyer-Warton	Cronulla
	2	Kirsty Philpott	Towradgi
	3	Jessica Lauricella	Cronulla
OVER 24 SURF	1	Malcolm Allen	Bronte
	2	Michael Kay	Wanda
	3	Steven Barlow	North Cronulla



## ROOSTER'S RIVER RUN - Results

Place		Crew	Start Time	Finish Time	Time Taken
O/Right	Division				
1	1-0	Wollongong City	9.42.00	10.44.33	1.02.33
2	2-0	Manly	9.40.00	10.43.41	1.03.41
3	3-0	Dixon Park	9.41.00	10.44.42	1.03.42
4	4-0	Queenscliff	9.42.00	10.46.02	1.04.02
5	1-U23	Fairy Meadow	9.36.00	10.40.29	1.04.29
6	1-Res	Coogee	9.37.00	10.41.37	1.04.37
7	1 - Vets	Broulee Surfers	9.39.00	10.43.40	1.04.40
8	2 - Vets	North Steyne	9.39.00	10.43.41	1.04.41
9	1 - U19	Broulee Surfers	9.34.00	10.38.42	1.04.42
10	2 - U23	Bronte	9.36.00	10.40.55	1.04.55
11	3 - Vets	North Cronulla	9.39.00	10.43.57	1.04.57
12	4 - Vets	South Maroubra	9.38.00	10.43.02	1.05.02
13	2 - Res	Wanda	9.38.00	10.43.14	1.05.14
14	3 - Res	Fairy Meadow	9.40.00	10.45.28	1.05.28
15	5 - 0	Bronte	9.41.00	10.46.45	1.05.45
16	4 - Res	Tamarama	9.38.00	10.44.03	1.06.03
17	2 - U19	North Cronulla	9.35.00	10.41.22	1.06.22
18	2 - U23	Wanda	9.35.00	10.41.26	1.06.26
19	3 - U19	Manly	9.33.00	10.40.01	1.07.01
20	5 - Res	Woonona	9.37.00	10.44.05	1.07.05
21	4 - U19	Burning Palms	9.33.00	10.40.16	1.07.16
22	1 - Women	North Bondi	9.31.00	10.38.19	1.07.19
23	2 - Women	North Cronulla Gold	9.32.00	10.39.22	1.07.22
24	3 - Women	Bronte	9.30.00	10.37.23	1.07.23
25	4 - Women	Woonona	9.31.00	10.39.01	1.08.01
26	5 - Women	North Cronulla Blue	9.30.00	10.39.46	1.09.46
27	6 - Women	North Steyne	9.32.00	10.41.50	1.09.50
28	7 - Women	Maroubra	9.30.00	10.40.07	1.10.07
29	8 - Women	Wanda	9.31.00	10.42.14	1.11.14
30	5 - U19	South Maroubra	9.34.00	10.45.51	1.11.51
31	4 - U23	North Bondi	9.36.00	10.48.15	1.12.15
32	5 - Vets	Avalon Beach	9.32.00	10.44.40	1.12.40
33	9 - Women	Helensburgh-Stanwell	9.34.00	10.48.04	1.14.04

### Outright Winners

Open

U23's

Womens

1<sup>st</sup>

1<sup>st</sup>

1<sup>st</sup>

1<sup>st</sup>

Wollongong City

Queenscliff

Fairy Meadow

North Bondi

2<sup>nd</sup>

Manly

Reserves

U19's

Veterans

3<sup>rd</sup>

Dixon Park

1<sup>st</sup>

1<sup>st</sup>

1<sup>st</sup>

Coogee

Broulee Surfers

Broulee Surfers





## GARIE DASH BOAT CARNIVAL – RESULTS

OPEN MENS	ROUND 1	ROUND 2	ROUND 3	ROUND 4	TOTAL POINTS	FINALS
Queenscliff	7	7	7	7	28	No Final Held
Elouera Ghostriders	5	5	5	5	20	
North Bondi HB's	4	4	4	4	16	
North Cronulla Gold	3	3	3	3	12	
<b>OPEN WOMENS</b>						<b>FINALS</b>
North Cronulla Gold	5	7	7		19	1.North Cronulla Gold
Corrimal Frill Seekers	7	5	7		19	2.Corrimal Frill Seekers
North Cronulla Blue	7	3	4		14	3.Bronte
Bronte	2	5	5		12	4.North Bondi
North Bondi	3	4	5		12	5.Coogee
Coogee	4	4	3		11	6.North Cronulla Blue
Bondi Sirens	5	2	3		10	
Woonona	3	3	2		8	
<b>RESERVE GRADE</b>						<b>FINALS</b>
Fairy Meadow	7	7	7		21	1. Fairy Meadow
Coogee	4	7	7		18	2.Corrimal UFO's
Wanda A	5	7	5		17	3.Coogee
Corrimal UFO's	7	5	5		17	4.Bondi Skolars
North Cronulla Blue	7	5	4		16	5.Wanda A
Bondi Skolars	5	4	7		16	6.North Cronulla Blue
Bondi Fires	5	4	4		13	
Woonona A	4	5	3		12	
North Bondi	3	4	4		11	
Woonona B	4	2	5		11	
Wanda B	3	3	3		9	
Coledale B	2	3	3		8	
Coledale A	3	3	2		8	
<b>UNDER 23 WOMENS</b>						<b>FINALS</b>
Port kembla	7	7	7		21	No Final Held
Coogee	5	5	5		15	
Elouera Ghostriders	4	4	4		12	
Era	3	3	3		9	
<b>UNDER 23 MENS</b>						<b>FINALS</b>
North Bondi Spartans	7	7	7		21	1. Elouera Ghostriders
Elouera Ghostriders	4	7	7		18	2.North Bondi Spartans
North Bondi HB's	7	5	2		14	3.North Bondi HB's
North Cronulla Gold	5	4	5		14	4.North Cronulla Gold
Cronulla	5	4	4		13	5.Coogee
Coogee	4	3	5		12	6.Cronulla
Wanda A	3	5	4		12	
Wanda B	3	3	3		9	
North Cronulla Blue	2	2	3		7	
<b>UNDER 19</b>						<b>FINALS</b>
Port Kembla A	7	7	7		21	1.Port Kembla
Port Kembla B	7	5	5		17	2.North Cronulla Black
North Cronulla Gold	5	4	7		16	3.Port Kembla B
North Cronulla Black	4	7	4		15	4.North Cronulla Gold
North Bondi Phantoms	5	3	4		12	5.North Bondi Phantoms
Coledale A	4	5	3		12	6.Coledale A
North Cronulla Blue	3	3	5		11	
Coledale B	3	4	3		10	



# ELOUERA BOAT CARNIVALS – RESULTS

## Round 1

OPEN MENS	ROUND 1	ROUND 2	ROUND 3	TOTAL POINTS	FINALS
Elouera Ghostriders	5	7	7	19	1. Elouera Wilko
Elouera Wilko	7	7	4	18	2. North Cronulla
Bronte Barechedsted	3	5	7	15	3. Bondi 1100's
Bondi 1100's	7	3	5	15	4. Elouera Ghostriders
North Cronulla	4	5	5	14	5. Wanda
wanda	5	4	3	12	6. Bronte Barechedsted
Bronte Enigma	4	4	4	12	
OPEN WOMENS					FINALS
North Cronulla Gold	7	7	4	18	No Final Held
North Bondi	5	4	5	14	
Elouera	DNF	5	7	12	
Maroubra	4	2	DNS	6	
Coogee	DNF	3	DNF	3	
Bronte	DNF	1	DNF	1	
RESERVE GRADE					FINALS
Wanda	7	7	7	21	1. North Cronulla
Coogee	7	5	7	19	2. Bondi liars
Bondi Liars	4	5	5	14	3. Coogee
Sth Maroubra					
Bondadouchi	4	4	4	12	4. St Maroubra DNF
North Cronulla	5	DNF	5	10	5. Wanda DNF
Elouera Hollywoods	5	4	DNF	9	6
Sth Maroubra Slappers	DNF	7	DQ	7	
UNDER 23 WOMENS					FINALS
Not Held					
UNDER 23 MENS					FINALS
Wanda	7	5	7	19	No Final Held
Bronte barechedsted	5	7	4	16	
North Bondi B	7	DNF	5	12	
Coogee	4	4	3	11	
Nth Bondi A	5	DNF	2	7	
UNDER 19					FINALS
Maroubra	7	DNF	DNS	7	No Final Held

## Round 2

OPEN MENS	ROUND 1	ROUND 2	ROUND 3	TOTAL POINTS	FINALS
Bondi 1100's	5	7	7	19	1. Bondi 1100s
North Cronulla Gold	7	5	5	17	2. North Cronulla Gold
South Maroubra Fibros	7	4	5	16	3. Elouera Ghostriders
Elouera Ghostriders	4	7	4	15	4. Elouera Wilko
Elouera Wilko	5	3	7	15	5. Coogee
Bronte	3	4	3	10	6. Sth Maroubra Fibros
Wanda	3	3	3	9	
OPEN WOMENS					FINALS
Elouera Wilko	7	7	7	21	No Final Held
Wanda	5	5	5	15	
Coogee	4	4	3	11	
North Cronulla Blue	3	3	4	10	
RESERVE GRADE					FINALS
Bondi Liars	7	7	7	21	No Final Held



South Maroubra Slappers	7	7	5	19	
Wanda	5	4	7	16	
Elouera Hollywoods	4	5	5	14	
Coogee	5	5	4	14	
North Cronulla	4	4	4	12	
<b>UNDER 23 WOMENS</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
Not Held					
<b>UNDER 23 MENS</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
Cronulla	7	5	5	17	<b>No Final Held</b>
Wanda	5	7	4	16	
Bronte	4	4	7	15	
<b>UNDER 19</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
North Cronulla Gold	7	7	7	21	<b>No Final Held</b>
Coogee	5	5	5	15	

### Round 3

<b>OPEN MENS</b>	<b>ROUND 1</b>	<b>ROUND 2</b>	<b>ROUND 3</b>	<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>	<b>FINALS</b>
Elouera Wilko	5	7	7	19	<b>1. Elouera Wilko</b>
North Cronulla Gold	7	4	7	18	<b>2.Elouera Ghostriders</b>
Sth Maroubra Clippers	4	7	5	16	<b>3.Sth Maroubra Clippers</b>
Elouera Ghostriders	4	5	5	14	<b>4.Nth Cronulla Gold</b>
Bondi 1100s	5	5	4	14	<b>5.Bondi 1100s</b>
Bronte	7	3	4	14	<b>6.Bronte</b>
Coogee	3	4	3	10	
<b>OPEN WOMENS</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
Elouera Wilko	5	7	7	19	<b>No Final Held</b>
Bronte	7	4	4	15	
Bondi 1100s	4	5	5	14	
Nth Cronulla Gold	3	3	3	9	
<b>RESERVE GRADE</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
Sth Maroubra Slappers	7	7	7	21	<b>1. Era</b>
Elouera Hollywoods	7	4	4	15	<b>2. Wanda A</b>
Era	3	5	7	15	<b>3.Elouera Hollywoods</b>
Bondi Suits	5	7	3	15	<b>4.Sth Maroubra Slappers</b>
Wanda A	4	5	5	14	<b>5.Bondi Liars</b>
Bondi liars	5	4	5	14	<b>6.Bondi Suits</b>
Bronte	4	3	4	11	
Nth Cronulla Blue	3	3	3	9	
<b>UNDER 23 WOMENS</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
Not Held					
<b>UNDER 23 MENS</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
Elouera Ghostriders	5	7	7	19	<b>No Final Held</b>
Bronte	7	4	5	16	
Cronulla	4	5	4	13	
Nth Cronulla Gold	3	3	3	9	
<b>UNDER 19</b>					<b>FINALS</b>
North Cronulla Gold	5	7	7	19	<b>No Final Held</b>
North cronulla Blue	7	5	5	17	
Coogee	4	4	4	12	



## NORTH CRONULLA CARNIVAL – RESULTS

OPEN MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Marcus Kain	Killcare
	2	Dean Reilly	Wanda
	3	Marc Leabeater	Wanda
UNDER 19 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Kris Papadatos	Coogee
	2	Almiro	Manly
	3	Beau Docking	Coogee
UNDER 17 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Mathew Horton	Bondi
	2	James Moran	Maroubra
	3	Cameron Nicholls	Elouera
UNDER 15 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Tyler Harding	Wanda
	2	Jackson Duffy	Killcare
	3	James Blackwood	Bondi
OPEN MALE BEACH RELAY	1		Collaroy
OPEN MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Michael Waghorn	Caves Beach
	2	Michael Schnabel	North Cronulla
	3	Gavin Stewart	Wanda
UNDER 19 MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Gareth Morris	North Bondi
OPEN FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Ciaran Williams	Wanda
	2	Michelle Soper	Elouera
	3	Shelly Fletcher	Manly
UNDER 19 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Maddi Elliott	Cronulla
	2	Erin Docherty	Coogee
	3	Ashleigh Allport	Red Beach (NZ)
UNDER 17 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Katie Williams	Collaroy
	2	Samantha Harmer	Collaroy
	3	Eleanor Lamb	Collaroy
UNDER 15 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Tatum Ansiewics	Newport
	2	Madeleine Smith	Wanda
	3	Sarah Veckranges	Bondi
OPEN FEMALE BEACH RELAY	1		Killcare
	2		Manly
	3		Maroubra
OPEN FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Tatum Ansiewics	Newport
	2	Michelle Soper	Elouera
	3	Ciaran Williams	Wanda
UNDER 19 FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Maddi Elliott	Cronulla
	2	Erin Docherty	Coogee
	3	Stephanie Allport	Red Beach (NZ)
OPEN MARCH PAST	1		Burning Palms
	2	Ladies	Collaroy
	3		North Cronulla
UNDER 17 MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	James Moran	Maroubra
UNDER 17 FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Katie Williams	Collaroy
	2	Greer Brincat	Coogee
UNDER 15 FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Tatum Ansiewics	Newport
OPENS MALE BOARD	1	Tom Atkinson	Queenscliff
	2	Ben Atkinson	Queenscliff
	3	Michael Fox	Wanda
UNDER 19 MALE BOARD	1	Andrew Sharp	Wanda
	2	Trent Maxwell	Bronte
	3	Saxon Bird	Queenscliff
UNDER 17 MALE BOARD	1	Trent Klouzal	Manly
	2	Chad Scott	Cronulla
	3	Patrick Nicol	Collaroy



UNDER 15 MALE BOARD	1	Jay Furniss	Wanda
	2	William Budd	North Cronulla
	3	John Woods	Wanda
OPEN MALE BOARD RELAY	1	Fox/Fox/Allum	Wanda
	2	Kilmurray/Maxwell/Carroll	Bronte
	3	Schott/Raymond/Donohugue	Maroubra
UNDER 17 MALE BOARD RELAY	1	Mahoney/Moses/Andrews	North Cronulla
	2	Zimaris/Zimaris/Atkins	North Curl Curl
UNDER 15 MALE BOARD RELAY	1	Budd/Moses/Hughes	North Cronulla
	2	Harper/Schott/Donohugue	Maroubra
	3	Hanley/Calo/Doyle	Elouera
OPEN FEMALE BOARD	1	Candice Falzon	City of Perth
	2	Kate Allum	Wanda
	3	Becci Gardiner	North Bondi
UNDER 19 FEMALE BOARD	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	2	Florence Epper	Manly
	3	Peta Smith	Elouera
UNDER 17 FEMALE BOARD	1	Stephanie Purcell	Elouera
	2	Kayla Moore	Cronulla
	3	Jacqui Mooy	Manly
UNDER 15 FEMALE BOARD	1	Bridget Little	Cronulla
	2	Lucy Ford	Cronulla
	3	Michaela Davies	Cronulla
UNDER 17 FEMALE BOARD RELAY	1		North Cronulla
UNDER 15 FEMALE BOARD RELAY	1		Cronulla
	2		Newport
	2		Newport
OPENS MALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Jake Bracken	Elouera
	2	Callum Andrews	North Cronulla
UNDER 17 MALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Jake Bracken	Elouera
	2	Callum Andrews	North Cronulla
UNDER 15 MALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Joel Gorham	Wanda
	2	Cameron Randall	North Cronulla
	3	Luke Hickel	Wanda
OPEN FEMALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	Trista Valentine	North Cronulla
	2	April Charles	North Cronulla
UNDER 17 FEMALE SURF BOARD RIDING	1	April Charles	North Cronulla
OPEN MALE SURF BOAT	1	1100s	Bondi
	2		Wanda
	3	Swordfish	Manly
UNDER 23 MALE SURF BOAT	1		Bilgola
	2	Spartans	North Bondi
	3		South Narrabeen
OPEN FEMALE SURF BOAT	1	Frill Seekers	Corrimal
	2	Wilko	Elouera
	3		Austinmer
UNDER 23 FEMALE SURF BOAT	1		Bilgola
	2	Poison	Palm Beach NSW
	3	Power Rangers	Palm Beach NSW
RESERVE GRADE SURF BOAT	1		Wollongong City
	2	Will Slews	Palm Beach NSW
	3	Vapours	South Curl Curl
UNDER 19 SURF BOAT	1	Gold	Bulli
	2	Gold	North Cronulla
	3		Collaroy
OPEN IRONMAN	1	Nicholas Fox	Wanda



	2	Tom O'Keeffe	Elouera
	3	Joel Bolewski	Wanda
UNDER 19 IRONMAN	1	Nicholas Fox	Wanda
	2	Tom O'Keeffe	Elouera
	3		Queenscliff
UNDER 17 IRONMAN	1	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
	2	Trent Klouzal	Manly
	3	Aaron Zimaras	North Curl Curl
UNDER 15 IRONMAN	1	Adam Calo	Elouera
	2	William Budd	North Cronulla
	3	Alex Zimaras	North Curl Curl
OPEN MALE BOARD RESCUE	1	Maxwell/Bowden	Bronte
	2	Allen/Carroll	Bronte
	3	Fox/Fox	Wanda
UNDER 17 MALE BOARD RESCUE	1	Andrews/Mahoney	North Cronulla
	2	Raymond/Irvine	Maroubra
UNDER 15 MALE BOARD RESCUE	1	Budd/Moses	North Cronulla
	2	Hughes/Calo	Elouera
	3	Boxall/Bilby	Elouera
OPEN MALE TAPLIN RELAY	1	Woodriff/Carroll/Allen	Bronte
	2	Killmurray/Young/Beato	Bronte
	3	Hopkins/Maxwell/Bowden	Bronte
UNDER 17 MALE TAPLIN RELAY	1	Andrews/Moses/Mahoney	North Cronulla
	2	Zimaras/Atkins/Zimaris	North Curl Curl
UNDER 15 MALE CAMERON RELAY	1	Davies/Brooks/Marr	Newport
OPEN IRONWOMAN	1	Grace Davies	Newport
UNDER 19 IRONWOMAN	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
UNDER 17 IRONWOMAN	1	Polly Williams	Manly
UNDER 15 IRONWOMAN	1	Llani Hyer	Cronulla
	2	Jessica Lauricella	Cronulla
	3	Elyshe Vom Bruch	Cronulla
OPEN FEMALE BOARD RESCUE	1	Davies/Kieman	Newport
UNDER 19 FEMALE BOARD RESCUE	1	Epper/Knapman	Manly
	2	Williams/Knapman	Manly
UNDER 17 FEMALE BOARD RESCUE	1	Mooy/Williams	Manly
	2	Bargenda/Thornton	Coogee
	3	Marshall/McGrath	North Cronulla
UNDER 15 FEMALE BOARD RESCUE	1	Davies/Hyer	Cronulla
	2	Little/Ford	Cronulla
	3	Pepper/Sinclair	Elouera
OPEN FEMALE 5 PERSON R & R	1	6 pts	Wanda
	2	8 pts	North Cronulla
	3	11.50 pts	Freshwater
OPEN 6 PERSON R & R	1	10 pts	Freshwater
UNDER 19 5 PERSON R & R	1	5.5 pts	North Cronulla
	2	14.0 pts White	Coogee
	3	17.0 pts Blue	Coogee
UNDER 17 5 PERSON R & R	1	12 pts	North Cronulla
	2	14 pts Blue	Coogee
	3	21pts White	Coogee
UNDER 15 5 PERSON R & R	1	6 pts Gold	North Cronulla
	2	14 pts	Freshwater
	3	15.50 pts	Bondi
OPEN MIXED 5 PERSON R & R	1	1.5 pts	Freshwater
	2	5.0 pts	Bondi
	3	6.5 pts	Newcastle



OPEN MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Chris Kilmurray	Bronte
	2	Tom Atkinson	Queenscliff
	3	Tom Woodriff	Bronte
UNDER 19 MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Tom O'Keeffe	Elouera
	2	Reece Holland	North Bondi
	3	Nicholas Fox	Wanda
UNDER 17 MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Shaun Wilson	Wanda
	2	Nicholas Pleasance	Cronulla
	3	Scott Walsh	North Bondi
OPEN FEMALE SINGLE SKI	1	J McGlone	Maroubra
	2	Kate McGrath	Collaroy
	3	Julia Tyrrell	North Bondi
UNDER 19 FEMALE SINGLE SKI	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	2	Sarah Knapman	Manly
	3	Tatum Lawler	North Bondi
UNDER 17 FEMALE SINGLE SKI	1	Danielle Polson	Elouera
	2	Anna Kiernan	Newport
	3	Polly Williams	Manly
OPEN SINGLE SKI RELAY	1		Wamberal
	2		Bronte
	3		North Cronulla
OPEN DOUBLE SKI (Single Gender)	1	Luke Michaels/Jake Michaels	North Bondi
	2	Tom Woodriff/Bruce Hopkins	Bronte
	3	Glen Bernard/Jason Upton	Stockton
OPEN MALE SURF	1	Luke Ashford	Wanda
	2	Andrew Bowden	Bronte
	3	Cameron Pyett	Cronulla
UNDER 19 MALE SURF	1	Nicholas Fox	Wanda
	2	Trent Maxwell	Bronte
	3	Saxon Bird	Queenscliff
UNDER 17 MALE SURF	1	Trent Klouzal	Manly
	2	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
	3	Aaron Markey	Cronulla
UNDER 15 MALE SURF	1	John Woods	Wanda
	2	Adam Calo	Elouera
	3	Alex Engel	South Maroubra
UNDER 19 FEMALE SURF	1	Florence Epper	Manly
	2	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	3	Emma Williams	Manly
UNDER 17 FEMALE SURF	1	Stephanie Purcell	Elouera
	2	Polly Williams	Manly
	3	Stephanie Thornton	Coogee
UNDER 15 FEMALE SURF	1	Jessica Lauricella	Cronulla
	2	Llani Hyer	Cronulla
	3	Elyshe Vom Bruch	Cronulla
OVER 24 SURF	1	Stephen Barlow	North Cronulla
	2	Dave Fitzpatrick	Nth Cronulla



## COOGEE CARNIVAL – RESULTS

Event Name	Place	Name/Team	Club
OPEN MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Marcus Kain	Killcare
	2	Sean Reilly	Wanda
	3	Joel Maybury	Killcare
	4	Tyrone Courtney	Wanda
	5	Ben Barry	Coogee
	6	Takumi Kiuchi	Japan
UNDER 19 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Beau Docking	Coogee
	2	Michael Denny-Smith	Maroubra
	3	Luke Starr	Coogee
	4	Shaun Brooke	Bondi
	5	Michael Brooks	Bondi
	6	Jamie Livingstone	Clovelly
UNDER 17 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	James Moran	Maroubra
	2	Brendan Nicholls	Elouera
	3	Dean Wall	Cronulla
	4	Shea Collings	Coogee
	5	Branden Walker	Killcare
	6	Kirby Lofts	Bondi
UNDER 15 MALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Jackson Duffy	Killcare
	2	Cooper Rawnsley	Maroubra
	3	James Blackwood	Bondi
	4	Joey Todd	Coogee
	5	Denver Burns	Maroubra
	6	Kurt Pepper	Wanda
OPEN MALE BEACH RELAY	1		Killcare
	2		Coogee
	3		Wanda
	4		Cronulla
UNDER 19 MALE BEACH RELAY	1		Coogee
	2		Maroubra
UNDER 17 MALE BEACH RELAY	1		Coogee
	2		Killcare
OPEN MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	David Lee	Coogee
	2	Ben Holland	North Bondi
	3	Takumi Kiuchi	Japan
	4	Toshimitsu Fukai	Japan
	5	Dave Haggart	Maroubra
	6	Tim Tardent	Cronulla
UNDER 19 MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Gareth Morris	North Bondi
	2	Mikhail Sabishchykov	Maroubra
	3	Shaun Brooke	Bondi
	4	Jamie Livingstone	Clovelly
	5	Michael Brooke	Bondi
OPEN FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Kristy Smith	North Cronulla
	2	Michelle Soper	Elouera
	3	Erin Berghofer	North Bondi
	4	Camilla Montague	Elouera
	5	Christy Bennett	Bondi
	6	Amy Teale	Coogee
UNDER 19 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Erin Docherty	Coogee
	2	Lucy Stewart	Maroubra
UNDER 17 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Mikaela Allen	Elouera



	2	Laura Barendregt	Elouera
	3	Amy Doyle	Elouera
	4	Fauve Hughes	Maroubra
	5	Kate Jennings	Maroubra
UNDER 15 FEMALE BEACH SPRINT	1	Catherine Ebeling	South Maroubra
	2	Siobhan Dibley	North Cronulla
	3	Sarah Veckranges	Bondi
	4	Brooke Holland	North Bondi
	5	Olivia Maroon	Clovelly
	6	Natalie Nataras	Maroubra
OPEN FEMALE BEACH RELAY	1		Elouera
	2		Coogee
UNDER 17 FEMALE BEACH RELAY	1		Elouera
	2		Maroubra
	3		South Maroubra
OPEN FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Christy Bennett	Bondi
	2	Michelle Soper	Elouera
	3	Camilla Montague	Elouera
	4	June Sartracom	Bondi
	5	Lizanne Wilmot	Bronte
OPEN MARCH PAST	1	1 Pts	North Cronulla
	2	1.01 Pts	North Bondi
	3	3 Pts	Burning Palms
	4	4 Pts	Corrimal
UNDER 17 MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Shea Collings	Coogee
	2	James Moran	Maroubra
	3	James Burnett	Clovelly
	4	Mikhail Sabishchykov	Maroubra
UNDER 15 MALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Cooper Rawnsley	Maroubra
	2	Kurt Pepper	Wanda
	3	Alex Engel	South Maroubra
U17 FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Amy Doyle	Elouera
	2	Laura Barendregt	Elouera
	3	Stephanie Thornton	Coogee
	4	Mikaela Allen	Elouera
	5	Greer Brincat	Coogee
	6	Michaela Bargenda	Coogee
U 15 FEMALE BEACH FLAGS	1	Siobhan Dibley	North Cronulla
	2	Brooke Holland	North Bondi
	3	Catherine Ebeling	South Maroubra
	4	Sarah Veckranges	Bondi
	5	Ashley Stone	Coogee
	6	Kate Murphy	South Maroubra
OPENS MALE BOARD	1	Andrew Sharp	Wanda
	2	Scott Higgins	The Lakes
	3	Campbell Bennett	North Bondi
	4	Dean Buttell	Wanda
	5	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
	6	Steve Middleton	North Bondi
U 17 MALE BOARD	1	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
	2	Zak Abdallaoui	Cronulla
	3	Angus Bennett	Maroubra
	4	Chad Scott	Cronulla
	5	Jackson Raymond	Maroubra
	6	Brendan Irvine	Maroubra
UNDER 15 MALE BOARD	1	William Budd	North Cronulla



	2	Michael Hanley	Elouera
	3	Jake Moses	North Cronulla
	4	Brodie Schott	Maroubra
	5	John Woods	Wanda
	6	Mitch Donohue	Maroubra
OPEN MALE BOARD RELAY	1	Middleton/Bennett/ McCarthy	North Bondi
	2		Elouera
	3	Sharp/Buttall/Bolewski	Wanda
	4	Higgins/Hokin/Higgins	The Lakes
U 17 MALE BOARD RELAY	1		Maroubra
	2		Coogee
U 15 MALE BOARD RELAY	1		Elouera
	2		North Cronulla
	3		Maroubra
	4		Bronte
U 17 FEMALE BOARD	1	Georgia McGrath	North Cronulla
	2	Kirsty Smith	North Bondi
	3	Elizabeth Wise	North Bondi
	4	Patricia Cowan	North Cronulla
	5	Stephanie Thornton	Coogee
	6	Michaela Bargenda	Coogee
U 15 FEMALE BOARD	1	Kate Murphy	South Maroubra
	2	Lara Hughes	North Cronulla
	3	Natalie Murphy	South Maroubra
	4	Sophie Thompson	North Bondi
	5	Maddie Castro	The Lakes
	6	Matilda Strain	North Bondi
OPEN FEMALE BOARD RELAY	1	Coleman/McGuiggan/Fayn	Maroubra
	2		Elouera
	3	Kennedy/Ryan/Castro	The Lakes
U 17 FEMALE BOARD RELAY	1		North Bondi
	2		North Cronulla
U 15 FEMALE BOARD RELAY	1		North Bondi
	2		South Maroubra
OPEN MALE SURF BOAT	1	Recalls	Coogee
	2		North Cronulla
	3	Spartans	North Bondi
	4		Elouera
UNDER 23 MALE SURF BOAT	1	Spartans	North Bondi
	2	Gold	North Cronulla
	3		Cronulla
	4	Sweat Hogs	Coogee
	5	Hunts	Coogee
OPEN FEMALE SURF BOAT	1	Go Camping	Coogee
	2		Maroubra
	3	Nemos	Coogee
	4	Possums	Bondi
	5	White	Bondi
RESERVE GRADE SURF BOAT	1	Clippers	South Maroubra
	2		Era
	3	Suits	Bondi
	4	Woodsies	South Maroubra
	5		Cronulla
	6	Vets	South Maroubra
UNDER 19 SURF BOAT	1	Black	South Maroubra



	2		Maroubra
	3	Black	North Cronulla
	4	Hardware	Coogee
	5	A	Coledale
	6	Red	North Cronulla
OPEN IRONMAN	1	Dane Farrell	Elouera
	2	Dean Buttell	Wanda
	3	John McCarthy	North Bondi
	4	Tom O'Keeffe	Elouera
	5	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
UNDER 17 IRONMAN	1	Zak Abdallaoui	Cronulla
	2	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
	3	Brendan Irvine	Maroubra
	4	Jackson Raymond	Maroubra
	5	Chad Scott	Cronulla
	6	Angus Bennett	Maroubra
UNDER 15 IRONMAN	1	William Budd	North Cronulla
	2	Jake Moses	North Cronulla
	3	Sam Fleeting	Bronte
	4	Michael Hanley	Elouera
	5	Zac Doyle	Elouera
	6	Brodie Schott	Maroubra
OPEN MALE TAPLIN RELAY	1	B	Wanda
	2		Bronte
	3		Elouera
	4	A	Wanda
	5	C	Wanda
	6		The Lakes
U17 MALE TAPLIN RELAY	1	A	Maroubra
	2	B	Maroubra
	3	A	Coogee
	4	B	Coogee
U15 MALE CAMERON RELAY	1		North Cronulla
	2		Elouera
	3	A	Maroubra
	4	B	Maroubra
OPEN IRONWOMAN	1	Nicole McMahon	The Lakes
	2	Sarah Kennedy	The Lakes
UNDER 19 IRONWOMAN	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	2	Tatum Lawler	North Bondi
	3	Peta Smith	Elouera
	4	Georgia Fayn	Maroubra
UNDER 17 IRONWOMAN	1	Elizabeth Wise	North Bondi
	2	Stephanie Thornton	Coogee
	3	Kirsty Smith	North Bondi
	4	Michaela Bargenda	Coogee
	5	Louise Backhouse	Wanda
UNDER 15 IRONWOMAN	1	Kate Murphy	South Maroubra
	2	Bella Raymond	South Maroubra
	3	Natalie Murphy	South Maroubra
	4	Hayleigh Sinclair	Elouera
	5	Michelle McFadyen	South Maroubra
OPEN FEMALE TAPLIN RELAY	1	Fayn/Coleman/McGlone	Maroubra
	2		Elouera



	4	Georgia Fayn	Maroubra
	5	Peta Smith	Elouera
	6	Sara Gentin	Bondi
UNDER 17 FEMALE SINGLE SKI	1	Danielle Polson	Elouera
	2	Emma Jones	North Bondi
	3	Kirsty Smith	North Bondi
	4	Patricia Cowan	North Cronulla
	5	Elizabeth Wise	North Bondi
OPEN DOUBLE SKI (Single Gender)	1	Michael / Michael	North Bondi
	2	Georgaris / Buttel	Wanda
	3	Farrugia / McCarthy	North Bondi
	4	Woodriff / Hopkins	Bronte
	5	Read / Boleski	Wanda
OPEN MIXED DOUBLE SKI	1	Michael / Tyrell	North Bondi
	2	Buttel / Allum	Wanda
	3	McCarthy / Lawler	North Bondi
OPEN MALE SURF	1	Andrew Bowden	Bronte
	2	Scott Higgins	The Lakes
	3	Diogo Netto	Bronte
	4	Shun Nishiyama	Japan
	5	Talbot Henry	North Bondi
	6	Stephen Barlow	North Cronulla
UNDER 19 MALE SURF	1	Tom O'Keeffe	Elouera
	2	Dane Farrell	Elouera
	3	Benson Ariyana	Elouera
	4	Joshua Scott	Maroubra
	5	Oliver Schaffer	Bondi
	6	Adam Bryce	Elouera
UNDER 17 MALE SURF	1	Brendan Irvine	Maroubra
	2	Chad Scott	Cronulla
	3	Jackson Raymond	Maroubra
	4	Sam Duffy	Coogee
	5	Sean McFarlane-Bently	Cronulla
	6	Angus Bennett	Maroubra
UNDER 15 MALE SURF	1	John Woods	Wanda
	2	Alex Engel	South Maroubra
	3	Jake Moses	North Cronulla
	4	Matthew Harper	Maroubra
	5	Jack Radleigh	Bronte
	6	Mitch Keating	Bronte
OPEN FEMALE SURF	1	Julian Kruger	Bondi
	2	Nicole McMahon	The Lakes
	3	Maddi Blomberg	Bronte
	4	Ashleigh Bond	Bronte
	5	Danielle Goldberg	Bronte
	6	Bernadette Chisholm	Clovelly
UNDER 19 FEMALE SURF	1	Georgia Fayn	Maroubra
	2	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	3	Tatum Lawler	North Bondi
	4	Kate Conder	Elouera
	5	Ayako Kawasaki	Japan
	6	Sara Gentin	Bondi
UNDER 17 FEMALE SURF	1	Kailah Elliot	Elouera
	2	Grace Musgrove	Coogee
	3	Gabrielle McKinnier	North Cronulla



	4	Kirsty Smith	North Bondi
	5	Georgia McGrath	North Cronulla
	6	Emma Jones	North Bondi
UNDER 15 FEMALE SURF	1	Dallas Rogers	Cronulla
	2	Ashley Stone	Coogee
	3	Hayleigh Sinclair	Elouera
	4	Hannah Smith	South Maroubra
	5	Michelle McFadyen	South Maroubra
	6	Kate Murphy	South Maroubra

## 2008-09 SYDNEY BRANCH MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS – Results

30-34 YRS MENS BEACH SPRINT	1	Ben Barry	Coogee
	2	Tim Tardent	Cronulla
	3	Gavin Stewart	Wanda
35-39 YRS MENS BEACH SPRINT	1	Tyren Courtney	Wanda
	2	Chris O'Conner	North Bondi
	3	Mark Stratford	Cronulla
40+ YRS MENS BEACH SPRINT	1	Trevor Bell	North Bondi
	2	Glen Lofts	Clovelly
	3	Warren Burton	North Bondi
50+ YRS MENS BEACH SPRINT	1	Mark Scott	Clovelly
	2	Garry Fleming	Elouera
	3	Phil Dutton	South Maroubra
60+ YRS MENS BEACH SPRINT	1	John McNamee	Clovelly
	2	Max Murphy	South Maroubra
150 MIN YRS MENS BEACH RELAY	1		North Bondi
	2		Cronulla
	3		Coogee
200 MIN YRS MENS BEACH RELAY	1		Clovelly
	2		Elouera
30-34 YRS MENS BEACH FLAGS	1	Gavin Stewart	Wanda
	2	Dave Haggart	Maroubra
	3	Tim Tardent	Cronulla
35-39 YRS MENS BEACH FLAGS	1	Tyron Courtney	Wanda
	2	Chris O'Connor	North Bondi
	3	Mark Stratford	Cronulla
40+ YRS MENS BEACH FLAGS	1	Glen Lofts	Clovelly
	2	Trevor Bell	North Bondi
	3	Andrew Radford	Clovelly
50+ YRS MENS BEACH FLAGS	1	Warrick Cavanagh	North Cronulla
	2	Phil Dutton	South Maroubra
	3	Laurie Portelli	Elouera
30-34 YRS WOMENS BEACH SPRINT	1	Nicole Logan	Coogee
	2	Philla Ardlie	Tamarama
	3	June Satracom	Bondi
40+ YRS WOMENS BEACH SPRINT	1	Wendy Pepper	Clovelly
	2	Jo Cooper	Clovelly
	3	Helen Callagher	Clovelly
140 MIN YRS WOMENS BEACH RELAY	1		Coogee
	2		Clovelly
	3		Clovelly
30-34 YRS WOMENS BEACH FLAGS	1	June Satracom	Bondi
	2	Wendy Pepper	Clovelly
	3	Phillippa Ardlie	Tamarama
30-34 YRS MENS BOARD RACE	1	Paul Buttel	Wanda



	3		The Lakes
U 17 FEMALE TAPLIN RELAY	1		North Bondi
	2		North Cronulla
	3	A	Coogee
	4	A	Coogee
U15 FEMALE CAMERON RELAY	1		South Maroubra
	2		North Bondi
OPEN FEMALE 5 PERSON R & R	1		Wanda
	2		Bondi
	3	Gold	North Cronulla
	4	Blue	North Cronulla
OPEN 6 PERSON R & R	1		Wanda
	2		North Cronulla
UNDER 19 5 PERSON R & R	1		North Cronulla
	2	Black	Coogee
	3	White	Coogee
UNDER 17 5 PERSON R & R	1		North Cronulla
	2	Black	Coogee
	3		Bondi
	4	White	Coogee
UNDER 15 5 PERSON R & R	1	Gold	North Cronulla
	2	White	Bondi
	3		Bronte
	4		Wanda
	5	Blue	North Cronulla
	6	Blue	Bondi
OPEN MIXED 5 PERSON R & R	1	Red	Wanda
	2	Blue	Wanda
OPEN MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Jake Michael	North Bondi
	2	Tom Woodriff	Bronte
	3	Luke Michael	North Bondi
	4	Nathan Croal	North Bondi
	5	Michael Georgaris	Wanda
	6	Dean Buttell	Wanda
UNDER 19 MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Reece Holland	North Bondi
	2	Dane Farrell	Elouera
	3	Anthony Pledger	Bondi
	4	Tom O'Keeffe	Elouera
	5	Nick Legge-Wilkinson	Coogee
	6	Adam Bryce	Elouera
UNDER 17 MALE SINGLE SKI	1	Zak Abdallaoui	Cronulla
	2	Scott Walsh	North Bondi
	3	Jackson Raymond	Maroubra
	4	Mitchell Allum	Wanda
	5	Chad Scott	Cronulla
	6	Mitch Donohue	Maroubra
OPEN FEMALE SINGLE SKI	1	Kelly Jury	Northcliffe
	2	Jodi McClone	Maroubra
	3	Julie Turrell	North Bondi
	4	Nicole McMahan	The Lakes
	5	Sarah Kennedy	The Lakes
UNDER 19 FEMALE SINGLE SKI	1	Tara Coleman	Maroubra
	2	Tatum Lawler	North Bondi
	3	Lara Decarli	North Bondi



	2	Brent McKinnon	Elouera
	3	Chris Glover	Tamarama
35-39 YRS MENS BOARD RACE	1	Darren Schott	Maroubra
	2	Shane Whittaker	North Cronulla
	3	Scott Allen	Wanda
40+ YRS MENS BOARD RACE	1	Scott Thompson	North Bondi
	2	Adam Payne	Maroubra
	3	Peter Donohue	Maroubra
50+ YRS MENS BOARD RACE	1	Greg Clifford	Bronte
	2	Steve Warren	North Cronulla
	3	Peter Kirkwood	Maroubra
60+ YRS MENS BOARD RACE	1	Warrick Cavangh	North Cronulla
	2	Mick Georgaris	Wanda
110 MIN YRS MENS BOARD RELAY	1		Maroubra
	2		Elouera
	3		Wanda
130 MIN YRS MENS BOARD RELAY	1		Bronte
	2		Maroubra
	3		Cronulla
150 MIN YRS MENS BOARD RELAY	1		North Cronulla
30-34 YRS WOMENS BOARD RACE	1	Tamavin Liebenbert	Coogee
	2	Carolyn Barry	Coogee
35-39 YRS WOMENS BOARD RACE	1	Lisa McGuigan	Maroubra
	2	Louise Santos	Bondi
	3	Sue Jackson	Tamarama
50+ YRS WOMENS BOARD RACE	1	Carole Larssen	Cronulla
	2	Coleen O'Neil	Bronte
30-34 IRON MAN RACE	1	Brent McKinnon	Elouera
	2	Chris Glover	Tamarama
	3	Ben Sutherland	Bondi
35-39 IRON MAN RACE	1	Shane Whittaker	North Cronulla
	2	Simon Storry	North Bondi
	3	Greg Crawford	North Cronulla
40+ IRON MAN RACE	1	Darren Schott	Maroubra
	2	Scott Thompson	North Bondi
	3	Brain Matthas	North Cronulla
50+ IRON MAN RACE	1	Greg Clifford	Bronte
	2	Steve Warren	North Cronulla
	3	Glenn Carter	Cronulla
110 YRS MIN MENS TAPLIN	1		Maroubra
	2		Wanda
	3		North Cronulla
130 YRS MIN MENS TAPLIN	1		Bronte
	2		Elouera
	3		North Bondi
150 YRS MIN MENS TAPLIN	1		North Cronulla
	2		North Cronulla
	3		Wanda
35-39 IRON WOMAN RACE	1	Lisa McGuigan	Maroubra
	2	Sue Jackson	Tamarama
	3	Louise Santos	Bondi
50+ IRON WOMAN RACE	1	Coleen O'Neill	Bronte
	2	Carole Larssen	Cronulla
30-34 YRS MENS SINGLE SKI RACE	1	Paul Buttell	Wanda
	2	Jason Ginn	Elouera
	3	Anthony Carroll	Bronte

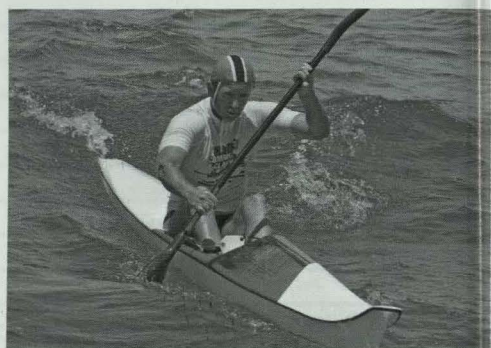


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	2	Shane Whittaker	North Cronulla
	3	Scott Allen	Wanda
40+ YRS MENS SINGLE SKI RACE	1	Lee Johnson	Bronte
	2	Dean Parry	Elouera
	3	Scott Thompson	North Bondi
50+ YRS MENS SINGLE SKI RACE	1	Greg Clifford	Bronte
	2	Phil Hamilton	Cronulla
	3	Glenn Carter	Cronulla
60+ YRS MENS SINGLE SKI RACE	1	John Cahill	North Bondi
	2	Max Lewis	North Cronulla
	3	Paul Kirwan	North Cronulla
110 YRS MIN MENS SKI RELAY	1		Maroubra
	2		Tamarama
130 YRS MIN MENS SKI RELAY	1		North Bondi
	2		North Cronulla
150 YRS MIN MENS SKI RELAY	1		North Bondi
	2		Elouera
	3		Wanda
35-39 YRS WOMENS SINGLE SKI RACE	1	Sue Jackson	Tamarama
40 + YRS WOMENS SINGLE SKI RACE	1	Lisa McGuigan	Maroubra
	2	Grace Cowan	North Cronulla
50 + YRS WOMENS SINGLE SKI RACE	1	Carole Larssen	Cronulla
30-34 YRS MENS SURF RACE	1	Talbot Henry	North Bondi
	2	Brent McKinnon	Elouera
	3	Paul Buttel	Wanda
35-39 YRS MENS SURF RACE	1	Simon Story	North Bondi
	2	Darren Schott	Maroubra
	3	Shane Whittaker	North Cronulla
40+ YRS MENS SURF RACE	1	Scott Thompson	North Bondi
	2	Peter Donoghue	Maroubra
	3	Bill Shires	Tamarama
50+ YRS MENS SURF RACE	1	Steve Warren	North Cronulla
	2	Greg Clifford	Bronte
	3	Stephen Delorenzo	Maroubra
60+ YRS MENS SURF RACE	1	Rob McCoid	Maroubra
30-34 YRS WOMENS SURF RACE	1	Nicola Logan	Coogee
	2	Lyndall Sank	Clovelly
35-39 YRS WOMENS SURF RACE	1	Jacqui Robinson	South Maroubra
	2	Rebecca O'Donnell	Bronte
	3	Louise Santos	Bondi
40+ YRS WOMENS SURF RACE	1	Lisa McGuigan	Maroubra
	2	Kirsty Muir	Bronte
	3	Helen Callaghan	Clovelly
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	2	Coleen O'Neil	Bondi
	3	Sally Bassett	Bronte



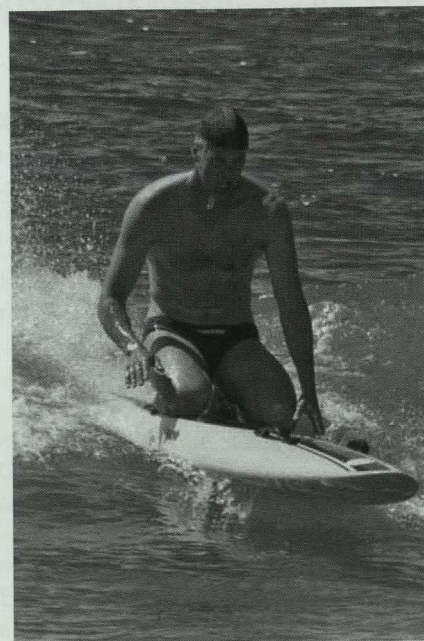
# RESULTS – SYDNEY BRANCH MEMBERS AT THE SLSNSW STATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS – March 09

Open Ironman Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	ALLUM, Chris (Cronulla)
Under 19 Ironman Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	FARRELL, Dane (Elouera)
Under 17 Ironman Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	OBRIEN, Kyle (Cronulla)
Open Male Board Rescue Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	CRONULLA (C)
	2 <sup>ND</sup>	CRONULLA (B)
Under 19 Male Board Rescue Male	2 <sup>ND</sup>	Elouera (White)
Under 17 Male Board Rescue Male	1 <sup>ST</sup>	Cronulla (c)
Open Male Rescue Tube Rescue Male	1 <sup>ST</sup>	Cronulla (a)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Bronte (a)
Under 19 Male Rescue Tube Rescue Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elouera (White)
Under 17 Male Rescue Tube Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	OBRIEN, Kyle (Cronulla)
Under 15 Male Rescue Tube Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	MARKEY, Aaron (Cronulla)
Open Male Taplin Relay Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Under 15 Iron Woman Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	LITTLE, Bridget (Cronulla)
Under 19 Female Board Rescue Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elouera (White)
Under 15 Female Board Rescue Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (red)
Under 19 Female Rescue Tube Rescue Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elouera (White)
Under 17 Female Rescue Tube Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	ELLIOT, Kailah (Elouera)
Under 15 Female Rescue Tube Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	HYER-WARTON, Llani (Cronulla)
Under 17 Female Taplin Relay (3 Person) Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elouera (White)
Under 15 Female Cameron Relay Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla (pink)
Open male Single Ski Relay Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Under 19 Female Single Ski Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	COLEMAN, TARA (Maroubra)
Open Female Double Ski Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Maroubra (RED)
Open Male Surf Board Riding Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	JOHNSTON, Blake (Wanda)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	JENKINS, Rory (North Cronulla)
Under 15 Male Surf Board Riding Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	JENKINS, Rory (North Cronulla)
Open Male Malibu Surf Board Riding Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	CARROLL, Anthony (Bronte)
Open Female Surf Board Riding Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	MILEY-DWYER, Phoebe (Bronte)
Under 17 Female Surf Board Riding Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	MILEY-DWYER, Phoebe (Bronte)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	MILEY-DWYER, Olivia (Bronte)
Open Female Malibu Surf Board Riding Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	MILEY-DWYER, Olivia (Bronte)
Open Male Surf Race Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	ALLUM, Chris (Cronulla)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	ALLEN, Malcolm (Bronte)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	SIMPSON, Mark (Cronulla)
Under 19 Male Surf Race Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	OKEEFFE, Tom (Elouera)
Open Male Surf Teams Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla (a)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (blue)
Under 19 Male Surf Teams Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elouera (White)
Under 17 Male Surf Teams Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Open Male 5 Person R&R Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Bondi (A)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3. Wanda (blue)
Open Male Surf Belt Race Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla (b)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda (Navy)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	North Bondi
Under 17 Female Surf Race Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	PURCELL, Stephanie (Elouera)
Under 15 Female Surf Race Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	LAURICELLA, Jessica (Cronulla)
Under 19 Female Surf Teams Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elouera (Blue)
Under 15 Female Surf Teams Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Open Female 5 Person R&R Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bondi (A)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (blue)
Open Female Surf Belt Race Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	North Cronulla (Gold)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elouera (White)
Over 24 Restricted Surf Race Open	1 <sup>st</sup>	ALLEN, Malcolm (Bronte)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	BOWDEN, Andrew (Bronte)
Open Mixed 5 Person R&R Open	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda (red)
Under 19 5 Person R&R Open	1 <sup>st</sup>	North Cronulla (Gold)
Under 17 5 Person R&R Open	1 <sup>st</sup>	North Cronulla (Gold)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Coogee (Coogee White)
Under 15 5 Person R&R Open	1 <sup>st</sup>	North Cronulla (Gold)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (blue)
Under 17 Surf Belt Race Open	1 <sup>st</sup>	Wanda (red)
Under 19 Male Board Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	FARRELL, Dane (Elouera)
Under 17 Male Board Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	OBRIEN, Kyle (Cronulla)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	ALLUM, Mitchell (Wanda)
Under 15 Male Board Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	BUDD, William (North Cronulla)
Open Male Board Relay Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Under 19 Male Board Relay Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elouera (White)
Under 17 Male Board Relay Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cronulla (a)





Under 15 Male Board Relay Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	North Cronulla (Gold)
Under 19 Female Board Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	COLEMAN, TARA (Maroubra)
Under 15 Female Board Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	LITTLE, Bridget (Cronulla)
Under 15 Female Board Relay Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Open Female Surf Boat Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elouera (Wilko)
Under 19 Surf Boat Open	3 <sup>rd</sup>	North Cronulla (Gold)
Open Male Champion Lifesaver Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	ORFORD, Ben (Cronulla)
Under 17 Male Champion Lifesaver Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	LITTLE, Jake (Cronulla)
Under 15 Male Champion Lifesaver Male	3 <sup>rd</sup>	MARKEY, Aaron (Cronulla)
Under 15 Female Champion Lifesaver Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	LAURICELLA, Jessica (Cronulla)
Under 17 Male Beach Flags Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	HORTON, MATTHEW (Bondi)
Under 15 Male Beach Flags Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	HARDING, Tyler (Wanda)
Under 15 Male Beach Sprint Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	HARDING, Tyler (Wanda)
Open Male Beach Relay Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	Wanda (blue)
Under 19 Male Beach Relay Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	Coogee (Coogee)
Under 17 Male Beach Relay Male	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Coogee (Coogee)
Under 15 Male Beach Relay Male	1 <sup>st</sup>	Wanda (blue)
Under 17 Female Beach Flags Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	ARCHER, Lauren (Cronulla)
Under 15 Female Beach Flags Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	DIBLEY, Siobhan (North Cronulla)
Open Female 2km Beach Run Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	CONDER, Jenny (Elouera)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	MCCARTHY, Siobhan (North Bondi)
Open Female Beach Sprint Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	GRAF, Elly (Cronulla)
Under 19 Female Beach Sprint Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	GRAF, Elly (Cronulla)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	COOK, Sarah (Cronulla)
	1 <sup>st</sup>	MASTERS, Bree (Cronulla)
Under 15 Female Beach Sprint Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Open Female Beach Relay Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3. Elouera (Blue)
	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Under 19 Female Beach Relay Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cronulla (b)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (a)
Under 17 Female Beach Relay Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (blue)
Under 15 Female Beach Relay Female	2 <sup>nd</sup>	GRAF, Elly (Cronulla)
Open Female Beach Flags Female	1 <sup>st</sup>	GRAF, Elly (Cronulla)
Under 19 Female Beach Flags Female	3 <sup>rd</sup>	ELLIOTT, Maddi (Cronulla)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Burning Palms (A)
Open March Past Open	2 <sup>nd</sup>	North Cronulla (G)
Under 23 March Past Open		



## RESULTS – SYDNEY BRANCH MEMBERS AT THE SLNSW STATE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS – March 09

30-34 yrs Male Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
40-44 yrs Male Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Maroubra (Red)
45-49 yrs Male Board Rescue	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
50-54 yrs Male Board Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (A)
30-34 yrs Male Ski	1 <sup>st</sup>	Paul Buttel (Wanda)
40 yrs+ Female Sk	1 <sup>st</sup>	Lisa McGuigan (Maroubra)
50-54 yrs Male Ski	1 <sup>st</sup>	Greg Clifford (Bronte)
60-64 yrs Male Ski	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John Cahill (Nth Bondi)
65 yrs+ Male Ski	1 <sup>st</sup>	Allan Metti (Cronulla)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Maxwell Lewis (Nth Cronulla)
110 yrs min Male Ski Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bronte (A)
150 yrs min Male Ski Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Nth Bondi (A)
30-34 yrs Double Ski Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nth Bondi (B)
45-49 yrs Double Ski Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Elouera (White)
60-64 yrs Double Ski Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nth Bondi (A)
65yrs+ Double Ski Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Nth Cronulla (Gold)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (A)
30-39 yrs Short Board Riding	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Anthony Carroll (Bronte)
30-39 Male Malibu Surf Board Riding	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Anthony Carroll (Bronte)
40+ Yrs Short Board Riding	1 <sup>st</sup>	Tyrone Robertson (Bondi)
240 Years min Surf Boat	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Bondi Bondi (Beachies)
120 yrs min Male Surf Boat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nth Cronulla (Gold)
140 yrs min Surf Boat	2 <sup>nd</sup>	South Maroubra (Slappers)
220 yrs min Surf Boat	1 <sup>st</sup>	South Maroubra (Vets)
30-34 yrs Female Rescue Tube	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nicole Logan (Coogee)
30-34 yrs Male Rescue Tube	1 <sup>st</sup>	Tait Brannock (Wanda)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Grant Baldock (Bondi)
35-39 yrs Female Rescue Tube	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jacqui Robinson (South Maroubra)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kylie Zikarsky (Elouera)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Vanessa Cahill (Bondi)
40-44 yrs Female Rescue Tube	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lisa McGuigan (Maroubra)
45-49 yrs Male Rescue Tube	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Todd Mison (Coogee)





45-49 yrs Female Rescue Tube  
50-54 yrs Male Rescue Tube  
  
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55 yrs+ Female Rescue Tube

60-64 yrs Male Rescue Tube  
65 yrs+ Male Rescue Tube

130 yrs+ Male Surf Teams  
30-34 yrs Male Surf Race  
30-34 yrs Female Surf Race  
35-39 yrs Female Surf Race

40-44 yrs Male Surf Race  
40-44 yrs Female Surf Race  
50-54 yrs Male Surf Race

55 yrs+ Female Surf Race

60-64 yrs Male Surf Race  
65 yrs+ Male Surf Race  
110 yrs+ Male Surf Teams  
150 yrs min Mens Taplin Relay  
130 yrs min Mens Taplin Relay  
30-34 yrs Ironman  
35-39 yrs Ironman

40-44 yrs Ironwoman  
40-44 yrs Ironman  
50-54 yrs Ironman

55 yrs+ Ironwoman  
110 yrs min Mens Taplin Relay  
30-34 yrs Male Beach Sprint  
35-39 yrs Male Beach Sprint  
45-49 yrs Male Beach Sprint  
50-54 yrs Male Beach Sprint  
140 yrs+ Male Beach Relay  
200 yrs+ Male Beach Relay  
30-34 yrs Male Beach Flags

35-39 yrs Male Beach Flags  
45-49 yrs Male Beach Flags

50-54 yrs Male Beach Flags

35-39 yrs Female Board

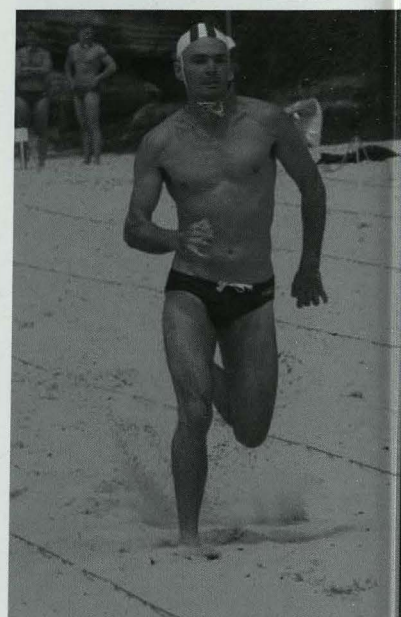
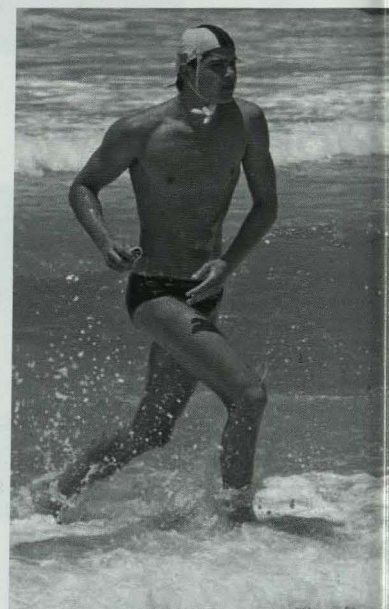
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3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ann Holland (Cronulla)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Baden Green (Cronulla)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Andrew Hartcher (Wanda)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Colleen O'Neill (Bronte)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Carolyn Macauley (Cronulla)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lea Hill (Bondi)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cyril Baldock (Bondi)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Allan Metti (Cronulla)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Robert McCoid (Maroubra)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Nth Bondi (A)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tait Brannock (Wanda)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Juliet Sharpe (Bondi)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Jacqui Robinson (South Maroubra)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kylie Zikarsky (Elouera)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Louise Santos (Bondi)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mark Jackson (Cronulla)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lisa McGuigan (Maroubra)
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2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tyron Courtney (Wanda)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Trevor Bell (North Bondi)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Mark Scott (Clovelly)
1 <sup>st</sup>	North Bondi (A)
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2 <sup>nd</sup>	Gavin Stewart (Wanda)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Dave Haggart (Maroubra)
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3 <sup>rd</sup>	Louise Santos (Bondi)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Darren Schott (Maroubra)
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2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lisa McGuigan (Maroubra)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Gregory Clifford (Bronte)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Stephen Warren (North Cronulla)
1 <sup>st</sup>	Paul Day (Cronulla)
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1 <sup>st</sup>	Maroubra (Red)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (Blue)





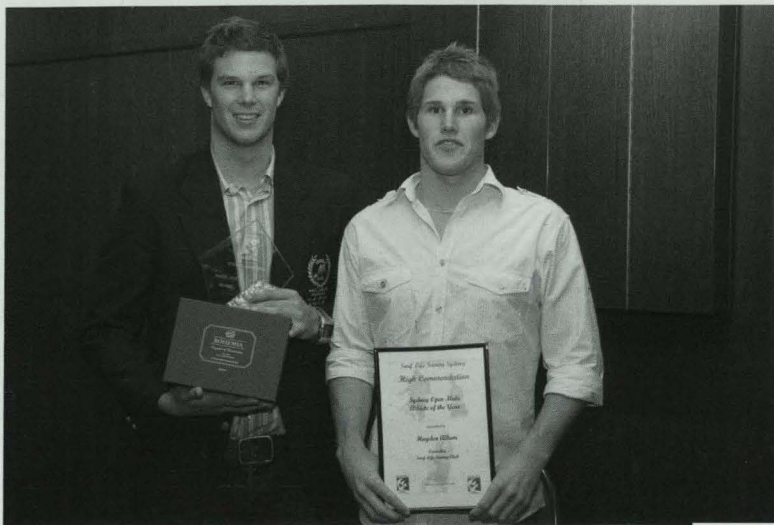
## RESULTS – SYDNEY BRANCH MEMBERS AT THE 2009 AUSTRALIAN POOL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Mixed Open SERC/Team Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla
Mens U15 200m Obstacle Race	4 <sup>th</sup>	John Woods – Wanda
Women U15 200m Obstacle Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jessica Lauricella – Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Llani Hyer-Warton – Cronulla
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Dahlas Rogers – Cronulla
Mens U17 200m Obstacle Race	4 <sup>th</sup>	Kyle O'Brien – Cronulla
Women U17 200m Obstacle Race	4 <sup>th</sup>	Stephanie Purcell – Elouera
Mens Open 200m Obstacle Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Chris Allum – Cronulla
Mens U15 200m 50m Obstacle Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda
Womens U15 200m 50m Obstacle Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla
Open Mens 200m 50m Obstacle Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cronulla
Women U15 50m Swim with fins	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elysha Vom Bruch – Cronulla
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Bridget Little – Cronulla
Mens U17 100m Manikin Carry w/fins	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mitchell Hartman – Elouera
Mens Open 100m Manikin Carry w/fins	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mitchell Parkes – Elouera
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Andrew Bowden – Bronte
Mens U15 50m Manikan Carry	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John Woods – Elouera
Womens U15 50m Manikin Carry	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jessica Lauricella – Cronulla
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Elyshia Pepper – Elouera
Mens U17 50m Manikin Carry	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mitchell Hartman – Elouera
Womens U17 50m Manikin Carry	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Stephanie Purcell – Elouera
Mens Open 50m Manikin Carry	1 <sup>st</sup>	Andrew Bowden – Bronte
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Chris Allum – Cronulla
Mens Open 100x 4 x 25m Manikin Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla
Womens U15 100m Manikin Tow w/fins	1 <sup>st</sup>	Elyshia Pepper – Elouera
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Jessica Lauricella – Cronulla
Mens U17 100m Manikin Tow 2/fins	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mitchell Hartman – Elouera
Men U15 Line Throw Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Elouera
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elouera
Womens U15 Line Throw Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla
Mens U17 Line Throw Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Elouera
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Cronulla
Womens U17 Line Throw Relay	4 <sup>th</sup>	Wanda
Mens U19 Line Throw Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elouera
Mens Open Line Throw Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elouera
Mens U17 100m Rescue Medley	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mitchell Hartman – Elouera
Womens U17 100m Rescue Medley	1 <sup>st</sup>	Stephanie Purcell – Elouera
Mens Open 100m Rescue Medley	1 <sup>st</sup>	Andrew Bowden – Bronte
Mens U17 200m Super Lifesaver	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mitchell Hartman – Elouera
Mens Open 200m Super Lifesaver	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Andrew Bowden – Bronte
Mens Open 200m Medally 50m Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla

### Overall Carnival Pointscore

Elouera 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Cronulla 5<sup>th</sup>  
Wanda 10<sup>th</sup>  
Bronte 14<sup>th</sup>

Chris & Hayden Allum





## RESULTS – SYDNEY BRANCH MEMBERS AT THE SLS AUSTRALIAN MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS – March 09

30-34 yrs Mens Surf Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tait Brannock (Wanda)
35-39 yrs Mens Surf Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Scott Allen (Wanda)
35-39 yrs Womens Surf Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jacqui Robinson (South Maroubra)
55 yrs & Over Womens Surf Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Carolyn Macauley (Cronulla)
30-34 yrs Mens Rescue Tube Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tait Brannock (Wanda)
35-39 yrs Womens Rescue Tube Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jacqui Robinson (South Maroubra)
30-34 yrs Mens Ironman Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Paul Buttel (Wanda)
40-44 yrs Mens Ironman Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Darren Schott (Maroubra)
110 yrs Mens Taplin Relay Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda Red
55 yrs & Over Iron Womens Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Carolyn Macauley (Cronulla)
130 yrs Taplin Relay Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Maroubra
30-34 yrs Mens Board Rescue Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda Red
40-44 yrs Mens Board Rescue Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Maroubra
50-54 yrs Mens Board Rescue Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla
60-64 yrs Mens Board Rescue Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla
120 yrs Mens Surf Boat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nth Cronulla Gold
140 yrs Mens Surf Boat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	South Maroubra (Slappers)
220 yrs Mens Surf Boat	1 <sup>st</sup>	South Maroubra (Vets)
30-34 Yrs Mens Ski Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Nathan Croal (Nth Bondi)
35-39 Yrs Mens Ski Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Scott Allan (Wanda)
65 yrs & Over Mens Ski Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Allan Metti (Cronulla)
110 yrs Ski Relay Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (Red)
30-34 yrs Double Ski Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Nth Bondi
35-39 yrs Double Ski Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bronte (Gold)
65 yrs & Over Double Ski Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla
40-44 yrs Mens Board Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Darren Schott (Maroubra)
50-54 yrs Mens Board Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John Lavers (Cronulla)
60-64 Yrs Mens Board Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Warwick Cavenagh (Nth Cronulla)
65 yrs & Over Mens Board Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Paul Day (Cronulla)
110 yrs Mens Board Relay Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda (Red)
35-39 yrs Womens Board Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jacqui Robinson (South Maroubra)
55 yrs & Over Womens Board Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Carolyn Macauley (Cronulla)
130 yrs Board Relay Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Maroubra
30-39 yrs Long Board Riding	1 <sup>st</sup>	Anthony Carroll (Bronte)
35-39 yrs Mens Beach Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tyron Courtney (Wanda)
50-54 yrs Mens Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mark Scott (Clovelly)
60-64 yrs Mens Beach Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John McNamee (Clovelly)
35-39 yrs Mens Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Tyron Courtney (Wanda)
45-49 Yrs Mens Beach Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Glen Lofts (Clovelly)
60-64 yrs Mens Beach Flags	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John McNamee (Clovelly)
200 ys Beach Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Clovelly (A)





# RESULTS – SYDNEY BRANCH MEMBERS AT THE SLS AUSTRALIAN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS – March 09

U15 Mens Surf Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aaron Markey (Cronulla)
U15 Mens Surf Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
Open Mens 5 Person R & R	1 <sup>st</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
Open Mens Surf Belt Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Chris Allum (Cronulla)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tim Shaw (Nth Bondi)
U17 Womens Surf Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kailah Elliott (Elouera)
U15 Womens Surf Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jessica Lauricella (Cronulla)
U15 Womens Surf Teams	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cronulla (A)
Open Womens 5 Person R & R	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bondi (A)
Open Womens Surf Belt Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lucy Mahoney (Nth Cronulla)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jessica Lauricella (Cronulla)
Curlewis 6 Person R & R	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
Restricted 24 yrs & Over Surf Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Malcolm Allen (Bronte)
U17 5 Person R & R	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Coogee
U15 5 Person R & R	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Bondi (B)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nth Cronulla (Gold)
Open Age 5 Person R & R	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (Red)
U17 Surf Belt Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Zac Abdallaoui (Cronulla)
U19 Iron Man Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Dane Farrell (Elouera)
U15 Iron Man Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Aaron Markey (Cronulla)
Open Mens Board Rescue Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cronulla (A)
U19 Mens Board Rescue Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Elouera (Red)
U15 Mens Board Rescue Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wanda (Red)
Open Mens Rescue Tube Rescue Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cronulla (A)
U17 Mens Rescue Tube Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kyle O'Brien (Cronulla)
U15 Mens Rescue Tube Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Zachary Hughes (Nth Cronulla)
U15 Mens Cameron Relay Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
U17 Womens Rescue Tube Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kailah Elliott (Elouera)
U15 Womens Rescue Tube Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jessica Lauricella (Cronulla)
U19 Double Ski Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Nth Bondi (A)
U19 Mens Board Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Dean Farrell (Elouera)
U17 Mens Board Relay Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cronulla (A)
U15 Mens Board Relay Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wanda (Blue)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cronulla (Gold)
Open Mens Board Riding	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Rory Jenkins (Nth Cronulla)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Anthony Carroll (Bronte)
U15 Mens Board Riding	1 <sup>st</sup>	Rory Jenkins (Nth Cronulla)
Open Mens Long Board Riding	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Anthony Carroll (Bronte)
U17 Womens Board Riding	1 <sup>st</sup>	April Charles (Nth Cronulla)
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kate Hilleard (Nth Cronulla)
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Gabrielle McKinnier (Nth Cronulla)
U15 Mens Beach Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tyler Harding (Wanda)
U15 Mens 2Km Beach Run	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Matthew Peterie (Wanda)
U15 Mens Beach Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tyler Harding (Wanda)
U15 Womens Beach Flags	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Siobhan Dibley (Nth Cronulla)
Open Womens 2km Beach Run	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bernadette Chisholm (Clovelly)
U19 Womens 2km Beach Run	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jenny Conder (Elouera)
U19 Womens Beach Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elly Graf (Cronulla)
U15 Womens Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bree Masters (Cronulla)
U19 Womens Beach Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cronulla (A)
U19 Womens Beach Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Elly Graf (Cronulla)
Open March Past	1 <sup>st</sup>	Burning Palms
U17 March Past	1 <sup>st</sup>	Nth Bondi
U17 Mens Champion Lifesaver	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jake Little (Cronulla)

## SYDNEY BRANCH MEDAL STATISTICS

	2007-2008	2008-2009
State Open	120	105
State Masters	101	91
Aussie Open	56	54
Aussie Masters	35	41
State Age	108	114



# BOARD OF JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

The season of 2008/09 saw further growth in Membership numbers throughout the Branch, at present there's approximately 6000 children aged between 5 to 13 years learning surf lifesaving skills and knowledge, whilst having fun. The growth experienced is evidence of the quality of programs being delivered by the clubs.

The long awaited Age Managers Resource was released early in the season and was met enthusiastically. This valuable guide is an easy to understand resource tool that enhances existing programs and gives all clubs a consistent goal to work towards.

Our development camps were as popular as always. Over 200 children between the ages of 11 and 13 have their first introduction to the lifesaving services that they will one day be involved in. Over the years these camps have educated, exposed and prepared the youth of Sydney Branch for what is install for them when their "nipper" days are over. It is very rewarding to see many of the past attendee's now playing vital roles in their clubs.

The support for the camps from the support operation group and other prominent lifesavers is appreciated. To the offshore boat, Jet Ski and IRB drivers, as well as the many lifesavers from different clubs who give up their time to impart their lifesaving experience, thank you. The positive feedback we receive from this camp will see this camp continue for many years to come.

It was most unfortunate because of surf conditions a venue change and timetable reshuffle was forced on the branch carnival this year. Further to that with blue bottles causing a premature halt to the championships was a double blow, but safety of the children will always be a priority. Not withstanding the water events be called off early and taking into account the aforementioned as well as poor weather conditions, it was good to see the attendance and participation at the carnival still drew solid support.

Congratulations to our junior lifesavers of the year in Roseanna Smith from Elouera and Mitchell Rofo from Wanda. All the nominee's for this award are a fantastic example of the fine, upcoming lifesavers the will grace our beaches in years to come. For all the U/14 members throughout Sydney Branch, all the very best for your future years in surf lifesaving. The best years are ahead of you. All the effort that your club has put into your development will be rewarded by some very satisfying times.

I would like to thank the BJD executive for their constant hard work. A big thanks to Margaret Sears in her role as secretary/treasurer. This year sees Margaret stepping down in her role that she has held for the past 8 years. Over the years Margaret has been a valuable member of SLS BJD and I wish her all the best and on behalf of all the clubs thank her for her contribution. Peter King was a major asset in joining the team as Deputy Chairman the past season and we look forward to input for many years to come. Michael Roye overseen junior development competition and facilitated the newly formed Competition Sub Committee (C-S-C). The C-S-C whilst a new concept is a great forum for issues to be discussed and resolved.

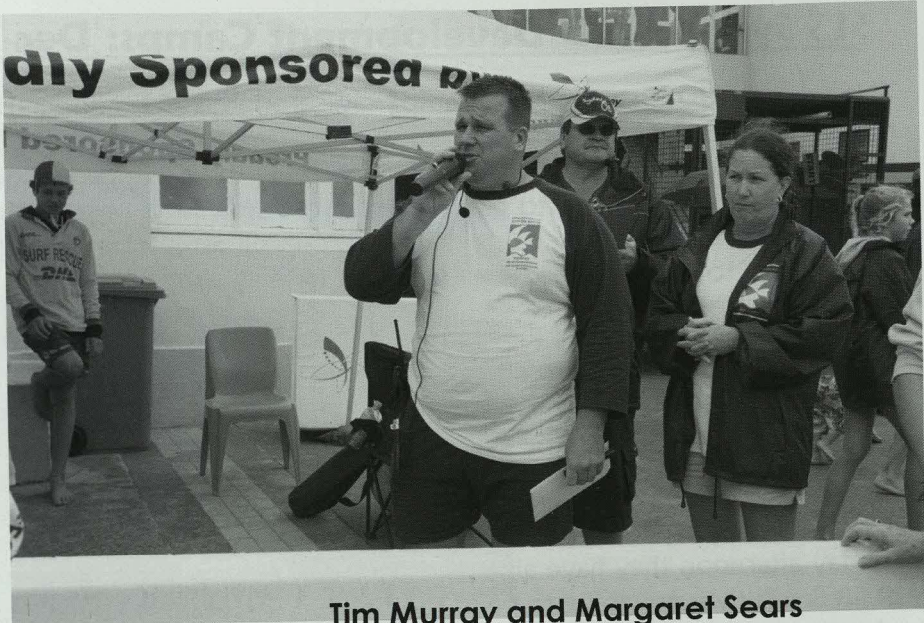
This year I have stepped down from the Dir. of Junior Development and I would congratulate Doug Hawkins being elected for the upcoming season. Doug has been Lifesaving Development Officer for the past 6 years and his high quality work ethic over the years is well known and SLS BJD is in great hands with the new team.

All the good work would not be possible if not for our sponsor Sydney Airport Corporation. I thank CEO Russell Balding AO and Karen Harrigan for their continued support for the BJD and nippers. It has been my absolute pleasure over the years in dealing with Karen to ensure the best possible outcome for SLS BJD and Sydney Airport Corporation.



Lastly, thank you to the many delegates for your friendship and support over the years. This is what surf lifesaving is all about, meeting new friends, working together and having a heap of fun along the way.

**Tim Murray**  
**Director of Junior**  
**Development**



Tim Murray and Margaret Sears

**SYDNEY JUNIOR  
LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR**

**Male Nominations**

Will Paterson	Bronte
Zac Hughes	Nth Cronulla
Mitchell Rofe	Wanda
Luke Calo	Elouera
Jack Gencher	Bondi
James Ryan	Cronulla
Matt Harper	Maroubra

**Female Nominations**

Georgia Peoples	Bronte
Laura Grenfell	Nth Cronulla
Emily Caterson	Wanda
Roseanna Smith	Elouera
D'arcy Pierce	Bondi
Bella Raymond	South Maroubra
Taylor Puskaric	Cronulla

**Congratulations to the runners-up**

Matt Harper	Maroubra
Emily Caterson	Wanda

**WINNERS 08-09**

Male Jnr Lifesaver of the Year  
Mitchell Rofe – Wanda

Female Jnr Lifesaver of the Year  
Roseanna Smith – Elouera





## **SLS Sydney BJD Development Camps: Dec 2008 and Feb 2009**

This seasons BJD Development Camps saw around 200+ Nippers from Under 11's and Under 13's representing 13 Branch clubs, make their way to Port Hacking for two fantastic weekends. These Branch Development Camps are aimed at helping these Nippers understand what Surf Lifesaving, and Lifesaving skills can deliver to them across all facets of the organisation. As always these Nippers are supported by a wonderful and committed group of parents, who all give up their entire weekend, and lots of sleep, to ensure the kids have the best time at camp.

It's a busy weekend and all the Nippers this season behaved extremely well in representing their clubs. The interest and attention to all aspects of the weekend was extremely encouraging, and showed what can happen when we deliver an interesting and challenging experience. On these weekends the kids, and parents, are taught CPR, Tube Rescue and IRB rescue. These lessons in the pool and working as teams, culminate in the rescue teams comp at the end of the weekend.

It's an amazing experience to see the kids arrive on Friday not knowing a lot about the above, yet by Sunday afternoon they have all aimed up and put everything into practice, and shown us all what sort of lifesavers they are going to be in the future. The pool rescue event is one of high drama and heaps of enthusiasm, and to all the clubs well done on all of your efforts - and to the Bronzies who assisted in the teaching thanks for your input. During the weekend the kids also get to experience the craft and support teams from Sydney Branch on a first hand basis.

Many thanks to the Offshore Crew, Jet Ski team, and the team from Lifesaver 1, who all attended camp this season, with their craft. As always the Offshore boat and the Jet ski were a great hit with the kids, but the Helicopter's arrival over the trees and onto the field and the presentation by the crew blew the kids away - literally.

The support from the clubs was especially good this season, and special thanks goes to Lee Howell, Tim Murray and James Caterson for their assistance and support. It's very encouraging to see younger people like James coming down and giving back to the kids after all his own years in Nippers. To the IRB teams including, Jimmy, Chris and Gerry thanks heaps for giving up your time. and to the team from Sydney Branch who came down and assisted please come again.

Over the last six years we have been able to share this very positive experience with over 1,000 nippers and as a Branch we need to keep improving what we can deliver to the kids. For the long term future of these camps we do need a committed team of people to manage and form the direction for these very important events. Responses from the clubs tells us that these camps have a very positive effect upon retention, and helping the kids to focus on their future in Lifesaving.

If you think you are able to assist in the longer term for these camps please talk to your Nipper club captain and they can then pass on your details. These camps have now been run by the Branch for 25 years, and have come along way since those early weekends at Nth Cronulla SLSC. For next season we hope to re-work the program to deliver an even more interesting and inspiring weekend, to ensure we are providing a strong basis for the Life Savers of the future.

**Doug Hawkins - Camp Director**  
**BJD - Lifesaving and Education**









# SYDNEY BRANCH AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

## 15<sup>th</sup> February 2009 – Cronulla/Nth Cronulla – RESULTS

(Note – some water events were cancelled due to blue bottles)



Under 8 Male Wade	1	Max Ries	Bronte
	2	Fred Tricks	Bronte
	3	Luke Sothern	Wanda
Under 8 Female Wade	1	Meg Woods	South Maroubra
	2	Sarah Scaffidi	Bronte
	3	Georgia Thompson	Cronulla
Under 8 Male Wade Relay	1	Stuart Swinburn, Max Ries, Fred Tricks, Hugo Podgornik	Bronte
	2	James Benning, Francis Crossley, Cooper Sachr, Daniel Miller	Elouera
	3	Ben Jessop, Tyson Street, Harry Came, James Antoniou	Cronulla
Under 8 Female Wade Relay	1	Amy Medutis, Channel Ryan-Last, Meg Woods, Myka Cornish	South Maroubra
	2	Lara Nicholls, Sierra Blattman, Olivia Rabone, Georgia Thompson	Cronulla
	3	Madeline Scott, Ruby Swadling, Sarah Scaffidi, Piper Ajaka	Bronte
Under 8 Male Beach Sprint	1	Sam Kofod	Coogee
	2	Max Ries	Bronte
	3	Leo Nosatti	North Cronulla
Under 8 Female Beach Sprint	1	Georgia Thompson	Cronulla
	2	Meg Woods	South Maroubra
	3	Kate Hawkings	Elouera
Under 8 Male Beach Relay	1	Jesse Mackinnon, Sebastian Plunkett, Bailey Summerhayes, Leo Nosatti	North Cronulla
	2	Lachlan Jordan, Henry Cunningham, Zac Brooks, James Antoniou	Cronulla
	3	Finn Emery, Sam Kofod, Eijah Farifield, Maximus Abagi	Coogee
Under 8 Female Beach Relay	1	Sierra Blattman, Olivia Rabone, Bridget Cole, Georgia Thompson	Cronulla
	2	Natalie Migachov, Verity Eisler, Ellie Bull, Kate Hawkings	Elouera
	3	Lara O'Donnell, Emily Eaves, Lara Nicholls, Lilian Persign	Cronulla
Under 8 Male Beach Flags	1	Max Ries	Bronte
	2	Coen Finati	Maroubra
	3	Cooper Sachr	Elouera
Under 8 Female Beach Flags	1	Channel Ryan-Last	South Maroubra
	2	Meg Woods	South Maroubra
	3	Ruth Cassidy	Elouera
Under 9 Male Surf Race	1	Nicholas Hards	North Cronulla
	2	Liam Rayner	Cronulla
	3	Tyler Knott	Wanda
Under 9 Female Surf Race	1	Brianna Tier	Maroubra
	2	Jessie Digby	Bronte
	3	Mary Orfanos	Wanda
Under 9 Female Surf Teams	1	Gold	North Cronulla
	2	A	Wanda
	3	A	Bronte
Under 9 Male Board	1	Tyler Knott	Wanda
	2	Harry Radley	Bronte
	3	Liam Rayner	Cronulla
Under 9 Female Board	1	Jasmine Shires	Tamarama
	2	Charlotte MacNamara	North Cronulla
	3	Georgia Strain	Bronte
Under 9 Male Beach Sprint	1	Sebastien Moir	North Bondi
	2	Brooklyn Barataud-Kitzler	North Bondi
	3	Sebastin McDonald	Bronte
Under 9 Female Beach Sprint	1	Sophie Stuart-Jones	Bronte
	2	Talia Munro	Elouera



	3	Emily King	Cronulla
Under 9 Male Beach Relay	1	Dylan Quirk, Ben Belsten, Sebastien Moir, Brooklyn Barataud-Kitzler	North Bondi
	2	Bailey Rule, Joseph Shanahan, Sholto Bremner, Sebastin McDonald	Bronte
	3	Hudson Berry, Kurt Stravrou, Tyler Nott, Jamee Smith	Wanda
Under 9 Female Beach Relay	1	Jessie Digby, Lania Atkins, Georgia Strain, Sophie Stuart-Jones	Bronte
	2	Sarah Hoareau, Georgia Fathing, Chloe Rowan, Talia Munro	Elouera
	3	Kira Hood, Tegan Collister, Mackenzie Richards, Jessica Woolbank	North Cronulla
Under 9 Male Beach Flags	1	Brooklyn Barataud-Kitzler	North Bondi
	2	Henry Fuller	North Cronulla
	3	Blake Barbuto	North Cronulla
Under 9 Female Beach Flags	1		Cronulla
	2	Talia Munro	Elouera
	3	Marley Peterson	Cronulla
Under 10 Male Surf Race	1	Kurtis Smith	Wanda
	2	Lachlan Vitnell	Cronulla
	3	Jesse Goodyear	Cronulla
Under 10 Female Surf Race	1	Britney Pierce	Wanda
	2	Renee Druery	Cronulla
	3	Siobhan O'Leary	Bronte
Under 10 Female Surf Teams	1		Wanda
	2		North Bondi
	3	Gold	North Cronulla
	4	A	Bronte
Under 10 Male Board	1	Lachlan Vitnell	Cronulla
	2	Chaz Poot	Cronulla
	3	Christopher Hoare	North Cronulla
Under 10 Female Board	1	Keira Hughes	Elouera
	2	Renee Druery	Cronulla
	3	Lucy Furniss	Wanda
Under 10 Male Beach Sprint	1	Joshua Cassidy	Elouera
	2	Elliott Grossberg	North Bondi
	3	Lucas Anderson	Bronte
Under 10 Female Beach Sprint	1	Tara Stortenbeker	Elouera
	2	Ngaire Hadfield	Cronulla
	3	Samantha King	Elouera
Under 10 Male Beach Relay	1	Jarrold Harding, Jordan Morris, Jamee Smith, Brynn Mayo	Wanda
	2	Austin Wem, Joshua Fong, Jessie Decosta, Fintan Lane	South Maroubra
	3	Michael Migachov, Joshua Cassidy, Jarred Rowe, Alex Uzzell	Elouera
Under 10 Female Beach Relay	1	Monique Siggers, Samantha King, Kaitlin Walker, Tara Stortenbeker	Elouera
	2	Aulia Marshall, Lili Gorman-Brown, Brandi-Lee Windle, Shannon Keevers	North Cronulla
	3	Baylee Smith, Timera Marriott, Ellena Tahhan, Brooke Willoughby	Wanda
Under 10 Male Beach Flags	1	Austin Wem	South Maroubra
	2	Lucas Varnier	Bronte
	3	Fintan Lane	South Maroubra
Under 10 Female Beach Flags	1	Ngaire Hadfield	Cronulla
	2	Matilda Patterson	Bronte
	3	Chase Lloyd	Cronulla
Under 11 Male Surf Race	1	Lochie Davis	Wanda
	2	Jack Mahoney	Wanda
	3	Lachlan Moyle	North Cronulla
Under 11 Female Surf Race	1	Natasha Noore	Elouera
	2	Lucy McJannett	South Maroubra
	3	Carla Papac	Cronulla
Under 11 Male Surf Teams	1		Wanda
	2		North Cronulla



	3		South Maroubra
Under 11 Female Surf Teams	1		Elouera
	2	A	Cronulla
	3		North Cronulla
Under 11 Male Board	1	Lochie Davis	Wanda
	2	Jared Hickel	Wanda
	3	Lachlan Moyle	North Cronulla
Under 11 Female Board	1	Meghan Fowler	North Cronulla
	2	Marrisa McColm	Cronulla
	3	Alexandra Budd	North Cronulla
Under 11 Male Board Relay	1	Davis/Mahoney/Hickel	Wanda
	2	Moyle/Moses/Highfield	North Cronulla
	3	Yerbury/Cullen/Walsh	South Maroubra
Under 11 Male Beach Sprint	1	Jonas Ellis	North Bondi
	2	Justin Montgomery	Cronulla
	3	Bailey Kuenzle	Wanda
Under 11 Female Beach Sprint	1	Jenaya liett	Cronulla
	2	Jessica Thornton	Coogee
	3	Mikayla Hill	Cronulla
Under 11 Male Beach Relay	1	Justin Montgomery, Thomas Makowiak, Blayke Brailey, Will Matthews	Cronulla
	2	Bailey Kuenzle, Connor Smith, Darcy Smith, Mitchell Pepper	Wanda
	3	Ivan Kovacic, Travis Adelerhof, Ethan Guilfoyle, Daniel Bell	Cronulla
Under 11 Female Beach Relay	1	Mikayla Hill, Charlotte Laurence, Jenaya liett, Lara Masters	Cronulla
	2	Frances Ryan, Meghan Ridge, Elanor Ryan, Siri Wingrove	Bronte
	3	Madeline Laurence, Olivia Clark, Rhianna Lucas, Kasandra Dundovic	Cronulla
Under 11 Male Beach Flags	1	Jonas Ellis	North Bondi
	2	Daniel Bell	Cronulla
	3	Alex Seymour	Elouera
Under 11 Female Beach Flags	1	Tay-Leiha Clarke	Wanda
	2	Charlotte Laurence	Cronulla
	3	Mikayla Hill	Cronulla
Under 12 Male Surf Race	1	Sam Fowler	Cronulla
	2	Aidan McColm	Cronulla
	3	Izaak Smith	Wanda
Under 12 Female Surf Race	1	Jacinta Mattinly	North Cronulla
	2	Ella-May Basalo	Maroubra
	3	Madison Grant	Cronulla
Under 12 Male Surf Teams	1	A	Cronulla
	2	A	Wanda
	3		South Maroubra
Under 12 Female Surf Teams	1	A	Cronulla
	2		North Cronulla
	3		Wanda
Under 12 Male Board	1	Aidan McColm	Cronulla
	2	Sam Fowler	Cronulla
	3	Cambell Johnston	South Maroubra
Under 12 Female Board	1	Maggie Mahoney	North Cronulla
	2	Madison Grant	Cronulla
	3	Jessica McClean	Wanda
Under 12 Male Beach Sprint	1	Tom Lorkin	North Bondi
	2	Liam Eruini-Bennett	Cronulla
	3	Max Hendrie	Bronte
Under 12 Female Beach Sprint	1	Brianna Seers	South Maroubra
	2	Chelsea Dorricott	Wanda
	3	Renee Stortenbeker	Elouera



Under 12 Male Beach Relay	1	Tyler Gorman-Brown, Adam Leabeater, Luke Dalla-Bona, Cameron McNicol	North Cronulla
	2	Liam Eruini-Bennett, William Stratford, Baeley Elgood, James Karagiannis	Cronulla
Under 12 Female Beach Relay	1	Renee Stortenbeker, Kealey Pennell, Keeley Humphries, Kayla Warncken	Elouera
	2	Frances Ryan, Sofia Ballesteros, Bel Greenaway, Phoebe Shanahan	Bronte
	3	Charlotte May, Grace Franki, Rebecca Watson, Millie Odgers	Bronte
Under 12 Male Beach Flags	1	Liam Eruini-Bennett	Cronulla
	2	Luke Dalla-Bona	North Cronulla
	3	Nathan Neale	Elouera
Under 12 Female Beach Flags	1	Keeley Humphries	Elouera
	2	Phoebe Shanahan	Bronte
	3	Celeste Rowan	Elouera
Under 13 Male Surf Race	1	Benjamin Thornton	Coogee
	2	Kyle Druery	Cronulla
	3	Ryan Markey	Cronulla
Under 13 Female Surf Race	1	Elyssa Pierce	Wanda
	2	Caitlyn Roye	Cronulla
	3	Lana Rogers	Cronulla
Under 13 Male Surf Teams	1	A	Cronulla
	2		Bronte
	3	A	Wanda
Under 13 Female Surf Teams	1	A	Wanda
	2		Cronulla
	3		South Maroubra
Under 13 Male Board	1	Liam Coleman	South Maroubra
	2	Lucas Aldous	Bronte
	3	Brady Goodyear	Cronulla
Under 13 Female Surf Board	1	Elyssa Pierce	Wanda
	2	Danielle McMahon	Wanda
	3	Lara Moses	North Cronulla
Under 13 Male Board Relay	1	Goodyear/Druery/Pocklington	Cronulla
	2	Bargenda/Cotterill/Aldous	Bronte
	3	Doyle/Carrera/Robertson	Wanda
Under 13 Female Board Relay	1	McMahon/Woods/Pierce	Wanda
	2	Moses/Andrews/Goman	North Cronulla
	3	McCaw/Bouffler/Rogers	Cronulla
Under 13 Male Beach Sprint	1	Kane Plummer	Wanda
	2	Thomas Duffy	Coogee
	3	Mitchell Barbuto	North Cronulla
Under 13 Female Beach Sprint	1	Tiana Penitani	South Maroubra
	1	Tomasin Clark	North Cronulla
	3	Jordie Levings	Elouera
Under 13 Male Beach Relay	1	Mitchell Barbuto, Cameron Gallagher, Kurt Joyner, Jack Fuller	North Cronulla
	2	Kane Plummer, Joshua Longmuir, Riordan Smith, Alex Walsh	Wanda
	3	Eric Hadfield, Joshua Eaton, Nathan Wild, Connor Tracey	Cronulla
Under 13 Female Beach Relay	1	Elizabeth Douglas, Brooke Bowen, Ebony Lane, Jordie Levings	Elouera
	2	Chelsea Dorricott, Bianca Burge, Emily Rohr, Danielle McMahon	Wanda
	3	Tomasin Clark, Chelsea Robertson, Jasmine Grey, Hannah Goman	North Cronulla
Under 13 Male Beach Flags	1	Connor Tracey	Cronulla
	2	Mitchell Barbuto	North Cronulla
	3	Tom Perrin	South Maroubra
Under 13 Female Beach Flags	1	Tiana Penitani	South Maroubra
	2	Jade Jenkins	North Cronulla
	3	Jasmine Grey	North Cronulla
Under 14 Male Surf Race	1	Jay Furniss	Wanda



	2	Mitchell Rofe	Wanda
	3	Kazimir Boskovic	Cronulla
Under 14 Female Surf Race	1	Dahlas Rogers	Cronulla
	2	Taylor Puskaric	Cronulla
	3	Shivaun Street	Cronulla
Under 14 Male Surf Teams	1		Cronulla
	2		Elouera
	3		North Cronulla
Under 14 Female Surf Teams	1	A	Cronulla
	2	A	Wanda
	3	B	Cronulla
Under 14 Male Board	1	Mitchell Rofe	Wanda
	2	Liam Bielby	Elouera
	3	Rhys Fowler	North Cronulla
Under 14 Female Board	1	Emily Catterson	Wanda
	2	Taylor Puskaric	Cronulla
	3	Eliza Casaceli	Cronulla
Under 14 Male Board Relay	1	Rofe/Hickel/Furniss	Wanda
	2	Hughes/Calo/Pugh	Elouera
	3	Ryan/Hudson/Wicken	Cronulla
Under 14 Female Board Relay	1	Casaceli/Rogers/Puskaric	Cronulla
	2	Thomson/Strain/Brewer	North Bondi
	3	Wallace/Primmer/Heaps	North Cronulla
Under 14 Male Beach Sprint	1	William Patterson	Bronte
	2	Jake Smith	Wanda
	3	Lincoln Plevy	Wanda
Under 14 Female Beach Sprint	1	Bree Masters	Cronulla
	2	Olivia Brooks	Cronulla
	3	Brooke Holland	North Bondi
Under 14 Male Beach Relay	1	Jake Smith, Mitchell Finnegan, Kane Plummer, Lincoln Plevy	Wanda
	2	Jack O'Connel, Shaun McErlain, Jacin Grant, Ben Sargeant	Elouera
	3	William Patterson, Harrison Reynolds, Thomas Morton, Patrick Ryan	Bronte
Under 14 Female Beach Relay	1	Olivia Brooks, Holli B-McAuliffe, Tahila Villanti, Bree Masters	Cronulla
	2	Emily Catterson, Amie O'Donoghue, Jordan Gill, Michaela Sargeant	Wanda
	3	Sian Raubinger, Alexandra Ryan, Georgia Peoples, Bianca Seale	Bronte
Under 14 Male Beach Flags	1	William Patterson	Bronte
	2	James Budd	North Cronulla
	3	Jack Whittaker	Clovelly
Under 14 Female Beach Flags	1	Bree Masters	Cronulla
	2	Amie O'Donoghue	Wanda
	3	Brooke Holland	North Bondi
All Age Beach Relay	1	Red	Wanda
	2		Cronulla
	3		Elouera

NB: Please note that not all water events were conducted due to blue bottle infestation.





# RESULTS – SYDNEY BRANCH MEMBERS AT THE SLSNSW STATE AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS – February 09

<b>U/14 MALE</b>			
Surf Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	May, Hughes, Fowler, Schwieghoffer	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ryan, Wicken, Boskovic, Hudson	Cronulla
Board Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jay Furniss, Mitchell Rofe	Wanda Red
Board	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mitchell Rofe	Wanda
Board Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Fowler, Hughes, May	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Furniss, Rofe, Hickel	Wanda
Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Will Paterson	Bronte
Beach Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Plevey, Smith, Plummer, Finnegan	Wanda
Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Will Paterson	Bronte
<b>U/14 FEMALE</b>			
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Rogers, Puskaric, Street, Casaceli	Cronulla
Surf	1 <sup>st</sup>	Dahlas Rogers	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Taylor Puskaric	Cronulla
Board Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Puskaric, Rogers, Casaceli	Cronulla
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bree Masters	Cronulla
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Villanti, Masters, Strawbridge, Brooks	Cronulla
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Siobhan Dibley	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bree Masters	Cronulla
<b>U/13 MALE</b>			
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Druery, Goodyear, Markey, Robertson	Cronulla
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Carey, Digby, McGuiness, Robinson	Bronte
Surf	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ryan Markey	Cronulla
Surf Board Riding	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Luke Faddy	Bronte
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Plummer, Walsh, Longmuir, Smith	Wanda
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Barbuto, Fuller, Gallagher, Jayner	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kasparian, Findlay, Anderson, Douglas	Elouera
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mitchell Barbuto	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Connor Tracey	Cronulla
<b>U/13 FEMALE</b>			
Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	D. McMahon, E. Pierce	Wanda
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Iredale, Turner, Rohr, McDonagh	Wanda
Board	1 <sup>st</sup>	Lara Moses	North Cronulla
Board Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Pierce, McMahon, Woods	Wanda
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Moses, Goman, Andrews	North Cronulla
Iron woman	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lana Rogers	Cronulla
Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tomasin Clark	North Cronulla
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Dorricott, Burge, Liley, Liley	Wanda
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lane, Bowen, Douglas, Levings	Elouera
Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tara Liley	Wanda
<b>U/12 MALE</b>			
Surf	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Sam Fowler	Cronulla
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Breen, Fowler, Wicken, McColm	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jones, McLennan, Smith, Storey	Wanda
Ironman	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Aidan McColm	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sam Fowler	Cronulla
Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Dylan Woods, Campbell Johnston	South Maroubra
Board	1 <sup>st</sup>	Aidan McColm	Cronulla
Board Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mc Colm, Fowler, Wicken	Cronulla
Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Liam Eruini-Bennett	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tyler Gorman-Brown	North Cronulla
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Dalla-Bona, Gorman-Brown, Leabeater, McNicol	North Cronulla
<b>U/12 FEMALE</b>			
Surf	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ella-May Basalo	Maroubra
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mahoney, Marshall, Mattinly, Moroney	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Grant, Vitnell, Boland, Poot	Cronulla
Ironman	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ella-May Basalo	Maroubra
Board Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Madison Grant, Chonteau Poot	Cronulla
Board Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Grant, Vitnell, Poot	Cronulla
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Brianna Seers	South Maroubra
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Renee Stortenbeker	Elouera
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Chelsea Dorricott	Wanda
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Cavanagh, Trevitt, Strawbridge, Brown	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Frank, Watson, Odgers, Ryan	Bronte
<b>U/11 MALE</b>			
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Bofinger, Flint, Flint, Moyle	North Cronulla
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Hickel, Davies, Mahoney, McRae	Wanda
Ironman	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lochie Davis	Wanda



Board Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Davies, Mahoney, Hickel	Wanda
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Ellis Jonas	North Bondi
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Brydon, Beynon, Ellis, Quirk	North Bondi
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Makowiak, Montgomery, Matthews, Brailey	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Guilfoyle, Bell, Kovacic, Adelerhof	Cronulla
Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Connor Smith	Wanda
<b>U/11 FEMALE</b>			
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Noore, Gray, Murray, Pugh	Elouera
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Budd, Dewer, Fowler, McNamara	North Cronulla
Iron woman	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Alexandra Budd	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Meghan Fowler	North Cronulla
Board Rescue	1 <sup>st</sup>	Alexandra Budd, Meghan Fowler	North Cronulla
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Carla Papac, Marissa McColm	Cronulla
Board Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Budd, Fowler, McNamara	North Cronulla
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kyla King	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jessica Thornton	Coogee
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	King, Ilett, Masters, Hill	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Laurence, Laurence, Clark, Lucas	Cronulla
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Mikayla Hill	Cronulla
<b>U/10 MALE</b>			
Surf Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Poot, Vitnell, Goodyear, McCaw	Cronulla
Surf	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kurtis Smith	Wanda
Board	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Chaz Poot	Cronulla
Board Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Rutherford, Poot, Vitnell	Cronulla
Beach Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Uzzell, Cassidy, Rowe, Migachov	Elouera
Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Joshua Cassidy	Elouera
Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Harrison Lewis	Maroubra
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Austin Wern	South Maroubra
<b>U/10 FEMALE</b>			
Surf	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Britney Pierce	Wanda
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	McMahon, Pierce, Furniss, Warn	Wanda
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Ngaire Hadfield	Cronulla
Beach Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Saggers, Stortenbeker, Walker, King	Elouera
Flags	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Samantha King	Elouera
<b>U/9 MALE</b>			
Surf	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Nicholas Hards	North Cronulla
Surf Teams	1 <sup>st</sup>	Gossling, Nott, Davis, McLennan	Wanda
Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sebastian Moir	North Bondi
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Barbuto, Diertenbach, Fuller, Mortlock	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bouris, Casella, Fragakis, Villanti	Cronulla
Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Blake Barbuto	North Cronulla
<b>U/9 FEMALE</b>			
Surf Teams	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Bofinger, Donovan, McCabe, Penn	North Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Atkins, Digby, Dyson, Strain	Bronte
Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Sophie Stuart-Jones	Bronte
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Atkins, Digby, Strain, Stuart-Jones	Bronte
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	King, Woods, Drury, Peterson	Cronulla
Flags	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Aqueelah Woods	Cronulla
<b>U/8 MALE</b>			
Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Crosle, Sachr, Morgan, Williams	Elouera
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mackinnon, Nosatti, Plunkett, Summerhayes	North Cronulla
Flags	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Max Ries	Bronte
<b>U/8 FEMALE</b>			
Beach Relay	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Woods, Ryan-Last, Medutis, Carnish	South Maroubra
<b>MIXED</b>			
5 Person R&R	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Hayes, Stravrou, Green, Caterson, Axiotos	Wanda Red
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Hopkins, Koerber, Lord, Owen, Pierce	Bondi
Senior Cameron Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Furniss, Rofo, Finnegan, Sargeant	Wanda
Junior Cameron Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	McColm, Grant, Trevitt, Karagiannis	Cronulla
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Dorricott, Jones, McLennan, Smith	Wanda
All Age Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ries, Stuart-Jones, Ryan, Patterson, Radley, Anderson, Hendrie	Bronte
<b>OVERALL POINTSCORE</b>			
	1 <sup>st</sup>	250.5	Cronulla
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	185.5	Wanda
	5 <sup>th</sup>	150	North Cronulla
	8 <sup>th</sup>	81	Bronte
	13 <sup>th</sup>	62	Elouera
	22 <sup>nd</sup>	34	South Maroubra
	26 <sup>th</sup>	28.5	North Bondi



# Director of Youth Development

I am pleased to report that Surf Life Saving Sydney continues to enjoy the great success it has with youth retention and growth. This season saw a further increase of 3% from last season in the Cadet (13-15 yrs) group to bring the total cadets to 542.

## Lifesaving

The core to Surf Life Saving are the patrols and again this seasons youth played a major part. Taking on various positions and responsibilities. On my visits to the various beaches I was very impressed with the quality of youth on patrols. Congratulations to Michael Hodsdon and the Board of Lifesaving for their efforts in this area.

## BJD upcoming members

The success in our cadet growth is partly due to the outstanding effort by the Board of junior development, in implementing initiatives such as the development camps. I would like to congratulate and thank Tim Murray and the Board of Junior Development for a job well done.

## Shark Dive Award

The quality of our youth on patrols is due to the vast awards that can be obtained through Surf Life Saving. The shark dive award was introduced as a reward and to encourage youth to obtain further awards past their bronze medallion and to also instruct other members to obtain awards. The winner of this award for 08-09 is Shaun Hudson – Nth Bondi SLSC. Congratulations Shaun. (picture – Shaun Hudson on patrol)

## Surf Sports

Congratulations to coaches and managers on another successful season with youth from Surf Life Saving Sydney Clubs excelling at various competitions from Branch, State and Australian championships. I would like to congratulate and thanks Mike Vitnell and the Board of Surf Sports for their hard work, and in particular the development camp which saw youth members improving their competition skills in a fun environment.

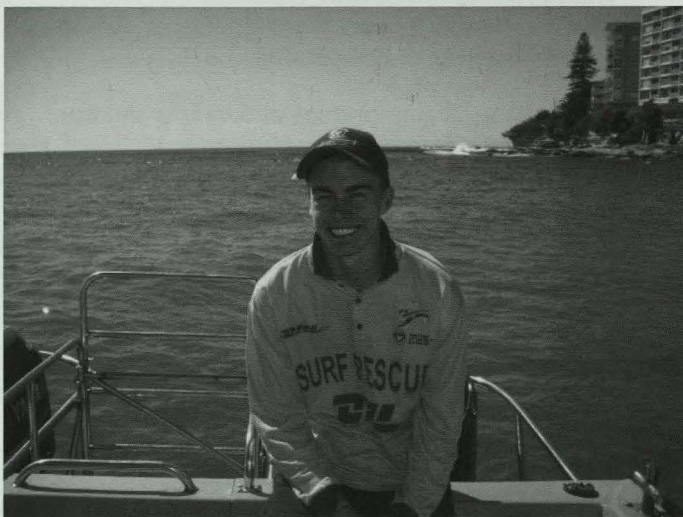
## Country city exchange program.

This season saw the start of the country/city exchange program where members including youth participated in an exchange program where members from City Clubs experienced patrols in country clubs. The program was a great success and I hope to see its continuation for next season. The youth that participated felt it was a useful and enjoyable experience.

In conclusion, I would like to thank SLSS Executive and staff (Yvette and Linda) SLSNSW, SLSA for their continued help and support throughout the season. Club Presidents, delegates and youth representatives, for assistance in providing members to participate in the various youth activities. With this strong base I look forward to the challenges and new initiatives proposed for the 2009-2010 season

**George Fatseas**

**Director of Youth Development**





## BONDI SURF BATHERS LSC

It is with pride and pleasure that I am again able to report that 'no lives were lost whilst our patrols were on duty'. Thus, in this our 102<sup>nd</sup> year, the Bondi Surf Bathers' Life Saving Club has again achieved its principal objective in the provision of a safe surfing Environment for those who choose to bathe at world famous Bondi Beach. Our rescue and service delivery statistics for the 2008-09 Season again display our responsibilities in patrolling what is arguably Australia's busiest beach.



Congratulations also to our fine Instructional Team with our overall awards summary for the season seeing our Club placed second in Sydney Branch with a total of over 350 awards. Whilst our bronze medallion total of 76 was down slightly on last season, it is the overall statistics across the wide range of surf life saving educational components which are most gratifying. This simply means that our members are trained very much into the 'complete package' as competent surf life savers.

It was also pleasing this season to see a record 25 graduates from the 'Nipper' ranks achieve their Surf Rescue Certificates. It is now very much the job of the Club as a whole to embrace these new cadets and have them develop and remain as active surf life savers at Bondi.

As with other surf life saving clubs, retention of our newer members, young and not so young, remains a real challenge. Our bronze medallion attainments are most pleasing, and notwithstanding this season's good Nipper graduation, the reality is that we have generally fewer cadet and juniors than like clubs. More work is required in that regard. Congratulations to all those members who wore the famous navy blue and white quartered cap as competitors for Bondi during the past season.

Our Open Women's R&R Team won gold at the Australian Championships in Western Australia for a record fourth consecutive year. Congratulations also to our Under 15 R&R Team Girls who took out the silver medal in their first year of competition.

At the State Championships at Swansea Belmont, gold medal winners were the Open Women's R&R Team (again, four consecutive years), Under 17 Beach Flags (Matt Horton, who made the NSW Surf Sports Team), and the '140 years plus' surf boat crew (Chris Pike sweep). Greg Byrnes was also a winner in the 35-39 years surf ski at the NSW Endurance Championships. Long Service Member Ted Healy was awarded a trophy as the oldest rower at this season's Australian Championships. Ted, who is 71, is a member of our '240 years plus' boat crew, and had won gold at both the Australian and New South Wales Championships in 1956 as a member of our Junior Boat Crew.

One Club section increasing its competition commitment is the IRB Group which has been moulded into a competent lifesaving support facility. Whilst they are an essential part of our patrolling obligations, this team has been hard at training in preparation for their competition season which takes place across the winter months.

The changing face of the management of a large modern day surf life saving club, and the demanding reporting commitments and information exchange with SLSA and subsidiaries, has placed an increasing workload on our office-bearers, who have responded well. The world financial problems have seen a substantial downturn in sponsorship income availability but we are hoping for brighter days ahead in that regard.

There has been ongoing interaction and meetings with fellow Presidents from North Bondi, Tamarama and Bronte clubs. Our commitments have included Surf Life Saving Sydney Branch Council, Waverley Council Community Safety Advisory Committee, and Waverley Council - Surf Life Saving Clubs liaison meetings which have complemented our good working relationship with Waverley Council Lifeguards.

Bondi's 'centenary clubhouse renovations' were completed during the season and we now have an excellent facility for our members. We extend our appreciation to the Mayor of Waverley Sally Betts, her fellow Councillors, and to the various Council Officers for their support and assistance over the past year.

### 2009 Whereis® Australian Surf Life Saving Championships



Open Women's R & R Team



Our thanks also to the staff and office bearers of Surf Life Saving Sydney for their support and guidance. We add our congratulations to all SLSS Club Presidents, and their respective memberships, on a successful season and wish all clubs the best of luck for the 2009 -10.

**Rod Harvey, APM**  
**Club President**



## **BONDI JAC**

It has been another very successful season for Bondi Juniors. We have measured that success by the smiles on the faces of the Nippers who have participated every weekend. We also measured the success of the year through the willingness of the senior Nippers to go to the next step, through SRC, to become potential lifesavers. Bondi is very proud of this year's group.

At the beginning of the year the parents agreed that Bondi Nippers should be about being future responsible citizens and safe surf swimmers, but most of all we were going to have fun. From the smiles on the faces of our children, their willingness to swim and participate, we believe we have succeeded with this most important of our roles.

We had Nippers compete in competitions here at Bondi Beach for the club championships and in a number of other events. At the very friendly and very cool Bondi/Tamarama Challenge we showed some wonderful skills and real dedication, for example our Red Caps took to the water in their first surf swim race. Bondi Juniors showed off their blue and white caps at the carnivals around Sydney, including the Waverly Shield and the Sydney Branch Carnival at Cronulla and then again at the State and National titles.

We are very pleased to say that our committee of dedicated parents, friends and JAC life members has once again worked some extraordinary hours and done more than was asked at every stage. To all of them thank you.

Our committee has been guided and mentored by our life members, particularly Tim and Mel Smith. We are very grateful for their contribution to the Juniors. We provide Bondi's special thanks to, The Club's Patron, Les Hawkins who has provided swim Coaching. Christie Baldock provided extra beach sprint race coaching. Doug Kirk had an enormous following of potential board champions who started the morning earlier than most nippers. Mike and Tim and others who early every morning got there early enough to make sure that the whole event of creating a great Sunday. The Water safety and IRB safety team, dressed in the blue Lycra, always looked fabulous.

During the year we asked every adult to consider doing his or her Bronze Medallion. We should all be very proud of the number of Mums and Dads who rose to the challenge and committed not only to the JAC but also to lifesaving. Well done to all those who made this sacrifice.

Bondi Juniors wish the SRCs a wonderful and fulfilling future. It is our hope that these SRCs will all stay within the Lifesaving community and if possible remain connected to BSBLSC.

**Ian Cumming**  
**Nipper Chairman**



## **BRONTE SLSC**

Bronte Surf Lifesaving Club is proud to report that in the 2008/09 Season no lives were lost whilst patrols were on duty at Bronte Beach.

Volunteer surf lifesavers have been patrolling Bronte beach for 106 years, which is an amazing commitment and history. Our core business is "between the flags" to ensure the beach public are safe at Bronte Beach. We undertook this activity professionally to the highest standards expected of surf lifesavers across Australia. We congratulate our Manager of Lifesaving David Fleeting, our outstanding lifesavers, patrol captains, IRB teams, Education Team and Board of Management.



Beyond the flags we continued with our environmental sustainability program under the banner of Envirosurf, a registered entity, driven by a group of passionate dedicated members. We now have in our sights the achievement of being "Carbon Neutral" which is Bronte's commitment to climate change. SLSA has recognised Bronte's efforts by naming it a Beacon Club to acknowledge its achievements in environmental practices.

Our Bondi to Bronte Ocean Swim saw record numbers (1846) participate. We were blessed with the weather and surf conditions. It was especially pleasing to see so many members across all membership categories getting involve and helping with beach set up, water safety, BBQ, cutting fruit, water supplies, administration, marshalling etc.

Our major sponsor Banana Boat underwrites the financial success of the Bondi to Bronte and the Bronte Surf Club. The generous sponsorship by Banana Boat and its ongoing support plays a key role in funding the Club's surf lifesaving activities. In these times of difficult economic conditions our financial resilience is sustained by having sponsors who will continue to support the Club and Banana Boat have been solid in their ongoing commitment to Bronte. We thank Aaron Collins and his team at Banana Boat for their oh going support.

The Club continues to thrive under the continued professional management and administrative services headed by our Chief Operating Officer Ross Miles and Manager of Finance Roley Tyrrell.

A special mention goes to Craig Bartlett and his team for the outstanding success of the Junior Activities in the 2008/09 season. We again had large numbers of nippers participating with some 580 registered and a very busy program. Highlights of their season include winning the Waverley Shield and achieving 8<sup>th</sup> overall place at the Nippers State Championships. Congratulations to Craig and his dedicated team of Age Managers and Parent members who assisted on the beach and in water safety.

Congratulations also goes to our new Education manager Pat Keating and his team who achieved excellent results and the new Bronze Medallion and higher awards will certainly assist us to meet our ongoing patrol commitments at Bronte. We will need to apply additional resources to help Pat and his team to overcome the burden of paperwork and requirements of SLSA in overlaying the new VET qualifications on the volunteer organisation. There is a real challenge to overcome the disconnection between the professional SLSA Academy and the volunteer organisation. SLSA are very aware of the situation and are committed to overcome the difficulty. We should never lose the focus of our great volunteer organisation, which is to ensure beach safety for the public "Between the Flags".

We thank all the members of the Management Team and our dedicated Club members who have contributed in a positive way to make the 2008/09 season an outstanding success.

**Graham Ford**  
**President**

## **BRONTE NIPPERS**

At Bronte, one of the metrics on judging the season we have had is the number of times we could get into the water. Based on this metric it was a fantastic season.

For the 2<sup>nd</sup> year running we had our registration days over a number of Saturdays. This enabled parents to register their children and complete the ever important pool swim proficiency. The final number of registered Nippers was up slightly on last season with 545 fairly evenly spread between boys and girls. We also had a great number of parents lining up to help each Sunday.

Bronte hosted the Waverley Shield this year. Congratulations to everyone who participated. It was great to see Tamarama attend with a large turnout of nippers and parents. This year saw Bronte reclaim the Shield. It was a great day, enjoyed by all and we had some fantastic results. Special



thanks to Col McDermid for his co-ordination and the smooth running of another Waverley Shield. A big thank you to all the helpers on the day from all four clubs.

The kids enjoyed a visit from Santa in December who arrived in the rubber duck to a huge crowd. The free ice creams were also appreciated. Thanks to the Social Committee for organizing the carols night. After a well earned Christmas break nippers resumed mid January. We again had an exchange day with Coogee Nippers with the U8-U10s coming to Bronte and the U11-U14s going to Coogee. The feedback from both clubs was good but the bluebottles at both beaches did not make for an action packed day in the water.

Due to the forecast of inclement weather, we had only a small number of kids attending the Branch Carnival at the revised location of Cronulla. We again achieved a 4<sup>th</sup> place overall winning over 30 medals, a great result due to the conditions and reduced program.

The NSW State Championships in February were held at Swansea-Belmont again this year. Bronte was well represented by 125 kids. The competition was of a very high standard and once again our kids did us proud. There were some outstanding performances across the age groups. Our U9 beach relay team of Lania Atkins, Jessie Digby, Georgia Strain and Sophie Stuart-Jones won gold for Bronte. Sophie Stuart-Jones also moved like greased lightening to take the gold in the beach sprint. We also won 4 silver medals and 4 bronze medals. As a club we finished 8<sup>th</sup>, one of our best results for a long time.

Our Nipper Club Captains for the season were Georgia Peoples and Will Paterson. They represented Bronte well throughout the season. They also showed great leadership skills (along with the other U14's) in helping out with water safety and guidance for the younger age groups. Our new club captains for the 09/10 Season will be Alice Tricks and Wil Cotterill.

Will Patterson deserves a special mention. Will achieved the "grand slam" of Club Champions (every year from the U8 to U14). Will won 3 silver medals at State including a 2<sup>nd</sup> in the beach sprint, 2<sup>nd</sup> in the flags and then he anchored the all-age relay team to a best ever result silver early Sunday morning. Will was also selected to represent Sydney Branch and the NSW team. Will also won a silver medal at the U15s flags and 7th representing Bronte at the Aussie titles. A fantastic season for a true champion.

There were some huge efforts this season that cannot go un-thanked. This year again the very special group of Age Managers and Assistants; for without these people the weekly events could not happen. One of my highlights this season was the large number of "green shirts" that inhabited the beach on a Sunday morning. As I mentioned earlier, we were able to get the kids in the water most Sundays this season. Without Dave Fleeting and his water safety volunteers it would be impossible to get the kids in the water safely each week. We also had a major push for officials this season. Thank you to all those trainees and officials that represented Bronte at carnivals.

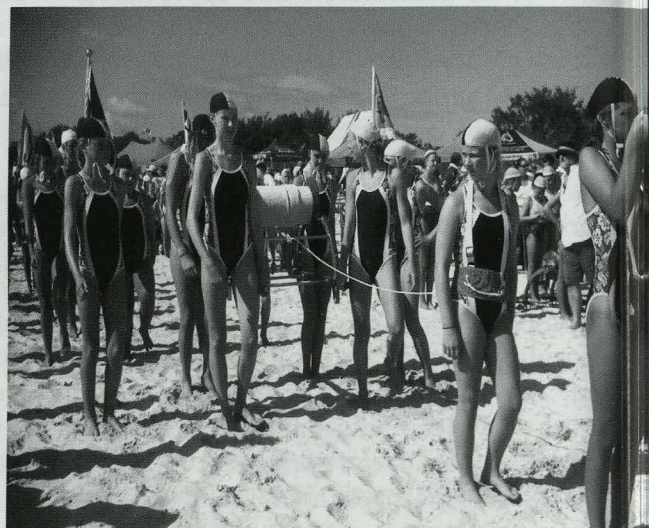
Thanks to Geri Ford for managing the office admin and registration days. Martin Palfrey and Col McDermid again turned out to manage the introduction of over 110 U6 kids into Nippers. Our Bob Rodgers Parent Trophy was awarded to my wife Leanne Bartlett this year. Leanne was responsible for much of the communication and organisation of the administration stuff while I was attending to my day job. Leanne Strain outdid herself with organising the State uniform. You certainly could not miss our kids at state this year. The more things change the more things stay the same....Roley Tyrell, Paul and Tracey Ryan on the BBQ, Peta Radley in the uniform shop. Paul Szabo did a fantastic job in organising the repairs of over 40 fibreglass boards and personally repaired over 40 foam boards.



I continued this season to receive great support from Graham Ford and the Board of Management. As earlier mentioned we had a major push on getting our fleet of boards into top condition. This doesn't happen without major funding being available. This year we had some great new sponsors. Façade Innovations and Clovelly Community Bank/ Bendigo Bank both donated a tent. Woolworths and Bakers Delight both donating money to buy Nipper boards. On behalf of all parents and nippers I would like to offer our thanks to these sponsors for these much needed resources.

Two years ago the President asked me to take the role on to learn how the thing we call Nippers at Bronte operates. After two seasons of learning the ropes, I have architected a structure that hopefully will make the role of Youth Director sustainable for the club. This will be my final year as Youth Director. We have identified a successor for this extremely important role. My only wish for the next season of Nippers at Bronte is for it to be bigger, stronger and better than it was this year.

**Craig Bartlett**  
**Youth Manager**



## **BURNING PALMS SLSC**

This year at Burning Palms we had a very strong season and once again proud to say that no lives were lost while patrols were on duty. The committee remained much the same as the previous season, which once again produced great results both on and off the beach. I would like to congratulate all members of Burning Palms for the outstanding season that we had.



### **MEMBERSHIP**

Membership at the Palms remained steady compared with past seasons with 45 dedicated active members patrolling our beach and at times in unfavourable surf and weather conditions. It reassures the general public who walk through the Royal National Park that they can swim safely at such an isolated beach. We also had a bronze squad going through their paces and once achieving their qualification, were more than eager to don the red and yellow uniform and start patrolling. We have some new and different strategies in place to try and attract new members to our club next season, which we hope come to fruition, as gaining members is not an easy task.

### **LIFESAVING**

Last season we had a small intensive training weekend with our newest members along with a few of our older members gaining new awards. Thanks to Margaret Pearce and Gary Daly who were the facilitators over the weekend. A job well done in taking the time and effort for running and organising the weekend as well as the proficiencies that were carried out with other members. Thanks also to our chief training officer Kirra Hanrahan and IRB trainer Peter Pearce for their dedication throughout the summer. Our patrol strength and IRB crews are looking great for the forthcoming season, and of course, thank you to all our members who participated and achieved all these awards, we hope the same level of performance can be applied next season. Congratulations to Steven Strange who recently was awarded life membership to surf life saving Australia. Steve's contribution is second to none in all form of surf life saving and is a much deserved recipient of such a prestigious award. Congratulations once again.

### **COMPETITION**

Last summer we had the mighty colours of the brown and green flying high on the beach. The march past team were kicking goals up and down the coast, and this year at the nationals they produced a



gold, yes, a gold medal performance in winning the march past. Well done to Dave "fos" Falkiner and the team in winning the clubs first ever gold medal at an Australian titles. The party is still continuing as this is going to print and probably will for some time yet. Our under 19 boat crew also had a strong season competing in many carnivals, they were close on a number of occasions for placings but unfortunately luck didn't go their way, but as they say in the classics, that's boat rowing. Next year the crew goes up a division where they will do the club proud.

During the season we coordinated our nipper days with Garie and what a difference it made to our young charges competing against kids their own ages gaining more and more confidence as the season went on. Thanks again Garie, the kids really did enjoy it and it certainly made it a lot easier for the parents. Everyone is looking forward to next season. Era hosted the three way nipper carnival with some fantastic performances by all three clubs involved and I am sure that if some of these nippers continued on in surf lifesaving, there will be some real champions coming out of the Royal National Park district. We only had a small number of nipper competitors on the day but it sure was quality with every one of them winning a medal of some colour in their age division. Congratulations to all nippers who attended on the day and thank you to all the parents who brought the kids along, we wouldn't have nippers if it weren't for you.

### **SPONSORSHIP AND GRANTS**

With Burning Palms being such an isolated and unique club within the Sydney branch, attracting sponsorship can be difficult. But the ones we do have we are very grateful to have them on board. Thank you to the Mortdale Hotel, The St George Masonic Club who have both been our sponsors for quite a number of years. Bresnahans fine meat at Mortdale, the St George Sailing Club, Daltone House, The Thomas Group of hotels, and of course DHL for their continuing support on the beach. I would also like to give a special mention to the small band of members who run the raffles at Mortdale hotel every Thursday, your tireless work doesn't go unnoticed and the whole club appreciates the effort you put in week after week. Again we thank our sponsors who have helped make Burning Palms a very solid club financially and we hope they continue to support us in the years to come for without their backing Burning Palms will struggle to survive.

2008/09 has been my third year as president and I have found it to be a very rewarding year to represent Burning Palms. I would like to thank the committee for their support throughout the season, especially secretary Peter Pearce for his professional handling of surf club issues. Club Captain Mark Doyle, his first year in this position, has done a superb job coordinating all the activity on the beach. Finally, to all the members who help make Burning Palms so great, THE greatest surf club in Australia, thank you and good luck until next season. Can't wait.

**Wayne Vaughan**  
**President      Burning**  
**Palms S.L.S.C**





# CLOVELLY SLSC



The season for Clovelly has been "rewarding" in a word. My thanks firstly go to the Club Captain Alan Kane who has take over the reins this year to look after lifesaving and admits it was a huge learning curve; Alan managed the patrols with his Vice Captains quite well and will improve for the future. To the patrol captains and their teams well done. Their dedication and professionalism stands out in our community and to the visitors passing through each year. This is recognised by letters of thanks and donations received to the Club for assistance given to public, well done to all. Although there was an incident at Gordon's Bay that a life was lost, the Club will continue to review needs to establish outposts with modern equipment to assist and monitor the public.

Chief Instructor Tania Rouse in her first year has guided her team to an outstanding result of awards. On a personal note well done to those who have gained further Instructors award and to those seasoned instructors for stepping up and becoming assessors. The up skilling of our active members has reflected in the awards obtained to a higher level of life saving. Our new members – junior and senior educated by our instructional team have achieved skills that are of the highest level reflected by assessors feedback. Our juniors achieving their cert II bronze medallion are displaying signs of a strong future for the Club.

Congratulations to all our competitors for the outstanding job representing the Club. The beach, craft, water and boats were at most carnivals and there weren't too many times that they didn't return to the Club without a podium finish to display. Great results were achieved at State and Australians this season and World titles last year with medals in Open and Masters and these members are listed in this annual report, well done. The Club events were strongly represented on Sunday mornings that displayed strength, skill and competitiveness from our juniors to seniors. John McNamee and his team coordinated and guided competitors through a vast array of events to challenge all their skills. It's great to see that the Nippers and their parents get involved with the activities that the senior Club offers, these activities display the fun and enjoyment by competitors showing the general public that it's a place to join and be part off.

The Nippers under the guidance of Michael O'Connor again have achieved strong membership and financial growth. Senior Nippers achieved their SRC (Surf Rescue Certificate) and the transition to the senior club has been good but there is always room for improvement from both parties.

The Club is currently financially secure with funds raised to provide much need expansion to facilities. Stage 1 is the construction of underground storage for lifesaving, nipper and lifeguard equipment that is planned to commence upon council approval, stage 2 will be the development of new female change rooms to accommodate the increase of membership with stage 3 being the expansion of training facilities. This may change depending on Club needs over time. I also thank Life Member Ken Ryan for the above and beyond duty as Club treasurer over the many years. He has ruled the purse and pulled the strings tight when needed to. The challenges he has placed before the committees have been interesting to say the least and the experience will be missed.

The social side of the Club is an important part of our culture. The events held at the Club for members and public are renowned throughout the community. The charity event for Women's Breast Cancer "The Pink Ribbon Day" (all proceeds are donated to this cause), Surf Club fundraiser "The Sports Lunch" and the inaugural "Tamarama – Clovelly Ocean Race" to help with club equipment and education are strongly supported. The interclub events such as the "David Murray Shield" and the "Tom Caddy Cup" again prove to be popular and a spectacular site for the area. Jenny Eliades (Top Cat Catering) does a wonderful job providing refreshments on Sunday afternoon both summer and winter. A special thanks goes to Louise Curry and her team of BBQ cooks and food prep helpers who cater for our events. They all work tirelessly for the Club and a few refreshments keep them interested in helping. It is draining work and they all need to be acknowledged.

To Club supporters and sponsors, on behalf of the Club I would like to say thank you to all. The economic crisis that has hit the world forces companies to review their commitments to charities. Clovelly Surf Club continues to work with local business to help promote their





products whilst receiving donated monies and product to raffle raising much needed funds. These funds ensure resources are at the expected high level to educate, train, prevent injury and assist the community at large. The Club supports other smaller Clubs such as the Clovelly Eagles rugby, Clovelly Crocodiles rugby league, Clovelly Swimming Club and Clovelly Winter Swimming Club with the use of Club facilities where it can.

To conclude this report, I need to thank all the people who take on roles within the Club (too numerous to name all) from the committees of the Executive, Management, Education, Competition, training class, to the wives, girlfriends and kids that help in some way with time and effort to make Clovelly Surf Life Saving Club the best Club in Sydney, thank you all and hope to see you all next season!

**Glen Clarke**  
**President**

## CLOVELLY NIPPERS

The Clovelly Nippers Season has been a very successful & enjoyable one. We have had record numbers of just over 360 nippers registering which is more than double the number 3 years ago. The season was made successful for a number of reasons. This year we purchased additional mals for the Under 14's & additional hot grommet boards for our youngest competitors. Our shed is now at capacity & all our nippers have good access to boards on our nipper days. The senior Club assisted with the lifesaving awards, which was greatly appreciated & has been very supportive which is greatly appreciated. I would like to particularly thank Tanya Rouse & Derek Wong for their efforts with our SRC group who all passed & one of the examiners commenting to me how well they had been prepared. The 19 who completed the award is a record for my time at the Club. These boys & girls will be a real asset to the Club in the future.

Nippers cannot run without financial support & we would like to thank Tony Laing & his staff from Raine & Horne Clovelly/Coogee for their ongoing support enabling us to provide long sleeved shirts to our nippers in these troubled times their loyal support is greatly appreciated. Australian Gourmet Meats have continued supporting us this year providing the meat for the Bar B Q's & we thank John Cotter & Rod Byrne for their support. Thanks also to the Bendigo Bank & particularly Andrew Winters for their new sponsorship this year which will result in better equipment in years to come.

The season has run very well & it was great to see the improvement in all of the nippers. The age managers have done a tremendous job getting the best out of the children while having fun at the same time.

The focus on nippers should be to train children to be lifesavers & in this regard we have had our most successful season ever with over 200 children from Under 8 – 14 receiving life saving awards. There would be very few Clubs who would have achieved this & represents over 90% of children in these ages being successful. We had our closest finish in the Robo relay in the Randwick Shield & competed very well. We had a great day with Tamarama in the Australia day challenge & had the beach full every Sunday no matter what the weather.

There are a number of people we would like to thank. Firstly Ozzie & Susie for their great support & tireless work on the Bar B Q's raising money for the nippers. Every Sunday they set up & run the Bar B Q missing seeing Jarrod compete.

Craig Wheatley has done a great job throughout the year firstly as treasurer & secondly for helping with everything else. Craig is always on shop duty or canteen duty & is one of our two officials





which allows some of our nippers to attend carnivals. Susie Wheatley has also done a great job with the shop, Bar B Q & expert secretarial help.

Wendy Pepper has ensured we are up to date with compliance. As a Club we are respected by the Branch for our up to date paperwork. It has taken a long time & it will be easier from now on.

To our other committee members Gerry McGillion, Karon Lekeu & Suzanne Young who have been age managers as well as being involved in the running of nippers their efforts are greatly appreciated. Thanks to Anthony Whitaker who runs the ironman days very efficiently. We had our greatest numbers ever this year which was hectic but terrific. Anthony is retiring this year for a year or two & I thank him for his support.

All our age managers have done a great job & we would like to thank them for their efforts. Alan Kane has organized the water safety with the most people we have ever had helping. Thanks to Giles of Clovelly who have donated a ongoing award to the boy & girl from the Under 14s who have contributed most to the Club & are likely to continue in the senior Club.

The season has been a great success with improvement in all the nippers. There was an obvious improvement in confidence which goes well for the future of nippers & the Senior Club. We hope everyone has enjoyed the season & look forward to another successful season next year.

This has been my last year in nippers & I wish the nippers continued enjoyment & encourage everyone to be more community spirited as that is what nippers is all about. I would like to encourage our Under 14s to be involved with the senior Club next year particularly attending patrols & also competing in carnivals when possible. I would ask everyone to support the new committee & help out when possible.

## COOGEE SLSC

Coogee SLSC has another huge season in all areas of the club. We can proudly report again "no lives lost".



Our membership continues to grow and we are excited that the junior area of the club is building steadily to ensure a bright future both in competition and lifesaving. Our challenge has always been retention and the club is continually focusing on this area. Once again we were busy with the usual beach events throughout the season. Besides our own successful carnival we also hosted The Express Glass Island swim which continues to grow and is now a must for the ocean swimming enthusiasts.

Coogee also hosted the Nutri Grain Iron Man Final with great revues. The natural shape of the beach and sometimes tricky conditions make it a great place for this event.

### Lifesaving / Education Report

We have extremely healthy numbers patrolling the beach (statistics below) and as mentioned before a strong junior presence.

Once again Coogee has spread its wings and is patrolling Wylies Baths and also Garie Beach in the National Park. These initiatives are due to our group of leaders in the lifesaving area that continue to follow their vision and never lose their enthusiasm or momentum.

Education has been an area of great growth this season with our total number of awards increasing by 23%. Our Surf Ed awards have more than doubled. We continued to run our Lightning Bronze course and introduced a Surf Awareness for Migrants course. The above results and initiatives are due to our dedicated instructing team who work tirelessly to achieve outstanding outcomes. Congratulations. Statistics: Rescues = 14, First Aid = 651, Preventative actions = 835



## **Competition**

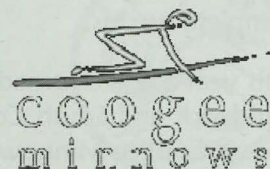
With regards to competition, our beach team dominated the state championships, and with more big carnival experience are sure to repeat this effort over the next season at the Australian Titles. Our boat crews continue to be consistent, representing in all divisions with the best result coming from Australia's only 'all' female Under 23 girl's boat crew gaining 5th at the NSW Championships. Our R&R area returned to the dais at the major carnivals and given their young age will continue to be a force into the future. We began the process of rebuilding from the bottom up. A very young team of competitors wore the two blue cap this season and for most it was their first season of competition. They walked away with medals and most importantly an eagerness to improve. Australian Silver medal to the women's R&R. Congratulations

Good luck to all the other clubs in the branch, Coogee wishes you the very best.

## **Simon Figures** **President**

### **COOGEE MINNOWS**

It was a massive start to the season with over 700 kids registering in October, which meant that we had to close our new registrations within the first two weeks of our arrival on the beach, as what an arrival it was. October 12<sup>th</sup> heralded the Minnows army onto Coogee Beach with almost every registered Nipper turning up for day one.



However it wasn't just the kids that turned up in force, parents too were very keen to get involved with The Surf Club. Over 170 parents completed the 3 hour Age Assistants course so they could get involved with the week to week activities on Coogee. A fantastic effort and the best response to such an initiative in Australia.

From the very first day we all stepped up to the challenge of accommodating everyone on the beach. The under 14's got stuck into their SRC training, while the other senior groups went straight into the water to compete in their first iron man of the season. The juniors met with their own challenges of stepping up to longer swims and even longer board paddles, which they took on under the very capable control of their dedicate age managers Cameron (8's), Geoff (9's), Ben (10's), Craig M (11's), Craig S (12's) and Poido (13's).

As always the sheer size of the under 6's and 7's posed our biggest challenge, to which Karen in the 7's took the reins with passion, and by week three, a more than capable Nick was thrust into the under 6's.

None of these daily challenges on the beach would be achievable without our water safety team. Over 80 Bronze Medallion qualified "green shirts" turned up to the beach on day one of the season, with many more parents keen to put on the lime green honour blazer. 26 more "Bronzies" became qualified before Christmas 2008 and another 38 put themselves through the challenge in April this year. This has meant that over 130 qualified Coogee lifesavers are now looking after our kids. Randwick Shield saw our kids compete against our neighbouring clubs in one of the coldest days of the summer, and as always every Coogee Minnow did their very best.

At Branch we sent a strong contingent of 96 Coogee Minnows who were led by the Junior Captains Cassie Sakley and Anthony Vasilis. The carnival was relocated due to the storm conditions, but without hesitation all the kids proudly represented the two blues of Coogee SLSC. Congratulation to Ben Thornton, Tom Duffy, Jessica Thornton, and Sam Kofod who came away with individual medals, whilst a couple of our teams also received medals and many of our competitors making the finals and finishing only just outside the medals.

A special thanks also goes out to the Coogee level 1 officials and water safety at Branch. The extra three officials that became qualified this year meant that we were able send more kids to the carnival, and the strong contingent of water safety meant that we were not only able to fulfil our own carnival obligations on the beach but we could also make up any shortfalls.



Further success at junior competition has also come from the strong team of 12 Minnows represented Coogee SLSC at the State Championships. Ben and Jessica Thornton had podium finishes and most of the others in the team made the finals. Coogee also won silver at the Australian Championships in the under 17's R&R. Congratulations to all our junior competitors.

Without doubt one of the stand out successes of the season was the All Stars Surf Camp. Well participated with over 100 enthusiastic kids, its success was due to the overwhelming support of the more experienced members of The Coogee Surf Club. Two days on the beach in perfect conditions, the kids were taught to hone their skills in a range of surf disciplines and were then provided with the opportunity to specialise and fine tune these skills even more in their favourite event. A sincere thanks goes out to The Clubs former champions like Warwick E, Dave H and Warren W for their dedication to the kids at the camp as well as our own gear team, apparel and food teams, other senior representatives and trainers of Coogee SLSC and everyone else that made those two days a complete success.

This year we welcomed the return of our loyal sponsors, in particular Craig Sewell from Ray White Randwick and South Coogee. Without their commitment, Minnows would not be as strong as it is today. Coogee Minnows looks forward to a continued relationship with Craig and all our sponsors. As you all know, this was my first year as Minnows Captain and there was some strong pedigree to follow the footsteps of. The challenges were big and the learning curve was even steeper than expected, but I credit the success of the 2008-09 Minnows season to the strong foundations that is the Minnows Management team. Everyone from gear and apparel teams to education and competition have meant that the big picture was under control, whilst the weekly management of over 700 kids was run like clockwork by the age managers.

I sincerely thank every person that has contributed to the running of Coogee Minnows and who have made it possible for my first year as Captain to run relatively smoothly.

I look forward to working with everyone in coming seasons, to the future growth of the club and to the new challenges that will present themselves over the next couple of years. This year was honestly a privilege. Thank you

**Tass Karozis**  
**Minnows Captain**



## **CRONULLA SLSC INC**

Another successful and rewarding year, our 102<sup>nd</sup>, has finished for Cronulla that unfortunately saw the passing of our beloved Patron and esteemed Life Member, Bill Marshall OAM. Bill's contribution to surf life saving throughout Australia was outstanding and he will never be forgotten.

Notwithstanding this sad loss, the Club congratulates our nippers, the Cronulla Crays, on their 12<sup>th</sup> successive NSW State Title win at Swansea-Belmont in February. This outstanding effort, unprecedented in surf life saving history, is due to the hard work of the Crays administration, age managers and the many hundreds of parents and family that support the nippers week in and week out.

In life saving and competition Cronulla has maintained its high standards throughout the season. Congratulations must go to our gear stewards for the excellent maintenance of all equipment and the manner in which it is presented for inspection.

Cronulla has now completed its commercial activities program with the opening of the Zimzala Kiosk at the southern end of the beach. Zimzala, sub-leased by the Club, now joins the Melon Blue Juice Bar, the Sports Complex and indoor pool and the hiring of the Club's Purcell Room placing the Club in an ongoing and sustainable financial position. The Club continues on a sound financial basis and these commercial activities will enable the Club to purchase valuable life saving equipment and



to mount a proactive coaching and competition program to ensure that all Members can maintain their fitness and competitiveness.

Our generous sponsors continue to support our commercial efforts and without our benefactors the true community spirit of surf life saving would be lost. I thank our brother and sister Bate Bay Clubs and members from North Cronulla, Elouera and Wanda for their assistance, camaraderie and advice on administrative and welfare matters. Whilst all four Bate Bay Clubs work cooperatively together we are the fiercest of competitors and congratulate all members on their carnival results at local, Branch, State, National and world levels.

On behalf of all Cronulla Members I congratulate all Sydney Branch clubs and their members on another successful year and thank the Branch office and all elected office holders for their ongoing hard work of vigilance and service.

**Gregory G Holland**  
**President**



## **C**RONULLA CRAY'S

The Cronulla Crays had another great season, and capped it off by winning the NSW Age Championship Point Score for a record twelve consecutive years. This, I believe, puts the Cronulla Crays as the most successful club in the history of Australian sport, although we all know nippers is much more than just a sport. Because of this success the Crays were awarded the Leader Sports Star Team of the Month. We are all hopeful that this will culminate in the Crays winning the Sports Star of the Year.

The Crays success can be attributed to the structure we have developed over the years. We have provided good coaching, training and mentoring from our dedicated parents and helpers and all this is managed by a strong Crays Committee. We encourage all children and parents to be involved and to gain their appropriate SLS awards.

We can attribute our success to several areas and one of these in which we are very fortunate is our sponsors and supporters. I would like to recognise our generous sponsors - IMB Banking & Financial Services, Channel 7, Snap Printing Caringbah, Sean Egan Real Estate, Bonds, Watkins Tapsell Solicitors, KPR Partners Chartered Accountants, Cronulla Furniture, The Shire McDonalds, Westfield Miranda, Clisdells Strata Management, Toyota, The Grind, Cronulla Lions Club, Estee Lauder, Mobimech Mechanics and Auto Electricians, Mayhem Corporation, Ant Design and Sydney Airport for their continued support.

After five years as Chairman and twenty seven years involved in nippers I will be standing down as Chairman at our next AGM. I have enjoyed my involvement in nippers and hopefully I have helped to make a difference in a positive way. I will still continue to have a continued interest and involvement with the Crays by officiating at carnivals and helping out where I can.

**Ian Goode**  
**Cronulla Crays Chairman**





# ELOUERA SLSC



It is very pleasing to report No Lives Lost whilst patrolling Elouera beach this season. A great effort by the members of Elouera. Efforts of our patrolling and water safety members have been outstanding in protecting the swimming community who used Elouera Beach this season.

This season (like in the past), a lot of voluntary hours have been logged by the Elouera membership in all aspects of club life. Also our Junior committee have worked extremely hard this year with regards to fundraising and youth development programs (please see Elouera Juniors Report).

With a newly renovated club house and membership on the rise the future looks bright for Elouera. Also the family club ethos which has been developing is starting to pay dividends in regards to improved membership retention rates.

## Season walk through

Swimmers: Over 10000

People on the Beach: Close to 26000

Membership Hours: over 10000 hours

Preventative Actions: Over 400 (education)

*(Figures provided by surfguard for season 08/09)*

Craft: Over 4000

Total: approx 40000

Rescues: Over 70 (Provide patrol equipment)

First Aid: 113 (education)

Education awards achieved for the Club this season has again been outstanding with over 700 awards being gained by the membership across all age groups. Another great achievement by our educators. Trainers also conducted surf education for the Korean Community which was received very well.

## Surf Sports

In July 08 Elouera SLSC sent a youthful team of competitors to Germany for the World Inter Club Championships. With the average age of this team being 19 they achieved the result of second in the world. A tremendous effort by all competitors, coaching and administration staff.

Elouera SLSC attended all Sydney Branch, SLSNSW and SLSA carnivals in strength and again had another great competition season. This culminated with the Australian Surf Championships where Team Elouera (another youthful team) finished in the top 20 Surf Clubs. A great result. Elouera SLSC is starting to see the results of its youth surf programs established in previous seasons. Well done to all Section heads, trainers and parents for your time nurturing our young champions.

## Community Involvement and Event Management

This year the membership involved itself in many and wide ranging community events

### Tradies Surf Awareness Clinic

- 27<sup>th</sup> year of Surf awareness at Elouera Beach.
- Over 280 kids attended over 100 volunteers helped out

I feel this award winning program goes to the heart of surf education, community and youth involvement and club spirit. This year's surf awareness program extended to the country, with a group of West Wylong kids visiting for the week. Some of the kids had not seen surf before but from all feedback received they had a great time and learned some valuable life skills.

### Linfox Junior Development Orientation Club Day

- A fantastic day at the Club for all concerned
- Fantastic to see the progression of so many juniors stepping up to the Senior Club

### St. George & Sutherland Leader Sport star Awards

- Elouera SLSC voted the Best Sporting Association award (in the St.George & Sutherland areas)
- Back to back years

### The Conducting of Super Surf Camps



- Event coordination conducted at Elouera Beach to educate our younger competitors making the step to the senior ranks of competition

Winning the inaugural Cook Classic (Bill Singleton) Cup

At Bate Bay District level it was decided to run an event showcasing Bate Bay Life Saving. In conjunction with Federal Member Scott Morrison this event also was a fundraising exercise for the surf clubs and some nominated charities within the shire. The day held at Nth Cronulla Park and beach proved to be a big success with Elouera SLSC just scraping home to take the honors.

Bate Bay Kadoka Trail Walk

Also actively fundraised through the Bate Bay District, Elouera SLSC nominated Club Member Ben Thompson to walk the Kadoka Trail (earlier this year) with other nominated members from the Bate Bay Clubs and a Lebanese youth group. Organised through Federal Member Scott Morrison's office, this walk continued the great work conducted in regards to the "On the same wave" Program.

Sydney Branch Surf Carnival

This year Elouera Beach was the venue of the Sydney Branch Surf Championship. Unfortunately due to tricky sea conditions and a lack of water safety the decision was made to cancel the event. After an outstanding effort by the Elouera workforce to move equipment to Cronulla Beach, the Junior Branch Championships were held on Sunday with great success. I wish to thank the SLS Sydney Executive for pre and post advice/feedback in relation to this event. Also congratulations to Life Member Mike Batty for receiving the Branch Presidents Medal for this season.

The accomplishments of this membership would be heavily diminished if it was not for our sponsors and supporters who donate money and time each year.

Thank you to Elouera SLSC's valued Sponsors & Supporters

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As this is my last year as Executive Director of Elouera SLSC, I wish to thank the Branch Executives current and past and Staff for your help and advice over this time.

**David Young**  
**President**

## **ELOUERA NIPPERS**

The season kicked off with registration up from last year to around 550 nippers. Continuing on from a great season the year before, we had some great highlights and special moments. With extra nippers and new families, the nipper program was delivered to a high standard - only because of the huge amount of help and support we had from many groups and persons.

The Junior Nipper committee was outstanding. Delivering an 'inclusive' nipper program was the goal from the start. Elouera is a family club and we wanted to ensure this theme was continued. The amount of work the committee put in to create a solid structure for every kid was to say the least exceptional. Paperwork can be an onerous task. From the start of the season the committee was



busy with registrations, entering all nippers into surf guard, then came 4 way, branch and State carnival entry and organisation. I cannot thank the committee enough for the wonderful support and devotion to ensuring best practises are maintained. I can't mention everyone on the Junior C/tee but I feel it necessary to thank the Junior Exec of Jodee Calo, Danielle Farrugia and Karen Bryce for their colossal effort during the season. The amount of hours they put into nippers was amazing – of which everyone on nippers is aware of. Julie Walmsley you are a treasure. Thank you for the massive input you had in keeping the age managers honest re results, amongst other things. Thank you!

The age managers we have at Elouera are second to none. As the first point of contact for each nipper the age manager play a vital role in the nipper club. They influence and guide our precious nippers, sometimes through difficult moments. I am proud of them and thank them for the huge amount of time they have put in throughout the season.

The trainers we have in the nipper club are excellent. The concept of providing ample opportunities for nippers of all standards is important for our club. The trainers did not let the kids down by providing Tuesday and Thursday board training, and Friday and Sunday morning flag and sprint training. This season, the water and beach training sessions were complemented by a dedicated bunch of trainers who put on a Saturday 'Cross Training' afternoon during the week in the water and beach. Every nipper in the club had access to a high level of instruction.

You can have carnivals if you don't have officials. Headed by the Official co-ordinator, Brett Walker Elouera often exceeded the quota of officials required for carnivals. Again many of the officials do not have kids in nippers or they do have kids in nippers but forgo seeing their own child compete in events in the interests of club and running the carnival. Unbelievable! Thank you for your valuable club contribution. We had some great results in the 4 way, Branch and State. You can see the familiar blue caps in many finals in the water and on the beach. At state we improved our position from last year from 17<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> – a huge result from Elouera Nippers. Thank you very much for the great work by team management, logistics (trailers/boards) and age managers put in to make the carnivals a success.

The Branch carnival was an interesting one. Elouera hosted the event, but at Cronulla beach due to big seas. Logistically it was shaping up to be a nightmare – but the Elouera JAC committee, with great help from the Senior Club and Dave Young - pulled it off. We set up the carnival in an unfamiliar territory, relocated the BBQ and cooked all day. The Age group roster system on the BBQ worked a treat and without a hitch. Comments from Sydney branch were very favourable. Big thanks to our friends at Cronulla SLSC for making us feel at home in their club and always providing a helping hand throughout the day. Also for North Cronulla SC, who bent over backwards to help us as they ran the U8s at North. I was very proud of the way Elouera nippers, as a club, pulled together and got the job done.

This season we tried a few different things. The Elouera Nipper website was set up to provide information to parents and nippers. The Age managers fully support the site by uploading weekly age group reports onto the site – where visitors could easily see the reports. Sponsors, news and carnival information was regularly updated. All in all - the idea that information on nipper activities could be found easily, has meant the site was a great success, and will be so, into the future.

Without a doubt the most popular Sunday of the year was the inaugural 'Elouera Carnival'. We only had team events, mixed up the skill levels to have even nipper teams – and it was a hit! Kids that did not normally win a place or a ribbon got one. Big thanks for Peter Williams for creating the fantastic atmosphere on the microphone – and the committee and age managers who supported the concept. Awesome guys – I can say this was one of the best moments I have ever had in nippers. The massive encouragement from parents, seeing their kids on the podium for the first time was sensational.

We had a renewed push for more pure surf lifesaving activities. Every kid from U9s up spent some time being taught how to use rescue tubes and communications signals. The kids had a blast and



loved wrapping the tube around their mates. As well, every, or most kids from Under 11s to U13s received a CPR certificate. A few lessons throughout the season, and an assessment at the end of the season, meant 109 kids have now got an accredited SL5 certificate. Huge thanks Scott Rofe, Wanda, for his support of the initiative as with David Kowald for his help in processing the awards and assessing the kids. The same goes for Peter Carney who lent his invaluable experience in instruction and assessing the nippers. Combined with the Surf Ed certificates – our nippers are more than nippers, they are part lifesavers! On top of this we put through 36 x U/14s in SRC. Big thanks to our neighbouring clubs for helping out with assessment duties.

It was very pleasing to see R & R and March past go from strength to strength. Julie Walmsley was the driving force behind Elouera Nippers having more 2 and 5 person competitors than ever. The results at State reflected the huge commitment put in by Julie. And yes the new reel was a smash! Thanks Linfox!! Hannah Warner lead and taught the march past nippers to great success. I have never seen marching so precise!! Special thanks, for Brian Thomson and Mike Batty for their ever valuable support in this area. Thanks to our friends at Wanda who lent us their R and R reel before we got our new one.

Nippers cannot function with the support of our sponsors. Graham Hill and the Tradie's were fabulous. Linfox, (Michael Byrne and Steve Warncken provided much needed funds for surf lifesaving equipment - manikins, rescue tubes, R & R reel and boards. Coles came on board this year – they were great and plastered signs of support for 'Elouera Nippers' around local supermarkets. Winnings contributed in a big way, thanks. ANZ, NAB, Jindabyne Accommodation, Manta Surfboards Gloria Jeans, Clisdell Strata Management and Demon surfboards – all provided important funds to the cause of nippers for much needed equipment.

The Surf awareness clinic held in early January was again a great success. Congratulations again must be extended to Ron Pear's and Robert Chapman. It is one of the best events anyone could ever be involved with. Large numbers of persons from the junior club were involved – and I was very proud of the manner in which they conducted themselves. A special group of kids from West Wyalong made the trek to the clinic. It was great to see them have so much fun

The senior club takes a huge interest in nippers. For this I thank the board of management for the support over the season. Dave Young played a hands-on role, and was often in the middle of helping our nipper activities, carnivals and attending JAC meetings. Thanks Dave. Everyone on the BOM were very helpful to me throughout the season. The one club policy to my mind is alive and well and I look forward to working with them next year.

Leadership qualities are very important and Elouera nippers had 4 outstanding Captains over the year. Rosie Smith and Luke Calo lead nippers with skill and were only too willing to assist when required. Vice/Captains Hayleigh Sinclair and Mitchell Hughes were great kids and provided good advice to their nipper friends. Well done to all – and don't forget you guys were once Elouera Nipper captains! A great achievement! Special mention must go to Rosie Smith who was the winner of the branch Junior Surf lifesaver of the year – announced at the Branch carnival in February. The prestigious award could not have gone to a better candidate. You have done Elouera Nippers and Elouera surf club very proud!!

In my first year as the Nipper president I had help extended to me from every angle. Thank you for the advice, support and encouragement to me and the JAC committee from everyone in the club, including the last junior president, Warren Smith. Lastly, but most importantly, thank you for the fantastic support given to me by my wife Tracey. She is the best and I could not have done it without her. With her own hectic training schedule – she still managed to be on the beach most Sundays helping nippers out in many areas and provided weekly support for the many meetings I had to attend.

**Steve Urquhart**  
**Nipper President**





## ERA SLSC

The 2008/2009 season has again been a success for Era SLSC. I would like to congratulate the management committee and the active members who have continued to provide voluntary lifesaving work in Royal National Park. I would like to thank all of the clubs sponsors especially the NRMA and DHL for their support.

The club has once again recorded a good financial result this year is due to the fundraising efforts of the Narelle, and Bomber. It is without doubt these monies are the lifeblood for Era SLSC. I am pleased to report once again the efforts of the active members are to be commended with 34 out of the 63 patrolling members achieved 100% patrol Attendance.

My role as President has once again seen me representing Era SLSC on both the NPWS Royal National Park Cabins Consultative committee (CCG) and the NPWS Regional Advisory Committee. Whilst there has been an agreement reached between the National Parks & Wildlife Service and the Coastal Cabins legal action group, no agreement has been reached with the Surf Clubs. The consultation and negotiation process is still ongoing and it now becoming frustrating in how slow the NPWS bureaucracy works. Although I still remain optimistic an agreement will be reached to ensure the 71 years of volunteer surf lifesaving activities at the three National Parks beaches continues into the future.

The Club was active in the Boat Competition arena this season with the young guys being supported by Stapo and Jerry helping the girls in their first year of rowing. Era had 5 competitors at the Sydney Branch Carnival this year. Monique Wood was a semi finalist in both 10 year flags and sprint at the NSW State championships.

The nipper section has continued with success under the new leadership and enthusiasm of the Todd and Sue Mison with all of the young members having a great time on the junior activity days. The annual nipper carnival was held at Era this year and was a great day for all who attended. This was Todd and Sues first season at the helm of the nippers and the 3 way carnival was a highlight so on behalf all of those who attended the nipper days or any of the social events over the season I would like to thank Sue and Todd for their great work and effort.

To the members of the club who received the club's perpetual awards well done you were all worthy winners, these awards are a great way of recognising the members who have been the high achievers for the past season.

In closing I would like to thank the entire management committee for making the meetings so enjoyable. Special mention to Kelly, Stapo, Jerry, Petrina, Adam, Todd, Womble, Brandy, Shane Narelle and Bomber for the amount of time and work they have all contributed. I would also like to remind other members of the club to consider putting their hands up and standing for a position on the committee for the next season.

**MarkWood**  
**President**

## GARIE SLSC

Garie SLSC has had another successful patrol year in maintaining our record of no loss of life on our beach during patrol hours since the formation of the club in 1938.

This past season we had great assistance in this task through the efforts of Sydney Branch SLSC clubs. Coogee SLSC and Maroubra SLSC were the source of weekend patrols several times and this gave relief from fortnightly and often, weekly patrols for our members. We would like to take this opportunity to thank our fellow Sydney Branch clubs for their support as we build our patrol



strength through recruitment and upward transitions from our junior ranks. From all accounts the enjoyment and satisfaction these volunteers made was a fair trade.

This is the second year for Garie SLSC in the new clubhouse and as we build our membership we are making great efforts to top up the bank balance to fund completion of the kitchen and function area and the internal fit-out. When this task is completed, our club will eagerly look forward to attracting many more members as we can then offer excellent facilities in a beach environment of great beauty.

This beautiful beach was matched by the presence of hopeful model beauties twice during the season as Jennifer Hawkins hosted the Channel 7's "Make Me a Super Model" series from our clubhouse and on the beach. More recently, the current show "Australia's Next Top Model" used Garie Beach for a photo shoot of the last three contestants in the competition. All this publicity is putting our club 'out there' in the public eye and can only benefit our recruitment drives.

Our club was also honoured by being asked to host the Sydney Branch Lifesaving Championships held at Garie in January. A very successful outcome was achieved as the un-crowded water and the excellent weather combined to make this event outstanding. One of our own members, Jessica Whicker, a former nipper, won the Gold Medal for the female Under 15's and this gave a great boost to our club's aspirations in the field of competition, an area that our club has unfortunately sadly neglected over the years.

With the increased membership among the Junior Activities however, we were able to field a team to compete in the State Championships at Swansea/Belmont and the nippers put in a good showing, even entering a "colour" team in the March Past and were very keen competitors in the National Parks Clubs' District Carnival held at Era Beach.

The interest and involvement among the parents of the nippers has sparked an increase in these members becoming active lifesavers. This was eagerly encouraged by our committee and was followed through by a very successful training camp for Bronze Medallion and SRC candidates. Again with the involvement of our visiting volunteers from the Sydney Branch clubs, several members showed an interest in resurrecting a rookie surfboat rowing team once again. Our club will begin training in earnest to be able to enter crews in the boat carnival scene or at least be able to field a team to enter our own 'Garie Dash' which is held annually in November at Bundeena. Our last 'Dash' was an outstanding success and has proved to be very popular among clubs coming from near and far to compete.

Morale at the club has increased tenfold now that our patrol members are not so burnt out and with renewed interest, are taking on a more active role in the training programs. This season we can be proud of an increased amount of awards undertaken and achieved. Another morale booster has been the involvement of many on our nipper committee and ladies committee arranging social events and small fund-raising BBQ's amongst the members. These social occasions are necessary in any club to build the camaraderie that is so important in maintaining an active membership.

The season of 2008-2009 has been successful in the building of club spirit and patrol strengths and the promise of a future in the competition arena.

In closing I would like to extend our club's gratitude to the Lifesaving Associations, Branch, State and National and their sponsors for the assistance given to Garie SLSC and wish you all every success in all your future endeavours.

**Rita Taylor**  
**Secretary**





It is a great honour to report on the outstanding efforts and achievements of Maroubra SLSC Board of Management and member's for the 2008/09 season. Once again our members excelled in the lifesaving, competition and administrative fields of Surf Lifesaving.

It is very pleasing to report our members successfully, efficiently and diligently patrolled Maroubra Beach with "No Life's Lost" and in doing so they have earned praise and recognition for their efforts.

Patrol numbers at Maroubra are the highest for many years, with over 300 active members in our patrols. This is a great achievement and one that could not have been achieved without the commitment and dedication of every single patrol member. Our Surf Lifesavers have shown a real exuberance and enthusiasm towards public safety. Your service to the club and the community is appreciated. The Patrol Teams carried out a total of 176 rescues and prevented another 4104 people getting into difficulties. A total of 58 members were awarded a Patrol Efficiency Medal for completing all their patrol obligations (including being on time) for the season.

Our member's dedication, sacrifice and knowledge have been recognised by Branch, State and SLA. In the past twelve (12) months, our members have been awarded Sydney Branch's U17 lifesaver of the year, U21 lifesaver of the year, lifesaver of the year, volunteer of the year, rookie training officer of the year, special operations group member of the year, and several of our members received citations from Randwick City Council for their outstanding service to community.

This season Surf Lifesaving Sydney and NSW awarded the prestigious Lifesaving of the Year award to Tony Grivell. Much of Maroubra's lifesaving success in recent years can be attributed to Tony. The recognition is truly deserved for his tireless hours in patrolling, instructing and involvement as a member of Sydney Branch's Special Operations Group. It was also a great honour for the club, and very humbling for myself to be awarded the Branch and State Volunteer of the Year.

I would like pay tribute to the Maroubra members who are active in SLS Special Operations Group (SOG) and SLS Board of Lifesaving. This is a testimony to their overall lifesaving commitment and dedication to the surf lifesaving community.

On the competition side, congratulations to James Moran, Tara Coleman, Jody McGlone and Holly Doyle who all achieved medals at the NSW State Titles. These performances were followed up with commendable results at the Australian titles with James Moran finish 5<sup>th</sup> in the U17 sprint final and Tara placing 6<sup>th</sup> in U19 Iron women final and 8<sup>th</sup> in surf race.

In the vain of giving back to the community the club initiated a "Surf Education Program for People with Disabilities". The program delivered the opportunity for families with disable children a chance to bring their children down to beach and participate in activities based on regular surf lifesaving events. The program earned much praise in the community and is an indication of the quality of our members in running such a program.

Our lifesaving partners Maroubra Seals Sports and Community Club support is the foundation of the clubs success. To Alan Langford, the Board, Peter Redding and his management team and staff your assistance in administration, logistics, personal support and advice is always appreciated.

I also wish to thank other local clubs that support us through their CDSE contributions Sth Sydney Juniors, Randwick Labor club, Matraville and Maroubra RSL. Also Auspac finance's, NG Farah, Westpac, Baywash, Hawaiian Airlines, Kingsford Retrovision, Amity Nursing Homes, Corkscrew Cellars, Skilled, Bay Wash Dry Cleaners, Maroubra Locksmith, Pacific Square, Stephen Luxford and Associates, we look forward to a long and harmonious relationships with all our sponsors

**Tim Murray**  
**President**



# MAROUBRA NIPPERS

The 2008/09 season was another successful one for the Maroubra Seal Pups, with membership numbers breaking the 550 mark again. It's great to see so many parents making the decision to teach their children about surf safety and awareness; this is a benefit that not only extends into family life but into the community as well.

Registration days were held in September at the Maroubra Seals Sports and Community Club, the annual proficiency swims had to be held at Heffron Pool due the reconstruction work on the pool at the Seals. Whilst this was a logistical challenge for our committee - all members completed their swims before the 31 December deadline.

This year the Committee approved a \$10 per member building levy that contributed over \$5500.00 to the Clubs building maintenance fund. I'm sure the new Nipper Committee will follow this process in the 2009-10 season and continue to put money back into the Senior club. However, the offer to the Senior club to raise additional money by manning the Nipper BBQ's after 11:00am each Sunday to service the lunch crowd at the beach never eventuated.

With very few grants available to Nippers this year our funds were limited, the only grant we received was from the Woolworth's Fresh Food Kids program (\$2500.00). We were however still able to provide all of our normal services as well as purchase 11 new foam nipper-boards, 2 new BBQs, and donate to the Building fund. We ended the season in a very positive and secure financial position - our Sunday BBQ's as always were a great source of income (but a lot of hard work). With over 56 active water safety members and an additional 12 Nipper parents passing their bronze medallion courses we continued to be able to provide our own water safety on Sundays and at our mid-week training sessions.

When the season commenced in October, we concentrated on the developmental aspects of Nippers in all age groups. We modified events to enable the distances to be suitable to the skill levels of the children. We want to continue developing their confidence and skills so that they become active members of our Club. From all accounts the outcomes achieved were very positive.

We are very proud of the older children in our club who in the past few seasons have sustained record numbers and passed their Surf Rescue Certificates allowing them to start voluntary beach patrols on their way to becoming qualified lifesavers. We congratulate all of you on your dedication to Surf lifesaving.

## **Training:**

As always, our training timetable was extensive and well attended. Three water training sessions were offered each week, along with surf swimming, general fitness and March Past sessions. Nippers would like to extend a huge thank you to Brian Purdon who is the best in the business when it comes to March Past. We would love to see some more beach training opportunities - so if anyone out there has skills in this area, we'd love to hear from you.

## **Carnivals:**

This year's State titles were held at Swansea-Belmont and a fun time was had by all Maroubra competitors over the three days. We had quite a number of children making finals - not an easy task at this level. Well done to all of our competitors for putting in such a great effort - the weather may have been ordinary, but your performances were not. Congratulations to Harrison Lewis - Under 10's who won a Gold Medal in Beach Flags and to Ella Basalo on her 2 medals - Silver in 12yr Swim and Bronze in 12yr Ironwoman. Our March Past team finished a very respectable 5<sup>th</sup> place in the State, led by a very proud and loyal coach in Brian Purdon.

## **Our Helpers:**

When a club has a membership base of 550 children, this requires some serious hands on help. We are very fortunate to have highly trained water safety personnel, led by Lee Miller, Paul Scullion and



Tony Grivell, who are not only assets to Nippers, but are a vital part of the Surf Lifesaving structure of Maroubra Surf Club.

To our Age Managers and their many assistants who work every Sunday helping and teaching the kids - your work is invaluable and very much appreciated by the kids and parents alike. Next year there is an official Age Manager's course which will be compulsory and will eventually become a lifesaving award. Much of what we do relies on parents and helpers getting in and giving a hand and this course will be a very valuable asset to those Age Managers.

Our workers on the BBQ are absolutely awesome and it's a service that we all enjoy. Our coordinators are Alex and Steve Luxford and they have a band of regular helpers who turn up each week just to help out. A BIG thanks to Lucy, Alex, Jo, Steve and Bill who have continued to help our Club remain in a strong financial position through our weekly BBQ fundraiser.

There are so many other people to thank for the work that happens every week at Nippers, both behind the scenes and with the children. Thank you for your help and support in helping make Nippers a fun, enjoyable place to be every week. I would like to thank the whole committee for their dedication and effort throughout the year - the committee ensures that Nippers runs smoothly and some of these people put in incredible hours to ensure the effectiveness of the program. I cannot mention them all separately, but express my thanks to each of them for their hard work.

To our amazing sponsors, without you, none of this would be possible. We enjoy a close relationship with the Maroubra Seals Sport and Community Club, they are our major sponsor and we appreciate the personal support that is shown to us by the Club and their Board of Directors, Management and Staff.

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## **NORTH BONDI SLSC**



The growth of North Bondi SLSC over the past couple of decades has been phenomenal. Here is one of the foundation Clubs that started the lifesaving movement back in 1906 boasting a voluntary patrolling membership of 565 lifesavers and a junior activity (Nippers) membership of 824 young boys and girls, our future lifesavers. The camaraderie and spirit of these members sets us apart and this year we honour the first ever 80 year service member seen in surf lifesaving; John Stroud who did his bronze at North Bondi in January 1929. What a marvellous milestone!!

**Lifesaving** is our core activity and the very reason of our founding. Our Club Captain Murray Hayes and Vice Captain Scott D'Amours are congratulated for their efforts in ensuring our large patrolling base is effective, reliable and well equipped. The patrollers are the public face of this Club and our reputation rests with these people on one of the world's most famous beaches. We congratulate Shaun Hudson for his Branch "Rookie of the Year" award and Domi Domokos for his nomination in the Branch "Rescue of the Year" category for a courageous after hours rescue. North Bondi has awarded Evan Stillwell the Club's "Lifesaver of the Year" award for a great season. To all our volunteer lifesavers thank you for a job well done and with a total of 14,818 patrol hours performed a community service benefit that is very hard to value in monetary terms.



**Education** at North Bondi is always very strong. The continued recruitment of new members to fill our patrolling ranks and the up skilling of existing members is a mammoth task. To add to this each year our large group of lifesavers have to undergo a proficiency test and coupled with the ever increasing paperwork burden our voluntary training officers are a resilient group. We are fortunate to have an enthusiastic Education Director in Debbie Midwinter leading a group of 20 training officers to accomplish outstanding results across a wide spectrum of lifesaving awards. Particular mention is made of the members who complete their Gold medallion awards and proficiencies. Debbie Midwinter was honoured with Branch "Training Officer of the Year" award and North Bondi's "Club Member of the Year" award in recognition of her outstanding efforts this season.

**Junior Activities** at North Bondi sees the beach taken over early on Sunday mornings with enthusiastic young people covering the area like a sea of ants!!

To have so many fit, healthy and happy children learning basic surf survival skills and participating in competition activities is a credit to a dedicated group of workers. John Stevens as Junior Activities Manager oversees our Age Managers and their helpers to ensure the Nipper activities are safe, organised and exciting for the participants. This season saw a separate patrol rostered to cover water safety which provided excellent support to our Nipper water safety team. A continued focus of further involving the Age Managers to gain SLSA awards and recruitment of carnival officials is underway. Special mention is made of Debbie Holland who has been associated with Nippers for 13 years and the past 6 seasons as Junior Activities Coordinator, this being her last season. Well done & thanks Deb!!

**Competition** saw Club members participate in all Sydney Branch, State & Australian carnivals. The Club also fielded competitors in Coolangatta Gold, Roosters River Run, and Pacific Palms Boat carnival. Many members also competed in other sports such as kayaking with great success. Our Nippers also ventured further afield this year competing at many carnivals up and down the coast with some great and promising results. It was pleasing to see many of our younger athletes being selected for Branch High Performance and Development squads. Competition Director Peter Zieme got our team to Perth for the 3<sup>rd</sup> and final year at Scarborough, with our best results in many years. The Club's Under 17 March past team created history by being the 1<sup>st</sup> Club team or competitor to win gold three times in a row. Reece Holland & Scott Walsh gained silver in Under 19 Double Ski with both lads able to back up in this event again next year and Tim Shaw swam to an outstanding bronze medal in the Open Belt race, narrowly beaten by 2 Olympians. Siobhan McCarthy was 4<sup>th</sup> in 2km Beach Run and our Women's Boat Crew 6<sup>th</sup> being unlucky not to finish with a medal!! Reece Holland was nominated for Branch "Under 19 Competitor of the Year". The Club was also successful in retaining the annual Stan & Bas Mac Relay which is a 20 person a side surf swim against Bondi SBLSC, we now have 36 wins to Bondi's 30!!

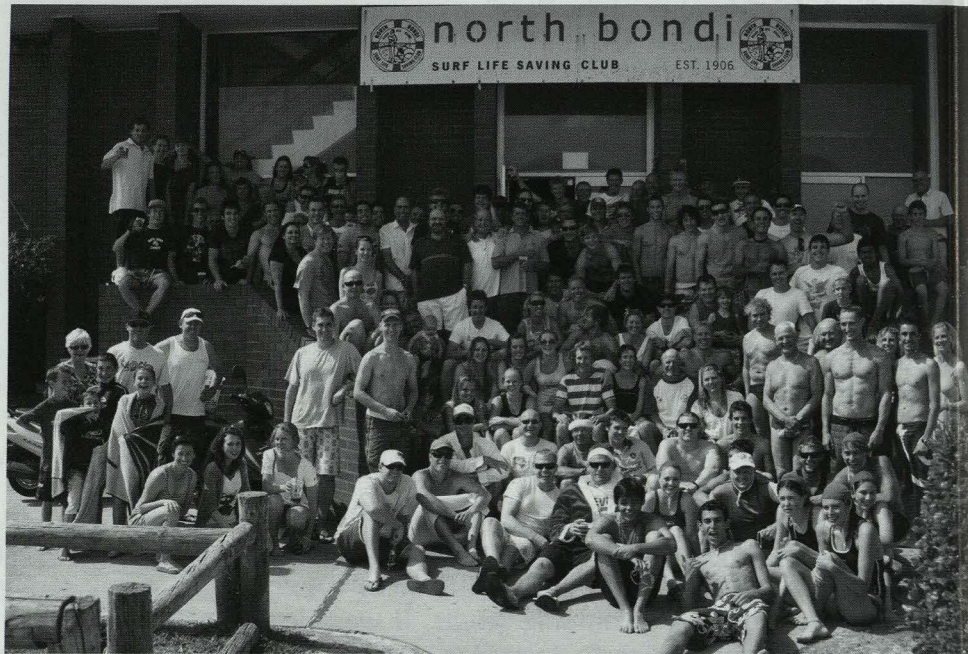
The Club continues to provide many community events including our 2 ocean swims, Roughwater Swim in January and North Bondi Classic in February. Both swims were organised by Peter Fox and were very well attended and all participants enjoyed the events. The Bondi Barefoot soft sand run was held for the 6<sup>th</sup> year in May and thanks to Joel Maybury and Simon Storry for the organisation. These events all provide avenues for the community to participate safely in fitness events as well as generating much needed income to run our voluntary operations. We thank Waverley Council for their continued support of these events. The Club has also hosted the Taste Orange wine night, Wheelie Warriors, Havianas Australia Day Thong Challenge, City to Surf Function & Aboriginal Art Exhibition for the general public to enjoy.

One of the largest projects that North Bondi will ever undertake is the proposed knock down & rebuild of the Clubhouse. Plans have been drawn after a lot of consultation with all stakeholders and a Development Application recently lodged with Council. The new building will be an iconic building that will have a unique relationship with this site at North Bondi. It will provide all the necessary tools of a modern Surf Club and feature an underground storage area, increased training space and be environmentally friendly. It will allow the Club to provide even greater community service for the decades ahead.



A Club that has a diverse membership from 5 years of age spanning to 97 years young relies on that membership to function effectively. North Bondi is our members!! We have our Associate Members who run our BBQ's on Sunday and provide other support; our Honorary Medics who assist at our community events and people who volunteer time to assist with administration as well as lots of things that a large Surf Club requires. We also have members that do a great many tasks like the Club's "Junior Member of the Year" Annie Zieme who has patrolled, competed, assisted training our SRC candidates, is heavily involved in presentation night organisation and is undertaking the design and lay out of our annual report. The Club is privileged to have many dedicated people and I thank them and look forward to their continued input.

**Grant McMahon**  
**President**



## NORTH CRONULLA SLSC

With the patrol flags coming down at the end of April signalling the end to our eighty fourth season we can justifiably look back on the year with immense satisfaction and pride on the achievements of our fellow members and the Club as a whole, built on outstanding individual and team contributions unselfishly given to the betterment of the Club, the Association and the community in general,

Unfortunately during the Season tragedy struck us all with the sudden passing of two of the Club's great members, former President, current Trustee and outstanding boat sweep, Tom Payne and Club Captain, Barney Johansen who has made a significant contribution to the Club, District and Branch over many years. Their deaths struck us deeply and the support we received from our sister Bate Bay Clubs, the Branch and the wider surf lifesaving family was much appreciated as we all came to terms with our loss.

With North Cronulla Surf Life Saving Club's Key Statement "To be the recognised Lifesaving Authority at North Cronulla Beach" we as individuals and as a collective must be ever mindful of North Cronulla's **Core Business** - that of a community lifesaving organisation dedicated to ensuring that all people, regardless of their particular aquatic pursuit, are welcome to use North Cronulla Beach in the knowledge that their safety and welfare is the paramount consideration by all members of North Cronulla Surf Life Saving Club.

It is extremely pleasing, therefore, to report that all of our Patrols continued on the continual improvement path started some years back and it is with pride that we announce again – NO LIVES LOST!

This performance was underpinned by an outstanding Education Section who again excelled themselves in this vital part of the Lifesaving process. North Cronulla is indeed fortunate to have the



calibre of Educators we have working tirelessly to ensure the members are prepared properly for the lifesaving job at hand.

Membership is the lifeblood of any Club and along with the senior ranks our Youth Development Section and our Nipper Section have concluded a very successful season. It is recognised that the continued retention and development of our youth is a vital factor in all aspects of Club activity.

The emphasis again directed at of our Youth Development Squad had a continuing impact in surf sports producing a great array of young talent to compliment the existing members in all competition disciplines. It was, therefore, immensely satisfying that our Under-15 members again played a major part in the Club achieving its target this season of finishing in the top fifteen in the Australian Championship point score. It is extremely pleasing to all that in the past three seasons the Club has progressed from 35<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> and now to 14<sup>th</sup> place overall at the National Championships.

Special mention must be made of our young board riders who became the Australian Championships Board Riding Team with Rory Jenkins achieving Gold and Silver in the Male Under-15 and Open Board Riding respectively, April Charles Gold in the Under-17 Female Board Riding with Kate Hilleard and Gabrielle McKinnier making it a clean sweep winning Silver and Bronze in the same event.

It has been said many times that our greatest asset is our people, and the 2008-2009 Season has been no different. At the upcoming Blue & Gold Gala Awards of Excellence Evening the Club's two highest achievers will be honoured by their peers as recipients of the Club's most prestigious Awards:

- Steven Barlow the "C.N. Rees Memorial Trophy" – Most Outstanding Member of the Year
  - Kane Hughes in consecutive years the "Mario Peryman Memorial Trophy" – Lifesaver of the Year.
- The workload and involvement in all facets of the Club and beyond by these two outstanding members was something to witness and inspirational to us all.

Our landlord, Sutherland Shire Council has almost completed extensive maintenance and repainting of the Clubhouse and are to be commended for the major assistance given to the Club over many years.

To our own sponsors and those of the Branch, thank you for your valuable financial backing and support of Surf Lifesaving, it is only with this great assistance that we are able to provide a vital community and lifesaving service.

On behalf of the Directors, members and staff of North Cronulla SLSC, I extend to John De Cean and his hard working and knowledgeable staff at the Branch office; and all Directors and Officers of SLSS our sincere appreciation for your most valuable assistance and advice throughout the season. It was most appreciated.

**Brian Ferguson**  
**President**





# NORTH CRONULLA NIPPERS



Wow! Seems nothing like a year since I sat down to write last season's report.

Another brilliant year at Northies. Again 600 plus nippers. The seemingly tireless Geoff Budd, his committee, the age managers and squad leaders again stepped up to the mark. They really do deserve serious congratulations for the mammoth job that is the day to day organisation of the nipper section of the club. As usual it was something akin to a parting of the Red Sea whenever the U6 and U7 squads needed to move to another area of the beach! Their squad leaders backed up by our cadets, deserve special thanks for their efforts. After many months of fundraising, raffles, bingo nights and a scary number of snowcone refills, our U14's flew north to the Gold Coast to be looked after in fine style by our colleagues at Palm Beach and Burleigh Heads surf clubs.

On the competition side, the efforts of our competitors, their trainers and squad leaders continues to bear fruit. Our State pointscore ranking continues to increase. Our Nippers successfully competed in large numbers at the IMB Carney at Cronulla, the Bate Bay 4-Way, our own Junior Iron Person Classic, the Branch championships at Maroubra, the junior State titles at Swansea, and a host of other events. Finishing again in the State top 10 points score was a testament to the work put in by our nippers and their squad leaders. To all our U14's who have graduated from Nippers, cadets and Youth Director, Lee Howell awaits. Very best wishes in your future lifesaving careers. Congratulations on obtaining your SRC's and on the patrols you have completed. I know you will be encouraged every step of the way.

On the Administrative level I can attest that all Sydney nippers continue to be well represented. Their might be time off during the winter months for most surf club members, but not so for the administrators. Thankyou to the team at Junior Sydney Branch ("BJD"), Tim Murray in the Chair, Margaret Sears (Secretary) and Yvette Rutherford at the Office. Tim is standing down as Branch Chair and his shoes will be very hard to fill. On behalf of North Cronulla I would like to extend to him a hearty congratulations for the commitment and time he put into the role over the past few years.

One of the published goals of the BJD at the start of the season was to encourage member clubs to a surf lifesaving focus rather than competition. The excellent new SLSA nipper training manuals certainly helped with that goal, but the BJD committee has to be congratulated for the way it introduced the new age guide modules with well-attended seminars in the Eastern Suburbs and the Shire. At North Cronulla our education officer, Don McGroder should also be congratulated. Armed with the new training manuals, Don was tireless in "spreading the word." Getting around the many squads as often as he did was an amazing feat. Well done, Don.

In a sensible decision this year the BJD formed a competition sub-committee headed up by competition director, Mike Roye with the aim of streamlining issues around surf sport participation, particularly in relation to the branch carnival. In the result, issues such as the event program, entry requirements etc were ironed out prior to branch meetings and saved the usual round of hot debate. It is an idea worth taking into future years.

Doug Hawkins, branch lifesaving advisor again took responsibility for running the two development camps at Deer Park in the National Park (one for the U11's and another for the U13's). Both camps went off brilliantly. Having announced his retirement after years in the role, Doug will be close to impossible to replace. His contribution throughout his period of tenure on the Junior Branch committee has been awesome. This scribe had opportunity of attending the U11 camp and can now speak from personal experience. 98 nippers from the Sydney Clubs arrived at 4pm Friday and 98 tired but delighted young lifesavers departed Sunday arvo with a bunch of lifetime memories, new friendships and lifesaving skills. Northies was represented by Chad, Cameron, Jye, Matthew, Hayley, Monique, Brianna, Caitlin and Adelaide. All 9 kids behaved brilliantly all weekend and were a credit to themselves and our club. The program, facilitated by tireless Branch Development Officer, Doug Hawkins was incredibly full on, each day commencing with a 7am pool activity and non-stop events thereafter, finishing late at night with trivia and a movie. Events included canoeing,



abseiling, archery, obstacle courses and rock climbing. The kids were given rescue training in IRB's and rides on jet skis. The rescue launch, "Offshore 2" was also available for cruises around Port Hacking. Chad and Brianna enjoyed being volunteer patients when "Offshore 2" conducted mock rescue demonstrations. A highlight was when "Lifesaver 1", the rescue helicopter flew into camp. The crew then delivered a talk to the kids as to the chopper's role and allowed a walk-through of the aircraft. On Sunday the children were taught how to conduct a rescue tube rescue and were given instruction in CPR, culminating with a rescue competition. Huge thanks to the Northies minders, Grace Cowan and Andrew Highfield.

Thanks from Northies should also go to the Board of Surf Sports, headed up by Branch Director Mike Vitnell. The task of scheduling carnivals, filling appointments and complying with SLSA surf sports policies is a difficult and often thankless one. This year particularly so with weather conditions forcing cancellation of the senior branch event and forcing the junior carnival to move from Elouera to Cronulla/North Cronulla. The logistics of moving a surf carnival as large as our junior branch carnival on 12 hours notice to another beach is beyond belief. I think it was an awesome effort. BOSS should also receive a pat on the back for the number of surf sports official courses run during the year. The result of that initiative was obvious: carnival after carnival saw large numbers of new faces in the form of probationary officials. Wish that trend would continue. Also filling a long standing gap, this year a scrutineers' course was also conducted. Newly graduated from that course and with tape measure, scales and a swag of stickers in hand, our Tony Hughes has dived into the role with gusto. Now in the off-season Northies nippers are powering along. Our U13 parents/nippers are in full swing raising funds for their planned trip (again to the Gold Coast), Sunday morning board training is underway and the numbers of nippers and parents attending those mornings is awesome. I am sure another successful season is looming.

**Michael Day**  
**Branch Delegate**



## **SOUTH MAROUBRA SLSC**

In 2009 South Maroubra celebrates its **50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** of Aquatic Safety and Community Service, a proud moment for our club and its members, present and past. At this time we reflect on the many achievements over this period, the dedicated people who have contributed so significantly to the advancement of our club and special moments and sacrifices during our history.

Whilst there are far too many special people and moments to mention in this report it would be inappropriate not to mention one very sad but significant occasion that being our Life Member Bernie Kelly who died after being involved in a mass rescue on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> January 1998 at South Maroubra. We acknowledge this special Australian Lifesaver, friend and South Maroubra member and celebrate the 11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his passing.

### **Lifesaving**

South Maroubra has had a change of leadership this year within our Lifesaving department. This change of leadership has brought with it a new enthusiasm to improve standards on and off the beach whilst continuing to offer the best in lifesaving services, equipment and resources. Whilst we experienced many challenging moments this year, we have started to see the benefits of new leadership and difficult but important decisions. Our goal is to improve services further, develop the capability of our people and provide one of the most capable Lifesaving Services in Sydney. My



thanks go to the leaders of the pack, Simon Torsellini and Cathy Hall capably assisted by all of the Patrol Captains, Instructors and Lifesaving Committee.

### **Nippers**

Yet again our Nippers have been the shining light of the club, great group of kids filled with energy and enthusiasm. Of course much support is needed to develop and direct these young lifesavers and again I acknowledge the efforts of Yvette Rutherford, Linda Perrin and Victoria Raymond who led the way for this large group of members, supported by all the many parents and volunteers as age managers and supervisors. I commend all of these wonderful helpers who provide the drive and leadership within our Nipper Group; it's always great to see the action provided by Nippers each Sunday and their competition efforts.

### **Competition**

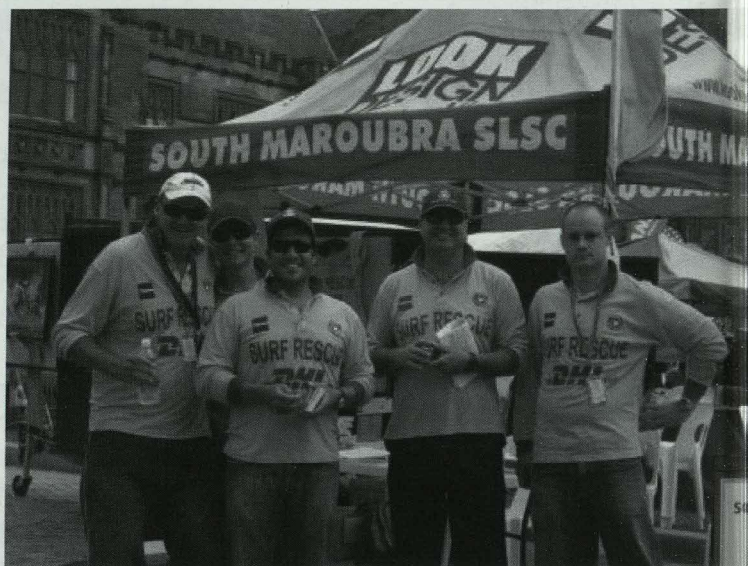
Unfortunately this past season started with a number of our younger competitors heading to other clubs. Whilst it's always a shame to see this happen, we were fortunate to have the next generation of competitors moving right in to replace them and participating for the first year in senior competition. It was great to see a few of these up and coming members win the inaugural Randwick Council Mayors Cup and receive their award from Mayor Bruce Notley-Smith, a great thrill for these youngsters. I expect to see a new generation of competitors in beach, swim, board and ski next season and with our Coaching program progressing I expect to see ongoing improvement and opportunity for this great young group of competitors. These young athletes join with our successful and growing boat section which numbers something in the order of 8 boat crews, 2 being junior crews. Last but by no way least, I'd like to pay tribute to our IRB Racing Team that work so hard each year both on and off seasons. Their hard work has propelled them into **2<sup>nd</sup> place in New South Wales** and something like 8<sup>th</sup> in Australia, what an achievement for this large group of competitors in an exciting sport!

### **Sponsorship**

With the economic crisis fairly and squarely upon us, Sponsorship remains one of the greatest challenges to all Lifesaving Clubs. It was disappointing to come back into a management position this past season to find a number of long standing sponsors gone and therefore a significant reduction in income. The challenge remains for all Lifesaving Clubs to identify new sponsors whilst ensuring those we do have are properly supported and acknowledged. Having said that, I would like to formally thank the Maroubra Seals Sport and Community Club, The Juniors Club, The Randwick Labour Club, The City of Randwick and Botany Councils, Ray White Real Estate Maroubra, Eastgardens Fruit Centre, Agility Logisticsts, Caltex Kensington, Maroubra Auto Repairs & Towing, Glasshouse Hotel Maroubra for their ongoing support.

### **In closing**

I would like to acknowledge a few special events and the people that made it happen during the 2008/9 season. The annual Oktoberfest which takes place each year has developed into a really fun and successful event attracting thousands of locals to Byrne Reserve for what promises to be a fun filled day. My thanks to long time organizers Horst Menzel and Kevin Baron along with the many members that donate their time to this special event. This year we undertook 'O week' recruiting which was quite demanding but seems to have been quite successful, my thanks to all the members that supported this event and Jefferson for taking on a late squad in support of the recruitment drive. I would like to thank the entire Board





of Management for their support and efforts and all sub committees within the club that work so hard to make it happen. **Lastly I would like to invite friends of South Maroubra to our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Ball which will take place at the Coogee Plaza Hotel on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2009.** Further information can be obtained by simply looking up our wonderful website, [www.southmaroubra.com.au](http://www.southmaroubra.com.au).

Thanks folks and see you next season!

**Paul Fownes**  
**Chairman**

## **SOUTH MAROUBRA NIPPERS**

We commenced the season with 414 nipper registrations however throughout the course of the season 20 of our U14 nippers gained their Surf Rescue Certificate and progressed to Cadets Membership so with this in mind we ended our season with a steady 394 nipper members. I take this opportunity to congratulate our U14 nippers that have now obtained their SRC and wish them well as they enter into the Senior part of the club.

Nippers kicked off in September with our Nipper registrations and proficiencies and I earnestly thank all those involved with this arduous activity both at the pool, beach and administratively. We organised, timed, encouraged and processed 194 Preliminary Proficiencies and 150 separate Competition Proficiencies. (Proficiencies include a timed pool swim, run swim run, non-timed pool swim, surf education) These proficiencies allowed our nippers to participate in our 20 weekly Sunday activities and to enter into competition.

We hit the beach in October enjoying a full complement of Group Leaders/Age Managers. This group of club volunteers continue to amaze me with their everlasting, never-tiring, dedication, patience and commitment that they show to our club and our nippers. I truly thank you for your efforts this year. Also thank you to our water safety and Sunday patrol members who ensure that our youngsters are enjoying their activities in safe conditions.

In line with Sydney Branches Board of Junior Activities goal of increasing lifesaving activities within our nippers I am pleased to report that 95% (376) of our nippers participated in the new Surf Education program rolled out state wide this year. We also had 80 children aged 10 to 13 gain their Resuscitation Award this year. Congratulations to everyone involved. Thank you to my clubs Management Committee for also funding the attendance of our nippers to attend the U11 and U13 Sydney Lifesaving Development Camps and the April 09 Surf Sports Camp. Our children thoroughly enjoyed these three camps and we extend our thanks to Surf Life Saving Sydney for organising such great activities.

Competitively our children participate in carnivals that took us to a number of locations – including Forster, Cronulla, Nth Cronulla, Wamberal, Elouera, Wanda, Red Head, Queenscliff, Manly, South Maroubra & Swansea-Belmont. It was great to see so many South Maroubra hats at the Randwick Shield (well done to the team on a great effort despite the extremely low water and air temperatures on the day - we took out first place) and to all of our competitors that entered into the Inaugural South Maroubra Junior Carnival (results further on). A team of 70 contested the Sydney Branch Age Championships and 52 were selected to represent South Maroubra at this year's State Championships. I personally congratulate all of our nippers that competed. I am fully aware of the amount of training and commitment that is required to compete at Branch and State Level and I applaud our youngsters and their parents on their efforts. Off course without our group of enthusiastic and passionate Coaches and Carnival Officials it would not be possible – thank you. Again this season a comprehensive coaching program was available to all of our nippers (no matter their ability) in both water and sand which included a school holiday Christmas program. At the end of the season we also introduced a board skills program for those children progressing to a new type of board next year. Thanks to Mike, Paddles, Erich, Kim, Max, Carl, Doug, Greg and Ray – our wonderful coaches for your efforts throughout the year.



Bravo to our nippers that collected medals at the various carnivals throughout the season and to Erich Fiala our Team Manager and Bella Raymond our Team Captain. Special mention to Brianna Sears who was selected to represent Sydney at the SLSNSW Interbranch Championships and to Victoria Raymond who was awarded the Sydney Branch Board of Junior Activities Competition Official of the Year. Without the support of our sponsors the nipper program would be hindered especially in areas of equipment & competition. I thank Sal from **Eastgardens Fruit Centre** for his generous support of our State Team, Khalil from **Agility Logistics Australia** for his ongoing support of our competitors and to our new sponsor John Colohan from **JCM Contracting** for sponsoring nipper equipment.

South Maroubra decided to hold a Junior Carnival in December 2008 that catered for U9 to U15 competitors. We wish to thank the Sydney Clubs that supported our event with special thanks to Mike Vitnell, Wayne Druery and the Sydney Branch Officials who supported our carnival. **Carnival Sponsors included Ray White Real Estate, Maroubra Automotive Refinishers & Deal Directs/Demon Surf Boards.**

Well, another year has seemed to fly by and I hope that all of our youngsters enjoyed their year at South Maroubra Nippers and enjoyed all of the activities that were made available to them. Next season is planned to kick off 18<sup>th</sup> October with registrations taking place in September 09. We propose to hold a few twilight Nipper days next year (possibly Saturday afternoons) which is very exciting.

It was a pleasure being South Maroubra's Director of Youth this season and I close extending my sincere thanks and appreciation to my Nipper Executive and wonderful friends - Linda Perrin - Assistant Director of Youth and Victoria Raymond - Nipper Registrar.

**Yvette Rutherford**  
**DIRECTOR OF YOUTH**

## **TAMARAMA SLSC**

I am pleased to be able to report another season of 'NO LIVES LOST' whilst patrols were on duty. This is a remarkable achievement and one we should take time to think about, especially given our collective our efforts and diligence, what it means to us as individuals and to us as a Club. I look forward to working with all members now and in the future to ensure that this legacy continues as it is as important for us as a Club as it is to the beach goers we watch over. I am also pleased to report that we had a strong turn out for patrols and saw some good team spirit from all members when needed. In fact there seems to have been quite a bit of team spirit last season, with several new additions to the future membership! I can't remember a year that we have had so many babies being born to members and many of whom met their partners at the Club! Keep up the good work, wink, wink, nudge, nudge!

We have also had a successful season with many competitors, old and young, winning medals at Branch and the Boaties working hard all year for a strong season and a 'smashing time' in Perth. I hope with the Nationals returning to the East Coast, we can encourage more sand and sea competitors to join in the fun. It is a great week away from the office grind. Our Vice-Captain Chris Glover deserves a special mention again this year for organising an exceptionally successful Ocean Swim from Tamarama to Clovelly on the Easter Monday. There are big raves about the swim on the all the ocean swim web-sites/blogs etc. To have the swimmers race in over the reef at Clovelly and along the inlet to the finish was visionary to say the least: It was a very enjoyable spectacle. I would like to thank Chris and all those too numerous to mention in this report for their help and support. A big thanks also goes out to ServCorp (aka Marcus) for supporting the cost of running the event. Much appreciated.





The building operation continues to grind its way along through the halls of Council. We are almost at the point of selecting the architect to take us to DA stage. We expect plans to be approved early in the next season, with a view of starting in Winter 2010. This fits in with my original 5 year plan from when I was first elected. Some or many might think that I am being optimistic, but, it is looking good! We are still haggling over space at the kiosk and until that is resolved the plans will have to be flexible with regards storage space.

In the off season there is a small contingent of Tamarama members, lead by Dr Paul Cooper (AKA Coops) heading up to test themselves on the Kokoda trail. In the same vain of honouring the ANZAC spirit, Coops and Mark Walton (aka JB) have also been working on getting one hundred surf boats to Gallipolli in 2015. The event now includes battle site tour along with local antiquity sites, short course and demonstration rowing events during Turkish National Cultural Festival on the 22<sup>nd</sup>, a 100km marathon down the Dardenelles to Gapatebe (the beach the Aussies were meant to land on) on the 23<sup>rd</sup> and if the offer is accepted by the various governmental agencies, to row 100 boats in at dawn to commemorate the first ANZAC landing 100 years prior. There will be plenty of space for any and all spectators and supporters alike. This project has already grown from a very small seed and will be huge by 2015. It is great for us as a founding Club to be so involved. Well done and thanks to all.

I would also like to thank the tireless effort of all those involved in the day to day running of the Club. Shay continues to do a great job as Secretary, Rex as our Club Captain and Hoppo as our treasurer. The training team lead by Michael and his enthusiastic acolytes and the now growing in importance fund raising group lead by Ben.

Paul Plessums with his wife Danielle and their band of happy helpers also had a very successful year with the Nippers, with two great fun carnivals at our beach with Bondi and Clovelly. We also saw for the first time in a long time, Nippers competing at Branch and State with even one Gold medal in the Boards for Jasmine (proud father ☺).

I would lastly like to thank our sponsors Servcorp, McGrath and Velocity Air who even in these tough economic times continue to support our Club with much needed funds for the day to day running of the Club, without whom IRBs would not float and hot showers would not run. We really appreciate the support.

I think this was a great year and I look forward to better years to come.

**Bill Shires**  
**President**

## **T**AMARAMA NIPPERS

The 2009 season has been a successful and enjoyable year, with a total of 146 registered Nippers, we have competed at three carnivals, Waverley Shield at Bronte, Australia Day Challenge with Clovelly at Tamarama and the Invitational Challenge with Bondi again at Tamarama and at all of these we have performed very well and in most circumstances individual Nippers won events at these carnivals. We also had competitors at both Branch and State titles, special mention to both Jasmine Shires and Mackenzie Gavin who both competed at Branch and State and won Gold and Bronze medals respectively.





This season has seen us enjoy more time in the water on the boards and swimming in general and it is gratifying to see Nippers whom in the past have been a little tentative now beginning to show more confidence and knowledge with surf conditions at Tamarama, our group swim at the end of events seems to encourage all age groups and lets the younger Nippers find their feet at their own speed. Our Lapa connection are also going great , it's hard to keep them out of the water and even more difficult to get them out. Ann and Ted Robinson must be very proud of the young eager Surf Life Savers they transport each week, they have grown not only in numbers but also in confidence and ability, you can see they really enjoy each Sunday.

This season has also seen the end of three young Nippers time in the junior club, I hope they can forge on and become involved with the Senior's and complete the Surf rescue Certificate. Maurice Longbottom, Bridget Wilschefski and Alexander McGregor have been a delight to be personally involved with and I will miss your weekly involvement. The Roland Talbot Award for Nipper of the Year went to Jacqueline Davis. Jacqueline is an enthusiastic competitor and a competent surfer, her attitude towards Nippers is excellent her smiling face and polite personality are a credit to her.

The organization and running of the Nippers would not be possible without the generous and selfless efforts of Volunteers and Parents /Carers alike and this year was no different. The usual suspects were on hand again this season with Bill and Judy Shires in charge of age groups and our link to the Seniors , Erle & Toni Lindsay along with Phil Wilschefski and the salubrious Danielle Plesums cooking and delivering the goods at our four BBQ'S this season, Guy Waddell and Mary Spencer running the flag events at the carnivals, Paul and Kyoto Cooper's knowledge, wisdom and patience with our mass of younger Nippers, David Morgan, Jason Gavin and Phillip Miles' continual effort and management of their respective age groups and the addition of Paul Garufi, Will Corkill , Greg Waugh, and Greg Parker as age marshalls this season. All Volunteers efforts are appreciated and this year as in the past it was no different , two parents went beyond the call of duty helping each week with age groups on call for carnivals and eager to pick up the tab when we were short on supplies for our events, our Volunteers of the Year for season 2009 were the very deserving Stephen Daley and Martin Whelan, Many Thanks.

Finally a special thanks to our Senior club members who support us unreservedly. Bill Shires, Paul Cooper, Rex Hatton and Shay Deguara. We hope to see you all on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2009 at 10:00 am for registration at the Club, the first day of the season is Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October at 9:00am. Remember to check the website for details. [www.tamaramaslsc.org.au](http://www.tamaramaslsc.org.au)

**Paul Plesums**  
**Secretary J.A.B**



## **W WANDA SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB**

Once again Wanda can proudly say that there were "NO LIVES" lost for the 08-09 season. This result only comes about from the vigilance of our members; they were ably led by our Captain Graham Hill and Vice-Captain Brenton Veale.

Our Lifesaving Education section again excelled. I wish to thank Scott Rofo and his fellow trainers for their many selfless hours and dedication in making sure that new and old members are kept up to date and proficient with their lifesaving awards.

My thanks must go to a dedicated Management Committee, who has made sure that Wanda continues to be a leading Surf Lifesaving Club. We continue to have a strong financial position, but this is only because of the hard work that goes into our club members running the "Sutherland to Surf". This has become an "iconic" event in the Sutherland Shire and is the life blood of our club. There are up to 6000 walkers and runners entering this event.

The Competition section of the club had some very good results for both our young and master competitors. There was a high level of enthusiasm and support from every competitor. Congratulations to Jay Furrness and Tyler Harding who were chosen in the NSW State Team Jay



won gold in the iron man and Tyler won gold in the flags. Our JAG had a fabulous season, going well in every facet of their activities this cumulated in them achieving 2<sup>nd</sup> place for the second year in a row at the State Titles. There were many outstanding results from all the age groups which place the club in good stead for many years to come. To some times an unrecognised role of that of officials I wish to give my sincere thanks to our club members that fill this role.

I would also like to acknowledge the support and help of Surf Lifesaving Sydney, the management, competition officials and the office staff for their constant help and assistance. Wanda is looking forward to the start of our 63<sup>rd</sup> year with enthusiasm and commitment.

We are very grateful and wish to thank our sponsors for their generous support. The members would like to extend their best wishes to all clubs and in particular the Bate Bay Clubs we look forward to another year of close co-operation.

**Anita Pryke**  
**President**

## **W**ANDA NIPPERS

This year Wanda was firing on all four cylinders well before the Season even started with the introduction of Winter Board Training and Beach Fitness Training, of which both were well attended. With our proficiency swims over and done with at Registrations we were able to hit the season running and made the most of the weeks available to development and expand the skills of our young Nippers.

The Emerging Athlete Program offered this year provided our Nippers with a great balance of competition, training and social activities and the weekend away to the Hawkesbury River was a huge hit. This was a great initiative by Branch and something that we will be strongly encouraging our Nippers to support again next season. Wanda was strongly represented at our 4 Way and Branch Carnivals and it gave us a good indication of how our State Team would perform and we were not disappointed. Finishing again in 2<sup>nd</sup> place we did narrow the gap between the State Champions Cronulla – and who knows what we can do next year! Our State Team was very focussed and had worked hard all season and Wanda was extremely proud of their performance.

This year Wanda also had 4 representatives chosen for the Sydney Branch Team. Congratulations go to Tara Liley, Elyssa Pierce, Jay Furniss and Mitchell Rofe on their selection – they were a credit to Wanda, their families and most of all themselves! Congratulations also to Jay Furniss who was further selected for the NSW Team and for winning his selected event, the Ironman and to Mitchell Rofe on his Life Saver of the year nomination.

This year our U/14's Age Managers Brett Furniss and Mark Sargeant decided to organise an U/14's Trip away to Queensland. Many of us on the Committee thought they were mad for even thinking about taking 30 Nippers away however, it proved to be the absolute highlight of the year for our U/14's and they had the most amazing time. This years group of U/14's are a wonderful group of young adults and we wish them well in their future journeys and look forward to seeing them on Patrol next year.

Our Committee this year remained almost the same as last year and we worked well as a team. Running a large Club like ours is a time consuming job however, when you have a great Committee like ours the job is made easy and even enjoyable! Thank you to all our Wanda Committee members for all your hard work. We are also fortunate at Wanda to have a strong reliable group of Age Managers and Water Safety personnel who assist with the running of our Sunday activities. We





thank all our Age Managers and Water Safety for their dedication and commitment to our young nippers. The work we do together as a club in educating our children is invaluable.

On our last day Wanda changed its traditional colours to shades of pink in support of the Glen McGrath Foundation. This day was aimed at promoting breast cancer awareness, something that has unfortunately affected Members of our Club and their families directly. This was a fabulous fun day for the whole family with a large turn out for the Cathy Parkes memorial swim. This event will definitely be included in next year's calendar and we already have a sponsor on board – Pink Batts. We hope to expand this event and invite members from Sydney Branch to join in such a worthwhile activity, so start collecting your wild pink outfits as next year we promise it will be even bigger and better!

Finally we would like to thank Sydney Branch for a wonderful Season. It has been a great year with many positive initiatives and we are all looking forward to 2009/2010.



**Carol Woods**  
**Secretary, Wanda JAG**

## **Surf Life Saving Sydney Endorsed Facilitators (15) Season 2008/2009**

Peter Agnew  
Michael Bretherton  
Peter Carney  
John Campanaro  
Gary Cheer  
Gary Daly  
Mark Doepel  
Keith Grima  
Michael Hodsdon  
Gary Hyland  
Peter Murphy  
Kym Pennell  
John Restuccia  
Scott Rofe  
Trent Thomas

North Bondi SLSC  
Garie SLSC  
Elouera SLSC  
South Maroubra SLSC  
Coogee SLSC  
Coogee SLSC  
Coogee SLSC  
Maroubra SLSC  
Garie SLSC  
Coogee SLSC  
Bondi SBLSC  
Elouera SLSC  
Maroubra SLSC  
Wanda SLSC  
Maroubra SLSC



# DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

The following Report is to be read in conjunction with the Financial Report for the year ended 31 May 2009. The Branch derived a profit of \$29,206 for the financial year to 31 May 2009 which was well down on the profit of \$177,669 derived in the previous financial year. The reduction in profit reflects the decrease in Sponsorship and Donation income that the Branch received during the year. Income from Sponsorships and Donations decreased from \$428,863 in 2008 to 332,806 in 2009.

Sponsorship and Donations income has dropped over the last two years from \$547,369 in 2007 to \$332,806 in 2009 a decrease of \$214,563 or 39.20%. Total Income for the year was \$598,608 which was down on the 2007/08 figure by \$39,564 mainly due to a reduction in Solicited Donations and Sponsorships of \$98,137. The surplus from rental operations reduced from \$26,238 to 685 as a consequence of the rent free period offered to the lessor of on the new property.

Although operational expenditure exceeded last year's amount by \$101,626 monies were spent in areas that should produce long term benefits for the Branch. Expenditure on Competition and Event Running increased by \$36,694 and involved expenditure on additional development camps and on the High Performance and Emerging Athletes programs. Finance and Property Expenses went from \$23,262 to \$106,945 and relates to costs associated with the purchase of the second property. Most other expenditure was well contained including employee benefits which decreased by \$10,647 over the twelve month period.

On the assets side the original building at Alexandria has been occupied all year and no major expenditure was incurred. The new property derived income from around August last year however the lessor went into administration earlier this year. As a consequence the lease bond was called which provided three months rent while efforts were made to secure a new tenant. The Branch's property advisors including Graham Ford immediately began to seek new tenants and after a period of only six weeks were able to secure a new lessee. Negotiations continued throughout April and May and the new tenant took possession of the site in late May. Rental income will commence around 8 August this year, thereby generating positive cash flows going forward. The original building was not valued this year and therefore reflects the most recent valuation which was undertaken a few years back.

Cash assets, although down on the same period last year, are still quite healthy at \$724,791. The major movement on the Balance sheet has been in Property, Plant and Equipment which has increased from \$904,760 to \$2,141,681 and reflects the acquisition of the second property in the third quarter of 2008. The increase in the asset is matched by the Financial Liability of \$1,000,000.

During the first half of the year the branch employed three staff members which reduced to two from December 2008 onwards. Given the lack of sponsors it is highly unlikely that any additional staff will be engaged in the foreseeable future.

The BJD bank accounts and financial reporting were also centralised to the Branch office during the year. The benefits are that monthly reporting is now up to date and all payments can be made from a central area. Although there was some initial resistance I believe that all concerns have been alleviated.

The Finance committee met four times during the year and most members of the committee attended each meeting. I would like to thank, Peter Pearce, Brian Ferguson and Karl Solomonson for their significant contribution during the season. Matters discussed included the annual budgets, reviewing expenditure and reviewing the performance of the Branch's properties and sponsorship. I would also like to convey my thanks to the Sutherland District Trade Union Club for allowing us to use their board room for our meetings.



With the lack of sponsorship to start the 2009 / 2010 season the onus will be on all office bearers to control expenditure. The finance committee will meet more regularly to review the Branch's financial position including divisional budgets and actual expenditure.

My thanks to our tremendous sponsors who have enabled the branch to operate efficiently throughout the season. To DHL and Sydney Airport we thank you. Without your significant sponsorship the branch would not be in a position to provide services to the clubs and the general public.

To the girls in the office, especially Yvette who keeps the accounts up to date, I thank you for your professionalism and the manner in which you undertake your respective jobs.

**Peter Carney**  
**Director of Finance**

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**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2009**

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# **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED**

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## **MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE'S REPORT**

The Management Committee in office during the last preceding financial year ending 31 May 2009 submit the financial report of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated (the 'Association') for the financial year then ended

### **Management Committee During The Last Preceding Financial year**

The Management Committee in office during the last preceding financial year were:

President:	Robert Yeldon	Director of Lifesaving	: Michael Hodsdon
Deputy President :	John De Cean	Director of Youth Development :	George Faiseas
Director of Finance:	Peter Carney	Director of Junior Development :	Tim Murray
Director of Surf Sports:	Mike Vitnell		

### **Principal Activities**

The principal activity of the Association during the financial year was the provision of Surf Life Saving administration services to the member clubs.

### **Significant Changes**

No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the financial year.

### **Operating Result**

The Net operating surplus for the financial year amounted to \$29,206

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Management Committee.

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mr Robert Yeldon ( Preceding President )

Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mr John De Cean

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July 2009



**SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED**  
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**INCOME STATEMENT**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2009**

	Notes	2009 \$	2008 \$
Revenues From Ordinary Activities	3	<u>598,608</u>	<u>638,172</u>
Expenses From Ordinary Activities			
Administration Costs		50,037	53,918
Competition & Event Running Costs		175,312	138,618
Depreciation	4	11,110	7,671
Employee Benefits	4	98,990	107,637
Finance Costs	4	67,919	-
Meeting & Seminar Costs		7,921	9,553
Presentation & Trophy Costs		22,789	4,891
Property Expenses		39,026	23,262
Rescue & Lifesaving Costs		20,239	17,417
Sponsorship Distribution & Marketing Costs		<u>78,059</u>	<u>97,738</u>
Total Expenses From Ordinary Activities		<u>669,402</u>	<u>460,503</u>
Surplus From Ordinary Activities		<u>29,206</u>	<u>177,669</u>

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**SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED**  
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**BALANCE SHEET**  
**AS AT 31 MAY 2009**

	Notes	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Cash And Cash Equivalents	5	724,791	805,421
Trade And Other Receivables	6	12,822	62,284
Other Current Assets	7	-	129,250
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>737,613</b>	<b>996,935</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Property, Plant And Equipment	8	2,141,681	904,760
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>2,141,681</b>	<b>904,760</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>2,879,294</b>	<b>1,901,695</b>
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Trade And Other Payables	9	36,190	87,797
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<b>36,190</b>	<b>87,797</b>
<b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Financial Liabilities	10	1,000,000	-
<b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<b>1,000,000</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		<b>1,036,190</b>	<b>87,797</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<b>1,843,104</b>	<b>1,813,898</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED FUNDS</b>			
Accumulated Funds	11	1,434,836	1,405,830
Reserves	12	408,268	408,288
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>		<b>1,843,104</b>	<b>1,813,898</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUNDS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2009**

	Accumulated Funds \$	Asset Revaluation Reserve \$	Total \$
Balance at 1 June 2007	1,227,961	408,268	1,636,229
Surplus Attributable To The Association	177,669	-	177,669
Balance at 31 May 2007	1,405,630	408,268	1,813,898
Surplus Attributable To The Association	29,206		29,206
Balance at 31 May 2008	1,434,836	408,268	1,843,104

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**STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2009**

	Notes	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>Cash Flows From Operating Activities</b>			
Receipts from Members, Grants & Sponsorship		513,883	502,851
Payments to Suppliers and Employees		(480,845)	(451,870)
Interest & Rents Received		134,163	91,722
<b>Net Cash Flows From Operating Activities</b>	13	167,401	142,703
<b>Cash Flows From Investing Activities</b>			
Purchase Deposit on Investment Property	7	-	(129,250)
Purchase of Property, Plant and Equipment	8	(1,248,031)	(57,275)
<b>Net Cash Used In Investing Activities</b>		(1,248,031)	(186,525)
<b>Cash Flows From Financing Activities</b>			
Proceeds from Borrowings		1,000,000	-
<b>Net Cash Provided By Financing Activities</b>		1,000,000	-
<b>Net (Decrease) Increase In Cash Held</b>		(80,630)	(43,822)
Cash at Beginning of Year		805,421	849,243
<b>Cash at End of Year</b>	5	724,791	805,421

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# **SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED**

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## **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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### **1 Statement of Significant Accounting Policies**

The financial report is a general purpose financial report and it has been prepared in accordance with Accounting Standards other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board and the requirements of the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and Associations Incorporation Act NSW.

The financial report is for an entity known as Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated as an individual entity. The Association was incorporated in NSW under the Associations Incorporation Act 1984.

The financial report complies with all Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS) in their entirety.

The following is a summary of the material accounting policies adopted by the Association in the preparation of the financial report. Unless otherwise stated, the accounting policies have been consistently applied.

#### **Reporting Basis and Conventions**

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs modified by the revaluation of financial assets, financial liabilities and selected non-current assets for which the fair value basis of accounting has been applied.

### **2 Accounting Policies**

#### **Property, Plant and Equipment**

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at fair value or cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, where applicable.

##### **Property**

Freehold land and buildings are valued by an independent valuer every three years, with annual appraisals being made by the committee. They are measured on fair value, being the amount for which an asset could be exchanged in an arm's length transaction between informed participants.

The property is held for investment purposes and therefore the committee has adopted not to apply depreciation. Any fall in the value of the property will be adjusted in the Association's reserves.

##### **Plant and Equipment**

Plant and equipment are carried at either cost or at independent or Association's valuation, less any accumulated depreciation or amortisation applicable.

##### **Depreciation**

Plant and equipment is depreciated on a straight line basis at rates calculated to allocate the cost less the estimated residual value over the estimated useful life of each asset.

Depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

##### **Class of Fixed Asset Depreciation Rate**

Plant & Equipment	15%
Office Furniture & Equipment	33%
Rental Plant & Equipment	10%
Competition & Life Saving Equipment	20%
Leasehold Improvements	10%

The assets carrying values are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable. An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Profit and loss on disposal are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These amounts are included in the Income Statement.



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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
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**Trade And Other Receivables**

**Recognition**

The Association has elected to apply the option available under AASB1 of adopting AASB132 and AASB 139. Amounts owing are recognised and carried at original invoice amount less any allowance for uncollectable amounts.

An allowance for doubtful debts is made when there is objective evidence that the Association will not be able to collect the debts. Bad debts are written off when identified.

**Trade And Other Payables**

**Recognition**

Amounts owing are carried at their invoiced cost and represent a liability for goods and services provided to the Association prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Association becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services.

**Income Tax**

No Income Tax is payable by the Association as Section 50-5 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 exempts Charitable Institutions from Income Tax.

**Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and short-term deposits in the balance sheet comprise cash at bank and in hand and short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less.

**Revenue**

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Association and the revenue can be reliably measured. The following specification criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

**Sale of Goods**

Revenue is recognised when control has passed to the buyer.

**Capitation Fees**

Revenue is recognised when a member is entitled to the benefits of belonging to the Association

**Sponsorship & Grants**

Unconditional sponsorship & grants are recorded as income when received. Grants received for specific projects are recognised as revenue upon receipt regardless of whether the expenditure has been incurred as long as there is no contractual right to return the monies received to the grantor.

**Rendering of Services**

Revenue from the providing of a service is recognised when the member or customer receives the service.

**Rents and Interest**

Control of the right to receive the payment.

**Goods and Services Tax (GST)**

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and service tax, except:

- (i) where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Tax Office. It is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of an asset or as part of an item of the expense.
- (ii) receivables and payables are shown inclusive of GST.

Cash flows are presented in the cash flow statement on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.



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**Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments**

In preparing this financial report, the committee was required to make estimates and assumptions. These estimates and assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis.

**Comparative Figures**

Where required by accounting standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.



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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
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	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>3 Revenues From Ordinary Activities</b>		
<b>Operating Activities</b>		
Surf Life Saving NSW & Government Grants	297,845	295,766
Donations & Sponsorship - Solicited	34,561	133,098
Capitation Fees	52,146	59,144
Competition & Event Fees	59,493	58,443
<b>Total Revenues From Operating Activities</b>	<u>484,445</u>	<u>546,450</u>
<b>Non - Operating Activities</b>		
Interest Received	26,025	42,222
Rent Received	108,138	49,500
<b>Total Revenues From Non-Operating Activities</b>	<u>134,163</u>	<u>91,722</u>
<b>Total Revenues From Ordinary Activities</b>	<u>598,608</u>	<u>638,172</u>
<b>4 Expenses From Ordinary Activities</b>		
<b>Expenses</b>		
Auditors Remuneration		
Audit Services	3,500	3,650
Other Services	750	540
	<u>4,250</u>	<u>4,190</u>
Depreciation of		
- Office Plant and Equipment	4,367	5,072
- Rental Property Plant & Equipment	942	389
- Competition & Lifesaving Equipment	4,757	1,462
- Leasehold Improvements	1,044	748
	<u>11,110</u>	<u>7,671</u>
Employee Benefits		
Salaries & Wages	86,412	97,780
Superannuation	9,032	8,501
Other Employee Benefits	1,545	1,356
	<u>96,990</u>	<u>107,637</u>
Finance Costs - External	<u>67,819</u>	
<b>5 Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		
<b>Current</b>		
Cash on hand- Office	674	673
Cash at bank- General Accounts	43,191	161,766
- Board of Junior Development	34,803	40,476
Cash Investment Accounts	<u>646,024</u>	<u>602,505</u>
	<u>724,792</u>	<u>805,421</u>



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	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>6 Trade and Other Receivables</b>		
Current		
Trade Debtors	12,822	62,264
	<u>12,822</u>	<u>62,264</u>
<b>7 Other Current Assets</b>		
Property Deposit	-	129,250
	<u>-</u>	<u>129,250</u>
<b>8 Property, Plant and Equipment</b>		
Land & Buildings		
At Cost	1,710,766	488,135
At Valuation Increment*	381,865	381,865
Total Land & Buildings	<u>2,092,631</u>	<u>850,000</u>
*At Independent Valuation (18/07/2008)		
Plant & Equipment		
At Cost	17,042	17,042
Accumulated Depreciation	(15,357)	(14,974)
	<u>1,685</u>	<u>2,068</u>
Office Equipment & Furniture		
At Cost	36,481	33,081
Accumulated Depreciation	(23,883)	(19,516)
	<u>14,598</u>	<u>13,565</u>
Rental Property Plant & Equipment		
At Cost	9,418	9,418
Accumulated Depreciation	(1,331)	(389)
	<u>8,087</u>	<u>9,029</u>
Competition & Lifesaving Equipment		
At Cost	21,871	21,871
Accumulated Depreciation	(5,836)	(1,462)
	<u>16,035</u>	<u>20,409</u>
Lease Hold Improvements		
At Cost	10,437	10,437
Accumulated Depreciation	(1,792)	(748)
	<u>8,645</u>	<u>9,689</u>
<b>Total Property, Plant and Equipment</b>	<u><b>2,141,681</b></u>	<u><b>904,760</b></u>



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	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>Movements in Carrying Amounts</b>		
Movements in carrying amount for each class of property, plant and equipment between the beginning and the end of the current financial year		
<b>Land &amp; Buildings</b>		
Carrying Amount at the Beginning of Year	850,000	850,000
Addition	1,242,631	-
Carrying Amount at the End of Year	<u>2,092,631</u>	<u>850,000</u>
<b>Plant &amp; Equipment</b>		
Carrying Amount at the Beginning of Year	2,038	2,451
Depreciation Expense	(383)	(383)
Carrying Amount at the End of Year	<u>1,685</u>	<u>2,068</u>
<b>Office Equipment &amp; Furniture</b>		
Carrying Amount at the Beginning of Year	13,665	2,705
Additions	5,400	15,549
Depreciation Expense	(4,387)	(4,689)
Carrying Amount at the End of Year	<u>14,598</u>	<u>13,565</u>
<b>Rental Property Plant &amp; Equipment</b>		
Carrying Amount at the Beginning of Year	9029	-
Additions	-	9,418
Depreciation Expense	(942)	(389)
Carrying Amount at the End of Year	<u>8,087</u>	<u>9,029</u>
<b>Competition &amp; Lifesaving Equipment</b>		
Carrying Amount at the Beginning of Year	20,409	-
Additions	-	21,871
Depreciation Expense	(4,374)	(1,462)
Carrying Amount at the End of Year	<u>16,035</u>	<u>20,409</u>
<b>Lease Hold Improvements</b>		
Carrying Amount at the Beginning of Year	-	-
Additions	9,689	10,437
Accumulated Depreciation	(1,044)	(748)
Carrying Amount at the End of Year	<u>8,645</u>	<u>9,689</u>
<b>Totals</b>		
Carrying Amount at the Beginning of Year	904,760	855,155
Additions	1,248,031	57,275
Depreciation Expense	(11,110)	(7,871)
Carrying Amount at the End of Year	<u>2,141,681</u>	<u>904,760</u>



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	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>9 Trade and Other Payables</b>		
Current		
Trade Creditors	-	62,349
Other Creditors & Accruals	15,622	9,022
Rental Bond	19,800	-
GST Payable	768	16,426
	<u>36,190</u>	<u>87,797</u>
<b>10 Financial Liabilities</b>		
Non Current		
Building Society Loans Secured	<u>1,000,000</u>	<u>-</u>
The loans are secured by a registered first mortgage over the freehold properties of the Association.		
<b>11 Accumulated Funds</b>		
Funds at the Beginning of Year	1,405,630	1,227,981
Surplus Attributable to the Association	<u>29,206</u>	<u>177,669</u>
Funds at the End of Year	<u>1,434,836</u>	<u>1,405,630</u>
<b>12 Reserves</b>		
Asset Revaluation Reserve		
Funds at the Beginning of Year	<u>408,268</u>	<u>408,268</u>
Funds at the End of Year	<u>408,268</u>	<u>408,268</u>
<b>13 Cash Flow Information</b>		
Reconciliation of Cash Flow from Operations with Net Surplus		
Net Surplus	29,206	177,669
Non-cash flows		
Depreciation	11,110	7,671
Changes in Assets and Liabilities		
( Increase ) Decrease in Receivables	48,442	(51,270)
( Increase ) Decrease in Other	129,250	3,710
Increase in (Decrease) Payables	<u>(51,607)</u>	<u>4,923</u>
Net Cash Flows from Operations	<u>167,401</u>	<u>142,703</u>



# SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2009

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>14 Financial Instruments</b>		
<b>Financial Risk Management</b>		
The Association's financial instruments consist primarily of deposits with banks, local money market instruments, accounts receivable and payable and loans from banks.		
The Association does not have any derivative instruments at 31 May 2009.		
<b>(a) Treasury Risk Management</b>		
The committee meet on a regular basis and consider interest rate exposure and to evaluate cash flow to meet current and future obligations.		
<b>(b) Financial Risks</b>		
The main risks the Association is exposed to through its financial instruments are interest rate risk and liquidity risk.		
Interest rate risk is managed by a fixed term interest rate (expiring September 2011) on \$800,000 of the debt and by the monitoring of short & long term interest rate fluctuations on the remainder.		
The Association manages liquidity risk by monitoring cash flows on a regular basis and ensuring adequate funds are held in the bank at all times to meet present and future obligations. Repayment of borrowings is secured by a medium term rental agreements which are sufficient to meet the financial institutions debt.		
<b>15 Related Party Transactions</b>		
During the financial year the Association paid \$6,321 to Tech Mates Pty Ltd (trading as, Purrana) for IT services. Tech Mates Pty Ltd is an entity controlled by Mr Robert Yeldon the preceding President of the Association.		
<b>16 Association Details</b>		
The principal place of business of the Association is: Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated 1414 Anzac Parade Little Bay NSW 2230		
<b>17 Segment Information</b>		
The Association operates predominantly in one business and geographical segment, being the provision of Surf Life Saving administration services to the member clubs from North Bondi to Burning Palms.		
<b>18 Information And Declarations To Be Furnished Under The Charitable Fundraising Act 1991</b>		
The Gross Revenue from Non Member Fundraising, Solicited Donations and Sponsorship did not reach the minimum Gross Revenue total of \$100,000 whereby additional reporting is required under the Charitable Fundraising Act of 1991. Should this amount be exceeded in future years the Association will be required to report on the Gross amount received and the manner in which those funds were applied in meeting the objectives of the Association and Surf Life Saving.		



**SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED**  
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**STATEMENT BY THE COMMITTEE**

In the opinion of the committee the financial report as set out on pages 1 to 12:

1. Presents fairly the financial position of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated as at 31 May 2009 and its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, mandatory professional reporting requirements and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Committee and is signed for and on behalf of the Committee by:

President:

Mr Robert Yeldon ( Preceding President )

Director of Finance

Mr John De Cean

Dated this day \_\_\_\_\_ of July 2009

**PRESIDENT'S DECLARATION UNDER THE CHARITABLE FUNDRAISING ACT**

Declaration to be furnished under the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991. This declaration is made in accordance with Authority Conditions 7(4) and 7(5) issued by the Minister under Section 19 of the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991.

I, Robert Yeldon , Preceding President of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated declare that in my opinion:

- (a) the financial statements give a true and fair view of all income and expenditure of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated with respect to fundraising appeals; and
- (b) the Statement of Financial Position gives a true and fair view of the state of affairs with respect to fundraising appeals; and
- (c) the provisions of the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991, the Regulations under the Act and the conditions attached to the authority have been complied with; and
- (d) the internal controls exercised by Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated, are appropriate and effective in accounting for all income received and applied by Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated Inc from any of its fundraising appeals.

President:

Mr Robert Yeldon

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July 2009

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**INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT**  
**TO THE MEMBERS OF SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED**  
**A.B.N. 74 781 063 539**

**Report on the Financial Report**

I have audited the accompanying financial report of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated (the Association) which comprises the balance sheet as at 31 May 2009, and the income statement and cash flow statement for the year ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes and the statement by members of the committee.

**Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report**

The committee of the Association is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) the Associations Incorporations Act NSW 1984 and the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

**Auditor's Responsibility**

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

**Independence**

In conducting my audit, I have complied with the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements.

**Auditor's Opinion**

In my opinion:

The financial report of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated in accordance with the Associations Incorporation Act NSW 1984 including:

- (i) giving a true and fair view of the Association's financial position as at 31 May 2009 and of their performance for the year ended on that date; and
- (ii) complying with the Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Associations Incorporations Act NSW 1984.

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I also report that:

- (a) the financial statements show a true and fair view of the financial result of fundraising appeals conducted during the year;
- (b) the accounting and associated records have been properly kept during the year in accordance with the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the Regulations;
- (c) money received as a result of fundraising appeals conducted during the year has been properly accounted for and applied in accordance with the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the Regulations; and
- (d) at the date of this report, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Association will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

Signed Principal

Frank Larosa



Chartered  
Accountant

Audit Registration Number : 4142

Address:

62-64 Burwood Road, Burwood NSW 2134



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under Professional Standards Legislation.

Dated this

day of July 2009

**SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY BRANCH INC.  
RENTAL STATEMENT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2008**

	2009 \$	2008 \$
Rent Received	108,138	49,500
Less: Expenses		
Agent's Fees	15,560	11,750
Depreciation	942	-
Interest	67,485	-
Rates	10,457	3,435
Repairs & Maintenance	1,699	867
Strata Levies	11,310	7,210
	107,453	23,262
<b>Net Surplus From Rental Operations</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>26,238</b>



**SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY BRANCH INCORPORATED**  
**A.B.N. 74 781 063 539**  
**PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2009**

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>REVENUE</b>		
Surf Lifesaving NSW & Government Grants	297,045	295,785
Donations & Sponsorship - Solicited	34,961	133,088
Capitation Fees	62,146	58,144
Competition & Event Fees	69,493	58,443
Interest Received	26,025	42,222
Net Surplus From Rental Operations	685	26,238
	<u>491,155</u>	<u>614,910</u>
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Auditor's Fees	3,500	3,650
Advertising	3,090	14,899
Bank Charges	628	840
Competition & Event Running Costs	175,312	138,618
Computer Costs	2,638	6,738
Cleaning	1,060	928
Depreciation	10,168	7,671
Donations	91	-
Electricity	2,127	1,058
GST Administrative Costs	750	540
Insurance	7,437	5,536
Interest Paid	134	-
Licences & Permits	40	65
Marketing and Sponsorship	15,319	6,704
MYOB Administration Costs	600	875
Postage	3,542	3,591
Printing & Stationery	18,135	18,575
Relocation Costs	-	98
Rescue Services	20,239	17,117
Repairs & Maintenance	64	300
Presentation & Trophy Expenses	7,470	4,691
Salaries	86,412	97,780
Seminars & Meetings	7,921	9,553
Security Costs	976	2,005
Staff Training & Welfare	1,548	1,356
Sponsorship Distribution	74,968	76,753
Storage Fees	2,838	2,718
Superannuation Contributions	9,032	8,501
Telephone	5,379	5,273
Travelling & Courier Expenses	533	708
	<u>461,848</u>	<u>437,241</u>
<b>Surplus Attributable to Members of The Association</b>	<u>29,206</u>	<u>177,669</u>

This statement does not form part of the audited financial report  
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# BRANCH OFFICERS 1949-1950 TO 2008-2009

SEASON	PRESIDENT	DEPUTY PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER	ELECTED VICE PRESIDENTS			
1949-50	A. Curlewis	C. Mack	G. Millar A. Loton	J. Robinson	V. Besomo W. Crain R. Michaelis	J. Borseini C. Rudd T. Meagher	G. McRoberts W. Whitehead G. Souter	R. Geary W. Calnan J. Dempster
1950-51	C. Mack	W. Crain	A. Loton	J. Robinson	V. Besomo J. Marsden	J. Borseini C. Rudd	G. McRoberts W. Whitehead	R. Geary W. Calnan
1951-52	C. Mack	W. Grain	A. Loton	G. Souter	V. Besomo D. Lucas	J. Borseini R. Geary	D. Noon W. Whitehead	V. Williams V. Calnan
1952-53	C. Mack	W. Grain	A. Loton	G. Souter	V. Besomo D. Lucas	J. Comans R. Round	A. Castleman C. Rudd	N. May D. Moon
1953-54	C. Mack	W. Crain	A. Loton	G. Souter	H. Spurway A. Paterson	W. Lucas R. Jones	J. Dempster F. De Fries	D. Lucas C. Rudd
1954-55	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	G. Souter	A. Castleman D. Lucas J. Vaughan	J. Comans J. Dempster W. Crain	A. Paterson C. Rudd	R. Jones J. Comans
1955-56	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	G. Souter	E. Lawler J. Comans	J. Geary J. Geary	S. Perryman R. Arkins	J. Vaughan C. Rudd
1956-57	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	W. Threflo	C. Gray A. Paterson R. McKeon	T. Orsmyby H. Spurway J. Geary	R. Dempster R. Mascord C. Rudd	W. Crain J. Dempster
1957-58	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	W. Threflo	W. Crain C. Gray E. Lawler	A. Paterson R. Barker G. Hatten	J. Vaughan H. Spurway R. Baker	D. Renford J. Comans A. Sargeant
1958-59	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	B. Pitt	C. Rudd C. Gray A. Paterson	W. Crain G. Hatten B. Heavener	J. Dempster D. Renford H. Spurway	A. Paterson J. Comans J. Dempster
1959-60	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	B. Pitt	C. Rudd R. Grant B. Brewin	E. Lawler C. Gray G. Challis	W. Crain E. Lawler W. Crain	R. Wood R. Wood A. Paterson
1960-61	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	B. Pitt	C. Rudd W. Crain	J. Comans G. Challis	A. Purcell E. Lawler	A. Olson A. Purcell
1961-62	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	J. Needham	W. Crain	R. Grant	J. Pearson	E. Sier
1962-63	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	W. Crain	J. Marsden	J. Pearson	J. Perryman
1963-64	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	W. Crain	E. Sier	J. Marsden	E. Stephens
1964-65	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	W. Crain	E. Sier	A. Staunton	E. Stephens
1965-66	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	W. Crain	W. Marshall	E. Sier	E. Stephens
1966-67	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	W. Crain	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1967-68	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	E. Sier	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1968-69	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	P. Ainsworth R. Hoffman	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1969-70	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	W. Hodges	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1970-71	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	H. Brown	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1971-72	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	H. Brown	W. Marshall	R. Howells	P. Stapleton
1972-73	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	C. Smith	H. Brown	W. Marshall	R. Howells	P. Stapleton
1973-74	R. Buist	P. Stapleton	G. Staunton	C. Smith	N. Dixon	W. Marshall	C. Osborne	I. Toll
1974-75	R. Buist	I. Toll	B. Parker	R. Pears	N. Dixon	W. Marshall	C. Osborne	G. Staunton
1975-76	R. Buist	W. Marshall	I. Toll	R. Pears	W. Gray	J. Seddon	C. Osborne	G. Staunton
1976-77	R. Buist	W. Marshall	I. Toll	W. Kingston	W. Gray	J. Seddon	C. Osborne	G. Staunton
1977-78	W. Marshall	J. Switzer	J. Vaughan	W. Kingston	W. Gray	R. Buist	C. Osborne	M. Fischer
1978-79	W. Marshall	J. Switzer	J. Vaughan	W. Kingston	W. Gray	R. Buist	C. Osborne	J. Vesper
1979-80	W. Marshall	J. Switzer	J. Vaughan	W. Kingston	J. Dewey	R. Buist	C. Osborne	J. Vesper
1980-81	W. Marshall	J. Vesper	P. Pearce	W. Kingston	J. Dewey	R. Buist	N. Rees	G. Reeves
1981-82	W. Marshall	J. Vesper	P. Pearce	R. Sargeant	J. Dewey	W. Kingston	N. Rees	M. Singleton
1982-83	R. Sargeant	N. Rees	P. Pearce	C. Owens	W. Gray	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1983-84	R. Sargeant	N. Rees	P. Pearce	C. Owens	W. Gray	J. Connelly	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1984-85	R. Sargeant	N. Rees	S. Strange	C. Owens	W. Gray	J. Connelly	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1985-86	R. Sargeant	N. Rees	S. Strange	C. Owens	W. Gray	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1986-87	G. Forshaw	G. Forshaw	S. Strange	C. Owens	W. Gray	R. Sargeant	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1987-88	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	P. Stapleton	J. Connelly	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1988-89	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	J. Connelly	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1989-90	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	J. Walker	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1990-91	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	J. Walker	G. Forshaw	J. Connelly	M. Singleton
1991-92	M. Singleton	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	J. Walker	T. Elliott	T. Elliott	C. Ryan
1992-93	M. Singleton	W. Gray	J. De Cean	-	J. Walker	G. Forshaw	T. Elliott	C. Owens
1993-94	M. Singleton	W. Gray	J. De Cean	A. Berger	T. Elliott	J. Walker	S. Strange	F. Bailey
1994-95	M. Singleton	W. Gray	J. De Cean	D. Bergin	T. Elliott	W. Bos	M. Dillon	K. English
1995-96	P. Pearce	K. English	J. De Cean	B. Jackson	-	-	-	-
1996-97	P. Pearce	K. English	J. De Cean	S. Morris	-	-	-	-
1997-98	P. Pearce	K. English	S. Strange	S. Morris	J. De Cean	Vacant	-	-
1998-99	P. Pearce	K. English	S. Strange	D. Dillon	J. De Cean	J. Raine	-	-
1999-00	P. Pearce	J. De Cean	S. Strange	D. Dillon	J. De Cean	J. Raine	-	-
2000-01	P. Pearce	J. De Cean	B. Smith	D. Dillon	G. Phillips	-	-	-
2001-02	P. Pearce	J. De Cean	B. Smith	B. Smith	G. Phillips	-	-	-
2002-03	K. English	J. De Cean	B. Smith	B. Smith	G. Phillips (Res 04.03)	J. Sutcliffe (Res 03.03)	-	-
	President	Deputy President	Director of Finance	Director of Lifesaving	Director of Surf Sports	Director of Junior Development	Director of Youth Development	Director of Administration
2003-04	K. English	J. De Cean	J. Brown	S. Leahy	G. Evans	D. Mullinger	C. Morton	J. De Cean
2004-05	K. English	J. De Cean	J. Brown	S. Leahy	G. Evans	D. Mullinger	G. Fatseas	J. De Cean
2005-06	K. English	J. De Cean	J. Brown	G. Daly	G. Evans	T. Murray	G. Fatseas	J. De Cean
2006-07	K. English	J. De Cean	J. Brown	G. Daly	G. Evans	T. Murray	G. Fatseas	J. De Cean
2007-08	R. Yeldon	J. De Cean	P. Carney	M. Hodsdon	M. Vitnell	T. Murray	G. Fatseas	J. De Cean
2008-09	R. Yeldon	J. De Cean	P. Carney	M. Hodsdon	M. Vitnell	T. Murray	G. Fatseas	J. De Cean



# BOARD OF SURF SPORTS ACCREDITED MEMBERSHIP 08-09

## LEVEL 1 SURF OFFICIALS

CLUB	Surname	First Name	Award Name	Award Number	Expiry Date
Bondi		Maggi	Surf Official level 1	NS6654321	31/12/2012
Bondi	Douglas	Margaret	Surf Official Level 1	NS6455907	31/12/2011
Bondi	Douglas	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS6455905	31/12/2011
Bondi	Gencher	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS6455911	31/12/2011
Bondi	Hackers	Steven	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481807	31/12/2010
Bondi	Henne	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983247	31/12/2012
Bondi	Kowalski	Ireneusz	Surf Official level 1	NS6581611	31/12/2012
Bondi	Lynch	Anne	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984584	31/12/2008
Bondi	Munsami	Mangala	Surf Official Level 1	NS5971019	31/12/2011
Bondi	Nezval	Adam	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018822	31/12/2009
Bondi	Owen	Gwyn	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018670	31/12/2009
Bondi	Riley	Tom	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018872	31/12/2009
Bondi	Seeney	Alan	Surf Official Level 1	NS5951562	31/12/2010
Bondi	Smith	Timothy	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984422	31/12/2008
Bondi	Terry	Phillip	Surf Official Level 1	NS6603468	31/12/2012
Bondi	Vanderham	Patrick	Surf Official level 1	NS6527366	31/12/2012
Bronte	Bargenda	Andrew	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330117	31/12/2011
Bronte	Bartlett	Craig	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018126	31/12/2010
Bronte	Bramble	Louise	Surf Official Level 1	NS6526423	10/12/2012
Bronte	Bremmer	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481779	31/12/2012
Bronte	Dawson	John	Surf Official level 1	NS6605616	31/12/2012
Bronte	Jones	Tom	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018828	31/12/2009
Bronte	Kelly	Michael	Surf Official level 1	NS5965694	31/12/2011
Bronte	Loxton	Matt	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581613	31/12/2012
Bronte	Manning	Paul	Surf Official Level 1	NS6605622	31/12/2012
Bronte	McDermid	Colin	Surf Official Level 1	NS5960217	31/12/2011



Bronte	Mossman	Toni	Surf Official Level 1	NS6654333	31/12/2012
Bronte	Munro	Scott	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330116	31/12/2011
Bronte	Ryan	Jane	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456452	31/12/2011
Bronte	Scaffidi	Basil	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330079	31/12/2011
Bronte	Swimburn	John	Surf Official Level 1	NS6654978	31/12/2012
Bronte	Szabo	Paul	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330075	31/12/2011
Bronte	Weale	Mike	Surf Official Level 1	NS6603483	31/12/2012
Bronte	Woodger	Pam	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983870	31/12/2008
Burning Palms	Pearce	Margaret	Surf Official Level 1	NS6349212	31/12/2011
Burning Palms	Pearce	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS6603431	31/12/2012
Burning Palms	Vaughan	Joan	Surf Official Level 1	NS5970646	31/12/2010
Clovelly	Beger	Anthony	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984420	31/12/2008
Clovelly	Bransdon	Robert	Surf Official Level 1	NS5965609	31/12/2012
Clovelly	Isaacs	Jeannette	Surf Official Level 1	NS5982057	31/12/2010
Clovelly	Isaacs	Raymond	Surf Official Level 1	NS5971273	31/12/2010
Clovelly	McNamee	Jennifer	Surf Official Level 1	NS6469245	31/12/2011
Clovelly	Wheatley	Craig	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330077	31/12/2011
Clovelly	Wright	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018647	31/12/2009
Clovelly	Yeates	Steven	Surf Official Level 1	NS6654999	31/12/2012
Coogee	Bennett	Craig	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330128	31/12/2011
Coogee	Brincat	Louise	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018830	31/12/2009
Coogee	Dobry	Sigmar	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018808	31/12/2009
Coogee	Gately	Christopher	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018580	31/12/2009
Coogee	Handforth	Jo	Surf Official Level 1	NS6654316	31/12/2012
Coogee	Howie	Craig	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456426	31/12/2011
Coogee	Jenkins	David	Surf Official Level 1	NS6013190	31/12/2010
Coogee	Lindsay	Karen	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581612	31/12/2012
Coogee	Millar	Alan	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481805	31/12/2012
Coogee	Milne	Craig	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018685	31/12/2009
Coogee	Serpa-Gonzalex	Maxwell	Surf Official level 1	NS6481776	31/12/2012



Coogee	Vasilis	Bill	Surf Official Level 1	NS6562236	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Cavanagh	Paul	Surf Official Level 1	NS6602823	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Druery	Wayne	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481780	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Dunn	Rodney	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330118	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Evans	Colleen	Surf Official level 1	NS6602826	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Fitzpatrick	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018668	31/12/2009
Cronulla	Giles	Graham	Surf Official Level 1	NS5960208	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Gluskie	Richard	Surf Official Level 1	NS6588681	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Golding	Donna	Surf Official Level 1	NS5981527	31/12/2010
Cronulla	Hitchenson	Raymond	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983251	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Hitchenson	Joy	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983250	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Holland	Gregory	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983272	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Jordan	Craig	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018827	31/12/2009
Cronulla	Larssen	Emma	Surf Official Level 1	NS6352256	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Neilson	Sandra	Surf Official Level 1	NS6603419	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Rayner	Denise	Surf Official Level 1	NS5977813	31/12/2010
Cronulla	Rogers	Greg	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984421	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Strawbridge	Stephen	Surf Official Level 1	NS6013205	31/12/2010
Cronulla	Swane	Neil	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983295	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Swanson	Cherie	Surf Official Level 1	NS6603466	31/12/2012
Cronulla	Villanti	Carlo	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456455	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Wicken	Nicholas	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018732	31/12/2009
Cronulla	Wood	Daniel	Surf Official Level 1	NS6654982	31/2/2012
Elouera	Anderson	Paul	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481778	31/12/2012
Elouera	Brooker OAM	Edwin	Surf Official Level 1	NS6574064	31/12/2010
Elouera	Brown	Sandra	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581602	31/12/2012
Elouera	Bryce	Martin	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018810	31/12/2009
Elouera	Calo	Jodee	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984540	31/12/2008
Elouera	Carney	Amanda	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983245	31/12/2011
Elouera	Doyle	Karel	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984377	31/12/2008



Elouera	Garcia	Amber	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581605	31/12/2012
Elouera	Garcia	Javier	Surf Official level 1	NS6581606	31/2/2012
Elouera	Gray	Marie	Surf Official Level 1	NS5965613	31/12/2011
Elouera	Gray	Michelle	Surf Official level 1	NS6581608	31/12/2012
Elouera	Hanley	John	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581609	31/12/2012
Elouera	Hanton	Elizabeth	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481781	31/12/2012
Elouera	Hardy	Les	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581610	31/12/2012
Elouera	Jones	Karen	Surf Official Level 1	WA6013219	31/12/2010
Elouera	Jones	Paul	Surf Official Level 1	WA6013220	31/12/2010
Elouera	Jones	Vaughan	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481819	31/12/2012
Elouera	Kelly	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS5965694	31/12/2011
Elouera	McDonald	Trevor	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984016	31/12/2008
Elouera	MCKay	Sandra	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018703	31/12/2009
Elouera	Parker	Jackie	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456449	31/12/2011
Elouera	Pepper	David	Surf Official Level 1	NS6424839	31/12/2011
Elouera	Porter	Steven	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581625	31/12/2012
Elouera	Sinclair	Caron	Surf Official Level 1	NS6527368	31/12/2012
Elouera	Urquhart	Tracey	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456454	31/12/2011
Elouera	Walker	Brett	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018820	31/12/2009
Elouera	Walmsley	Julie	Surf Official Level 1	NS6605624	31/12/2012
Maroubra	Benhayon	George	Surf Official Level 1	NS6605614	31/12/2012
Maroubra	Bevan	Bruce	Surf Official Level 1	Q6509322	31/12/2012
Maroubra	Haggart	Dave	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018813	31/12/2009
Maroubra	Harper	Diane	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481806	31/12/2012
Maroubra	Lewis	Joyita	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456444	31/12/2011
Maroubra	Rich	Chris	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481775	31/12/2012
North Bondi	Aldous	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS6455771	31/12/2011
North Bondi	Alexiou	Paul	Surf Official Level 1	NS6653442	31/12/2012
North Bondi	Beynon	Guy	Surf Official Level 1	NS6651989	31/12/2012
North Bondi	Beynon	Lindy	Surf Official level 1	NS6651998	13/12/2012



North Bondi	Ballhausen	John	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984173	31/12/2008
North Bondi	Clark	Narelle	Surf Official Level 1	NS6605615	31/12/2012
North Bondi	Melvey	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984327	31/12/2008
North Bondi	Michael	Philip	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984595	31/12/2008
North Bondi	Molloy	Philip	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983441	31/12/2011
North Bondi	Pantle	Adam	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018821	31/12/2009
North Bondi	Rowlands	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984799	31/12/2009
North Bondi	Thomson	Scott	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481777	31/12/2012
North Bondi	Wright	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018647	31/12/2009
North Bondi	Zieme	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983628	31/12/2008
North Cronulla	Andrews	Simon	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018837	31/12/2009
North Cronulla	Budd	Geoffrey	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983452	31/12/2008
North Cronulla	Charles	David	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581604	31/12/2012
North Cronulla	Dillon	Ben	Surf Official Level 1	NS6492462	31/12/2012
North Cronulla	Edwards	Paul	Surf Official Level 1	NS5958762	31/12/2011
North Cronulla	Glasson	Dene	Surf Official Level 1	NS6654295	31/12/2012
North Cronulla	Gray	Stuart	Surf Official Level 1	NS6412746	31/12/2011
North Cronulla	Howell	Lee	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481782	31/12/2012
North Cronulla	Hughes	Anthony	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984225	31/12/2012
North Cronulla	MacNamara	Kevin	Surf Official Level 1	NS6605621	31/12/2012
North Cronulla	Makovec	Daniel	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018705	31/12/2009
North Cronulla	Marshall	Barry	Surf Official Level 1	NS6603412	31/12/2012
North Cronulla	McGroder	Donald	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983273	31/12/2011
North Cronulla	Morton (Dec)	Ian	Surf Official Level 1	NS5982042	31/12/2010
North Cronulla	Nuttall	Darryl	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330177	31/12/2011
North Cronulla	Oliver	Neil	Surf Official Level 1	NS5970797	31/12/2009
North Cronulla	Piddington	Norman	Surf Official Level 1	NS5960335	31/12/2010
North Cronulla	Pritchard	Martin	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456450	31/12/2011
North Cronulla	Ridley	Rosemary	Surf Official Level 1	NS5965350	31/12/2006
North Cronulla	Stokes-Hughes	Nicholas	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330078	31/12/2011



North Cronulla	Wallace	Ian	Surf Official Level 1	NS5982118	31/12/2010
North Cronulla	Whitford	Kristine	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018756	31/12/2009
North Cronulla	Whitford (Hayes)	Jennifer	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018576	31/12/2009
South Maroubra	Bambridge	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018833	31/12/2009
South Maroubra	Byrne	Robert	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018127	31/12/2010
South Maroubra	Fong	Louis	Surf Official level 1	NS6605617	31/12/2012
South Maroubra	Fukui	Nagisa	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018807	31/12/2009
South Maroubra	Hudson	Ken	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983248	31/12/2011
South Maroubra	Koloamatangi	Isi	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984543	31/12/2008
South Maroubra	McGuinn	Suzanne	Surf Official Level 1	NS5982067	31/12/2011
South Maroubra	Perrin	Linda	Surf Official Level 1	NS6481783	31/12/2012
South Maroubra	Raymond	Michael	Surf Official Level 1	NS6424841	31/12/2011
South Maroubra	Raymond	Victoria	Surf Official Level 1	NS6347462	31/12/2011
South Maroubra	Rutherford	Yvette	Surf Official Level 1	NS6456451	31/12/2011
South Maroubra	Stenson	Peter	Surf Official Level 1	NS5965626	31/12/2011
South Maroubra	Walsh	Joanne	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983619	31/12/2011
Tamarama	Degara	Shay	Surf Official Level 1	NS6654277	31/12/2012
Tamarama	Sheldon	Richard	Surf Official level 1	NS6581626	31/12/2012
Wanda	Allum	Patricia	Surf Official Level 1	NS5978129	31/12/2010
Wanda	Anderson	Helen	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984206	31/12/2008
Wanda	Avenia	Rosanna	Surf Official Level 1	NS6455772	31/12/2011
Wanda	Brown	Donna	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330178	31/12/2011
Wanda	Brown	Jeffrey	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983451	31/12/2011
Wanda	Caterson	Anne	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984363	31/12/2008
Wanda	Coates	Ian	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984220	31/12/2008
Wanda	Douglas	John	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984851	31/12/2009
Wanda	Furniss	Brett	Surf Official Level 1	NS6022274	31/12/2008
Wanda	George	Paula	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983294	31/12/2011
Wanda	Gittus	David	Surf Official level 1	NS6581607	31/12/2012
Wanda	Harris	Bradney	Surf Official Level 1	NS5977293	31/12/2009



Wanda	Herman	Robert	Surf Official Level 1	NS5960211	31/12/2012
Wanda	Holdsworth	Rodney	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984366	31/12/2008
Wanda	Jones	Patrick	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330176	31/12/2011
Wanda	Mayo	Tim	Surf Official Level 1	NS6605623	31/12/2012
Wanda	Melville	Kurt	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018825	31/12/2009
Wanda	Munro	Joanne	Surf Official Level 1	NS6330074	31/12/2011
Wanda	Palmer	Dale	Surf Official Level 1	NS6581616	31/12/2012
Wanda	Pierce	Helen	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018667	31/12/2009
Wanda	Ricketts	Colin	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983291	31/12/2011
Wanda	Rofe	Scott	Surf Official Level 1	NS5984210	31/12/2008
Wanda	Sargeant	Mark	Surf Official Level 1	NS6018587	31/12/2009
Wanda	Smith	Ken	Surf Official Level 1	NS6013228	31/12/2010
Wanda	Traves	James	Surf Official Level 1	NS5983439	31/12/2011

## LEVEL 2 SURF OFFICIALS

CLUB	Surname	First Name	Award Name	Award Number	Expiry Date
Bondi	De Cean	John	Surf Official Level 2	NS5966663	31/12/2009
Bronte	Burke	Lynne	Surf Official Level 2	NS5959470	31/12/2009
Coogee	Cahill	Edward	Surf Official Level 2	NS5959172	31/12/2008
Coogee	Morris	Heather	Surf Official Level 2	NS6515618	31/12/2011
Coogee	Daly	Gary	Surf Official Level 2	NS5970618	01/10/2009
Cronulla	Goode	Ian	Surf Official Level 2	NS5966625	31/12/2010
Cronulla	Roye	Michael	Surf Official level 2	NS6635405	31/12/2011
Cronulla	Vitnell	Michael	Surf Official Level 2	NS5982045	31/12/2010
Elouera	Allan	Robyn	Surf Official Level 2	NS5971530	31/12/2009
Elouera	Carney	Peter	Surf Official Level 2	NS5983269	31/12/2011
Elouera	Pears OAM	Ronald	Surf Official Level 2	NS5965105	31/12/2008
North Bondi	Agnew	Peter	Surf Official Level 2	NS5964238	31/12/2009
North Cronulla	Day	Michael	Surf Official Level 2	NS6581088	31/12/2011
North Cronulla	Hammond	Ron	Surf Official Level 2	NS5964836	31/12/2008
North Cronulla	Workman	Donald	Surf Official Level 2	NS5959479	31/12/2008



South Maroubra	Briscoe	Carl	Surf Official Level 2	NS5971504	31/12/2010
South Maroubra	Robinson	Raymond	Surf Official Level 2	NS5965639	31/12/2008
South Maroubra	Vallis	Pamela	Surf Official Level 2	NS5960360	31/12/2010
Tamarama	Davis	Peter	Surf Official Level 2	NS5970987	31/12/2011
Wanda	Brannock	Michael	Surf Official level 2	NS6495287	31/12/2009
Wanda	Cane	Robert	Surf Official Level 2	NS5965355	31/12/2008
Wanda	McKirdy	Gordon	Surf Official Level 2	NS6013164	31/12/2009
Wanda	Pierce	Greg	Surf Official Level 2	NS6424840	31/12/2011
Wanda	Stephens	Ernest	Surf Official Level 2	NS5965671	31/12/2009

### LEVEL 3 SURF OFFICIALS

CLUB	Surname	First Name	Award Name	Award Number	Expiry Date
Bondi	Burst	Peter R.	Surf Official Level 3	NS5966666	31/12/2008
Burning Palms	Strange	Stephen	Surf Official Level 3	NS5965781	31/12/2007
Coogee	Martin	Geoffrey	Surf Official Level 3	NS5964759	31/12/2008
Cronulla	Allum OAM	Gregory	Surf Official Level 3	NS5966643	31/12/2009
Cronulla	Bignold	Richard	Surf Official Level 3	NS5976881	31/12/2007
Cronulla	Bruce	Graham	Surf Official Level 3	NS5964750	31/12/2009
Cronulla	Evans	Grahame	Surf Official Level 3	NS5965500	31/12/2008
Maroubra	Restuccia	John	Surf Official Level 3	NS5970612	31/12/2009
North Cronulla	Francis	Reginald	Surf Official Level 3	NS5970607	31/12/2008
Wanda	Allum OAM	Gregory	Surf Official Level 3	NS5966643	31/12/2009

### OFFICIALS FROM OUTSIDE OF SYDNEY 08-09

Asser	Robert	Surf Official Level 2	John	Fahey	Surf Official Level 3
Beauchamp	Gary	Surf Official Level 2	Howard	Greg	Surf Official Level 2
Bulmer	Leslie	Surf Official Level 1	Ward	Brian	Surf Official level 2
Cook	Gary	Surf Official Level 2	Troop	Marianne	Surf Official Level 2
Troy	Sue	Surf Official Level 1	Lambert	Ross	Surf Official Level 1
Lucke	Jeff	Surf Official Level 3			



## SYDNEY PROBATIONARY OFFICIALS 2008-2009

Club	Surname	First Nname	Course Date
Bronte	Harle	Kim	29.11.2008
Bondi	Keeble	Kay	29.11.2008
Bronte	O'Neill	Stephen	29.11.2008
Bronte	Rule	Jacinta	29.11.2008
Cronulla	Markey	Nardia	15.11.2008
Cronulla	Rowley	Michael	15.11.2008
Cronulla	Tibbitts	Wayne	15.11.2008
Nth Cronulla	McNamara	Kevin	15.11.2008
Wanda	Robertson	Andrew	25.10.2008
Coogee	Karozie	Tass	25.10.2008
Coogee	Holmes	Leanne	25.10.2008
Nth Bondi	Slade	Andre	25.10.2008
Nth Bondi	Clark	Narelle	19.1.2008

## OFFICIALS STATISTICS

	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Level 1 Officials</b>	123	199
<b>Level 2 Officials</b>	16	24
<b>Level 3 Officials</b>	10	10
<b>Probationary</b>	44	13
<b>TOTAL</b>	193	246





## BOARD OF ASSESSORS MEMBERSHIP 08-09

Peter Agnew	North Bondi SLSC	BM/ARC/IRB
Brent Armitage	Maroubra SLSC	Probationary
Anthony (Tony) Beger	Clovelly SLSC	Radio
Michael Bretherton	Garie SLSC	BM/ARC
Ron Camilleri	North Cronulla SLSC	ORB
John Campanaro	South Maroubra SLSC	BM/ARC
Peter Carney	Elouera SLSC	BM
Greg Causer	Coogee SLSC	BM/ARC
Gary Cheer	Coogee SLSC	BM
Glen Clarke	Clovelly SLSC	BM/ARC
Paul Cooper	Tamarama SLSC	BM/ARC
John Counter	South Maroubra SLSC	BM
Grace Cowan	North Cronulla SLSC	BM
Gary Daly	Coogee SLSC	BM/ARC
Brian Dalgarno	Cronulla SLSC	Probationary
Siegmar Dobry	Coogee SLSC	IRB
Mark Doepel	Coogee SLSC	BM/ARC
Martin (Marty) Drennan	Bondi SLSC	BM
Fern Elliott	Cronulla SLSC	BM
George Fatseas	Coogee SLSC	BM
Graham Ford	Bronte SLSC	BM
Stephen Ford	Bronte SLSC	BM
Brett Furniss	Wanda SLSC	BM
Patrick Garcia	Coogee SLSC	BM
Peter George AM	North Cronulla SLSC	BM
Rosalyn George	North Cronulla SLSC	BM/ARC
Andrew Gordon	Coogee SLSC	Probationary
Keith Grima	Maroubra SLSC	BM/ARC
Catherine (Cathie) Hall	South Maroubra SLSC	BM/ARC
Peter Harvie	Coogee SLSC	BM
Graham Hill	Wanda SLSC	BM/ARC
Michael Hodsdon	Garie SLSC	BM/ARC/IRB
Lee Howell	North Cronulla SLSC	BM
Gary Hyland	Coogee SLSC	BM/ARC
Marissa Jank	Bondi SBLSC	BM
Vince Johnson	South Maroubra SLSC	BM/ARC
Philip Kemp	Coogee SLSC	BM
Jim Kornmehl	Bondi SBLSC	BM
David Kowald	Elouera SLSC	BM
Robert (Bob) Leys	Bondi SBLSC	IRB
John Mackey	Bondi SBLSC	IRB
Ian Manley	North Cronulla SLSC	BM/ORB
Natalie Manley	North Cronulla SLSC	BM
Scott Marshall	North Cronulla SLSC	BM/IRB
Jennifer Mason	Cronulla SLSC	BM
Jennifer McNamee	Clovelly SLSC	BM



John McNamee	Clovelly SLSC	BM/ARC
Peter R. Murphy	Bondi SLSC	BM/ARC
Bridget O Kane	Coogee SLSC	BM
Colin Panagakis	Bondi SBLSC	BM
Dennis Parker	Elouera SLSC	IRB
Margaret Pearce	Burning Palms SLSC	BM
Peter Pearce	Burning Palms SLSC	IRB
Kym Pennell	Elouera SLSC	BM/ARC/IRB
Mark Percy	Clovelly SLSC	BM/ARC
Gary Pracy	Maroubra SLSC	Probationary
Peter Quartly	Bondi SLSC	BM/ARC
John Restuccia	Maroubra SLSC	BM
Ray Robinson	South Maroubra SLSC	BM
Scott Rofe	Wanda SLSC	BM/ARC
John Rooney	South Maroubra SLSC	BM
George Shales	Maroubra SLSC	ORB
Richard Sheldon	Tamarama SLSC	BM
Jayme Smith	North Bondi SLSC	BM/IRB/ARC
Karl Solomonson	Maroubra SLSC	ORB
Peter Tippet	Bondi SBLSC	BM
Trent Thomas	Maroubra SLSC	BM
Chris Thompson	Clovelly SLSC	BM
Simon Torsellini	South Maroubra SLSC	Probationary
Stephen Urquhart	Elouera SLSC	BM
Serge Vegh	North Bondi SLSC	BM
Jacob Waks	Bondi SBLSC	BM
Joe White	South Maroubra SLSC	Radio
David Winkle	Coogee SLSC	IRB
Terry Young	Bondi SBLSC	BM



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# VALE

## William (Bill) Marshall

All members of Surf Life Saving were saddened of the news that Mr William (Bill) G Marshall OAM had passed away in December 2008 after a short illness.

Bill as we all new him by was a member of the Cronulla Surf Life Saving Club for 66 years and in that time he held many positions such as Club Captain, President and Patron an position he held with pride.

Bill was also a very active member of Surf Life Saving Sydney for many years and held positions such as Vice President, President and Patron, as well as being on many of the sub-committee's. Bill was always prepared to share a kind word to all members whether young or old .

Bill was awarded Life Membership of Surf Life Saving Australia, Surf Life Saving New South Wales, Surf Life Saving Sydney and Cronulla Surf Life Saving club. He was also honoured by elevation to and OAM in the Australia Days Honours.

Bill will be sadly missed by all members within our organisation and we extend our sincere condolences to his wife Faye and his family

Lest We Forget

We also extend our sincere condolences to all members and families that may have lost a family member during the season

**John C. De Cean**  
**Director of**  
**Administration**





## THE FINAL WORD

As the 2008/09 season comes to a close we should all extend our thanks to all of our volunteers for another successful season, with our active members patrolling our great coastline on weekends and Public Holidays during the season. We are in an amazing organisation that we pay to be members off to protect our many beaches along the coastline.

Special thanks should also be extended to our members who give up their time to be part of the Board of Life Saving and Board of Surf Sports, without these people we would not be able to carry out our assessments and conduct carnivals with in Surf Life Saving Sydney.

My thanks also go to our President Rob Yeldon for his support through out the season, as well as to the other Members of the Management Committee such as Peter Carney Director of Finance, Mike Vitnell Director of Surf Sports, Michael Hodsdon Director of Lifesaving, Tim Murray Director of Junior Development and George Fatseas Director of Youth Development, The amount of time that these people put into their areas is fantastic.

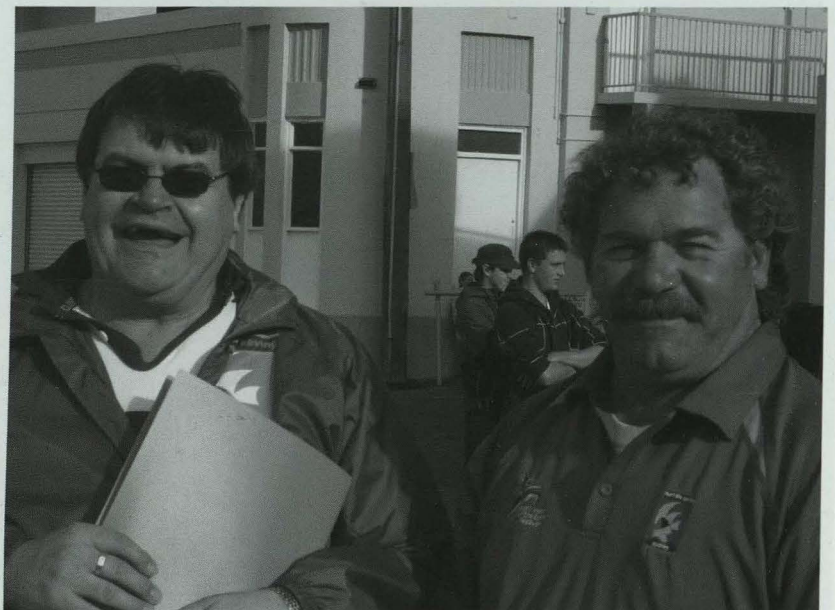
To our staff that look after the day to day operations at the office we again are so lucky to have a dedicated team that are always on hand to assist, to Yvette Rutherford and Linda Perrin go my thanks for your assistance and support during the season you certainly make my job a lot easier. Leann Grant was employed by us during the season to look after our surf sports area but left us in the New Year to take on a role closer to home and my thanks also to Leann.

The 2009/10 season will bring us many challengers and through the efforts of all the clubs and Branch officers I know that we can over come the hurdles and work together to make sure that Surf Life Saving Sydney is the envy of all other Branches and returns to be the number one Branch in the state.

I would like to take this opportunity in wish all Officers and Clubs all the best for the 2009/10 season and look forward to working with everyone again

**John C. De Cean**  
**Director of Administration**

***John De Cean – Deputy  
Branch Presidents, BOSS  
Secretary, Director of  
Administration together  
with Mike Vitnell –  
Director of Surf Sports***





Surf Life Saving Sydney  
thanks its 2008-2009  
sponsors and supporters





## **Surf Life Saving Sydney**

### **Vigilance and Service Statistics**

<b>Active Proficient Lifesavers</b>	<b>3445</b>
<b>Junior 5 – 13 yr Members</b>	<b>5770</b>
<b>Total Sydney Membership</b>	<b>14275</b>
<b>SLSA Awards Gained</b>	<b>7756</b>
<b>Rescues Performed</b>	<b>1802</b>
<b>First Aid Performed</b>	<b>4305</b>
<b>Preventions</b>	<b>29083</b>

