

SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY

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Glenn Duffus, Doug Hawkins, Nicole Krite, Marissa Saunders and our Clubs.

Cover: Glenn Duffus

Surf Life Saving Sydney acknowledges the Traditional Owners and Custodians of the land on which we work and live within Australia. We would also like to pay our respects to Elders, past, present and emerging, and acknowledge the ongoing connection that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island peoples have with Australia's land and waters.

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SECTION 01

INTRODUCTION





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INTRODUCTION

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Stability returns with a season of minimal disruption and fine weather. Good operational conditions and new ways of working did, however, create a busy season for our frontline lifesavers and officers. I am proud to present my final annual report as president and record part of the history of this amazing part of the organisation we call Surf Life Saving Sydney (SLS Sydney). Hectic lifesaving activity and extended operations, new carnival formats, growth in junior and education activity and a wide range of events and activity for our members both young and old all formed part of this season's core operations.

SLS Sydney has many strategic and operational activities that fall under its scope. At our core is supporting our 15 SLS Clubs within our boundaries. This report records the opportunities grasped, the challenges faced and the journey along the way. It also includes an impressive array of statistics and numbers that highlight the activity undertaken. Beneath the number are the human stories of effort and sacrifice. Of long hours of commitment by a fantastic group of volunteers and branch office staff. The pictures within this report will show many of the faces that exemplify the core purpose of the organisation in saving lives, creating great Australian and building strong communities.

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Getting stuff right requires significant planning and focus and this year the team leveraged off a productive winter period and a planning with the involvement of Central Coast and Hunter Branches with five key priority areas of focus identified for this season.

1. Communicate with our stakeholders better
2. Develop a Branch wide Culture of Safety
3. Shift our leadership to a more strategic focus
4. Drive our activity and club support through professional support
5. Capture our corporate knowledge to provide clarity to future officers

The team also updated its operational plan to include key priorities in each portfolio. Good progress has been made on the operational and the longer-term programs to add value to SLS Sydney and shift culture. Felicity Muir was appointed as the Strategic Advisor and added a wealth of value with her corporate and strategy expertise but also with her advice to officers undertaking projects. Several outputs included the online operations manual development, board planning

calendar with additional activity/action content, provision of administration support in the office and a new weekly snapshot sent to stakeholders. A new newsletter and website are well underway for release in the new season.

The prevention of drowning and injury along the Sydney coastline still consumes much of our activity and we've continued our advocacy with the NSW Government. Good progress has been made in having surf lifesaving recognised in the Royal National Park's Plan of Management and the inclusion of coastal and beach safety in the National Parks and Wildlife Services (NPWS) Visitor Safety Policy. Former Environment Minister Griffins and the incoming Environment Minister Sharpe also visited our National Parks clubs with Branch officers to discuss our ongoing concerns around safety, communication and the commitment by NPWS. The meetings assisted in making progress and our first NPWS / SLSS joint meeting was held during the season to plan for greater prioritisation of coastal and beach safety in the Royal National Park and the Kamay Botany Bay National Park. In other lifesaving endeavors our Support Operations team had a record number of hours of on water with the Rescue Water Craft (RWC) hours exceeding 3,184 hours. Some amazing mass rescues and support of club patrols will be detailed within this report. Despite the enormous efforts and extended operations 10 people drowned in Sydney waters this summer. A total of 52 coastal drownings occurred across the state in an unacceptably high record. While the 'Swim between the flags' message has a high recall rate across the broader population, continual research on the effectiveness of rip safety messaging and the impact is still required.

The proliferation of online meeting spaces over the past four years has made shorter, sharper meetings and education programs more accessible. Our start of season meeting series was a mix of online and face to face programs this year. Larger gatherings of all key officers have assisted to build alignment with the Branch's planning and directional objectives while short online educational programs around governance, safety culture, member protection have assisted club officers with easy access to topical issues.

Over the last four years a key priority for the Board has been greater organisational diversity - the first research focused, university supported, membership survey was undertaken during the year by SLSNSW and the results provided some encouraging developments but also highlight areas that we should feel uncomfortable about. The organisation is still underrepresented in women in leadership roles and within sections of our support operations. While it seems like a conversation we shouldn't need to be having in this era, proactive strategies to shift the culture of the organisation to one

where everyone feels, and is, welcome have been an important part of our effort. It is pleasing to report that the SLS Sydney Board now has a balanced gender make up and that a break in the male dominated executive group has been achieved through good cultural practices and an enthusiastic management team. We also welcomed several new members to the support operations team to create a greater balance within the group. Programs such as Silver Salties, Woman in SLS Leadership Mentors, Rainbow Beaches celebrations across clubs and dippers and sport inclusion programs have been woven into the fabric of the organisation as we align the rhetoric of our strategic planning to the behaviour within the organisation. I'm continually amazed and proud of the work of many of our officers and of many parts of the organisation but am also mindful that we still have some heavy lifting to undertake.

Sport is part of our cultural fabric and the role of Surf Sports in SLS is an important role in member satisfaction, engagement and skill acquisition. This year saw our biggest Branch Championship series ever with events spread over three venues and over a five-day period. A major carnival returning to the shores of Bondi Beach was a proud moment for all the team and competitors alike. North Bondi SLSC hosted the Junior Championships in late January, and it proved to be a fantastic spectacle of colour and activity. Maroubra SLSC hosted our Open Championships with unusually favorable conditions bringing smiles to the faces of many. The Masters, lifesaving and R&R events were then hosted at Coogee Beach. I take the opportunity to thank our host clubs and organising teams while recognising our athletes and officials for the effort they put in across our sporting calendar. I also congratulate Sydney's clubs for their amazing results at the NSW and Australian Championships that are detailed within this report.

“Our thanks to coaches, officials and age managers for their efforts in developing our young members and future lifesavers.”





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SLS Sydney has seen a good continual growth in junior numbers over the past several years and is above the SLSNSW benchmark compared to other branches. Extended junior clinics were conducted this year and a new youth ski clinic was undertaken. Thanks to George Benhayon for his efforts in supporting the leadership team while also winning the Branch Member of the Year for his drive and determination to growing and developing our juniors and youth. Recognition is part of our desire to celebrate the efforts of our existing members for their outstanding achievements, brave feats and quite accomplishments. We also hope to inspire future members by shining a light on those that have given, achieved and enjoyed their contribution. This year we held our Awards of Excellence at Randwick Racecourse in the Winx Room which included a Junior Awards ceremony followed by a gala dinner and awards ceremony. While the pages of this report will highlight the contribution of our members it is worthwhile noting the elevation of Kerryn Briody to SLS Sydney Life Membership. Kerryn has been a major contributor to education, surf sports and organisational development over many decades and we congratulate her on this prestigious recognition. Congratulations to nine Surf Life Saving Sydney members who have been recognised in the Australian Honours list for their contribution to Surf Life Saving. Two members received a Medal in the General Division (OAM). Our Patron, Geoffrey Forshaw OAM and Barry Ezzy OAM. Both are life members of Cronulla SLSC. Graham Ford AM AO, Bronte SLSC; Graham Bruce AM, Cronulla SLSC; Anne Catersen OAM, Wanda SLSC. Four members were recognised with the Emergency Services Medal. Bradley Taylor ESM, Garie SLSC/SR30; Gary Daly ESM, Coogee/Burning Palms; Gerald Stephenson, Nth Bondi/Duty Officer; Tresne Cheshier, Clovelly SLSC/SR30. A heart felt congratulations!

At the core of SLS Sydney is our award assessors, carnival officials, duty officers, rescue watercraft operators, club presidents, branch officers and advisors, staff and the management team. The SLS Sydney Management team and each of the areas above require a significant amount of human effort to manage and I take the opportunity to thank all those membership groups and the SLS Sydney Board of Management, officers and committees for what has been a busy and rewarding season – thank you! Thanks also to our life members who this year came together to connect, reflect and enjoy each other's company at a life member lunch held at Coogee SLSC.

Our five key portfolio directors Scott Muir, Craig Howie, Doug Hawkins, David Love and Carlo Valenti are the engine room of the Branch – they deal with the ongoing and day to day operational issues of the SLS Sydney. They manage the many officers and committees within their sections while maintaining financial oversight of their area. I have enjoyed working with each of them and I have cherished the passion and enthusiasm they bring to their role, the ideas they share, and the expertise they contribute – on behalf of the members I thank them for their commitment and service over the past 12 months.

Thank you also to the executive team comprising of Deputy President, Elissa Hancock, Director of Administration, Marissa Saunders and Athenia Pascoe in the role of Director of Finance. I have enjoyed working in this high performing executive group and have been in awe of the amount of time each member contributes to SLS Sydney and the organisation. Each of these roles are not high profile but they are high in activity and output – often out of sight but often in the line of sight of difficult and complex decision-making day to day. Like me, I know all our members are grateful for their dedication and contribution – thank you.



Thank you also to the office staff, Linda, Catherine, Will and Julie. Linda has led the office for the past 18 years and is such a part of our internal culture. A calm and consistent source of knowledge and guidance it would be hard to see SLS Sydney without her presence. Catherine joined the team at the start of the season and has straddled the mammoth task of working out our major events. I'm hoping she now feels a sense of control and order following her first year of activity and I wish her enjoyment and longevity in the role. Will contributed to the first half of the year in the club development role with Julie who took on the role in the second half of the season. Thanks both for your effort and contribution to helping our clubs in their journey to being great.

I take the opportunity to thank our club Presidents for the ongoing leadership of SLS Sydney. As part of our governing council, they have provided me and the team with ongoing advice, support and feedback from the frontline. Thanks also to the team at SLSNSW and at SLSA for their support of our officers and clubs over the past year.

To our amazing partners and political supporters, I take the opportunity to thank you for supporting surf lifesaving in Sydney and the wider movement. Betty's Burgers have been exceptional to work with and have become part of our family in the support and joy they provide. Thank you also to Sydney Airport for their support over 22 years, you have allowed us to achieve so much across the movement. We have also enjoyed and appreciated our connection with Safe365, Transdev John Holland and Buyers Market. All have assisted us in supporting lifesaving work on our beaches. We have a good relationship with the three local government areas that fall within the Sydney region and the NSW

Government have been generous with grants and capital works funding for our clubs. The Federal Government have also funded sizable slice of our education and public safety programs at a national level.

The team has worked hard on talent management and succession planning over the past several years and I congratulate those officers retiring from their position and thank each officer for their service. I also take the opportunity to welcome Elissa Hancock into the role as the fifteenth President of SLS Sydney, historically, our first female President of the Branch. Elissa and team, I wish you all the best for the future and joy and happiness in your roles.

I have enjoyed the progress, the friendships and the positive change witnessed in the past four years as President of SLS Sydney and for enjoyment of nearly two of the past three decades on the Branch Management team. It has enriched my life and allow me to grow, have purpose and contribute to such an important cause. I look forward to my term ahead as President of SLSNSW and the new and exciting challenges the role brings.

I hope you find this annual report an enjoyable reflection of the past twelve months and I look forward to watching and contributing to the continual positive growth of SLS Sydney in the years to come.

PETER AGNEW ESM
President

INTRODUCTION

WHO WE ARE

Surf Life Saving Sydney (SLSS) Inc. is a coordination and representative body of Surf Life Saving for the fifteen Surf Life Saving Clubs & various support operations stretching from North Bondi south to Burning Palms in the Royal National Park

We are a charitable community service-based organisation that exists through donations, fundraising, corporate sponsorship and government grants.

Our charitable purpose is to create a single uniform entity through and by which Surf Life Saving and the preservation of life in the aquatic environment can be conducted, encouraged, promoted, advanced and administered.

Our principal activity for the 2022/23 financial year was the provision of safety services, compliance and administration services to our member clubs which includes; club based patrols & support services, surf sports events, junior member growth & development along with support to our vibrant community of 18,842 volunteers.

OUR VISION

Zero preventable deaths in Australian waters.

Our Focus: Help clubs & lifesavers be their best while striving to prevent drowning & injury along the Sydney coastline.

OUR PURPOSE

We save lives, create great Australians & build better communities.

Our Focus: Develop skilled lifesavers & leaders while fostering club & community collaboration & connection.

OUR VALUES

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SAFETY - FIRST

We develop a culture of safety with our members & with the public.



TRUST

We develop trust through our actions. Protecting the flags & beaches on the frontline & by being open & honest with each other behind the line.



RESPECT

People come to the beach for fun. We respect the public, the ocean & each other. We act with integrity & model respectful behaviour.



CARING

We support & exhibit concern for people on & off the beach. We value life & well-being.



RESPONSIBILITY

We are compliant, accountable & deliver & what we say we will.

OUR PRIORITIES

PRIORITY 1

Making it easy for volunteers, staff & the community to contribute to the movement

- Identifying pain points
- Being a thought leader on change
- Be solution focused & leaders on what needs improving
- Advocating for it to be easier & better

PRIORITY 2

Growing & developing what we best - saving lives

- Knowing our data
- Develop growth priorities & strategies
- Bring others along & guild alignment
- Provide greater service in better ways
- Connecting, collaborating & advocacy internally & external

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DONATIONS AND SPONSORSHIP

Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc, (SLS Sydney) is proud to acknowledge our sponsor's contribution, both financially and materially. Without sponsorship, 'corporate, government and individual', our task of providing viable lifesaving services to the community of Sydney would be difficult. It is appreciated that there in our Annual Report, the major public document, of SLS Sydney Inc; that we recognize and extend our sincere thanks to all our sponsors and donors for their support. Support that is given without restriction or interference with our objectives and achievements.

FUNDRAISING DISTRIBUTIONS

Surf Life Saving NSW and The Foundation should be acknowledged for conducting fundraising on behalf of clubs and branches. Conducting fundraising efforts centrally frees up our members' time to focus their energy and resources on lifesaving activities, their number one mission. It also helps to ensure greater equity of funding across NSW.

The generous support of the general public for the financial distributions which enable SLS Sydney and its clubs and services to implement strategies to

reduce downing and improve public coast safety awareness. It assists with the purchase of rescue gear and equipment, training and assessment and public safety programs for members and the public.

GOVERNMENT RECOGNITION

NSW Government for the support of :

- The Emergency Services portfolio, for ongoing funding of state-wide operations and programs which benefit clubs, members and the community.
- The Office of Sport, for their support to increase usage, safety and participation in Surf Life Saving through ongoing programs.
- Federal Government for the support of :
- Beach Safety Equipment Funding, which directed \$10,000 to every SLSC for the purchase of vital rescue equipment, first aid and medical supplies.
- The Vocational Education Training Funding (VET) which enabled hundreds of assessors to update their training qualifications and provided clubs with updated training equipment including OCPR manikins and tablets.

BRANCH SPONSORS



STATE SPONSORS



NATIONAL SPONSORS





INTRODUCTION

DEPUTY PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Having positive & supportive attitudes, behaviours and actions can provide a key benefit for our volunteers, however this only works if we develop and instil the right kind of perspective. Balancing our personal lives with our volunteer lives can be difficult, but it's essential to avoid member burnout and improve on member retention. Here are some strategies for how we as a Board of Management developed positive and supportive attitudes.

- We work as a team.
- We focus on what's in our control.
- We encourage and are empathetic toward each other and our stakeholders.
- We treat each other positively.

Surf Life Saving Sydney focussed on two key areas within our business plan in the last 12 months to support positive attitudes, behaviours and actions.

Priority 1 - Making it easy for volunteers, staff & the community to contribute to the movement.

- Identifying pain points.
- Being a thought leader on change.
- Be solution focused & leaders on what needs improving.
- Advocating for it to be easier & better.

Priority 2 - Growing & developing what we do best – saving lives:

- Knowing our data
- Develop growth priorities & strategies.
- Bring others along & guild alignment.
- Provide greater service in better ways.
- Connecting, collaborating & advocacy internally & externally.

We have also undertaken this by aligning to the SLSNSW Plan - Lifesaving Reimagined

The following priorities were identified for our Board focus at our annual planning day and were developed into key strategic projects during the 2022/23 season.

Project 1 - Communicate with our stakeholders better.

- We developed more targeted communication processes via a Weekly Review which provided an update and a reminder of:
 - Upcoming Events
 - Circulars & Memos
 - Grant Opportunities
 - Other Key Information
- We commenced the development of a new website to more effectively communicate with our Members, Clubs, Partners & Community.

Project 2 - Develop a Branch wide Culture of Safety

- We focussed on our value of 'Safety First' by developing activities that enhance safe behaviours across our membership. A working group was established by and reports into the SLSS Board of Management (BOM) to provide recommendations and/or endorsement for decisions to the BOM and Branch Council.

Project 3 - Shift our leadership to a more strategic focus.

- We enhanced our practices by focusing more on better leadership practices. These included enhancing our Business Calendar, Board Agenda, Branch Council involvement, Action Plans, Dashboard, Gender Equity and greater understanding of community needs.

Project 4 - Drive our activity and club support through professional support.

- To protect our volunteers from burnout and support projects we have increased professional support. We are actively working on reducing the branch reliance on financial support from clubs.

Project 5 - Capture our corporate knowledge to provide clarity to future officers.

- We are defining 'our ways of working', processes and procedures via a detailed Operations Manual, targeted project plans and relevant action plans.

This season we engaged all officers and committee members at both Branch Officer and Committee levels. This was undertaken over the entire season and attention was focussed on all areas of the organisation.

Our key areas of focus included:

Governance

- We improved our engagement of Public Safety in National Parks by meeting with the Minister & staff from NSW Parks & Wildlife Service and SLSNSW in the Royal National Park to focus on water safety and increased drownings in black spots.

Administration

- We executed the move to Office365 for all digital communication and storage. This has not only reduced costs but created a centralised platform for stakeholders to access.

Finance

- We reviewed our investment strategy to financially support the Branch in the event we experience another event like COVID pandemic.

Education

- We successfully rolled out the Beach Management qualification with over 80 participants completing the course, with courses reaching full capacity.

Lifesaving

- We increased our operating assets and returned to pre-COVID strength.
- We implemented our Support Operations eBikes that quickly respond to incidents by avoiding congested Sydney streets.

Member Services

- We developed three advisory groups with a focus on Youth, Women and Member engagement. We identified Youth naturally sits within the Junior Development portfolio as this provides a natural pathway for our Juniors to Youth to Seniors to ensure member retention & engagement.

Surf Sports

- A restructured 'Branch Championships', better and more effectively meets stakeholder expectations.
- We successfully rolled out LiveHeats for all Sydney Surf Sports events to effectively capture competitor activity and results.

Junior Development

- We undertook specialist clinics to support our membership in pool rescue, water safety, sports development, and coaching.
- We expanded our existing development programs and implemented coaching accreditation.



This report reflects the dedication, achievements, and aspirations of our officers over the past year.

“We have made significant progress in addressing our responsibilities and advancing our goals, despite any challenges we faced.”

As we move forward, we remain steadfast in our determination to fulfill our responsibilities and deliver on our promises. We will continue to seek innovative solutions, embrace new opportunities, and work tirelessly towards creating a brighter future for our members, in particular our youth.

ELISSA HANCOCK

Deputy President



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Sydney Airport



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SECTION 02

OUR BRANCH OFFICERS & COMMITTEES



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OUR PATRONS, OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

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PATRON
Geoff Forshaw OAM
VICE PATRONS
Premier of New South Wales
M.H.R.A.E.S of Branch Seaside Areas
M.L.A.A.E.S of Branch Seaside Areas
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, City of Bayside Council
Mayor, Waverley Municipal Council
Mayor, Woollahra Municipal Council
President, Surf Life Saving Australia
President, Surf Life Saving New South Wales
President, Surf Life Saving Illawarra
President, Surf Life Saving Sydney Northern Beaches
Betty's Burgers
Sydney Airport
SAFE365
President, Maroubra Seals Club
President, Randwick Club
President, Caringbah Bowling Club
President, Trade Union Club
President, Cronulla Leagues Club
SLSS COUNCIL CLUB PRESIDENTS
Bondi – Brent Jackson
Bronte – Basil Scaffidi
Burning Palms – Paul Cooper
Clovelly – Bryce Wilde
Coogee – Pat Garcia
Cronulla – Brad Turner
Elouera – Cameron Simpson
Era – David Staples
Garie – Brad Taylor ESM
Maroubra – Phillip Carter
North Bondi – Andrew Christopher
North Cronulla – Geoffrey Budd
South Maroubra – Paul Fownes APM OAM
Tamarama – Matteo Salval
Wanda – Nathan Spinner
PRESIDENT
Peter Agnew ESM

DEPUTY PRESIDENT
Elissa Hancock
DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION
Marissa Saunders
DIRECTOR OF FINANCE AND COMPLIANCE
Athenia Pascoe
DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS
Scott Muir
DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION
Craig Howie (appointed Dec 2021)
DIRECTOR OF JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT
David Love
DIRECTOR OF MEMBER SERVICES
Doug Hawkins
DIRECTOR OF SURF SPORTS
Carlo Villanti
DELEGATE TO SURF LIFE SAVING NSW
Peter Agnew ESM
SLSS TEAM MANAGER/S
Donna Hargreaves & Michele Cole (appointed July 2022)
Michele Cole (appointed July 2022)
SLSS TEAM COACH
Tom Rampoldi (appointed July 2022)
IT ADVISOR
Mobile Geeks
HONORARY LEGAL OFFICER
Ian Fullagar SLSNSW
HONORARY COMPLAINTS MANAGER
Keith Grima OAM
AUDITOR
PKF
OFFICE STAFF
Lifesaving and Education Administration Manager – Linda Perrin
Admin & Events Manager – Catherine Woodside
Club Development Officer – Julie Fox (appointed December 2022 resigned May 2023) Will White (resigned November 2022)
Junior Admin Assistant – Breanna Riley (from May 2023)
LIFESAVING & SUPPORTS OPERATIONS COMMITTEE (LSOC)
Director of Lifesaving & Support Operations – Scott Muir

Lifesaving Manager – Michael Bonnici
Support Operations Manager – Jackson Towns
RWC Coordinator – Andrew McKellar
ORB Coordinator – Nicole Krite
Emergency Management Coordinator – Kane Hughes
UAV Coordinator – James McLennan
Duty Officer Coordinator – Michael Byrne
Diversity Advisor to LSOC – Olivia Gardiner (appointed July 2022)
OPERATIONAL AREA LIFESAVING COORDINATORS
Royal National Park – Mark Wood
Cronulla Sutherland – Rob Short
Randwick – Ben Heenan
Waverley – Rachel Feakes (stood down November 2022) Olivia Gardiner (caretaker roll from December 2022)
EDUCATION COMMITTEE (EC)
Director Education – Craig Howie
Manager Education – Phillip Carter
OPERATIONAL AREA EDUCATION COORDINATORS
Royal National Park – Paul Cooper (appointed July 2022)
Cronulla Sutherland – Brett Furniss
Randwick – Nicole Cooney
Waverley – David Freedman (appointed September 2022, resigned November 2022) Phillip Carter (appointed December 2022)
JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (JDC)
Director of Junior Development – David Love
Deputy Chairman – vacant
Secretary / Treasurer – Michele Cole
Junior Competition Manager – George Benhayon
Lifesaving Adviser – Megan Still
MEMBER SERVICES COMMITTEE (MSC)
Director of Members Services – Doug Hawkins
Club Development Officer – vacant
Membership & Recognition Officer – vacant
WH&S Officer – Cameron Simpson
Youth Development Officer – Riley Porteous & Sophie Burns
Member Protection & Information Officer – vacant
Welfare Officer – vacant
SURF SPORTS COMMITTEE (SSC)
Director of Surf Sports – Carlo Villanti
Deputy Director of Surf Sports – Brooke Thatcher (appointed July 2022)



SSC Administration Manager - Donna Hargreaves

Senior Competition Manager - Peter Burst

Junior Competition Manager - George Benhayon

SURF SPORTS ADVISORS

Interbranch Team Coordinator - Natasha Hargreaves

Coaching Coordinator - George Benhayon

Officials Coordinator - Peter Carney

Assistant Competition Manager - Brooke Thatcher

Equipment Coordinator - Peter Burst

Watercraft and IRB Coordinator -
Robert Walker (appointed July 2022)

Technical Advisor - Sharon Deans

Surf Boat Coordinator - Phil Stivano (resigned July 2022)

R & R Coordinator - Andrew Bloxsom

March Past Coordinator - Farah Messina

Pool Advisor - Maxwell Serpa Gonzalez

Safety and Risk Coordinator - James Caterson
(appointed July 2022)

Board Riding Coordinator - vacant

LIFE MEMBERSHIP & HONOURS COMMITTEE

Graham Bruce AM

John De Cean OAM

Peter Pearce OAM

Margaret Pearc

Peter Quartly

John Restuccia OAM

Kane Hughes

Michael Hodsdon

Director of Administration - Marissa Saunders

Director of Member Services - Doug Hawkins

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

Keith Grima OAM

Peter Quartly

Elissa Hancock

Director of Administration - Marissa Saunders

FINANCE & COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE

Phillip Carter

Paul Rushton-Clarke

Paul Farrugia

Kristy McIntyre (appointed June 2022)

Director of Finance - Athenia Pascoe

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Gary Daly ESM

Richard Bignold OAM

Keith Grima OAM

Doug Hawkins

George Benhayon

Kane Hughes

Ian Goode OAM

Michael Hodsdon

Peter Burst

Phillip Carter

Peter Quartly

Marissa Saunders

Paul Fownes APM OAM

SELECTION COMMITTEE

George Benhayon

Donna Hargreaves

Michele Cole

Director of Surf Sports - Carlo Villanti

OUR BRANCH OFFICERS & COMMITTEES

PREVIOUS BRANCH OFFICERS

SEASON	PRESIDENT	DEPUTY PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER	HON SUPERINTENDENT	SEASON	ELECTED VICE PRESIDENTS			
1949-50	A. Curlewis	C. Mack	G. Millar A. Loton	J. Robinson	D. Lucas	1949-50	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	D. Lucas	1950-51	V. Besomo J. Marsden	J. Borserini C. Rudd	G. McRoberts W. Whitehead	R. Geary W. Calnan
1951-52	C. Mack	W. Grain	A. Loton	G. Souter	D. Lucas (Res Nov 51) W. Foerster (Elected Nov 51)	1951-52		J. Borserini R. Geary	D. Noon W. Whitehead	V. Williams V. Calnan
1952-53	C. Mack	W. Grain	A. Loton	G. Souter	W. Foerster	1952-53	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	W. Foerster	1953-54	H. Spurway A. Paterson A. Castleman	W. Lucas R. Jones J. Comans	J. Dempster F. De Fries F. Lawler	D. Lucas C. Rudd
1954-55	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	G. Souter	W. Foerster	1954-55	D. Lucas J. Vaughan E. Lawler	J. Dempster W. Crain J. Geary	A. Paterson C. Rudd S. Perryman	R. Jones J. Comans
1955-56	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	G. Souter	E. J. Marsden	1955-56	J. Comans C. Gray A. Paterson	J. Geary T. Orsmy H. Spurway	R. Arkins J. Dempster R. Mascord	J. Vaughan C. Rudd W. Crain
1956-57	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	W. Threflo	E. J. Marsden	1956-57	R. McKeon W. Crain C. Gray	J. Geary A. Paterson R. Barker	C. Rudd J. Vaughan H. Spurway	J. Dempster D. Renford J. Comans
1957-58	C. Mack	A. Loton	G. Staunton	W. Threflo	H. McDonald	1957-58	E. Lawler C. Rudd C. Gray	G. Hatten W. Crain J. Clarke	R. Baker J. Dempster D. Renford	A. Sargeant A. Paterson J. Comans
1958-59	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	B. Pitt	H. McDonald	1958-59	R. Grant C. Rudd A. Paterson	G. Hatton B. Heavener E. Lawler	H. Spurway W. Crain J. Clarke	J. Dempster C. Gray R. Wood
1959-60	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	B. Pitt	H. McDonald	1959-60	R. Grant B. Brewin C. Rudd	C. Gray G. Challis J. Comans	E. Lawler W. Crain A. Purcell	R. Wood A. Paterson A. Olson
1960-61	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	B. Pitt	A. Mosely	1960-61	W. Crain	G. Challis	E. Lawler	A. Purcell
1961-62	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	J. Needham	J. Switzer	1961-62	W. Crain	R. Grant	J. Pearson	E. Sier
1962-63	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	J. Switzer	1962-63	W. Crain	J. Marsden	J. Pearson	J. Perryman
1963-64	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	J. Switzer	1963-64	W. Crain	E. Sier	J. Marsden	E. Stephens
1964-65	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	J. Switzer	1964-65	W. Crain	E. Sier	A. Staunton	E. Stephens
1965-66	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	J. Switzer	1965-66	W. Crain	W. Marshall	E. Sier	E. Stephens
1966-67	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	K. Lonsdale	J. Switzer	1966-67	W. Crain	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1967-68	A. Loton	D. Lucas	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	J. Switzer	1967-68	E. Sier P. Ainsworth	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1968-69	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	A. Mosely	1968-69	R. Hoffman	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1969-70	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	A. Mosely	1969-70	W. Hodges	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1970-71	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	A. Mosely	1970-71	H. Brown	W. Marshall	R. Howells	E. Stephens
1971-72	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	J. Vaughan	A. Mosely	1971-72	H. Brown	W. Marshall	R. Howells	P. Stapleton
1972-73	A. Loton	R. Buist	G. Staunton	C. Smith	A. Mosely	1972-73	H. Brown	W. Marshall	R. Howells	P. Stapleton
1973-74	R. Buist	P. Stapleton	G. Staunton	C. Smith	R. Howells (Res Oct 73) J. Dewey (Elect Oct 73)	1973-74	N. Dixon	W. Marshall	C. Osborne	I. Toll
1974-75	R. Buist	I. Toll	B. Parker	R. Pears	J. Dewey	1974-75	N. Dixon	W. Marshall	C. Osborne	G. Staunton
1975-76	R. Buist	W. Marshall	I. Toll	R. Pears	J. Dewey	1975-76	W. Gray	J. Seddon	C. Osborne	G. Staunton
1976-77	R. Buist	W. Marshall	I. Toll	W. Kingston	J. Dewey	1976-77	W. Gray	J. Seddon	C. Osborne	G. Staunton
1977-78	W. Marshall	J. Switzer	J. Vaughan	W. Kingston	J. Dewey	1977-78	W. Gray	R. Buist	C. Osborne	M. Fischer
1978-79	W. Marshall	J. Switzer	J. Vaughan	W. Kingston	J. Dewey	1978-79	W. Gray	R. Buist	C. Osborne	J. Vesper
1979-80	W. Marshall	J. Switzer	J. Vaughan	W. Kingston	J. May	1979-80	J. Dewey	R. Buist	C. Osborne	J. Vesper
1980-81	W. Marshall	J. Vesper	P. Pearce	W. Kingston	T. Elliott	1980-81	J. Dewey	R. Buist	N. Rees	G. Reeves
1981-82	W. Marshall	J. Vesper	P. Pearce	R. Sargeant	T. Elliott	1981-82	J. Dewey	W. Kingston	N. Rees	M. Singleton
1982-83	R. Sargeant	N. Rees	P. Pearce	C. Owens	T. Elliott	1982-83	W. Gray	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1983-84	R. Sargeant	N. Rees	P. Pearce	C. Owens	T. Elliott	1983-84	W. Gray	J. Connelly	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1984-85	R. Sargeant	N. Rees	S. Strange	C. Owens	T. Elliott	1984-85	W. Gray	J. Connelly	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1985-86	R. Sargeant	N. Rees G. Forshaw	S. Strange	C. Owens	T. Elliott	1985-86	W. Gray	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1986-87	G. Forshaw	P. Stapleton	S. Strange	C. Owens	T. Elliott	1986-87	W. Gray	R. Sargeant	W. Marshall	M. Singleton

SEASON	PRESIDENT	DEPUTY PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER	HON SUPERINTENDENT	SEASON	ELECTED VICE PRESIDENTS			
1987-88	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	T.Elliott	1987-88	P. Stapleton	J. Connelly	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1988-89	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	T.Elliott	1988-89	J. Connolly	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1989-90	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	T.Elliott	1989-90	J. Walker	R. Howells	W. Marshall	M. Singleton
1990-91	G. Forshaw	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	T.Elliott	1990-91	J. Walker	R. Howells	J. Connolly	M. Singleton
1991-92	M. Singleton	W. Gray	S. Strange	C. Owens	P.Agnew	1991-92	J. Walker	G. Forshaw	T. Elliott	C. Ryan
1992-93	M. Singleton	W. Gray	J. De Cean	-	P.Agnew	1992-93	J. Walker	G. Forshaw	T. Elliott	C. Owens
1993-94	M. Singleton	W. Gray	J. De Cean	A. Berger D. Bergin	P.Agnew	1993-94	T. Elliott	J. Walker	S. Strange	F. Bailey
1994-95	M. Singleton	W. Gray	J. De Cean	D. Bergin	P.Agnew	1994-95	T. Elliott	W. Bos	M. Dillon	K. English
TITLE CHANGE					DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING	ELECTED VICE PRESIDENTS				
1995-96	P. Pearce	K. English	J. De Cean	B. Jackson	J.Restuccia	1995-96	-	-	-	-
1996-97	P. Pearce	K. English	J. De Cean	S. Morris	P.Davis	1996-97	-	-	-	-
1997-98	P. Pearce	K. English	S. Strange	S. Morris D. Dillon	P.Seeto	1997-98	J. De Cean	Vacant	-	-
1998-99	P. Pearce	K. English	S. Strange	D. Dillon	P.Seeto (res Jan 99) J.Restuccia & G.Smart (appointed Jan 99)	1998-99	J. De Cean	J. Raine	-	-
1999-00	P. Pearce	J. De Cean	S. Strange	D. Dillon	S.Leahy	1999-00	J. De Cean	J. Raine	-	-
2000-01	P. Pearce	J. De Cean	B. Smith	D. Dillon	S.Leahy	2000-01	G. Phillips	-	-	-
2001-02	P. Pearce	J. De Cean	B. Smith	B. Smith	S.Leahy	2001-02	G. Phillips	-	-	-
2002-03	K. English	J. De Cean	B. Smith	B. Smith	S.Leahy	2002-03	G. Phillips (Res 04.03)	J.Sutcliffe (Res 03.03)	-	-

SEASON	PRESIDENT	DEPUTY PRESIDENT	DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION	DIRECTOR OF FINANCE	DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING	DIRECTOR OF SURF SPORTS	DIRECTOR OF JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT	DIRECTOR OF YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
2003-04	K. English	J. De Cean	J. De Cean	J. Brown	S. Leahy	G. Evans	D. Mullinger	C. Morton
2004-05	K. English	J. De Cean	J. De Cean	J. Brown	S. Leahy	G. Evans	D. Mullinger	G. Fatseas
2005-06	K. English	J. De Cean	J. De Cean	J. Brown	G. Daly	G. Evans	T. Murray	G. Fatseas
2006-07	K. English	J. De Cean	J. De Cean	J. Brown	G. Daly	G. Evans	T. Murray	G. Fatseas
2007-08	R. Yeldon	J. De Cean	J. De Cean	P. Carney	M. Hodsdon	M. Vitnell	T. Murray	G. Fatseas
2008-09	R. Yeldon	J. De Cean	J. De Cean	P. Carney	M. Hodsdon	M. Vitnell	T. Murray	G. Fatseas
2009-10	J. De Cean	G. Evans	G. Shales	P. Carney	M. Hodsdon	M. Vitnell	D. Hawkins	G. Fatseas
2010-11	J. De Cean	P. Agnew	G. Shales	Vacant	Vacant	M. Vitnell	D. Hawkins	G. Fatseas
2011-12	J. De Cean	P. Agnew	G. Shales	P. Carney	G. Clarke	M. Vitnell	D. Hawkins	D. Hawkins
2012-13	J. De Cean	P. Agnew	G. Shales	P. Carney	G. Clarke	M. Vitnell	D. Hawkins	D. Hawkins
2013-14	J. De Cean	P. Agnew	G. Shales	P. Carney	G.Clarke(Res 02.14) S. Torsellini	W. Druery	D. Hawkins	D. Hawkins
2014-15	G.Shales	P.Agnew	K.Grima	J. De Cean	S. Torsellini	W.Druery	D.Hawkins	T.Thomas
TITLE CHANGE					DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING & EDUCATION			DIRECTOR OF MEMBERS SERVICES
2020-21	G.Shales	P.Agnew ESM	K.Grima OAM	J. De Cean	S.Torsellini	W.Druery	D.Hawkins	T.Thomas
2016-17	G.Shales	P.Agnew ESM	K.Grima OAM	J. De Cean	S.Torsellini	W.Druery	D.Hawkins	T.Thomas
2017-18	G.Shales	P.Agnew ESM	K.Grima OAM/ E.Hancock	M.Saunders/ G.Staples	S.Torsellini	W.Druery/ A.Somes	D.Hawkins	K.Grima OAM/ C.Pavlou
2018-19	G.Shales	P.Agnew ESM	E.Hancock	G.Staples	S.Torsellini	A.Somes	D.Hawkins	C.Pavlou
2019-20	P.Agnew ESM	P.Garcia	E.Hancock	P.Farrugia	S.Torsellini	A.Somes	D.Hawkins	C.Pavlou
2020-21	P.Agnew ESM	P.Garcia	E.Hancock	P.Farrugia	M.Spooner	C.Villanti	D.Hawkins	C.Pavlou (resigned April 2021)

SEASON	PRESIDENT	DEPUTY PRESIDENT	DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION	DIRECTOR OF FINANCE	DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS	DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION	DIRECTOR OF SURF SPORTS	DIRECTOR OF JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT	DIRECTOR OF MEMBERS SERVICES
2021-22	P.Agnew ESM	P.Garcia	E.Hancock	A.Pascoe	M.Spooner (resigned Dir. LSEC July 2021) S.Muir (caretaker Aug- Dec, appointed Dec 21)	C.Howie (appointed Dec 21)	C.Villanti	D.Love	D.Hawkins
2022-23	P.Agnew ESM	E.Hancock	M.Saunders	A.Pascoe	S.Muir	C.Howie	C.Villanti	D.Love	D.Hawkins

SECTION 03

OUR MEMBERS

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18,842

TOTAL
MEMBERS IN
SLS SYDNEY



50%

MALE



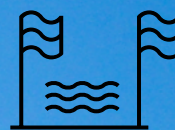
41%

FEMALE



9%

UNDER 18'S



25%

ACTIVE
PATROLLING





OUR MEMBERS

DIRECTOR OF MEMBER SERVICES REPORT

Our Season commenced a little differently with the delivery of the Women in Lifesaving 40 Year Lunch which was delayed due to COVID-19. Such an impressive day with hundreds of members from across the Branch and from many seasons attending a great day at Horizons - South Maroubra in July 2022. This event was a true celebration of "Women in Lifesaving" and all delivered by our amazing MC Brittaney Banks and supported by Sharon Deans who assisted in managing the Panels. Our Panel members for the day were Suzanne Storrie, Nixy Krite, Lisa McGuigan, Anita Pryke, Kerryn Briody and Joan Vaughan. Each of these members certainly shared some impressive stories with the audience, and it was wonderful to hear the history and achievements of these women and others in the room. Amber Lawrence gave us some great tunes, and then the catch ups began, lasting well into the afternoon with more stories, reconnections and lots of smiles. This event was one of the highlights of our season and congratulations to the organising team that made it all happen.

The Branch 2022-2023 Pre-Season Conference was once again held on-line to give greater access to the event. With an impressive list of Presenters from our Clubs, the 2022-23 Pre-Season Conference was very well attended with around 320+ members signing in on the day. We also welcomed members from other SLSNSW Branches to the session. Our Presenters for this season were a great representation of our Branch membership, covering a wide range of ages, and focusing on very current subjects such as Retention, Safety, Patrol Mgt, Inclusivity and Youth, and the response from those attending was very encouraging via our Post Conference Survey.

The Pre-Season Conference also gave us a great introduction into the Branch Operational meetings, and these sessions were very well attended and therefore assisted every Club in their season preparation.

Sydney Branch delivered a new format for Club of the Year to enable all Clubs to look at specific actions within their Club to assist in growth and management and to support their Club of the Year Nomination.

Safety across all SLS Operational areas was a major focus for the Member Services team this season, and this was implemented via a Branch Strategic Safety team. This team was created from a range of experienced members from across the Branch covering Lifesaving, Education, Surf Sports Juniors and Mgt, and headed by Felicity Muir as the Branch Strategy Officer. This team has had a number of productive sessions mapping out a Strategic Safety Plan and supporting resources, that can then be implemented across the Branch, and will be ready for release for season 2023-24.

SLSA released a number of important documents relating to Child Safety for use by all our members. Sydney Branch were at the forefront of ensuring our members were trained in this specific area, and it was very pleasing to see the level of engagement via our Clubs with this important package.

Across our Branch all our Clubs celebrated Rainbow Beaches, and this year we saw more Clubs than ever before getting on board with celebrating inclusion and diversity within our Clubs and on our beaches. Our Sydney Clubs certainly got into the swing of things with rainbows and colour being shared across our Nippers and our Patrols for a wonderful day of celebration. Rainbow Beaches was supported by the new Rainbow Rescue Board from SLSA, with a good number of Clubs purchasing these boards to show their support for inclusion and diversity all year round.

Once again Women in Lifesaving was celebrated through our Sisters in Surf and Pink Patrols, all celebrating Women in Surf Life Saving and the major role they play in our Clubs today. These Patrols were in action across our entire Branch, and in all instances were very well attended with members from all genders attending to show their support for our women in lifesaving.

Every season the welfare of our members is paramount in all that we do. Clubs are very much their own community, and it was encouraging that Sydney Branch could assist a number of Clubs this season in member welfare situations where support was needed.

This season saw a record number of nominations from Sydney Clubs for the SLSNSW Youth Opportunity Makers Development Camp. The Sydney Youth Team attending this Development Camp were a great representation of our Branch coming from Clubs across Sydney, and with a wide variety of experience and backgrounds.

One of the highlights for the season was the Sydney Branch Life Members Lunch, which was the first one for many seasons due to COVID-19. What an impressive day at Coogee SLSC where over 40 Life Members shared a wonderful lunch and afternoon, and lots of chats and reminiscing. The Life Members also had the pleasure of welcoming Sydney's newest Life Member, Kerryn Briody (Bondi), as she was inducted into Life Membership Sydney Branch in recognition of her outstanding work within Sydney Branch over many seasons. This was certainly a special event, considering the level of commitment and the amazing achievements of these Sydney Branch Life Members, and we thank each one of you for your service.



“Safety across all SLS Operational areas was a major focus for the Member Services team this season.”

For our 2022-2023 Awards of Excellence we looked to engage with the Sydney Clubs to reference this event as an opportunity for member engagement and retention back at Club level. Our Awards Information session was very well attended from across the Branch and it was very encouraging to see the Clubs take on board this new focus on membership and increase their engagement at Club level.

This increased level of engagement was certainly evident at the 2022-23 Awards of Excellence event, with the highest attendance ever with 500 members having a great night, and the largest number of nominations ever received across both the Juniors and Seniors. Congratulations to all the Nominees and Winners for the 2022-2023 Surf Life Saving Sydney Awards.

This season saw a focus on the membership, ensuring we continue to deliver engagement opportunities that can assist in retention, growth, and member development across all our Clubs, and all our membership.

I would also like to thank outgoing Branch President Peter Agnew for his leadership and member focus over his tenure at Sydney Branch - well done Peter.

Thank you to each of the Sydney Clubs for your engagement this season and we look forward to an even bigger season for 2023-24.

DOUG HAWKINS

Director Member Services

OUR MEMBERS

LIFE & HONoured

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OUR LIFE & HONoured MEMBERS	
1977 P.V. Ainsworth (dec)	
2006 P. Agnew ESM	
1975 K. C. Andrews (dec)	
2016 G.A. Allum AM, OAM	
1985 C. I. Badham OAM	
2011 M. J. Batty PSM	
1952 V. A. Besomo (dec)	
2016 R.B. Bignold OAM	
2016 M.W. Bretherton	
2023 K.P. Briody	
1977 E. M. Brooker OAM (dec)	
1971 H. J. Brown OAM (dec)	
2011 G. Bruce AM	
2012 P. Burst	
1967 L. J. Buck (dec)	
1980 R.V. Buist (dec)	
1949 M. J. Burke (dec)	
2001 R. M. Camilleri	
1949 J. R. Cameron (dec)	
1953 A. W. Castleman MBE (dec)	
1973 G. R. M. Challis (dec)	
2017 G.W. Clarke	
1960 W. A. T. Crain MBE (dec)	
1949 G. S. Cohen (dec)	
1949 Sir A. Curlewis CVO CBE (dec)	
2010 G. R. Daly ESM	
1949 F. H. Dargan (dec)	
1986 R. P. Davison	
1999 J. C. De Cean OAM	
1959 J. W. Dempster (dec)	
1949 G. S. Dellitt (dec)	
1981 J. C. Dewey (dec)	
1949 J. B. Dillon (dec)	
1976 N. A. Dixon (dec)	
1987 T. D. Elliott	
1993 K. E. English	
2011 G.F. Evans	
2021 M. Evans	
1951 W. Foerster (dec)	
2001 G. C. Forshaw OAM	
2009 I. A. Goode OAM	
1989 W. T. Gray (dec)	
1996 K. M. Grima OAM	
2022 D. Hawkins	
1949 N. Hayton MBE (dec)	
1949 J. N. Hodge (dec)	
2018 M.P. Hodsdon	
1962 R. M. Howells OAM (dec)	
1949 G. H. Johnson (dec)	
1954 G. A. Lindsay (dec)	
1952 A. R. Loton (dec)	

1955 D. C. Lucas OBE (dec)	
1951 L. S. McDonald OAM (dec)	
1961 W. J. R. McKenna (dec)	
1949 J. S. McRorie (dec)	
1949 C. Mack (dec)	
1962 E. J. Marsden (dec)	
1979 W. G. Marshall OAM (dec)	
1956 T. W. Meagher OBE (dec)	
1977 K. F. Messenger OAM	
1951 R. Michaelis (dec)	
1949 G. Millar (dec)	
2001 N. S. Miller (dec)	
1949 T. F. Moran (dec)	
1949 D. R. B. Moroney (dec)	
1967 A. Moseley OAM (dec)	
1953 A. D. Olson (dec)	
1979 C. F. Osborne (dec)	
2003 C. J. Owens OAM	
2000 P. M. Pearce OAM	
2017 M.G. Pearce	
1996 R. E. Pears OAM	
1960 A. J. Purcell (dec)	
2018 W.A. Rennie AM	
2005 P. G. Quartly	
2007 J. M. Restuccia OAM	
1992 R. J. Sargeant (dec)	
2012 G.H. Shales OAM	
1993 M. C. Singleton (dec)	
1963 E. C. Sier (dec)	
1949 H. A. Small (dec)	
1971 G. B. Staunton MBE	
1977 E. B. Stephens OAM	
1996 S. R. Strange OAM	
1963 J. R. Switzer OAM (dec)	
1999 B. J. Taylor ESM	
1949 L. D. Turner (dec)	
1964 J. K. Vaughan OAM (dec)	
2017 J.M. Vaughan OAM	
1979 J. B. Wardall (dec)	
1949 K. W. Watson MBE (dec)	
1949 G. R. Webb (dec)	
1949 C. W. Whitehead (dec)	
1949 S. J. Windon (dec)	
1954 V. J. Williams MBE (dec)	
1959 G. Williams (dec)	
1958 G. J. Wilson (dec)	
1977 W. J. Young (dec)	
SLSS PRESIDENTS MEDALS	
2008 Arthur White(dec)	
2008 Michael Batty PSM	
2008 Peter Steenson	
2009 Ray Hitchenson (dec)	

2011 Frank Ridley	
2012 Raymond Robinson	
2012 Robyn Allan	
2014 Karl Solomonson OAM	
2017 Ron Hegarty	
2020 Jeffrey 'Charlie' Brown	
2022 Gordon McKirdy	
SLSS BJA/JD LIFE MEMBERS	
B. Breadner (dec)	
B. Bulmer	
W. McNamara (dec)	
A. Powell (dec)	
E. Topper	
K. Walker (dec)	
SLSS INC. MEMBERS WHO ARE LIFE MEMBERS OF SLS NSW	
G. Allum AM, OAM	
P. Agnew ESM	
G. Bruce AM	
P. Burst	
H. J. Brown OAM (dec)	
R. B. Bignold OAM	
M.W. Bretherton	
E. M. Brooker OAM (dec)	
G.R. Daly ESM	
J.C De Cean OAM	
J. C. Dewey (dec)	
N.A. Dixon (dec)	
W. H. Eady OAM (dec)	
T. D. Elliott	
K. E. English	
G.C. Forshaw	
J. S. Fraser OAM	
I. A. Goode OAM	
R. M. Howells OAM (dec)	
P. Kirkwood	
D.C. Lucas OBE (dec)	
W. Marshall OAM (dec)	
R. Michaelis (dec)	
A. Moseley OAM (dec)	
K.J. Neilson OAM	
C. F. Osborne (dec)	
P. M. Pearce OAM	
W. A. Rennie AM	
J.M. Restuccia OAM	
R. J. Sargeant (dec)	
M. C. Singleton (dec)	
G.H. Shales OAM	
H.A. Small (dec)	
G. B. Staunton MBE	
E. B. Stephens OAM	
S. R Strange OAM	

J. R Switzer OAM (dec)	
R. E Pears OAM	
P. Vanny AM	
J. K. Vaughan OAM (dec)	
SLSS INC. MEMBERS WHO ARE LIFE MEMBERS OF SURF LIFE SAVING AUSTRALIA	
G. A. Allum AM OAM	
R.B. Bignold OAM	
R. Buist (dec)	
G. Bruce AM	
H. J. Brown OAM (dec)	
V. A. Besomo (dec)	
W. T. Crain (dec)	
J. C. Dewey (dec)	
J. W. Dempster (dec)	
J. T. Donohue	
J. S. Fraser OAM	
G. Ford AM, AO	
I.A. Goode OAM	
R. M. Howells OAM (dec.)	
D. C. Lucas OAM (dec)	
A. R. Loton (dec)	
A. Moseley OAM (dec)	
L. S. McDonald OAM (dec)	
T. W. Meagher OAM (dec)	
W. G. Marshall OAM (dec)	
P.M. Pearce OAM	
R. E. Pears OAM	
W. A. Rennie AM	
J.M. Restuccia OAM	
R. Sargeant (dec)	
H.A. Small (dec)	
S. R Strange OAM	
P. R. Stapleton AM	
G. B. Staunton MBE	
E. B. Stephens OAM	
S. Storrie	
M. C. Singleton (dec)	
J. R. Switzer OAM (dec)	
J. K. Vaughan OAM (dec)	
SLSS INC. MEMBERS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF INTERNATIONAL LIFESAVING FEDERATION	
G. B. Staunton MBE	
W. A. Rennie AM	
Dr I. J. Mackie AM (dec)	
G. A. Allum AM OAM (Grand Knight)	
G. Ford AM AO	



SLSS LIFE MEMBER

KERRYIN BRIODY

Kerryn Briody, Bondi SBLSC was elevated to Life Member for her distinguished service which is both sustained and has provided a conspicuous contribution to Surf Life Saving.

Kerryn was one of the first females to gain her Bronze Medallion award. Her involvement within Sydney Branch has included Education Manager, Board of Lifesaving Member & Assessor, numerous sub committees and SurfCom operator for SLS Sydney during the 90's to 2000's. Kerryn's employment life has seen her share her outstanding lifesaving skills across four states of Australia. Her journey has given her involvement in all facets of Surf Lifesaving, patrolling, education, surf sports official and carnival announcer, trainer, assessor, facilitator, research, and development to name a few pathways of involvement Kerryn has excelled at.

Kerryn has been a pioneer in early female leadership and today continues to formally support the National Women in Lifesaving Mentoring Program as well as the many proactive activities supporting up and coming leaders.

Kerryn's passion and commitment for over 40 years for Surf Life Saving is to be admired. Recognition of elevation to Life Membership of Sydney Branch is well deserved.

Congratulations Kerryn.

KERRYIN BRIODY LIFE MEMBER

RECOGNITION



OUR MEMBERS

AUSTRALIAN HONOURS

Australia Day Honours 2023



GEOFFREY FORSHAW
OAM

Geoff was awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) for service to Surf Life Saving.

Geoff is currently the Patron of SLS Sydney and is a former Branch President (1986-91). A 50 Year Service Medal holder (2011) he has held numerous roles at a club level (including Cronulla SLSC President 1981-84). He has been involved in the sport of boat rowing (with medals at a Branch, State and National level in the 1960s and 70s) and was a carnival official at all levels of the organisation. In the 1980s and 1990s Geoff was heavily involved as the organisation went through a revolution of innovation (introduction of helicopters, new lifesaving techniques, training) and organisational change. Geoff played significant roles in leadership during that busy and at times stressful period without wavering. He has received numerous awards for his service accumulating in this Australian Honour.



BARRY EZZY
OAM

Barry was awarded the Medal of the Order of Australian (OAM) for service to Surf Life Saving.

Barry joined Cronulla SLSC in 1954 and has been a club officer, patrol member and competitor. He was Patron of the club between 2008 and 2013. A patrol captain and patrol member for 16 years, Barry was also on the club's management committee for 40 years holding other positions such as Vice Captain, Deputy President and Vice Patron. He was received club life membership in 1982.



BRADLEY TAYLOR
ESM

Brad was awarded the Emergency Services Medal (ESM) for his dedication and commitment to Surf Life Saving and to the safety of the community.

Brad has been an active member, a leader and key contributor for 45 years (Bronze Medallion 1978). A former SLS Sydney Emergency Services Co-ordinator and Duty Officer he is currently an active Skipper of Surf Rescue 30 (Offshore Rescue Boat). He patrolled for 17 years at Sydney Surf Radio room (1982 to 1999) while remaining an active club patrol member and Club Captain. Brad joined the Offshore Rescue Boat in 2000 and then continued with another 22 years of service to emergency management as a crew, driver and skipper. Brad has a National Medal with a 2nd Clasp (for 35 years active patrol service). He has been a big wave IRB Driver (and contributed to the early development of IRBs) and Surf Boat competitor and sweep. Brad has an extensive range of SLS awards and qualifications (including trainer, assessor and surf sports official) and is currently the President of Garie SLSC.



GARY DALY
ESM

Gary was awarded the Emergency Services Medal (ESM) for his dedication and commitment to Surf Life Saving and to the safety of the community.

Gary has over four decades of service to volunteering in surf lifesaving. A former SLS Sydney Director of Lifesaving & Education, Gary is an active patrol member at Burning Palms SLSC and is a current Patrol Captain, trainer and assessor across a range of high level emergency management awards. He has been twice awarded the SLS Sydney Volunteer of the Year award (1990 & 2005) and the SLSNSW Volunteer of the Year in 2005. He has a 30 year SLSC Patrol Service Certificate and a National Medal 1st Clasp (25 Years). He was awarded a SLSC Meritorious Award Group Commendation for Bravery for a cliff rescue in 2017. Gary is also a Life Member of Coogee SLSC (2001), Randwick District (2004), SLS Sydney (2010) and SLSNSW (2017).



GARY SHIELS
AM

Gary was awarded AM in the general division of the Order of Australia for his significant service to town planning and for service to the community.

Gary was the President of North Bondi SLSC (1979-1986) and a Vice President of SLS Sydney during that period. He has been a club captain (1975-77), club patron and secretary.



ROBERT BRANDER
AM

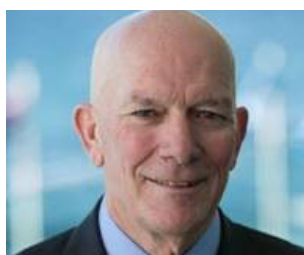
Rob was awarded AM in the general division of the Order of Australia for his significant service to coast science and the community through beach safety research and education.

Rob, a life member of Tamarama SLSC and a professor at UNSW he is also known as Dr Rip. He has been a member of many internal and external lifesaving working groups.

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AUSTRALIAN HONOURS

Kings Birthday Honours 2023



GRAHAM FORD
AM AO

Graham was awarded Officer AO in the general division of the Order of Australia for distinguished service to surf lifesaving through leadership roles at National and International level and to the community.

Graham has been a member of Bronte SLSC since 1989, president 2001-2011 and patron since 2011. He was heavily involved with the Westpac Life Saver Helicopter Greater Sydney as Director 2009-2023. He was President of SLSA 2010-2021 and was awarded SLSA Life membership in 2017. Graham became President of the International Life Saving Federation in 2012, delegate to the International Olympic Committee in 2012, chair of the World Conference on Drowning Prevention in 2013, and Chair of the Event Management Committee in 2014 for the Lifesaving World Championships. He became a member of the Order of Australia in 2016, received the Order of Lifesaving from the International Life Saving Federation in 2019, and became a member of the SLSA Hall of fame in 2020



GRAHAM BRUCE
AM

Graham was awarded member AM in the general division of the Order of Australia for significant service to surf lifesaving at national, state and local levels.

Graham is a Life Member of Cronulla SLSC (2019), Sydney Branch (2011), SLS NSW (2010) and SLSA (2012). As a member of Cronulla since 1976, he was Patrol Captain in 1978 and a Management Committee member from 1981 and has held various positions at Club, Branch, State and National level. He was Awarded the Len Saville Award in 1999, Outstanding Club Official in 2008 and the Gibson Howlin Award in 2011 all from Cronulla SLSC, and the Australian Sports Medal in 2000.



ANNE CATERSON
OAM

Anne was awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) for service to Surf Lifesaving.

Anne has been involved with Wanda SLSC where she Chaired the JAG (2004-07) and joined the Team of Management since 2016 as Director of Finance. As a competitor, she was women's Single Sculling Champion at the Australian Rowing Championships in 1984 and more recently captained the Rescue and Resuscitation team between 2011-2015. She received the Cooks Community Award in 2017 and the club's Distinguished Service Life Membership in 2020.



TRESNE CHESHER
ESM

Tresne was awarded the Emergency Services Medal (ESM) for her dedication and commitment to Surf Life Saving and to the safety of the community.

Tresne's involvement with Surf Rescue 30 spans for over 21 years voluntary service as part of the Randwick Offshore Boat Rescue team (SR30), and as a leader in her team in Operations and Management. She progressed from patrolling lifesaver (1999), to rescue crew (2002), to rescue boat driver (2003), and then to rescue boat skipper in 2013. Mrs Chesher was the first female to become a skipper of SR30 in 2013 and has achieved her 20 Year Support Operations Certificate - the longest serving female on the Offshore Rescue Boat team. Tresne has now served over 800 hours on the Offshore Rescue Boat since 2015 when records commenced.



GERALD STEPHENSON
ESM

Gerry was awarded the Emergency Services Medal (ESM) for his dedication and commitment to Surf Life Saving and to the safety of the community.

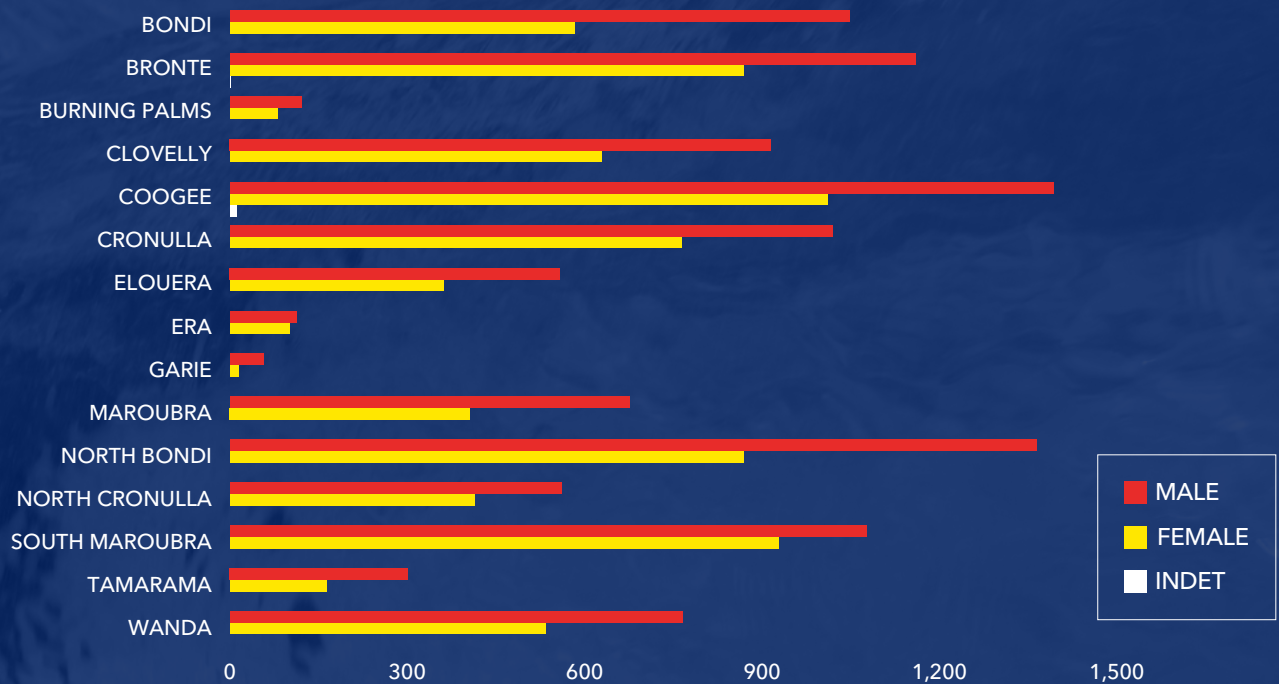
Gerald has been an active member of Surf Lifesaving at North Bondi SLSC for 35 years having accumulated over 2,800 hours of patrol (since 2004) some seasons over 250 hours per season. He has achieved inflatable rescue boat (IRB) crew and driver, patrol captain, rescue water craft (RWC) operator, Offshore Rescue Boat (SR30) crew and driver, and duty officer - incident management. He is one of the longest serving active members at North Bondi and is still actively involved on patrol and as a SLS Sydney duty officer.

OUR MEMBERS

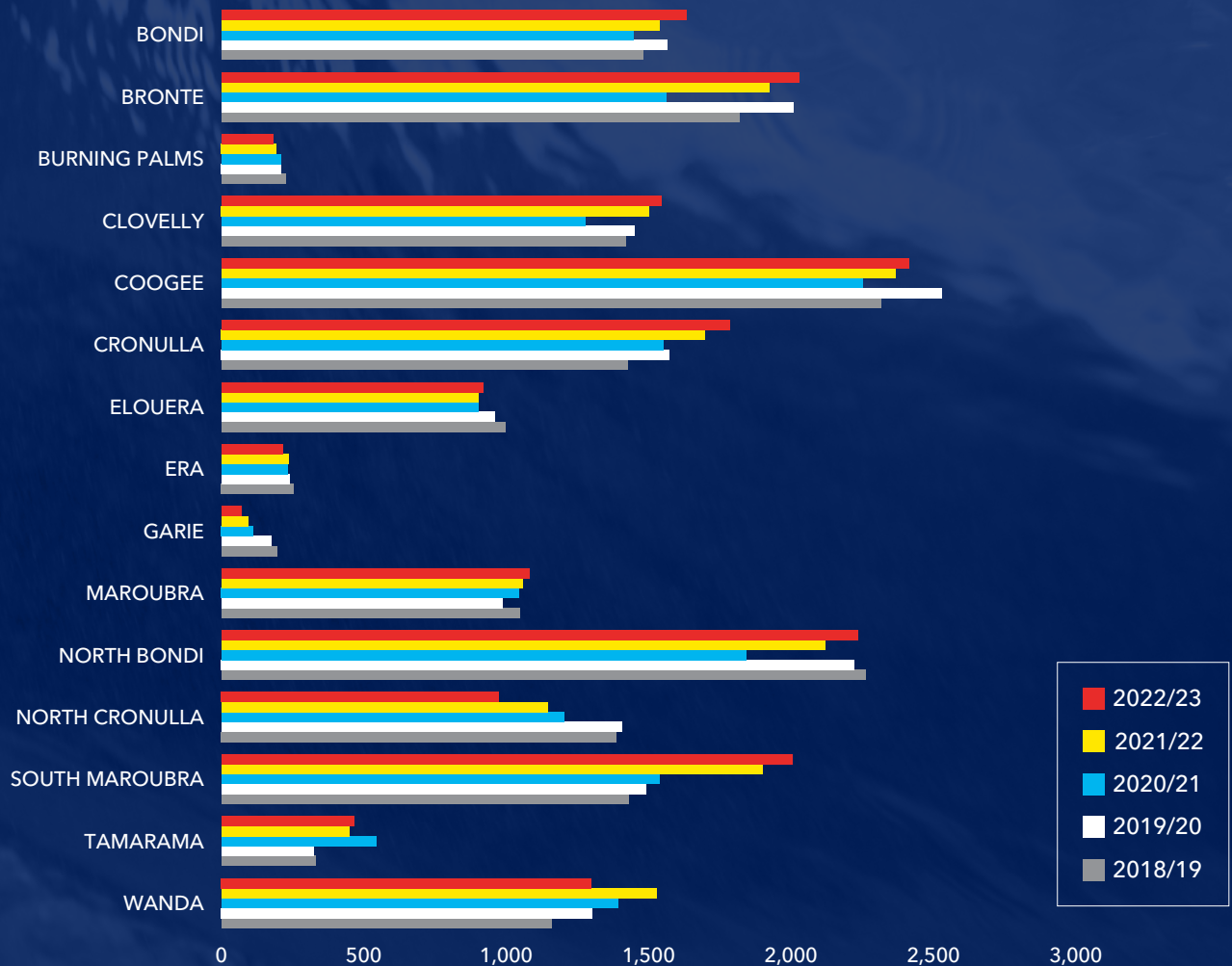
MEMBERSHIP

	PROBATIONARY	JUNIOR ACTIVITY MEMBER (5-13 YRS)	CADET MEMBER (13-15 YRS)	ACTIVE (15-18 YRS)	ACTIVE (18YRS & OVER)	AWARD MEMBER	RESERVE ACTIVE	LONG SERVICE	PAST ACTIVE	ASSOCIATE	LIFE MEMBER	GENERAL	HONORARY	NON MEMBER PARTICIPANTS	LEAVE / RESTRICTED	COMMUNITY MEMBER	2022/23 TOTAL	21/22 COMPARISON	20/21 COMPARISON	19/20 COMPARISON
BONDI																				
Male	17	202	29	48	301	2	4	226	4	113	22	25	10	3	42	0	1,048	1,004	958	1,032
Female	18	167	33	26	161	2	3	31	0	65	0	34	1	13	23	6	583	533	488	532
Indet.																		1		
Total	35	369	62	74	462	4	7	257	4	178	22	59	11	16	65	6	1,631	1,538	1,446	1,564
BRONTE																				
Male	0	406	43	25	217	1	2	96	1	37	21	296	1	0	11	2	1,159	1	922	1,193
Female	0	381	70	23	93	0	1	15	0	28	2	250	1	0	2	2	868	802	637	814
Indet.					1												1		2	1
Total	0	787	113	48	311	1	3	111	1	65	23	546	2	0	13	4	2,028	1,924	1,561	2,008
BURNING PALMS																				
Male	0	14	4	6	26	5	1	17	0	39	7	0	2	0	0	0	121	127	138	140
Female	0	8	7	0	9	3	0	0	0	31	1	0	1	0	0	0	60	66	69	70
Indet.																			1	
Total	0	22	11	6	35	8	1	17	0	70	8	0	3	0	0	0	181	193	208	210
CLOVELLY																				
Male	0	245	26	37	105	1	16	128	0	109	15	233	0	0	0	0	915	876	766	878
Female	0	214	26	25	71	1	7	34	0	21	0	229	0	0	0	0	628	626	509	572
Indet.																			1	
Total	0	459	52	62	176	2	23	162	0	130	15	462	0	0	0	0	1,543	1,502	1,276	1,450
COOGEE																				
Male	0	420	55	78	364	5	46	208	0	75	18	106	7	0	0	11	1,393	1,383	1,303	1,469
Female	0	387	84	73	232	0	19	31	0	49	0	128	3	0	0	4	1,010	984	946	1,059
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Total	0	807	139	151	596	5	65	239	0	124	18	245	10	0	0	15	2,414	2,367	2,250	2,528
CRONULLA																				
Male	0	300	26	31	130	20	8	183	0	57	37	209	18	0	0	0	1,019	1,001	908	950
Female	0	306	28	22	55	6	1	35	0	48	2	245	16	0	0	0	764	697	643	622
Indet.																			1	
Total	0	606	54	53	185	26	9	218	0	105	39	454	34	0	0	0	1,783	1,698	1,551	1,573
ELOUERA																				
Male	0	166	24	21	211	0	0	59	0	23	17	33	4	0	0	0	558	548	540	565
Female	0	135	26	20	107	0	0	17	0	22	0	33	1	0	0	0	361	354	361	395
Total	0	301	50	41	318	0	0	76	0	45	17	66	5	0	0	0	919	902	901	960
ERA																				
Male	0	9	8	3	29	1	6	4	0	44	9	0	0	0	0	0	113	121	118	119
Female	1	10	6	7	21	5	1	2	0	45	2	0	0	1	0	0	101	115	114	119
Indet.																				
Total	1	19	14	10	50	6	7	6	0	89	11	0	0	1	0	0	214	236	232	238
GARIE																				
Male	0	1	0	3	22	1	1	14	0	2	9	0	4	0	0	0	57	64	72	108
Female	0	0	0	1	8	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	14	28	40	66
Total	0	1	0	4	30	2	1	14	0	2	11	1	5	0	0	0	71	92	112	174
MAROUBRA																				
Male	16	224	33	40	105	1	2	148	5	0	23	79	0	0	0	0	676	661	649	609
Female	9	193	18	26	60	3	0	18	0	1	0	78	0	0	0	0	406	397	396	377
Indet.																			1	
Total	25	417	51	66	165	4	2	166	5	1	23	157	0	0	0	0	1,082	1,058	1,045	987
NORTH BONDI																				
Male	0	377	38	61	318	0	5	376	0	70	23	72	0	0	24	0	1,364	1,286	1,143	1,406
Female	2	366	50	59	165	1	1	102	0	21	2	79	0	0	21	0	869	831	698	816
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Total	2	743	88	120	483	1	6	479	0	91	25	151	0	0	45	0	2,233	2,118	1,841	2,222
NORTH CRONULLA																				
Male	0	118	40	45	73	0	9	96	0	90	31	50	8	0	0	0	560	695	711	849
Female	2	140	42	21	59	0	3	16	0	45	2	67	17	0	0	0	414	450	491	555
Total	2	258	82	66	132	0	12	112	0	135	33	117	25	0	0	0	974	1,145	1,202	1,404
SOUTH MAROUBRA																				
Male	0	542	43	61	130	0	11	41	0	14	19	207	9	0	0	0	1,077	1,032	831	830
Female	0	506	57	61	54	0	1	5	0	8	3	232	0	0	0	0	927	866	705	661
Total	0	1048	100	122	184	0	12	46	0	22	22	439	9	0	0	0	2,004	1,898	1,536	1,491
TAMARAMA																				
Male	2	55	13	1	127	0	13	9	0	39	41	0	1	0	0	0	301	284	343	202
Female	0	63	7	4	44	0	1	1	0	40	3	0	0	0	0	0	163	165	201	120
Indet.																			1	
Total	2	118	20	5	171	0	14	10	0	80	44	0	1	0	0	0	464	449	544	322
WANDA																				
Male	0	250	8	29	136	5	0	100	0	80	32	125	0	0	0	0	765	878	805	781
Female	1	206	11	38	63	11	4	15	0	23	10	142	10	0	0	0	534	650	586	521
Total	1	456	19	67	199	16	4	115	0	103	42	267	10	0	0	0	1,299	1,528	1,391	1,302
TOTAL	68	6,411	855	895	3,497	75	166	2,028	10	1,240	353	2,964	115	17	123	25	18,842	18,648	17,096	18,433

2022/23 GENDER MEMBERSHIP COMPARISON



5 YEAR TOTAL MEMBERSHIP COMPARISON





MEMBER RECOGNITION

SYDNEY BRANCH LIFE MEMBER ELECTED 2023

Kerryn Briody - Bondi SBLSC

SYDNEY BRANCH JUNIOR LIFESAVERS OF THE YEAR 2023

Sophia Garvin - North Bondi

Calum Reiter - Coogee

NSW YOUTH OPPORTUNITY MAKERS WORKSHOP 2023

Noah Teitler - South Maroubra

Benjamin Huntley - Cronulla

SLSS Junior Lifesaver of the Year - Sophia Garvin - North Bondi

SLSS Junior Lifesaver of the Year - Calum Reiter - Coogee

NSW STATE AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE WINNERS 2022

Donna Hargreaves, North Cronulla - Presidents Medal

Bronte SLSC - Club of the Year

Nixy Krite, Bondi - Support Operations Member of the Year

SR30 - Support Operations Team of the Year

Lucy Flanagan, North Cronulla - Youth Surf sports athlete of the year

Tom Rampoldi, North Cronulla - Coach of the Year

SLSA AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE FINALISTS 2022

Bronte SLSC - Club of the Year

Lucy Flanagan, North Cronulla - Youth Surf Sports Athlete of the Year

Tom Rampoldi, North Cronulla - Surf Sports Coach of the Year

NSW STATE AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE FINALISTS 2023

David Kowald, Elouera - Surf Lifesaver of the Year

Nicole Cooney, South Maroubra - Volunteer of the Year

Elouera SLSC - Club of the Year

Noah Teitler, South Maroubra - Youth Surf Lifesaver of the Year

Cate Kyling, Coogee - Youth Volunteer of the Year

Bronzie HQ Bondi Digital Transformation Program - Innovation of the Year

Wanda Swim Brothers - Community Education Program of the Year

Petrina Howe, Era - Administrator of the Year

Phillip Carter, Maroubra - Facilitator of the Year

Maria Luise Ossimitz, Coogee - Assessor of the Year

Anita Pryke, North Cronulla - Trainer of the Year

Cameron Watson, Era - Patrol Captain of the Year

Lily Finati, North Bondi - Athlete of the Year

David Hargreaves, North Cronulla - Official of the Year

Sharon Deans, Coogee - Coach of the Year

Laura Thurtell, Bondi - Masters Athlete of the Year

Bondi Masters Team, Bondi - Surf Sports Team of the Year

Sari McKee, North Cronulla - Youth Athlete of the Year

SLSS RWC Operators - Services Team of the Year

Michael Byrne, Elouera - Support Operations Member of the Year

Sydney Branch - Branch of the Year

NSW STATE IRB TEAM 2022

Kaitlynn Cogan - North Cronulla

Lucy Green - North Cronulla

Jessica Walmsley - North Cronulla

Luke Webb - North Cronulla

William Shaddock - South Maroubra

Kai Jones - South Maroubra

Tara Georgas - South Maroubra

NSW STATE TEAM FOR INTERSTATE 2023

Charlie Verco - North Bondi

Noah Steiner - Wanda

Luke Newrick - South Maroubra

Ruby Gray - South Maroubra

Dane Sutton - Wanda

Brittney Pierce - Wanda

Alexandra Rampoldi - North Cronulla

India Hulbert - Wanda

Charlotte Bowmer - Wanda

Kaitlyn Williams - North Cronulla

Christopher Kondilios - South Maroubra

SYDNEY - ILLAWARRA SHARKS 2022 TEAM

Harry Came - Elouera

Nick Middleton - Wanda

Tara Coleman - Maroubra - Coach

Charlie Verco - North Bondi

Lily Finati - North Bondi

Duke Wieland - North Bondi

Brittney Pierce - Wanda

Nathan Jay- Cronulla

Taylor Psakuric - Wanda

Josh Tattam - Cronulla

Alex Rampoldi - North Cronulla

Koby Sorenson - North Cronulla

Emily Rampoldi - North Cronulla

Lucy Flanagan - North Cronulla

2023 SLSA NATIONAL LEADERSHIP COLLEGE - FEBRUARY 2023

Mason Kemeny - Bondi

Charlotte McHenry - Coogee

Thomas King - South Maroubra

2023 SLSA NATIONAL LEADERS MASTERCLASS - JULY 2023

Kimberly Johns - Bronte

Uri Teitler - South Maroubra

SLSA WOMEN'S MENTORING PROGRAM - 4TH COHORT

Donna Hargreaves, North Cronulla

Sharon Deans, Coogee

Susan McCaughtrie, North Cronulla

Nicole Krite, Bondi

Alexandra Schacht, Bondi

Alexandra Scott, Coogee

Amber Stewart, Bondi

Lauren Della Marta, Bondi

Verona Bates, Bronte

Debbie Midwinter, North Bondi

Liz Hurst, North Bondi

Madeleine Wheatley, Clovelly



AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

The Gallery North



AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

NOMINEES

JUNIOR AWARD NOMINEES

JUNIOR AGE MANAGER OF THE YEAR

- Isabel Workman (Cronulla)
- Tracie Barber (Maroubra)
- Sarah Teitler (South Maroubra)
- Lisa Zammit (Wanda)

JUNIOR TEAM OF THE YEAR

- U10 Female Water Team (Coogee)
- U14 Competitor Boys (Cronulla)
- U10 Girls Beach Relay Team (Elouera)
- U14 Nippers (Maroubra)
- U14 Female Beach Relay Team (North Cronulla)
- Nipper March Past Team (South Maroubra)
- U13 Girls 2x1km Beach Relay Team (Wanda)

JUNIOR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR (13-14 YRS) FEMALE

- Taylor Morgan (Coogee)
- Zahli Blattman (Cronulla)
- Miah Georgas (Maroubra)
- Ruby Cregan (North Bondi)
- Kaitlyn Williams (North Cronulla)
- Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda)

JUNIOR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR (13-14 YRS) MALE

- Cooper Sanders (Cronulla)
- Zenn Pemberton (Maroubra)
- Jack Wilkinson (North Bondi)
- Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra)

JUNIOR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR (11-12 YRS) FEMALE

- Jade Visch (Bronte)
- Kathryn Jordan (Coogee)
- Charlotte Diver-Tuck (Cronulla)
- Mia Hoo (North Bondi)
- Marli Parker (Wanda)

JUNIOR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR (11-12 YRS) MALE

- George Nixon (Bronte)
- Thomas Giles (Cronulla)
- Bart Carmody (North Bondi)
- Dewa Putu Krishna Inder (South Maroubra)
- Jordan Prince (Wanda)

JUNIOR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR (9-10 YRS) FEMALE

- Sophie Rowles (Coogee)
- Scarlett Tracy (Cronulla)
- Emerson Hoo (North Bondi)

JUNIOR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR (9-10 YRS) MALE

- Presley Whalan (Bronte)
- Maxwell Nguyen (Coogee)
- Denzel Cole (Cronulla)
- Mael Bertolotti (Maroubra)
- Patrick Spencer (North Bondi)
- Nicholas Kondilios (South Maroubra)

U15 ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

- Jana Kowlaski (Bondi)
- Amelia Byrne (Coogee)
- Luke Newrick (South Maroubra)
- Dane Sutton (Wanda)

U15 SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

- Lexi Wright (Bondi)
- Charlie Bonne-O'Gorman (Bronte)
- Sarah Eliasson (Clovelly)
- Calum Reiter (Coogee)

YOUTH & SENIOR AWARD NOMINEES

SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

- Ronald 'Ronny' Krite (Bondi)
- Gaby Naher (Bronte)
- Joshua Fernandez (Coogee)
- David Kowald (Elouera)
- Karen Cook (Garie)
- Matthew Goldrick (Maroubra)
- David Freedman (North Bondi)
- Guy Bland (Wanda)

BETTY'S BURGERS YOUTH SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

- Alicia Rosado (Bondi)
- Zoe Tindale (Bronte)
- Thomas Hetherington (Clovelly)
- Will Davison (Coogee)
- Brandon Leelong (Cronulla)
- Sam Merchant (Elouera)
- William McLean (Garie)
- Rachel Kelly-Morrow (Maroubra)
- Noah Teitler (South Maroubra)

BETTY'S BURGERS U15 SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

- Lexi Wright (Bondi)
- Charlie Bonne-O'Gorman (Bronte)
- Sarah Eliasson (Clovelly)
- Calum Reiter (Coogee)

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

- Miguel-Sebastian Cassie (Bondi)
- Ingrid Studholme (Bronte)
- Paul Farrugia (Clovelly)
- Benjamin Heenan (Coogee)
- Leah Byrne (Elouera)
- David Staples (Era)
- Louise Skjeime (Garie)
- Marie Emerson (Maroubra)
- Mitch Correia (North Cronulla)
- Nicole Cooney (South Maroubra)
- Guy Waddell (Tamarama)
- Guy Bland (Wanda)

YOUTH VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

- Sophia Willis (Bronte)
- Cate Kyling (Coogee)
- Byron Watson (Elouera)
- Tom Park (Maroubra)
- Angelina Garay (South Maroubra)

CLUB OF THE YEAR

- Bondi SBLSC
- Burning Palms SLSC
- Coogee SLSC
- Elouera SLSC



AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

SAFE365 INNOVATION OF THE YEAR

- Bronzie HQ - Bondi Digital Transformation Project (Bondi)
- RunSwim Coogee (Coogee)
- Maggie Scott (Elouera)
- She's A Lifesaver (Tamarama)
- RWC Dual Battery & GPS (SYD Branch RWC)

COMMUNITY EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE YEAR

- Bondi Ukrainian Surf Awareness Program (Bondi)
- Swim for Ukraine (Bronte)
- Beach Ocean Safety Program (Coogee)
- Wanda Swim Brother Program (Wanda)

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR

- Louise Santos (Bondi)
- Emily Ashcroft (Coogee)
- Petrina Howe (Era)
- Linda Hession (Maroubra)
- Donna Hargreaves (North Cronulla)
- Greg Pierce (Wanda)
- Uri Teitler (South Maroubra)
- Karl Solomonson (Surf Rescue 30)

SUPPORT OPERATIONS MEMBER OF THE YEAR

- Nicole Krite (Bondi)
- Michael Byrne (Elouera)
- Doug Lucas (Surf Rescue 30)

SERVICES TEAM OF THE YEAR

- Bondi Education Team (Bondi)
- RWC Operators (SLSS RWC Operators)

DUTY OFFICER OF THE YEAR

- Marissa Saunders (Bondi)
- Mathew Harper (Maroubra)
- Gerry Stephenson (North Bondi)

RWC MEMBER OF THE YEAR

- Ronald Krite (Bondi)
- Nicole Krite (Bondi)
- Frederic Testard (Maroubra)

ORB MEMBER OF THE YEAR

- Bradley Taylor (Garie)
- Tresne Chesher (Maroubra)

SURF SPORTS TEAM OF THE YEAR

- Bondi Masters Team (Bondi)
- Coogee Open Female 5 Person R&R (Coogee)
- Maroubra Thunder U17 R&R Team (Maroubra)
- North Bondi Open Female 2 x 1km soft sand team (North Bondi)
- NC Rescue (R & R section of Club) (North Cronulla)
- U15 Male 2 x 1KM Beach Relay Team (Wanda)

TONY HUGHES OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR

- Andrew Bloxsom (Coogee)
- Phil Cole (Cronulla)
- David Love (Maroubra)
- Dave Hargreaves (North Cronulla)
- Brooke Thatcher (Wanda)

COACH OF THE YEAR

- Sharon Deans (Coogee)
- Julian La Rosa (Maroubra)
- Tom Rampoldi (North Cronulla)
- Andrew Newrick (South Maroubra)

MASTERS ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

- Laura Thurtell (Bondi)
- Christopher Gately (Coogee)
- Rodrigo De Sabastian Martin (Maroubra)
- Rique Miroshnik (North Bondi)

ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

- James Koch (Bondi)
- William Mison (Coogee)
- Joe Mison (Era)
- Lily Finati (North Bondi)
- William Budd (North Cronulla)
- Emma Blanch (Wanda)

RESCUE OF THE YEAR

- Rescue 22 Sep 2022 - Melissa Halpin, Cronulla SLSC
- Rescue 3 Oct 2022 - Bondi SBLSC
- Rescue 13 Jan 2023 - Claudia Hamilton North Bondi SLSC
- Rescue 5 Feb 2023 - Elouera SLSC / North Cronulla SLSC / Cronulla SLSC
- Rescue 6 Mar 2023 - Brandon Leelong, Cronulla SLSC

PATROL OF THE YEAR

- Douglas Patrol Team Bondi (Bondi)
- Patrol 11 (Bronte)
- Patrol 14 (Coogee)
- Patrol 5 - Watson (Cronulla)
- Patrol Team 8 (Elouera)
- Patrol 1 (Maroubra)
- Patrol 16 (North Bondi)
- Patrol 3 (Wanda)

PATROL CAPTAIN OF THE YEAR

- Michael Hallam (Bondi)
- Simon Banks (Bronte)
- Emma Askham (Coogee)
- Adam Watson (Cronulla)
- Glenn Cairncross (Elouera)
- Cameron Watson (Era)
- Clint Palm (Maroubra)

FACILITATOR OF THE YEAR

- Marissa Saunders (Bondi)
- Doug Hawkins (Coogee)
- Phillip Carter (Maroubra)
- Glenn Clark (North Bondi)

TRAINER OF THE YEAR

- Ronald Krite (Bondi)
- Courtney Tallon (Bronte)
- Christopher Thompson (Clovelly)
- Alexandra Scott (Coogee)
- Steven Mead (Elouera)
- Brett Flanagan (Maroubra)
- Anita Pryke (North Cronulla)
- Doug Lucas (Surf Rescue 30)

ASSESSOR OF THE YEAR

- Oliver Brisse (Bondi)
- Maria Luise Ossimitz (Coogee)
- Stephen Urquhart (Elouera)
- Frederic Testard (Maroubra)

AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE WINNERS



AWARDS OF
EXCELLENCE

MAJOR AWARDS

SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

David Kowald (Elouera)

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Nicole Cooney (South Maroubra)

CLUB OF THE YEAR

Elouera SLSC

BRANCH MEMBER OF THE YEAR

George Benhayon (Maroubra)

LIFE MEMBERSHIP INDUCTION

Kerryn Briody (Bondi)

COMMUNITY

SAFE365 INNOVATION AWARD

Bronzie HQ - Bondi Digital Transformation Project (Bondi)

COMMUNITY EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE YEAR

Wanda Swim Brother Program (Wanda)

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR

Petrina Howe (Era)

LIFESAVING

RESCUE OF THE YEAR

Elouera SLSC / North Cronulla SLSC / Cronulla SLSC - Rescue on 05.02.23

PATROL TEAM OF THE YEAR

Douglas Patrol Team (Bondi)

PATROL CAPTAIN OF THE YEAR

Cameron Watson (Era)

PATROL EFFICIENCY BY OPERATIONAL AREA

- RNP - Burning Palms & Era
- Cronulla/Sutherland - Elouera
- Randwick - South Maroubra
- Waverley - Bondi

BETTY'S BURGERS YOUTH SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

Noah Teitler (South Maroubra)

BETTY'S BURGERS YOUTH SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR HIGHLY COMMENDED

Thomas Hetherington (Clovelly)

YOUTH VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Cate Kyling (Coogee)

U15 SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

Sarah Eliasson (Clovelly)

EDUCATION

FACILITATOR OF THE YEAR

Phillip Carter (Maroubra)

TRAINER OF THE YEAR

Anita Pryke (North Cronulla)

ASSESSOR OF THE YEAR

Maria Luise Ossimitz (Coogee)

MOST AWARDS PER OPERATIONAL AREA

- RNP - Burning Palms
- Cronulla/Sutherland - North Cronulla
- Randwick - Coogee
- Waverley - Bondi

SUPPORT OPERATIONS

SUPPORT OPERATIONS MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Michael Byrne (Elouera)

SERVICES TEAM OF THE YEAR

RWC Operators (SLSS RWC Operators)

DUTY OFFICER OF THE YEAR

Gerry Stephenson (North Bondi)

RWC MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Ronald Krite (Bondi)

ORB MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Bradley Taylor (Garie)

SURF SPORTS

SURF SPORTS TEAM OF THE YEAR

Bondi Masters Team (Bondi)

TONY HUGHES OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR

David Hargreaves (North Cronulla)

COACH OF THE YEAR

Sharon Deans (Coogee)

MASTERS ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Laura Thurtell (Bondi)

ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Lilly Finati (North Bondi)

YOUTH ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Sari McKee (North Cronulla)

U15 ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Dane Sutton (Wanda)

JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

JUNIOR AGE MANAGER OF THE YEAR

Sarah Teitler (South Maroubra)

JUNIOR TEAM OF THE YEAR

U13 Girls 2x1km Beach Relay Team (Wanda)

JUNIOR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

- 13-14 YRS FEMALE
Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda)
- 13-14 YRS MALE
Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra)
- 11-12 YRS FEMALE
Mia Hoo (North Bondi)
- 11-12 YRS MALE
Dewa Putu Krishna Inder (South Maroubra)
- 9-10 YRS FEMALE
Emerson Hoo (North Bondi)
- 9-10 YRS MALE
Nicholas Kondilios (South Maroubra)

JUNIOR LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

- FEMALE
Sophia Garvin (North Bondi)
- MALE
Calum Reiter (Coogee)



SURF LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR WINNER:
David Kowald,
Elouera SLSC

David joined Elouera SLSC in 2004 where he achieved his first lifesaving award, his Bronze Medallion that same year. David is still patrolling on the beach and is an active RWC operator. He has 100% patrol attendance since 2004 to present for 20 consecutive years. David has been awarded his 10- and 15- year National Patrol Service awards.

David has held various Elouera Board of Management positions including President, Director Administration, Director Education and is a current active Trainer and Assessor.

In all these positions, David has demonstrated positive and supportive attributes, behaviours, and actions are crucial for individuals and club. This means being respectful to others, being a good team player, communicating effectively, and showing a willingness to learn and improve. It also means being physically fit and mentally prepared to respond to emergencies when they arise. By modelling these positive attributes, David has helped create a culture of safety, respect, and support within the Surf Lifesaving community.

David was the Elouera Executive Director during the most stressful period experienced by all communities during COVID. David was a champion throughout this period and in an endeavour to maintain a bond with Surf Lifesaving and Elouera, he actively supported the use of club's funds for mental health and wellbeing course for club members. These courses continue today.

Despite these challenges, David has continued to work hard to overcome these obstacles and make a positive difference. He has adapted training and recruitment programs, implemented new technologies, and worked closely with club sponsors, government agencies and other organisations to improve beach safety and increase public awareness about the importance of water safety. Through his ongoing efforts, he has been able to make significant improvements in beach safety for everyone and no lives lost at Elouera Beach.

David's gentle and approachable nature makes him a go to person with the club. The accomplishments and innovations of individuals within Elouera SLSC and in all facets of surf lifesaving have inspired others to think creatively and to continually improve their practices, leading to safer beaches and better outcomes for club members and the community.

David has been and still is involvement in all aspects of the Elouera SLSC, through the engagement of the Junior Development section through to the Senior club. The overseeing of the most recent club development with the building committee and securing a 20 year lease with the Sutherland Shire Council for Elouera and the sub lease for the clubs tenants securing ongoing funding supporting all aspects of the clubs lifesaving goals. David work ethic is beyond comparison.

**Congratulations David Kowald,
Sydney Branch Surf Lifesaver of the Year 2022/23**



VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR WINNER:
Nicole Cooney,
South Maroubra SLSC

Nicole is a highly valued member of South Maroubra and over time has held various leadership roles. Nicole is currently the Director Lifesaving Services, a Patrol Captain, lead Bronze and ARTC trainer. She is acting CTO and IRB Coordinator this season, and has handled some challenging times with grace and professionalism. Outside of her club positions Nicole also holds roles with SLSS on the education team as Area Coordinator for Randwick and with SLSNSW as the Development Lead within the ALBERT program.

Nicole leads a Youth leadership team within her Lifesaving Committee taking time to mentor them as young leaders, lending advice on how to navigate the sometimes tricky world of lifesaving bureaucracy. Some examples of these young leaders are Isabella & Angelina Garay, Sarah & Noah Teitler, Kai Jones, with many more future leaders within the lifesaving movement to come through our club.

Nicole also volunteered for the NSW Bush Fires on the South Coast in 2020, and NSW flood deployment in 2021 and 2022.

In education and lifesaving South Maroubra has grown as a club under Nicole's leadership. She has mentored 10 new trainers in the education section, many who are now lead trainers in their sections, she has continued to see growth in award attainment each season as DOL. Over the last five years Nicole has dedicated a lot of her time to training SRC kids, steadily growing the squads by developing relationships with Nipper parents as well as the kids. Further to this innovation and streamlining training we have seen a smoother pathway for members gaining awards, and flow through to obtaining higher awards.

In growing and retaining the lifesaving membership we have doubled our active lifesaving membership which has seen the addition of new teams and lowered the number of patrols per season required by members. By growing the education team it means less stress and burn out of our trainers by distributing the load of training each season.

Nicole is the first female Club Captain at South Maroubra. During her tenure we have seen impressive growth in our patrolling capacity. The club's retention, particularly in youth membership (175% in cadets, 242% in Active 15- 18 since 2016/17), is the highest it has been for years. Overall we have seen a 105% growth in our active patrolling members since 2016 (Active 18+, Active 15- 18 and Cadets). We are putting through more awards now than we have before in earlier years. This has been a lot of dedicated work by the lifesaving team under Nicole's leadership.

**Congratulations Nicole Cooney,
Sydney Branch Volunteer of the Year 2022/23**

AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE JUNIOR



AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE
SENIOR



SECTION 05

LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS

42



1,349
RESCUES



178,983
VOLUNTEER
PATROL HOURS



2,186
FIRST AIDS



62,335
PREVENTATIVE
ACTIONS



4,500
PATROLLING
MEMBERS





LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS

DIRECTOR OF LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS REPORT

With pandemic restrictions lifted and a waning La Nina, Surf Life Saving Sydney (SLSS) lifesavers looked forward to a return to a season of normality. Which for the most part season 2022-23 was. However, we did see increased patronage on our beaches, particularly in non-patrolled areas from Little Bay to Yarra Bay.

Our core business is saving lives and to that end, I would like to highlight several key focus areas:

LIFESAVING:

- After many hazardous Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) incidents in season 2021-22, we established the IRB Safety Review. This was a holistic examination looking at training, education, personnel skill levels and culture. This resulted in 17 recommendations across both Lifesaving and Education. This season saw fewer serious incidents.
- Last year's floods wiped out Garie Rd, making it unpassable for any vehicle. Faced with the prospect of the Garie SLSC being unable to patrol, Branch and the club worked closely to find a viable alternative. Together we were able to install a Garie Patrol at Wattamolla beach most weekends. Whilst obviously not as ideal as their home beach, it at least gave Garie SLSC members the chance to maintain their lifesaving skills.
- This year we introduced a new role to the Lifesaving and Support Committee - Diversity Officer - Lifesaving. Oliva Gardiner from Coogee filled this position and surpassed our expectations of where this role could go. She introduced and expanded on initiatives such as
 - Sisters in the Surf
 - Welcome to Country for Nippers
 - Rainbow Beaches
 - Was a member of the IRB Safety Review Panel interacting with female drivers and crew.
- IRB Gear Inspection Review. Many of our IRB Captains have previously expressed frustration that there is a lack of published information regarding acceptable tolerances of inspections points on a motor during Gear Inspection. After the most recent Gear Inspection, we instigated a review and formed a Gear Inspection panel to examine and propose acceptable tolerances, able to be simply measured. Thank you to Branch IRB stalwart Peter Burst, Dave Paget (Coogee), Rob Illidge (Coogee), Jason King (Bronte) and Michael Bonnici - SLSS Manager-Lifesaving.

SUPPORT OPERATIONS:

- Several seasons of COVID-19 restrictions saw our numbers of Rescue Water Craft (RWC) operators significantly reduced. Last winter we held an unprecedented two Operator courses to swell our number of RWC drivers back up to over seventy. Our RWC team realised some phenomenal figures this year:
 - 26,237km travelled at sea.
 - 3,185 hours on Patrol
 - 405 rescues
- We increased the numbers of our Duty Officers to 27 - the most SLSS has ever had. We introduced a 12-month roster with DOs on call 24/7/365. Our Duty Officers served in multiple theatres including:
 - Coastal Emergency Management
 - Flood Emergencies
 - Marine Area Command
 - SOC
 - 3,158 hours on Patrol
- We rolled out our Surf Rescue eBike Initiative on Australia day. Fitted with 250 Watt motors and sporting 20x4" wheels, these bikes allow our Duty Officers, equipped with TacMed Trauma kits to rapidly deploy to an emergency incident through heavy road traffic.
- We continue to explore every option to maintain the SR30 boat service as an important part of Surf Lifesaving.
 - The boat contributed 3,039 hours of patrolling.
 - Performed 34 rescues.
- Our UAV section also increased operator numbers to 26. They continue to support both clubs and lifesaving services in surveillance for marine life and in rescues.
- SLSS Support Operations ran a Sutherland Shire Search and Rescue Exercise (SAREX) prior to the commencement of the season. Staged as a multi-incident event over a large area (Boat Harbour in the north to Salmon Haul in the south), it involved Duty Officers, RWC Operators, LS21 and Sutherland Shire Lifeguards. The REMO, (Regional Emergency Management Officer) Mark Beard was a keen observer and was most impressed with the professionalism of the event.
- We presented a Briefing paper to the SLSNSW Board of Directors on creating a Support Operations Hub based at Malabar.





As anyone involved in club administration will attest, it takes the contribution of many to be successful. It is no different at Branch in each one of our departments. Lifesaving and Support Operations is very lucky to have many such people.

In his second year as Manager – Lifesaving, Michael Bonnici has worked tirelessly with clubs to help them deliver a first-class Lifesaving Service. Through his efforts and commitment, we have now seen the role realising its full potential. He is a fantastic right-hand man, and we maintain a close working relationship regarding all thing Lifesaving. Michael took lead in both the IRB Safety Review and IRB Gear Inspection Panel and provides tremendous leadership to his team of Lifesaving Coordinators.

Unfortunately, we lost the services of our Lifesaving Coordinator – Waverley early in the season. Displaying her adaptability, our Diversity Officer, Oliva Gardiner stepped into the void and performed admirably. Ben Heenan continued in his second year as Lifesaving Coordinator – Randwick. He displayed a high level of leadership in attending and assisting clubs with issues on their beaches. While the redoubtable Rob Short (Cronulla Sutherland District) and Mark Wood (Royal National Park District) both returned this year. With a wealth of experience and knowledge, these two gents are incredibly valuable to our team. We are all better because of their advice.

Rob and Olivia also represent the Lifesaving & Support Operations Committee on the SLSS Safety First Initiative working group.

Last year we added a role to the Support Operation side of the committee this season – Duty Officer Coordinator. Michael Byrne (Elouera) volunteered for this challenging role and has performed tremendously in managing all personnel and equipment associated with the Duty

Officer Cohort. He provided significant support to me and Jackson Towns, Manager – Support Operations.

Released from the administration of the Duty Office Cohort, Jackson has been able to perform his role with some flair and continues to expand the Emergency Management service of the Support Operations Team.

There is a reason Surf Lifesaving Sydney has the most cutting edge RWC service in the country. That reason is Andrew McKeller. Through Andrew, our RWC operators drive the safest, most capable craft. GPS fitted and with dual battery systems, our operators can be safe in the knowledge that someone onshore always know their location, and there is minimal risk of their craft breaking down.

Andrew and his team led the way and the rest of NSW followed. All SLSNSW RWC now sport the GPS and dual battery systems.

I rely heavily on Andrew and Rob Short for their Branch knowledge and experience. They are invaluable contributors to our Lifesaving and Support Operations team.

Nicole (Nixy) Krite, our Offshore Rescue Boat (ORB) coordinator has provided feedback in what has been an extraordinarily difficult time for the boat service. I would like to commend the entire SR30 group for the long hours and dedicated service they put in to uphold their motto of “Safer Beaches, Safer Coastlines, Safer Lives”. In particular Brad Taylor and Doug Lucas have racked up cricket scores with the number of hours they have dedicated to SR30 this year. Without their efforts, the boat service may well have folded. Thank you and we are very proud of you all.

Our Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) Team was very well led by James McLennan this year. The UAV has quickly been recognised as a vital part of Search and Rescue



operations. Extensively used throughout the recent NSW Flood Crisis, the SLSS UAV Team was part of the larger SLNSW UAV Cohort that has become the peak body for UAV operations in NSW. Furthermore, our UAV team continues to work hard supporting clubs, Duty Officers, and Lifeguard services. We are very lucky to have James as our UAV Coordinator. With his impressive knowledge of Search and Rescue (SAR) equipment, he keeps us at the forefront of UAV technology. Next year we will look to add night search capability to our fleet. Well done and thank you to James and the team.

Kane Hughes, our Emergency Management Coordinator, continues to evolve this emerging role. As SLSNSW steps further into the Emergency Management space, it is imperative that SLSS can maintain relevance at the head of the pack. Kane and the role he fills facilitates this. Kane has also been proactive in preparing briefs to enhance SLSS EM capabilities, such as the Vehicular Operations Briefing paper that has been presented to the SLSNSW Board. Thank you for your service and advice this year Kane. Your support has been invaluable.

One of the biggest thanks must go to our Lifesaving and Education Administration Officer, Linda Perrin, without whom, my position would be untenable. Linda has been my biggest ally, has provided a mountain of support and safe advice and kept things light-hearted when the situation was grim. On a broader scale, it is safe to say the Lifesaving and Support Operations Committee could not operate at one tenth the level without Linda. I cannot communicate enough my thanks to Linda this year.

Settling into my second year as Director - Lifesaving & Support Operations has not been without its challenges and at times I find myself questioning my ability to provide an adequate service. However, the support and advice from my colleagues (many of whom have become close friends) has been outstanding

and allowed me to grow into this role. I excited at what future holds for SLSS and being a part of it.

Surf Life Saving Sydney has so many wonderful volunteers. Members who put in so many hours of thankless work. Members who inspire others to be better. Lives saved because members of SLSS care. I am continually amazed by the accounts of bravery shown by our members. To our almost 4,500 patrolling members who performed 1,349 rescues, 2,186 First Aids, an amazing 62,335 preventative action in ensuring the safety of 1,801,351 beach patron, I cannot thank you enough.

It was Greek philosopher Aristotle over 2,300 years ago who said "What is the essence of life? To serve others and to do good." Surely there is no better a cause than to save a life. And for the tens of thousands of hours volunteered collectively by every member who donned the red and yellow this - Thank you.

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Director of Lifesaving and Support Operations

LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS

RESCUES & PATROLS STATISTICS

RESCUES	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	SR 30	RWC'S	22/23	21/22	20/21
No Gear	7	3	1	6	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	2	3	9	0	0	36	40	59
Rescue Tube	206	35	0	16	3	7	34	0	0	39	11	1	12	32	12	0	0	408	265	282
Body Board	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	9	5	4
Rescue Board	86	17	2	7	5	5	1	1	0	10	19	26	22	36	23	0	0	260	254	304
IRB	48	11	1	7	8	1	3	0	0	31	10	2	32	1	6	0	0	161	76	105
RWC	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	8	0	390	405	227	313
ORB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	0	34	32	36
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	4	27	36	69	12
SEASON 22/23	347	67	4	36	16	14	44	3	0	80	44	33	70	73	63	38	417	1,349		
Season 21/22	94	124	9	20	15	46	26	1	17	78	76	20	50	54	90	39	209		968	
Season 20/21	118	72	9	53	6	31	5	4	96	48	50	5	82	81	125	39	291			1,115

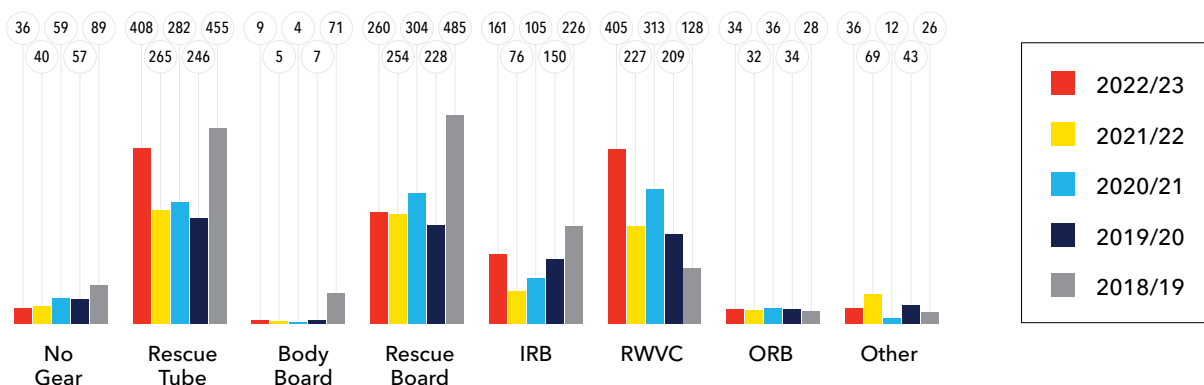
FIRST AID	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	SR 30	RWC'S	22/23	21/22	20/21
Marine Stings (major & minor)	38	102	0	104	164	9	1	1	1	372	35	47	170	3	47	3	0	1,097	1,441	1,723
Minor Cuts/Abrasions	62	75	91	296	65	29	12	7	1	18	121	14	37	16	27	0	0	871	513	669
Major Wounds	5	1	1	12	2	1	13	1	7	8	3	0	1	0	0	9	0	64	11	19
Fractures/Dislocations	10	4	2	2	8	3	1	0	1	2	5	1	3	1	0	0	0	43	29	35
Spinal	0	2	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	9	7	18
Shock	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	5
Resuscitation	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Heart Related	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	9
Other	8	10	1	13	13	9	3	1	0	8	6	1	7	5	11	1	0	97	87	154
SEASON 22/23	123	194	96	428	256	51	31	10	10	409	171	63	218	25	87	13	0	2,185		
Season 21/22	376	149	22	331	374	42	22	10	20	169	272	16	229	39	21	11	0		2,103	
Season 20/21	281	262	34	545	165	59	48	30	84	64	234	35	589	53	133	16	0			2,632

PREVENTIONS	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	SR 30	RWC'S	22/23	21/22	20/21
Beach Users Warned/Advised	906	644	141	56	139	269	255	203	262	236	1536	150	15	121	0	0	0	4,933	3,645	1,826
Craft Users Warned/Advised	574	137	0	2	0	256	67	25	7	104	533	16	240	11	2	0	0	1,974	1,917	2,120
Lost Children	15	10	0	6	15	9	2	0	0	2	16	0	1	1	4	4	1	86	52	52
Preventions	13542	4659	81	470	151	367	868	37	60	2742	3769	226	1632	607	866	392	1609	32,078	18,000	29,159
Searches	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	36	18	60	31	44
Shark Alarm	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	16	22	31
Swimmers Warned/Advised	10469	5101	71	39	225	1400	437	140	344	1042	2154	307	632	586	105	0	0	23,052	10,634	12,141
Warning Signs Erected	16	30	0	1	0	18	8	5	0	5	10	30	0	13	0	0	0	136	136	192
SEASON 22/23	25522	10582	293	577	530	2320	1637	410	673	4131	8020	729	2520	1339	977	435	1640	62,335		
Season 21/22	9525	4916	71	775	2463	1167	935	444	615	1719	2684	2622	4514	433	371	362	551		34,167	
Season 20/21	13,693	6,302	495	518	176	1,000	758	140	920	2,105	5,419	3,252	8,822	493	529	65	878			45,565

SEASON 22/23	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	SR 30	RWC'S	22/23	21/22	20/21
Incident Reports	43	21	1	10	22	15	4	4	2	6	35	1	2	9		0	1	176		190
Beach Closure Total Hours	5	55	22	0	9	4	16	17	0	9	125	90.75	18	44		0	0	415	1	1702.6

Statistics used in this report are reported from Surfguard as at 20/5/2023

RESCUES - 5 YEAR COMPARISON

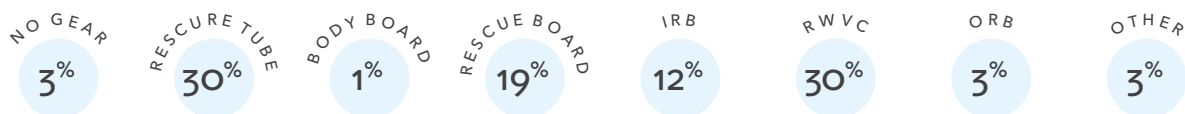




TOTAL COASTAL DROWNING INCIDENTS - 5 YEAR AVERAGE



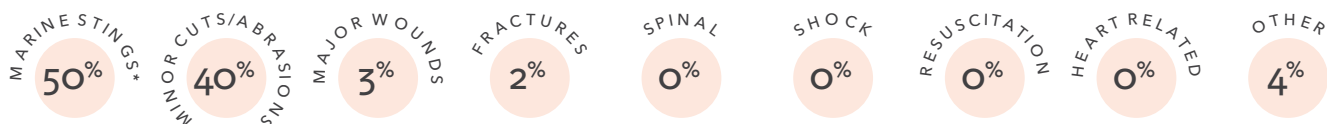
TOTAL RESCUES **1,349** SEASON 22/23



TOTAL FIRST AID - 5 YEAR COMPARISON



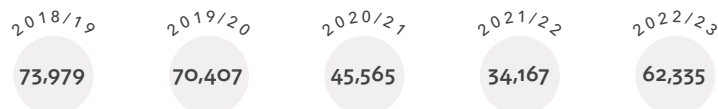
TOTAL FIRST AID **2,185** SEASON 22/23



* Major and minor



TOTAL PREVENTATIONS - 5 YEAR COMPARISON



TOTAL PREVENTIONS **62,335** SEASON 22/23



** Warned and advised

LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS

SUPPORT OPERATIONS REPORT



SUPPORT OPERATIONS MANAGER

Dedication, professionalism and selflessness. The qualities that have been known to resonate amongst our Support Operations members over the years. This certainly hasn't changed but rather grown! This season has been yet another action-packed season with new technology introduced, natural disaster relief continuing and countless of additional patrol hours packed into an already busy season.

The season kicked-off with the 'Search and Rescue Exercise' (SAREX) regime that was successfully implemented in Randwick LGA two seasons ago, finally arriving at the doorstep of our Bate Bay clubs. All the local Sutherland Club Callout Teams, Support Operations resources and Sutherland Shire Lifeguards attended to a multi-patient search and rescue operation on a spectacular weather day! The NSW Police Force Regional Emergency Management Officer (REMO) attended and witnessed the amazing capabilities of our volunteer drone (UAV) program and the well-implemented search patterns of our members on the water. They were extremely complimentary of our capabilities and professionalism and gained a greater appreciation for the work we do as lifesavers. Well done to all involved!

The Support Operations Group, Elouera, North Cronulla and Cronulla, alongside the Sutherland Shire Lifeguards, were the recipient of the SLSNSW Rescue of the Month Award in February 2023 and the SLS Sydney Rescue of the Year at the recent awards of excellence. On Saturday, 5 February 2023 a large group (some say 50 or so!) were washed off a bank at North Cronulla. Nixy Krite on the Support Ski was first on scene, rescuing an unconscious male floating in the water and providing her sled to a large number of swimmers to cling to whilst she attended to the unconscious male. Elouera, North Cronulla, Cronulla and Lifeguards then swung into action to assist, conveying the unconscious male to the beach and performing CPR whilst the other lifesavers continued to rescue people from the water. With the unity and collaboration between all teams, a positive result was achieved with a large number of patient rescued and the male later regaining consciousness. A huge team effort - well done!



RESCUE WATER CRAFTS

The Rescue Water Crafts (RWC) have once again had a mammoth season, reflected in the thousands of patrols hours and myriad rescues and preventative actions performed by the operators. It's no surprise that this group was announced the Services Team of the Year at the recent Surf Life Saving Sydney Awards of Excellence. The team patrolled non-stop (above and beyond their LSA!) between Christmas and New Years, as they have for a few seasons now, performing hundreds of preventative and rescue measures throughout. Undeniably a busy time of season for our volunteers and their own families and friends, the selflessness and service of these members during this period undoubtedly saved the lives of members of our community during the festive season. The branch and community cannot thank you enough!

The RWC Women's Development Clinic was held again this season. Nixy Krite and her team of helpers again worked tirelessly to plan the clinic, including sourcing sponsorship and attracting media interest from BRP, SLSNSW and SLISA in the initiative. The women participated in a busy day, working alongside Surf Rescue 30 and the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter honing their skills in rock-related access

and rescues, team collaboration and general RWC skills and experience. Participants even included ladies from other branches, further increasing their networks, skillsets and experiences. Go Girls!

A large number of operators also undertook advanced training sessions on Fridays between September and December last year. This was open to all operators and provided the opportunity for continual development, above and beyond that learnt in the initial training course. This was a new initiative this season and had strong, positive feedback from many.

Finally, the annual training course will be run during the off-season, commencing July. The typically ten-week course will bolster the RWC group's staffing and provide much needed relief and support to the current roster. Thank you to all the trainers, facilitators and most importantly, the candidates who have put their hand up to join the team!

In a huge increase from last season, SLS Sydney Rescue Water Craft undertook 2,265 patrol hours on the water, 405 total rescues, consumed a mammoth 15,082 litres of fuel and travelled 26,237km in season 22-23!

**26,237**KM TRAVELLED
BY OUR RWCS**3,184.80**RWC
PATROL HOURS**3,157.62**DUTY OFFICER
HOURS**3,039.4**SURF RESCUE 30
PATROL HOURS

SURF RESCUE 30

Surf Rescue 30 was back full-time this season after overcoming some well-documented hurdles in the past few seasons – a credit to the leadership of Doug Lucas, Jake McDonald, Richard Lissenden and Karl Solomonson.

The boat had even more involvement with external agencies this season, strengthening their skillsets and relationships on the water. They participated in numerous training sessions with Marine Rescue NSW and Botany Bay and Sydney Water Police. The feedback from the membership has been great and it has been rewarding for the service to showcase their skills and abilities in the wider emergency service realm. A large portion of the team also obtained nationally recognised training awards, such as Coxswains qualifications, to bolster the expertise on board and prove their devoted commitment to remaining on the water and saving lives in their community. A huge number of volunteer hours went into gaining those certificates, in addition to their patrol hours, so thank you and well done!

The team welcomes a brand new vessel for the start of the upcoming season and I know a lot of hard work including interstate visits, were made to ensure this boat was the best it could possibly be for the members and the community. I look forward to seeing the new boat out and about!

Total Rescues SR30 – 34 and 3,039 hours patrolled.

UAV'S

The Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) team is continuing to grow and expand and is probably the fastest moving area in Surf Life Saving today!

Full-time patrols were conducted during the school holidays at locations such as Tamarama, Maroubra, Malabar, Little Bay, Wanda and Wattamolla. Some of our membership took up the casual employment, whilst continuing to volunteer in a training and operational capacity.

New drones that can fly in stronger winds, wet weather and boasts infrared and live streaming capabilities have been rolled out with volunteer members likely to receive upskilling opportunities to utilise the UAV for future taskings and operations, including our night operations capabilities. SLS Sydney is very appreciative of the capacity provided by the Australian UAV Service, which will see an added capacity in any future Search and Rescue operations.

DUTY OFFICERS

The Duty Officer team welcomed five new members to the ranks and benefited from additional funding seeing an increase in equipment and technology available to the operational leadership team. The 20+ strong team, on call 24/7, 365 days a year, were regularly called out to respond to critical incidents alongside our partner emergency services. The addition of the new members helped to deepen the experience and skillset within the team, providing our lifesaving services and clubs with an exceptional level of guidance and support. An additional vehicle was provided by SLSNSW, increasing

our marked high-visibility fleet to five vehicles. This vehicle was rolled out with additional tablets for monitoring of our GPS devices and crucial application access during emergency situations, as well as high power torches to complement our night-time responses.

Whilst having a strong presence on the beach, the duty officer team also undertook deployments to flood ravaged areas of the state to assist with the coordination of SLS members across the state alongside SES and other emergency services to combat the Flood disaster. Attendance at Local and Regional Emergency Management meetings, Liaison Officer positions alongside the Water Police and SES, as well as attendance at local rock fishing seminars to convey safety messages to the community were some of the many extra roles duty officers performed this season.

Finally, I would like to recognise several departing members from last season including Brittaney Banks and George Shales who for a number of years, performed exceptionally well and were an asset to the team. Thank you for your service!

In closing, the season has once again been a huge challenge for the Support Operations Group, however the members performed exceptionally well and saved the lives of many throughout! The dedication and professionalism shown by this bunch of lifesavers is incredible, and I am so immensely proud of the team! The success of the group wouldn't be possible without the wonderful coordinators at the helm and a huge thanks to James McLennan (UAV), Doug Lucas and Nixy Krite (Surf Rescue 30), Michael Byrne (Duty Officers) and Andrew McKellar (RWC). Yet again, several of our members were recognised with some of the highest honours at our recent Awards of Excellence and I wish to personally acknowledge these members and their significant contribution to not only the Support Operations Service, but their clubs and their communities:

- Gerry Stephenson (Duty Officer)
– Duty Officer of the Year
- Ronny Krite (RWC) – RWC Operator of the Year
- Brad Taylor (SR30) – Offshore Rescue Boat Member of the Year
- Michael Byrne (Duty Officer & RWC) – Support Operations Member of the Year
- Phil Carter (RWC) – Facilitator of the Year
- David Kowald (RWC Operator) – Surf Lifesaver of the Year

Preparations for the coming season are already underway and I would like to welcome Michael Lette (UAV Coordinator) and Doug Lucas (ORB Coordinator) to the team in recent officer bearer appointments. I am excited to see everyone at our annual Support Operations Presentation Night, recognising and uniting our members on 24 June 2023.

See you on the beach.

JACKSON TOWNS

Manager, Support Operations

SUPPORT OPERATIONS HOURS

Michael Bonnici (Wanda)	151.50
Jackson Towns (Elouera)	153.75
Ash Arundell (North Cronulla)	154.75
Marissa Saunders (Bondi)	185
Gerald Stephenson (North Bondi)	204

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150+ HRS

Charlie Hort (Elouera)	104.5
Scott Muir (Coogee)	108.23
Matt Gentle (Elouera)	110
Nicole Krite (Bondi)	110.5
James Caterson (Wanda)	111.46
Darren Galea (Elouera)	118
Lachlan Towns (Elouera)	125

Mathew Harper (Maroubra)	126.5
James McLennan (Bronte)	130.5
Louise Skjeime (Garie)	136.25
Andrew Gardiner (Coogee)	139.08
John Restuccia (Maroubra)	145
Benjamin Heenan (Coogee)	146.75

100-149 HRS

0-49 HRS

Paul Wenck (Bronte)	42
Brittaney Banks (Maroubra)	45

**DUTY OFFICERS
- TOTAL HOURS
FOR SEASON
3,157.62**

50-99 HRS

Christopher Jacobson (Elouera)	63
George Shales (Maroubra)	75
Simon Torsellini (South Maroubra)	80
Kane Hughes (North Cronulla)	95.75
Michael Byrne (Elouera)	98
Chris Barber (Cronulla)	99
Ryan Tindall (Bronte)	99

Nick Tyler (Garie)	181.25
Douglas Lucas (Long Reef (SNB))	277.5
Bradley Taylor (Garie)	287

150+ HRS

Jake McDonald (Maroubra)	101
Karl Solomonson (Maroubra)	104
Richard Lissenden (North Bondi)	106
Rachelle McCarthy (Maroubra)	115
Guy Bland (Wanda)	120.5
Phillip Sylvester (Maroubra)	125.75
Marie Emerson (Maroubra)	128.25
Michelle Cielesh (Maroubra)	135

100-149 HRS

0-49 HRS

Frederic Testard (Maroubra)	4.5
Liam Byrne (Maroubra)	7.5
Steven Denholm (Maroubra)	9.5
Cameron Callaghan (Coogee)	10
Julie Pritchard (Bondi)	14.4
Benjamin Heenan (Coogee)	15

Matthew Goldrick (Maroubra)	15.5
Benjamin Hession (Maroubra)	18
William Forrest (Tamarama)	19
David Freedman (North Bondi)	20
Adam D'Angelo (Bondi)	37.5
Elijah Magee (Bondi)	43.5
Scott A Parker (Coogee)	44.75
Jennie Smith (South Maroubra)	45.5
Jasmine Georgas (Maroubra)	48.25

**SURF RESCUE
30 OPERATORS -
TOTAL HOURS
FOR SEASON
3,039.4**

50-99 HRS

Jonathan Kilbane (Garie)	51.5
Tresne Chesher (Maroubra)	53
William Lenard (Tamarama)	53
Steven Chesher (Maroubra)	57
Karen Cook (Wanda)	57
Cate Kyling (Coogee)	60.25
John Georgas (Maroubra)	61
Fiona Phelps (Coogee)	62.75
Patrick Moore (Coogee)	68
William Davison (Coogee)	69.5
Clive Stiff (Coogee)	70
Owen Skjeime (Garie)	74.5
Marcus Karozis (Coogee)	76.25
Darren Tannock (South Maroubra)	78

*“Thank you for
all your hours
of service
to keep our
beaches safe”*

0-49 HRS

Darren Galea (Elouera)	4.5
Shane Daw (Glenelg (SA))	5
Chris Jacobson (Elouera)	5
Joel Wiseman (North Cronulla)	5.25
Joseph Doyle (Maroubra)	5.5
Emma Daisy Finnerty (Bronte)	6
Chris Barber (Cronulla)	8.75
Denny Rowlands (Wanda)	10.5
Peter Hooker (Coogee)	14.25
Ryan Rosenbaum (Maroubra)	15

Matt Gentle (Elouera)	15.50
Rachelle McCarthy (Maroubra)	15.75
Tom Molomby (Coogee)	15.75
Nathan Schutt (Cronulla)	16.5
Michael Bonnici (Wanda)	17
Douglas Peres (North Bondi)	17
Lachlan Towns (Elouera)	17
Brent Jackson (Bondi)	17.75
Patrick Connors (Tamarama)	18
Owen Skjeime (Garie)	18.5

Nicole Krite (Bondi)	244
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150+ HRS

RWC SUPPORT
SKIS OPERATORS -
TOTAL HOURS
FOR SEASON
3,184.80

50-99 HRS

Jayleen Bruce (Cronulla)	50.5
Gordon Manuel (Clovelly)	51.5
Scott Jackson (Cronulla)	53
Frederic Testard (Maroubra)	53.75
Graham Burt (Cronulla)	56.02
Glenn McLachlan (Cronulla)	56.75
Anthony Graham (Garie)	57
William Forrest (Tamarama)	57.25
Phillip Carter (Maroubra)	63.25
Bronessa Smith (Cronulla)	64.75
Rupert Agnew (Elouera)	66.92
Bradley Dunn (Clovelly)	75.68
Julie Pritchard (Bondi)	84.93
Michael Byrne (Elouera)	85.5
Mark Taylor (Elouera)	86.17
Anthony Sobb (North Cronulla)	89.25

Andrew McKellar (Elouera)	108
John Tangohau (Cronulla)	111.5
Ronald Krite (Bondi)	115

100-149 HRS

0-49 HRS CONT.

Stephen Winnall (Bondi)	18.5
Steven Pearce (Helensburg SP)	18.83
Jake McDonald (Maroubra)	20.25
Alexander Merkur (North Bondi)	20.25
Kiva Galgut (North Bondi)	20.5
Peter Koureas (Maroubra)	21.25
Jonathan Golan (North Bondi)	22.25
Kenneth Smith (Wanda)	23.5
Jackson Towns (Elouera)	23.5
Javier Garcia (Elouera)	23.7
Julian Peterson (North Bondi)	24.27
Glenn Cairncross (Elouera)	24.5
Jonathan Kilbane (Garie)	25.5
James Lamb (Maroubra)	25.5
Matthew Pentney (Wanda)	25.5
William Davison (Coogee)	25.75
David Kowald (Elouera)	26
Ash Arundell (North Cronulla)	27
Danny Donohoe (Maroubra)	30
Scott A Parker (Coogee)	30

Rene Prochnow (South Maroubra)	31
John Costigan (North Bondi)	32.25
Brett Jamieson (Garie)	33
Luis Catalan (Cronulla)	34.5
Laszlo Tobias-Szabo (South Maroubra)	35.5
William Lennard (Tamarama)	36.75
Steven Massone (Cronulla)	37
Peter Harvie (Coogee)	37.75
Wojciech Rogulski (Cronulla)	38.83
Stuart Braine (Cronulla)	39.75
Louise Skjeime (Garie)	41.25
Thomas King (South Maroubra)	41.5
Altin Bunaj (Coogee)	42
Alexandra MacLaughlan (Bondi)	42.25
John McGhee (Coogee)	42.5
Kristy Smith (Bondi)	45.75
Kane Hughes (North Cronulla)	47.75
Mark Forland (Garie)	48.25
Chris Charmers (Cronulla)	48.75
Dane Melcum (Coogee)	49

UAV OPERATORS

Anthony Beger (Clovelly)
Cameron Burns (Elouera)
Liam Byrne (Maroubra)
Mark Carleton (Elouera)
Nelson Da Silva (Maroubra)
Adam D'Angelo (Bondi)
Danny Donohoe (Maroubra)
Glenn Duffus (Maroubra)
Terrence Farley (Burning Palms)
Elliott Finley (North Bondi)
Craig Howie (Coogee)
Leesa Lawrence (North Bondi)
Michael Lette (Coogee)

Yasmine Lewis (Garie)
James McLennan (Bronte)
Timothy Nixon (Bronte)
Greg Oldfield (Cronulla)
George Pappas (Wanda)
Rachel Pelikan (Maroubra)
Riley Porteous (Wanda)
Stephanie Roche (Maroubra)
John Salib (Elouera)
Evan Sezenias (Maroubra)
Cameron Simpson (Elouera)
Andrew Ugarte (Bronte)
Yasmin Zaman (Garie)



LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS

SLSNSW SUPPORT OPERATIONS SERVICE AWARDS

Recognises Surf Life Saving NSW members long service as Rescue Water Craft Operators, Offshore Rescue Boat Operators or Duty Officers

5 YEARS SERVICE

Simon Torsellini (Duty Officer)

Darren Galea (Duty Officer)

Jackson Towns (Duty Officer)

Brittaney Banks (Duty Officer)

Michael Bonnici (Duty Officer)

Lachlan Towns (Duty Officer)

Patrick Connors (RWC)

John Costigan (RWC)

Jonathan Golan (RWC)

Peter Harvie (RWC)

58 Thomas King (RWC)

Nicole Krite (RWC)

Glen McLachlan (RWC)

Dane Melcum (RWC)

Steven Pearce (RWC)

Adam D'Angelo (SR30)

Marie Bowen (SR30)

Marcus Karozis (SR30)

Jonathan Kilbane (SR30)

Jennie Smith (SR30)

10 YEARS SERVICE

James Catersn (Duty Officer)

John Restuccia OAM (Duty Officer)

Gerry Stephenson ESM (Duty Officer)

Kane Hughes (Duty Officer)

Scott A Parker (RWC)

Peter Hooker (RWC)

15 YEARS SERVICE

George Shales OAM (Duty Officer)

Kane Hughes (RWC)

Andrew McKellar (RWC)



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LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS

RESCUE OF THE MONTH RECOGNITION



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Branch Monthly Winner
Cronulla SLSC for rescue conducted 22/9/22 by Melissa Haplin in Phuket Thailand.



Branch Monthly Winner
Bondi SBLSC for rescue conducted 3/10/22 by Michael Hallam, Noah Kaplan, Eddy Cavanagh, Ronny Krite, James Mclellan and Simon Smith at Bondi beach.

Branch Monthly Winner

Elouera and North Cronulla SLSC's Elouera and North Cronulla SLSC's for rescue conducted 5/2/2023 at North Cronulla by Lifesavers and Lifeguards involved : Nicole Krite, Andrew McKellar, Tammy Payne, Emily Zytaruk, Tim Grant, Kirron Duncan, Brett Pritchard, David Kowald, Ashton Prowse, Xavier Byrnes, Austin Alexander, Mal Boon, Kaitlyn Byrnes, Paul Byrnes, Tara Collier, Brooke Collins, Bailey Duncan, Holly Edmunds, Lee Edmunds, Greg Gillan, Chris Hall, Madison Hall, Andrew Hay, Natalie Hay, Amelie Humphries, Robert Humphries, Neill Hunt, Dean McLennan, Mikaela Mead, Steven Mead, Jack Prowse, Kayla Pyett, Ross Pyett, Will Soulos, Joshua Walmsley, Brady Bacon, Jye Collier, Karl Gillan, Ryan Gillan, Charlotte Wisdom, Megan Kessey, Tulley Lane, Layla King, Reagan Boggiss, Kirra Hodge, James Hards, Ashlyn Lloyd, Milly Newton, Jane Lanham, Sarah O'Connor, Michael Bonnici, Louise Skjeime, Mackenzie Hannington, Zachary Roja, Callum Redrup, Chris Iredale, Bede Elphick, Phil Cole, Daniel Kerr, Mervlyn Guilbert, Jessica Stonestreet, Brandon Leelong.

State Monthly Winners

Elouera / North Cronulla SLSC for rescue conducted 5/2/2023.



Branch Monthly Winner
North Bondi SLSC for rescue conducted 13/1/2023 by Claudia Hamilton at Blueys Beach near Forster on the NSW Lower north coast.

State Monthly Winners

North Bondi SLSC for rescue conducted 13/1/2023.

Branch Monthly Winner
Cronulla SLSC for rescue conducted 6/3/22 by member Brandon Leelong at Cronulla beach at around 7.15 pm.



SLSS BRANCH RESCUE OF THE YEAR - ELOUERA SLSC/NORTH CRONULLA SLSC RESCUE CONDUCTED 5 FEBRUARY 2023

At around 3PM on Sunday 5 February, a large group of people were swept off a bank at North Cronulla on the edge of the northernmost patrol flag, initiating a mass rescue operation which involved volunteer lifesavers and lifeguards from across the Bate Bay region.

The multi-club operation with high member involvement began as Sydney Branch jetski operator, Nixy Krite of Bondi SBLSC observed the situation unfolding from her Rescue Water Craft (RWC) and raced to the scene after radioing the incident in to the SLSNSW State Operations Centre.

Noticing first the most critical patient in need of assistance - an unconscious male floating face down in the water - she made her way to him. The RWC already had several people on the sled and as such, the unconscious male was transferred on the water to the Elouera Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) which had made its way to the scene.

He was taken to shore with CPR commenced in the IRB by Kirron Duncan and Brett Pritchard, and continued on land with the assistance of Sutherland Shire lifeguards. The man would later regain consciousness.

After the transfer of the critical patient, Nixy then ferried 20 more swimmers in to shore while eight others were assisted from the water by lifeguards. Patrol members from Elouera SLSC and North Cronulla SLSC assisted in coordinating the critical care of patients.

Whilst Nixy was transferring the unconscious patient to the Elouera IRB, several members, including Reagan Boggiss, Jane Lanham, and Milly Newton, assisted distressed swimmers to stay afloat in the water until they could be ferried ashore by RWC, while North Cronulla SLSC and Elouera SLSC members worked with Sutherland Council lifeguards in coordinating the critical care of patients on the beach.

The incident serves as a strong example of collaboration between volunteer lifesavers and lifeguards.

Lifesavers and Lifeguards involved: Nicole Krite, Andrew McKellar, Tammy Payne, Emily Zytaruk, Tim Grant, Kirron Duncan, Brett Pritchard, David Kowald, Ashton Prowse, Xavier Byrnes, Austin Alexander, Mal Boon, Kaitlyn Byrnes, Paul Byrnes, Tara Collier, Brooke Collins, Bailey Duncan, Holly Edmunds, Lee Edmunds, Greg Gillan, Chris Hall, Madison Hall, Andrew Hay, Natalie Hay, Amelie Humphries, Robert Humphries, Neill Hunt, Dean McLennan, Mikaela Mead, Steven Mead, Jack Prowse, Kayla Pyett, Ross Pyett, Will Soulos, Joshua Walmsley, Brady Bacon, Jye Collier, Karl Gillan, Ryan Gillan, Charlotte Wisdom, Megan Kessey, Tulley Lane, Layla King, Reagan Boggiss, Kirra Hodge, James Hards, Ashlyn Lloyd, Milly Newton, Jane Lanham, Sarah O'Connor, Michael Bonnici, Louise Skjeime, Mackenzie Hannington, Zachary Roja, Callum Redrup, Chris Iredale, Bede Elphick, Phil Cole, Daniel Kerr, Mervlyn Guilbert, Jessica Stonestreet, Brandon Leelong.

Congratulations to all involved in this rescue.

LIFESAVING & SUPPORT OPERATIONS

NSW FLOOD EMERGENCY APPRECIATION

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS SHOULD BE ACKNOWLEDGED FOR THEIR SELFLESS COMMITMENT TO PROVIDING ASSISTANCE IN VARIOUS WAYS DURING THE JULY 2022 FLOODS AND OCTOBER 2022 TO FEBRUARY 2023 FLOODS



- Anne-Marie Kruk (Bondi SBLSC)
- Julie Pritchard (Bondi SBLSC)
- Hugh Webster (Bronte SLSC)
- Paul Wenck (Bronte SLSC)
- Keiran Stone (Clovelly SLSC)
- Scott Muir (Coogee SLSC)
- Ben Burdett (Coogee SLSC)
- Kenneth Yardy (Coogee SLSC)
- Craig Lamberton (Cronulla SLSC)
- Patrick Hughes (Elouera SLSC)
- Rupert Agnew (Elouera SLSC)
- Steve Mead (Elouera SLSC)
- Jackson Towns (Elouera SLSC)
- Lauren Ami MacDonald (Garie SLSC)
- Paul Wilson (Garie SLSC)

- Louise Skjeime (Garie SLSC)
- Easton Churchill (Maroubra SLSC)
- James Lamb (Maroubra SLSC)
- Tim Linkert (Maroubra SLSC)
- Kane Hughes (North Cronulla SLSC)
- Anthony Sobb (North Cronulla SLSC)
- Kane Hughes (North Cronulla SLSC)
- Rene Prochnow (South Maroubra SLSC)
- Brett Porteous (Wanda SLSC)
- Haralumboss Stivactas (Wanda SLSC)
- Michael Bonnici (Wanda SLSC)
- Ryan Bevitt (Wanda SLSC)
- James Caterson (Wanda SLSC)
- Cromwell Ollivier (Wanda SLSC)
- Guy Bland (Wanda SLSC)





26
NEW
TRAINERS



13
NEW
ASSESSORS



460
SURF RESCUE
CERTIFICATE
AWARDS



788
BRONZE
MEDALLION
AWARDS



738
FIRST AID
AWARDS

SECTION 06

EDUCATION





EDUCATION

DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION REPORT

I would like to express my utmost gratitude to the Branch Education Team and its Trainers, Assessors, and Facilitators (TAFs), for their hard work and dedication during the 2022-23 season. Your commitment to Lifesaving Education for both the lifesaving community and the public has ensured another successful season.

I would like to acknowledge the Education Committee, which comprises the Director of Education, the Manager of Branch Education, and four Area Education Coordinators. Special thanks go to Phil Carter, who provided invaluable support to me in his role as Manager of Branch Education and also took over the role of Waverley Area Coordinator from David Freedman halfway through the season. Phil's dedication and contributions are highly valued by the Education Team.

I also want to express gratitude to the Operational Area Education Coordinators for the past season:

- Paul Cooper for Royal National Park
- Brett Furniss for Cronulla/Sutherland
- Nicole Cooney for Randwick
- David Freedman for Waverley (to November 2022)

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The Education Coordinators demonstrated exceptional organisational skills in managing the training and assessing needs of our fifteen clubs. Their efforts in coordinating assessments deserve special recognition, particularly with the continued increase in core award numbers.

These numbers are a testament to the efforts of the Branch's Trainers and Assessors and give strong encouragement for future seasons. As educators, our aim is always to continue welcoming new members to the Lifesaving movement and to support existing members in improving their patrol skills and we have continued to achieve these goals this season.

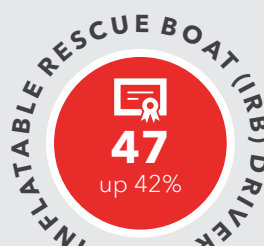
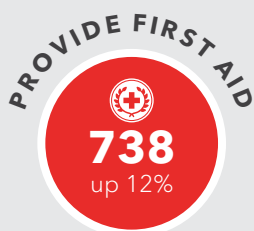
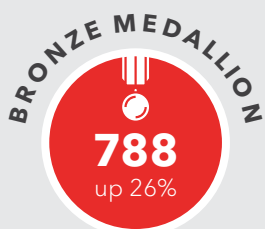
I am proud to share that we had 26 new Training Officers, 13 new Assessors, and 11 new Facilitators gain awards this season, as well as 3 members who attained their Certificate IV in Training and Assessment. In an encouraging sign for the future of training in the Branch, 26 members completed the Enterprise Trainer Skill Set through Surf Life Saving NSW's (SLSNSW) online course, qualifying them to begin the endorsement process to become a Training Officer in their chosen awards.

I want to particularly highlight the large number of nominations received from clubs for the Branch Education Awards of Excellence, once again showing the ongoing dedication and commitment of our TAFs. Congratulations to all the nominees, and a special thanks to everyone for their work throughout this season.

I extend my sincere congratulations to the following award winners:

- Trainer of the Year: Anita Pryke (North Cronulla)
- Assessor of the Year: Maria Luise Ossimitz (Coogee)
- Facilitator of the Year: Phil Carter (Maroubra)

This season has seen increased numbers across all key lifesaving awards, with some increasing by over 100% from last season. The award numbers for the main awards for the season are:







These winners will represent the Branch at the upcoming SLSNSW Awards of Excellence. On behalf of the Education Committee, I wish them the very best of luck.

I am also delighted to note that several Education related programs won awards in the Community Categories at the Branch Awards of Excellence. The Wanda Swim Brother Program won Community Education Program of the Year and the Bronzie HQ Project from Bondi won the Safe365 Innovation of the Year award. The quality of nominations in these categories was extremely high, with a number of programs providing surf education to members from the wider community including the Ukranian refugee community and international students from UNSW students.

This season saw the rollout of the new Silver Medallion Patrol Captain award. This award replaced the Silver Medallion Beach Management award and was redesigned to meet the requirements of a Patrol Captain rather than a general beach manager. Increased focus on practical scenarios and leadership skills has resulted in a very popular course, with extremely positive feedback from the candidates who have completed the course. Thanks to our Branch Team of Facilitators who attended a number of training sessions to firstly gain the new award and then refine their skills in delivering the award.

Our Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue Facilitators delivered 50 awards this season. This highly sought after award is delivered by a small team of dedicated facilitators and the Branch acknowledges their commitment.

These two Silver Medallion awards were supported by a new sponsor - Transdev John Holland - who provided valuable resources to support the delivery of these courses. We thank them for their sponsorship and look forward to a long association.

The Branch Rescue Water Craft (RWC) Facilitators delivered an amazing 22 new RWC Operator awards this season, after COVID-19 had again severely limited training capabilities over the past few seasons. The training for this award takes place over several months, primarily in the off-season. On behalf of the Branch, I would like to thank our trainers and assessors for their huge commitment from to provide new operators for this valuable resource.

This season also saw a large increase in the number of new awards for the Offshore Rescue Boat (Surf Rescue). This was mainly due to the efforts of Doug Lucas, who worked tirelessly to provide training during an uncertain time for the resource. The Branch sincerely appreciates his commitment and dedication.



Gold Medallion Assessments for new awards and proficiencies resumed this season after a hiatus due to COVID-19. Thanks to the Assessors who made themselves available for these assessments which are challenging for candidates and assessors alike.

I would like to add my personal thanks to Linda Perrin in the Branch Office for her invaluable support in ensuring the smooth running of Education's activities and communications. Her dedication to processing awards efficiently and handling the volume of paperwork and procedures in a timely and highly organised manner is truly commendable.

In its first full season as a separate Portfolio from Lifesaving and Support Operations, the Education Committee has continued to collaborate closely with the Lifesaving and Support Operations Committee to achieve positive outcomes for the Branch.

This will be my final report as Director of Education. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time coordinating the education needs of the Branch and am confident that the Branch is well placed to continue providing high quality education and training to its members. Thank you to everyone involved in Education for your contributions.

CRAIG HOWIE

Director of Education

“Congratulations to all the nominees, and a special thanks to everyone for their work throughout this season.”

EDUCATION AWARDS

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CLUB/AWARD	BO	BR	B P	CL	CO	CR	EL	ERA	GAR	MAR	NB	N C	SM	TA	WA	22/23 AWARD	21/22	20/21
Surf Rescue Certificate	35	61	5	27	79	30	14	4		36	49	32	57	5	26	460 SRC	440	521
BM/Certificate II Public Safety	130	43	5	45	113	47	58	7		50	85	39	79	35	52	788 BM/Cert II	625	846
Silver Medallion Patrol Captain (new award 22/23)	1	3		3	9		1			5	1		3	3	1	30 SMPC		
IRB Crew Certificate	24	3		14	17	19	25			25	10	21	24		8	190 IRBC	94	181
Silver Medallion IRB Driver	8	1			4	2	4			7	5	4	11	1		47 SMIRBD	33	74
Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Cert with HLTAID0015	30	1	11	50	71	13	24	3	5	8	8	14	47		20	305 ARTC	158	
Gold Medallion (Advanced Life Saving)	2				1									1		4 Gold Medallion	2	10
Resuscitation Certificate with HLTAID009	4		9	2	73	43	31			11		79	22	1		275 Resus	199	
Radio Operators Certificate				15	1	20			11				76		1	124 ROC	15	12
First Aid (SLSNSW academy courses)	135	70	11	71	58	37	43	6	13	44	86	23	86	26	29	738 First Aid	658	331
SSV Operator Induction	17				22		2					8			36	85 SSV Induction	108	188
Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue	6	5		1	4	7			3	3	4	4	6	4	3	50 SMAR	23	0
Rescue Water Craft Operator Cert	3				2	6	2		3	1		1	1	2	1	22 RWC	0	5
Offshore Rescue Boat Crew Cert	1				1				2	2				1	1	8 ORBC	4	1
Offshore Rescue Boat Driver Cert					2				1	3						6 ORBD	0	2
Offshore Rescue Boat Skippers Cert																0 ORBSC	0	1
Trainers Units (make a presentation & provide workskill)	6			2	4	1			1	4	4		2		2	26 Trainers Units	28	25
Training Officer - Bronze Medallion	6				4		1							1	2	14 TO BM	20	27
Training Officer - ART	2				2		1									5 TO ART	29	6
Training Officer - IRB									1	1	1		4			7 TO IRB	7	10
Training Officer - ORB																0 TO ORB	0	0
Training Officer - RWC																0 TO RWC	0	0
Endorsed Assessor BM	2				1											3 End Ass BM	8	8
Endorsed Assessor IRB							1									1 End Ass IRB	3	2
Endorsed Assessor ART							1									1 End Ass ART	1	1
HBA Enterprise Assessors (TAESS0015)					1					1	1					3 HBA Enterprise Asses	0	4
Assessor - Bronze Medallion	3											1				4 ASS BM	1	5
Assessor ART							1			1			1		1	4 ASS ART	13	0
Assessor - IRB																0 ASS IRB	1	3
Assessor - ORB																0 ASS ORB	0	0
Assessor - Gold																0 ASS GOLD	0	0
Certificate IV in Training and Assessment (TAE40116)									1	1	1					3 Cert IV	5	4
Facilitator - BM		1														1 FAC - BM	12	
Facilitator - IRB																0 FAC - IRB	1	
Facilitator - ART				1												1 FAC - ART	7	
Facilitator - First Aid											1					1 FAC - First Aid	2	
Facilitator - RWC																0 FAC RWC	0	0
Facilitator - Trainers																0 FAC Trainers	0	0
Facilitator - SMPC					1	4		2								7 FAC SMPC	0	0
Facilitator - Aquatic Rescue										1						1 FAC SMAR	0	0
UAV Operator																0 UAV Operator	0	8
TOTAL AWARDS 2022-2023*	415	188	42	233	471	227	209	20	41	204	256	302	343	80	183	3,214		
Total Awards 2021-2022	359	160	20	203	304	209	162	7	42	208	266	215	216	82	128	Total	2,581	2,910
CLUB/AWARD	BO	BR	B P	CL	CO	CR	EL	ERA	GAR	MAR	NB	N C	SM	TA	WA	22/23		
Surf Play One U6	46	121	0	72	0	84	26	0	0	58	99	22	181	21	75	805 SP 1	725	452
Surf Play Two U7	70	132	0	63	94	120	35	0	0	56	118	34	190	17	51	980 SP 2	852	782
Surf Aware One U8	49	115	0	79	95	100	34	1	0	67	110	39	137	17	118	961 SA 1	846	848
Surf Aware Two U9	54	103	0	63	92	53	42	1	0	33	101	30	123	18	85	798 SA 2	750	728
Surf Safe One U10	42	66	2	48	84	66	42	2	0	33	68	38	112	11	45	659 SS 1	647	584
Surf Safe Two U11	24	57	2	45	64	42	33	0	0	22	82	33	86	17	46	553 SS 2	529	625
Surf Smart One U12	28	51	6	43	73	37	31	1	0	23	52	28	54	5	39	471 SSmart1	535	505
Surf Smart Two U13	29	58	5	45	60	55	27	4	0	29	56	31	58	5	37	499 SSmart2	395	424
TOTAL SURF ED AWARDS 2022-2023*	342	703	15	458	562	557	270	9	0	321	686	255	941	111	496	5,726		
Total Surf Eds 2021-22	309	467	14	391	583	549	271	17	0	322	695	280	626	100	575	Total Surf Eds	5,279	4,948
Age Manager Awards 22-23 *		127			67								18		212	Age Manager	177	223
GRAND TOTAL ALL AWARDS 2022-2023 (INCLUDES* TOTALS)	757	1,018	57	691	1,100	784	479	29	41	525	942	557	1,302	191	679	9,152		
Grand Total All Awards 2021-22	668	671	34	594	977	760	433	24	42	530	967	513	859	182	703		8,037	8,081

Note: These award figures reflect awards processed from 25/05/2022 to 12/5/2023.

Note: First Aid Awards reported from Surfguard - only SLSNSW Academy delivered courses

PROFICIENT MEMBERS

PROFICIENT MEMBERS FOR CORE AWARDS PER CLUB (INCLUDING NEW AWARDEES) 2022-2023

The following table outlines the number of members who are proficient in core awards as reported from Surfguard 15/05/2023

CLUB	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA
BM/CERT II - SEASON 22/23	596	413	23	314	757	371	363	80	34	281	722	116	338	181	360
BM/Cert II - Season 21/22	564	421	52	333	697	376	366	64	59	294	744	352	298	177	372
BM/Cert II - Season 20/21	579	431	60	303	801	343	364	63	62	300	697	361	271	179	369
BM/Cert II - Season 19/20	588	447	55	257	720	347	350	72	55	271	666	394	220	142	333
BM/Cert II - Season 18/19	553	434	53	246	743	373	325	66	58	305	653	414	240	148	301
BM/Cert II - Season 17/18	514	416	44	248	713	385	316	62	48	290	622	398	195	135	274
ART - SEASON 22/23	121	68	42	99	145	84	84	27	31	64	91	93	73	55	71
ART - Season 21/22	120	94	39	67	127	87	71	15	46	97	148	94	83	63	76
ART(AID) - Season 20/21	111	83	41	58	92	68	71	25	50	60	116	57	48	77	89
ART(AID) - Season 19/20	103	59	30	49	89	54	71	30	25	60	129	52	41	62	62
ART(AID) - Season 18/19	119	32	21	28	79	48	60	13	15	64	111	82	47	45	28
ART (AID) - Season 17/18	119	33	17	22	70	53	17	9	20	52	95	47	28	30	22
SMIRBD - SEASON 22/23	50	30	10	21	59	73	47	16	8	53	57	50	57	7	38
SMIRBD - Season 21/22	41	29	11	22	54	85	45	15	23	49	51	53	50	9	45
SMIRBD - Season 20/21	51	28	9	27	60	85	48	17	18	50	58	51	50	10	43
SMIRBD - Season 19/20	40	32	9	24	60	72	45	17	16	40	57	52	46	13	35
SMIRBD - Season 18/19	43	29	8	21	59	60	38	13	19	44	52	55	49	10	33
SMIRBD - Season 17/18	30	25	9	18	57	67	34	8	16	47	47	45	42	10	36
IRBC - SEASON 22/23	101	59	23	60	135	114	97	22	10	111	102	116	108	17	74
IRBC - Season 21/22	82	67	26	52	126	121	83	22	42	86	100	110	99	28	86
IRBC - Season 20/21	111	57	29	53	128	124	87	28	43	90	109	113	110	28	102
IRBC - Season 19/20	90	59	19	49	130	108	98	28	31	78	102	105	98	34	68
IRBC - Season 18/19	81	47	18	50	131	101	70	22	31	102	88	133	99	22	50
IRBC - Season 17/18	66	60	17	44	132	120	69	11	28	88	87	104	78	26	56

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PROFICIENCY & NEW AWARD STATISTICS 2022-2023

Note: New Award stats are from Branch Awards Summary as at 12/05/2023

Proficiency stats are reported from Surfguard 15/5/2023

	BO	BR	BP	CL	CO	CR	EL	ER	GA	MA	NB	NC	SM	TA	WA	TOTAL 22/23	21/22	20/21
BM proficiencies	489	379	47	267	642	325	317	72	34	232	639	320	263	148	310	4,484	4,594	4,344
BM/Cert II new awards	130	43	5	45	113	47	58	7	0	50	85	39	79	35	52	788	625	846
ART (AID) proficiencies	70	56	28	35	43	40	41	20	24	35	61	50	2	31	35	571	890	780
ART new awards	30	1	11	50	71	13	24	3	5	8	8	14	47	0	20	305	139	234
SMIRBD proficiencies	41	30	10	21	53	73	43	16	7	47	52	46	46	6	38	529	550	540
SMIRBD new awards	8	1	0	0	4	2	4	0	0	7	5	4	11	1	0	47	33	74
IRBC proficiencies	41	56	23	44	118	95	77	22	10	86	100	94	83	17	66	932	1,034	1,029
IRBC new awards	24	3	0	14	17	19	25	0	0	25	10	21	24	0	8	190	94	181

EDUCATION

ASSESSORS AND FACILITATORS

ASSESSORS

AWARDS ENDORSED TO ASSESS

Mark Anders (North Cronulla)	Assessor BM
Chris Barber (Cronulla)	Assessor IRB
George Benhayon (Maroubra)	Assessor BM, ART
Nicolette Birkhold (Bronte)	Assessor BM
Olivier Brisse (Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Michael Byrne (Elouera)	Endorsed Assessor BM, IRB
Gerard Cafe (Wanda)	Assessor IRB
Glenn Cairncross (Elouera)	Assessor BM, IRB
Cameron Callaghan (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Peter Carney (Elouera)	Assessor BM
Phillip Carter (Maroubra)	Assessor BM, Gold, IRB
Glenn Clark (North Bondi)	Assessor BM, ART
Rebecca Cocks (Clovelly)	Assessor BM
Paul Cooper (Burning Palms)	Assessor BM, IRB, ART
Wallace Correy (North Bondi)	Assessor BM
David Cross (Garie)	Endorsed Assessor IRB
David Dalla-Camina (Cronulla)	Endorsed Assessor ART, BM
Gary Daly (Burning Palms)	Assessor BM, ART
Mark Fabik (Bondi)	Assessor BM
George Fatseas (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Michael Fernandez (South Maroubra)	Endorsed Assessor BM, IRB
Stephen Fogwill (North Bondi)	Assessor BM, ART
David Freedman (North Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Brett Furniss (North Cronulla)	Assessor BM, IRB
Patrick Garcia (Coogee (NSW))	Assessor BM
Michael Gencher (Bondi)	Assessor BM
Jonathan Golan (North Bondi)	Assessor BM
Catherine Hall (South Maroubra)	Assessor BM, ART
Donna Hargreaves (North Cronulla)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Natasha Hargreaves (North Cronulla)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Nigel Harvey (Bronte)	Assessor BM, IRB
Doug Hawkins (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Benjamin Heenan (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Paul Hotton (Bondi)	Assessor BM, Gold
Thomas Hough (Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Lee Howell (North Cronulla)	Assessor BM
Craig Howie (Coogee)	Assessor BM, ART, Gold
Elissa Hughes (North Cronulla)	Endorsed Assessor BM, Assessor IRB

AWARDS ENDORSED TO ASSESS

Brent Jackson (Bondi)	Assessor BM
Christopher Jacobson (Elouera)	Assessor IRB
Amber Jones (Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Timothy Jurd (Elouera)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Vaughn Keena (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Mason Kemeny (Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor BM
David Kowald (Elouera)	Assessor BM
Ireneusz Kowalski (North Bondi)	Assessor BM
Nicole Krite (Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor IRB
Ronald Krite (Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor IRB
David Love (Maroubra)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Felicity MacArthur (Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Jake McDonald (Maroubra)	Assessor ORB
Kristy McIntyre (Bondi)	Assessor BM
Debbie Midwinter (North Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor ART, BM
Rebecca Mister (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Alejandro Monteverde Estaba (Maroubra)	Assessor BM, IRB
Maria Luise Ossimtz (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Athenia Pascoe (Clovelly)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Anita Pryke (North Cronulla)	Assessor BM, ART
Gabriela Quintana Vigiola (Maroubra)	Assessor BM, IRB
John Restuccia (Maroubra)	Endorsed Assessor ART, BM, IRB
Alicia Robledo (Coogee)	Endorsed Assessor IRB
Ryan Rosenbaum (Maroubra)	Assessor BM, IRB
Megan Rumford (North Bondi)	Endorsed Assessor BM
Timothy Ryan (Bronte)	Assessor BM
Rodrigo Sanchez (Cronulla)	Assessor ART, BM
Marissa Saunders (Bondi)	Assessor BM, ART, Gold
Maxwell Serpa Gonzalez (Bondi)	Assessor BM
Cameron Simpson (Elouera)	Assessor BM
Kenneth Smith (Wanda)	Assessor BM
Karl Solomonson (Maroubra)	Assessor ORB
David Staples (Era)	Endorsed Assessor ART, BM, IRB
Paul Stiff (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Sam Stone (Bronte)	Assessor BM, IRB
Trent Thomas (Maroubra)	Assessor BM
Christopher Thompson (Clovelly)	Assessor BM, ART
Stephen Tindale (Bronte)	Assessor BM
Ryan Tindall (Bronte)	Assessor BM, ART

AWARDS ENDORSED TO ASSESS

Adam Treharne (Coogee)	Assessor BM, ART, IRB
Nick Tyler (Garie)	Assessor BM
Stephen Urquhart (Elouera)	Assessor BM, Gold
Jochen Valdeck (Bronte)	Assessor IRB
Brett Walker (Garie)	Assessor BM, ART
Anthony Waller (Coogee)	Assessor BM
Stewart Wells (Clovelly)	Assessor BM
Mikala Welsh (Garie)	Assessor BM
David Winkle (Coogee)	Assessor IRB
Mark Wood (Era)	Assessor BM, IRB

FACILITATORS

AWARDS ENDORSED TO FACILITATE

George Benhayon (Maroubra)	BM, ART
Peter Carney (Elouera)	SMPC
Phillip Carter (Maroubra)	BM, SMAR, SMPC
Andrew Chan (Maroubra)	BM
Glenn Clark (North Bondi)	ART, FA
Glen Clarke (Clovelly)	SMPC
Gary Daly (Burning Palms)	ART
Stephen Fogwill (North Bondi)	ART, FA
Graham Ford (Bronte)	BM
Catherine Hall (South Maroubra)	BM, ART
Doug Hawkins (Coogee)	BM, SMPC
Craig Howie (Coogee)	BM, ART, SMPC
Christopher Jacobson (Elouera)	BM, ART, SMAR, SMPC
Timothy Jeffries (Bronte)	SMAR
Vaughn Keena (Coogee)	FA
Rebecca Mister (Coogee)	BM
Ryan Rosenbaum (Maroubra)	RWC, SMAR
Marissa Saunders (Bondi)	BM, ART
Christopher Thompson (Clovelly)	BM, ART
Ryan Tindall (Bronte)	BM, ART
Adam Treharne (Coogee)	BM, SMAR, SMPC
Anthony Waller (Coogee)	SMPC
Stewart Wells (Clovelly)	BM



SECTION 07

JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT





75%



6,411
NIPPERS



250
DEVELOPMENT
CAMP
ATTENDEES



212
NEW AGE
MANAGERS



208
SURF SPORTS
CLINIC
ATTENDEES



5,726
SURF
EDUCATION
AWARDS



JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

DIRECTOR OF JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT REPORT

It is my distinct pleasure to present our Junior Development annual report for the 2022-23 season.

We were presented with yet another challenge at the beginning of the season, that of beach erosion in Bate Bay. Upon receiving requests for advice in how to safely shift clubs' entire Nippers activities to alternative locations, we promptly consulted all the available, relevant documents from SLSA, SLSNSW, and other Branches, and put together Circular 20 - Guidelines for Remote Re-location of Junior Aquatic Activities by the end of September 2022, in time for the start of the Nippers season proper, in October. This provided clear guidance to clubs when their beaches are unsuitable for Junior Aquatic Activities and allowed the clubs to begin their season without delay. And as is often the case, these guidelines have been fully adopted by SLSNSW for the 2023-24 season.

This season's Junior Surf Sports Clinic was a resounding success, held at Maroubra again at the beginning of the season in October; instead of at the end of the season, as it was last season. This, along with opening the clinic up to Under 9's and 10's for the first time, resulted in a record number of 179 participant registrations.

In November, we resurrected three of our Junior District Surf Carnivals; the Randwick Shield, the Waverley Shield, and the Bate Bay 4 Way. These were very well patronised after the terrible disruption of COVID-19 and were successfully run despite some challenging surf conditions and weather.

Similarly, in December, our Under 13's Development Camp bounced back to pre-COVID numbers with 103 attendees. We added an extra day on the Friday to facilitate more fun leadership activities and content and restored full bus patronage by adding bus pick-ups and drop-offs at North Bondi and Maroubra, as well as the traditional stops at Elouera. In another "first" we put one of our Betty's Burgers tents down on the jetty to provide shade for those waiting for river activities, along with some brand exposure for our partners. We also improved our safety plan, equipment, and personnel in accordance with our guidelines in Circular 20, and the new requirements for approval from SLSNSW for special events.

For the Junior Lifesaver of the Year, we surpassed last season's record number of 16 nominations, with 18 outstanding nominees in December. With such a high number of high-quality submissions, we again had to conduct a mixture of online and face-to-face interviews on a Sunday in mid-January, in order to meet the deadline for presentation at the earlier than usual Branch Championships in late January. Our winners, Sophia Garvin of North Bondi, and Callum Reiter of

Coogee attended the SLSNSW Junior Lifesaver of the Year Camp in April, representing our Branch with flying colours; with Callum in particular, taking out the State Male Junior Lifesaver of the Year award!

Our Under 11's Development Camp was a tremendous success in February, setting yet another attendance record of 147, and a record level of minders' qualifications with over 90% having their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC), Bronze Medallion or higher award. The quality of the minders makes it more rewarding for the kids at the camps, not to mention how much easier it makes it for the facilitators. The extra pick-up and drop-off points established in the December camp, yielded record patronage requiring 2 buses. We added a half day on the Friday to fit in more fun lifesaving activities and doubled the number of tents on the jetty for the river activities. These camps, and the tremendous experience they provide the children, are undoubtedly an invaluable means of creating and retaining the leading Surf Lifesavers of the future. And without the support of the Surf Lifesaving Sydney Board of Management and Staff, the Clubs of Sydney Branch, the plethora of Facilitators and Minders that help run them, and of course the venue operators, Youth Works Port Hacking, we would not be able to do anything remotely like this.

Near season's end, we resurrected the Pool Rescue Competition Clinics, for the first time since 2019, over a couple of Sundays in March, at Randwick City Council's Des Renford Leisure and Aquatic Centre, Maroubra. After being given a short pass with the announcement that the combined SLSNSW and Royal Lifesaving State Championships would be held much earlier than usual in April, instead of the usual dates in July. So, we hit the ground running and with the greatly appreciated assistance of Randwick Council, were able to secure the venue for our clinics at short notice. And it was well worth the effort, exceeding our pre-COVID patronage with 88 registrations.

Our latest initiative this season was inaugural Surf Ski Introduction Clinic held at Yarra Bay in April. Despite the threat of inclement weather, the 50 registered participants and four coaches exceeded our expectations. Much of this was down to the assistance of expert Surf Ski Coach, Jimmy Walker of North Bondi SLSC and Race One Paddles and Surfcraft, and the full patrol on hand for water safety replete with equipment from Maroubra.

One constant in all these events throughout the season was the display and utilisation of our Betty's Burgers' banners and tents. Without the generous support of our Branch's partners, we wouldn't be able to do any of this valuable Junior Development work.

I would also like to thank the club Junior Development Directors and their Committees, and the Branch Junior Development Committee, for helping make the season as great as it was.

“Thanks to our Junior Competition Manager, George Benhayon for being the driving force behind all the Clinics we have run.”

And to finish off, Junior membership in our Branch stands at a healthy 6,411 at the end of the 2022-23 season; a figure that we can be rightly proud of.

See you on the beach,

DAVID LOVE

Director of Junior Development



JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT CAMP 2023



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U11 JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT CAMP 2023

It was my absolute pleasure to conduct this season's Under 11's Development Camp from Friday 10th to Sunday 12th February 2023 and what a great time we had! We had a record number of 103 Junior Lifesavers-in-training attend and a record number of expertly accredited minders to match. And another record was set, filling two buses with pick-ups and drop-offs at North Bondi and Maroubra, as well as the traditional Elouera.

An extra half day was added to the camp schedule on the Friday afternoon this season, which allowed us to fit more leadership, lifesaving, and fun exercises and activities into the program. And from all reports, the kids and their minders loved it.

Having been placed into randomly assigned patrol groups, with randomly assigned minders, the kids were engaged in a multitude of fun Surf Lifesaving, team building, and leadership activities, making lifelong friendships with members from other clubs and districts. It was clear to see, and I'm sure the minders will agree, that the kids not only loved the whole experience, but really gained something from it, to project them into Surf Lifesaving in the future.

Many thanks to our Branch President, Peter Agnew, who popped in to address the kids at lunchtime on the Saturday afternoon and delivered a heartfelt apology

on behalf of the branch, to those under 11's who's events were not conducted at this season's Branch Age Championships at North Bondi on Sunday 29th January this year. Whilst many of the kids attending the camp were affected by that programming shortfall, they certainly didn't let it hamper their enthusiasm for the camp, and I really must congratulate them for their reception of Peter and "brushing off" their disappointment.

I would also like to extend my sincere gratitude you to my fantastic co-facilitator, Sarah Teitler of South Maroubra, along with our wonderful young assistant coordinators, Jasmine Springall and Lennox Southwell of North Cronulla, and Ivy Hinckman and Daniel Morrissey of Maroubra, as well as my special assistant for the weekend Andrew Anderson from Coogee.

I must also thank all the superb minders whose help was essential with so many children; especially with the CPR and Tube Rescue Training, and the introduction to Powercraft.

Special thanks must also go to Cronulla, Elouera, and South Maroubra, for providing crewed up IRB's, as well as our branch Support Operations Group, and RWC Operator Owen Skjeime of Garie for providing a Jet Ski on the Sunday morning, along with his lovely wife, Louise Skjeime from Garie, who attended as a duty officer for the Sutherland district early on the Sunday morning and addressed the attendees at the camp.



Thank you to Stuart Jackson, Pilot and Supervisor with the Australian UAV Service for bringing his machines in to show the kids, explaining the relatively new field of UAV operations, and launching one of them for us.

Lastly, I must thank our wonderful hosts at Youthworks Port Hacking, and our Board of Management for their enduring support of these camps, and of course our office staff at Surf Lifesaving Sydney, and Linda Perrin in particular, for making the camp possible.

I look forward to seeing our Junior Lifesavers of the future, and their minders, on the beach over the years to come,

U13 JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT CAMP 2022

December 2022 we held the annual SLS Sydney U13's Development at Youthworks Port Hacking. And what a great camp it was! Getting back toward our pre-COViD numbers, with 73 kids, and extending the camp by adding the whole of the Friday, made a huge difference. As well as adding the extra day, we added bus pickups and drop offs at North Bondi and Maroubra as well as the traditional stop at Elouera, and we filled the bus for the first time in years!

With the extra day and some solid planning, we were able to fit many more activities and meaningful content into the camp and keep it all loads of fun for the kids. And from all reports it was a resounding success

I must thank my wonderfully dedicated team of fellow planners and facilitators: Riley Porteous from Wanda, Sophie Burns from Elouera, Sarah Teitler of South Maroubra, Michelle Carter of Maroubra, and Rodd Sanchez of Cronulla. They were simply magnificent! As were the fantastic group of Minders, and of course the kids, from all the attending clubs! It was truly a great crowd to work and have fun with!

Special thanks to the clubs Clovelly, Maroubra, Wanda, Cronulla and their crews for providing expertly operated IRB's on the Sunday.

Extra special thanks to the Sydney Branch Support Operations Group and operator Louise Skjeime from Garie, for providing a superbly operated RWC on the Sunday morning.

And lastly extra special thanks to our guest speaker, Duty Officer Michael Bonnici from Wanda, and UAV Pilot Stuart Jackson from Avoca, for addressing the kids and showing them their operational equipment, and to our fantastic Branch Partners, Betty's Burgers for helping make all this happen!"

DAVE LOVE

Director of Junior Development



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JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

JUNIOR LIFESAVER OF THE YEAR

MALE WINNER

Calum
Reiter
Coogee
SLSC

FEMALE WINNER

Sophia
Garvin,
North Bondi
SLSC





MALE FINALISTS

- Kelian Bourgeois (Bondi SBLSC)
- Henry Baxter (Bronte SLSC)
- Calum Reiter (Coogee SLSC)
- Henry Schneider (Cronulla SLSC)
- Max Sullivan (Maroubra SLSC)
- Brody Trivett-Clarke (North Cronulla SLSC)
- Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra SLSC)
- Jimmy Potauaine (Wanda SLSC)

FEMALE FINALISTS

- Emily Adler (Bondi SBLSC)
- Charlie James (Bronte SLSC)
- Caitlyn Lee (Coogee SLSC)
- Annabelle Howison (Cronulla SLSC)
- Mia Georgas (Maroubra SLSC)
- Sophia Garvin (North Bondi SLSC)
- Scarlett Hoerr (North Cronulla SLSC)
- Emily Henville (South Maroubra SLSC)
- Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda SLSC)

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CREWS****1,067****U9-14
ATHLETES****365****U15-OPEN
ATHLETES****239****MASTER
ATHLETES****47****LIFESAVING
EVENT
ATHLETES**

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SURF SPORTS





SURF SPORTS

DIRECTOR OF SURF SPORTS REPORT



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A new season approached us with hopefully nowhere near the amount of drama we had to put up with from the prior season.

Things started with the Bate Bay Gold being cancelled due to the mass erosion copped at Bate Bay with all those beaches staying shut for close to a month. By the time October came we held our Triple challenges, the boats started their own Sydney Boat series, and we held a Beach Stormers carnival. The Wanda One carnival was held while the interbranch team came together and was successful in winning for the first time in 6 years. We had the introduction of Live Heats this season and with more learning the sky is the limit.

Branch Carnivals were back with a welcome return to North Bondi to host the Age Championships and Maroubra hosting the Open carnival on the Saturday and the Boats and Board riding on the Sunday. Coogee held the Masters and Champion Lifesaver events, with all being run successfully.

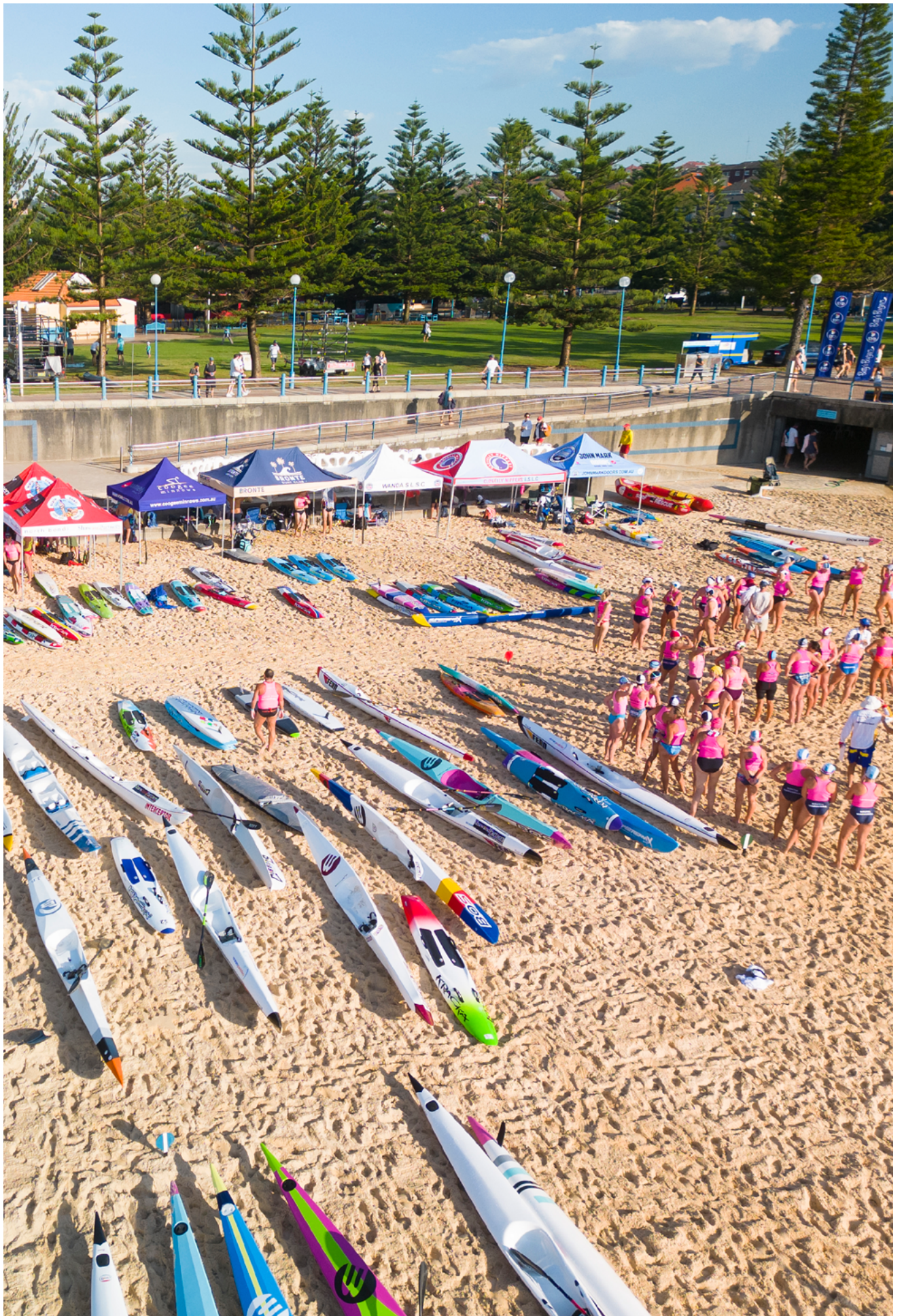
The State and Australian Titles were held with SLSS branch clubs showing how well they are with many finishing in the top 10.

As my mate Bursty said “the season was the busiest I have seen in my time as an official for 40 years, we had over 20 carnivals just alone in our branch”. We also transitioned from the venue of Caringbah Bowling Club who have stored the branch trailers for 23 years. A new sponsor, Ampol at Kurnell have now provided a place for us to store a new 12-meter (40-foot) container that will store all our equipment for who knows how long.

“It’s been a long season, thanks to all for your help and get some rest for the next season.”

CARLO VILLANTI

Director of Surf Sports



SURF SPORTS

INTERBRANCH TEAM 2022

Sydney Branch Team dominates at the 2022 Interbranch Championships

Held at Shelley Beach on the Central Coast, our Team reigned supreme regaining this title under the Captancy of Emily Maythers and Kai Robertson.

Congratulations to Team Sydney.



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AGE GROUP	AREA	GENDER	NAME	CLUB	RESERVES:	CLUB
U12	Water	Female	Kathryn Jordan	Coogee	Lillian Wenmohs	North Bondi
U12	Water	Female	Amber Curry	Coogee		
U12	Water	Male	Max Bowmer	Wanda	Roman Szabo	Coogee
U12	Water	Male	Ethan Hoo	North Bondi		
U12	Beach	Female	Michaela Jenkins	North Cronulla		
U12	Beach/Distance	Female	Lilly Molachino	Wanda		
U12	Beach	Male	Krishna Inder	South Maroubra		
U12	Beach/Distance	Male	Owen Lovell-Ward	Wanda		
U13	Water	Female	Ruby Cregan	North Bondi	Zara Zammit-Mayer	Wanda
U13	Water	Female	Zahri Lester	Wanda		
U13	Water	Male	Noah Bowler	North Bondi	Reef Lewis	Wanda
U13	Water	Male	Max Christensen	Wanda	Riley Maskiell	Wanda
U13	Beach	Female	Grace Obeid	North Bondi		
U13	Beach/Distance	Female	Kyah Gallen	Wanda		
U13	Beach	Male	Rory Muldowney	South Maroubra		
U13	Beach/Distance	Male	Ryan McNamara	South Maroubra		
U14	Water	Female	Charlotte Bowmer	Wanda	Sybella Daley	Elouera
U14	Water	Female	Sienna Mead	Wanda		
U14	Water	Male	Jack Wilkinson	North Bondi	Aidan Renford	South Maroubra
U14	Water	Male	Jake Boyle	Cronulla	Henry Schneider	Cronulla
U14	Beach	Female	Emma Haley	Coogee		
U14	Beach	Female	Evie Bowie	Coogee		
U14	Beach	Male	Christopher Kondilios	South Maroubra		



AGE GROUP	AREA	GENDER	NAME	CLUB	RESERVES:	CLUB
U14	Beach/Distance	Male	Marcus Keyes	Wanda		
U15	Water	Female	Jasmine Alexiou	South Maroubra	Georgie Kiernan	South Maroubra
U15	Water	Female	Eliza Dagleish	Wanda		
U15	Water	Male	Dane Sutton	Wanda	Otis Jessop	Wanda
U15	Water	Male	Jackson Turner	Cronulla		
U15	Beach	Female	Holly Sheldrick	North Cronulla		
U15	Beach/Distance	Female	Jessica Henville	South Maroubra		
U15	Beach	Male	Luke Newrick	South Maroubra		
U15	Beach/Distance	Male	Kyle Mason	Wanda		
U17	Water	Female	Mikaela Mead	Elouera		
U17	Water	Female	Jayda Zammit-Mayer	Wanda		
U17	Water	Male	Kai Thatcher	Wanda	Jackson Middleton	Wanda
U17	Water	Male	Angus Jarolimek	Elouera		
U17	Beach	Female	Ruby Gray	South Maroubra		
U17	Beach/Distance	Female	Sari McKee	North Cronulla		
U17	Beach	Male	Kobe Sorensen	North Cronulla		
U17	Beach/Distance	Male	Taj Wicks	Wanda		
U19/Open	Water	Female	Emily Maythers	North Cronulla		
U19/Open	Water	Female	Chelsea Sutton	Wanda		
U19/Open	Water	Male	Kai Robertson	Elouera	Cruz McKee	North Cronulla
U19/Open	Water	Male	Ben Sutton	Wanda	Duke Wieland	North Bondi
U19/Open	Beach	Female	Emily Rampoldi	North Cronulla		
U19/Open	Beach	Male	Josh Tattam	Cronulla		

SURF SPORTS

BRANCH INCLUSIVE CHAMPIONSHIPS



	JUNIOR (7-12 YRS)		YOUTH (13-15 YRS)		SENIOR (16+ YRS)	
	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE
BEACH SPRINT	1 Tabitha Smethurst (Elouera)		1 Laura Barnett (Elouera)		1 Taj Withers (North Cronulla) 2 Kiara Gilbert (Wanda)	1 Andres Sanchez (North Cronulla) 2 Cooper Travers (North Cronulla) 3 Aden Clarke (North Cronulla)
BEACH FLAGS		1 Benjamin Pellow (South Marbobra)		1 Darcy Gilbert (Wanda) 2 Daniel Driscoll (South Marboubra) 3 Ryan Durney (Elouera)		1 Cooper Travers (North Cronulla) 2 Aden Clarke (North Cronulla) 3 Liam Skeete (Bronte)
	ALL AGES					
WADE	1 Tabitha Smethurst (Elouera) 2 Remy Soulaine (?)					
SURF RACE	1 Aden Clarke (North Cronulla) 2 Daniel Driscoll (South Maroubra) 3 Cooper Travers (North Cronulla)					



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BRANCH AGE (U9-14) CHAMPIONSHIPS



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FEMALE

BEACH SPRINT

U9	1	Mia Brown (Elouera)
	2	Claudia White (North Bondi)
	3	Asher Simpson (South Maroubra)
U10	1	Jada Christie (Elouera)
	2	Willow Sharma (Bronte)
	3	Billie Rollo (South Maroubra)
U11	1	Marnie Laurence (Coogee)
	2	Capri Vincent (South Maroubra)
	3	Amber Worden (North Bondi)
U12	1	Michaela Jenkins (North Cronulla)
	2	Katahra Boyle-Raniga (South Maroubra)
	3	Gabriella Edwards (Wanda)

U13	1	Taylor Morgan (Coogee)
	2	Cobi Ryan-Last (South Maroubra)
	3	Elizabeth Somerville (North Bondi)
U14	1	Scarlett Hoerr (North Cronulla)
	2	Kaitlyn Williams (North Cronulla)
	3	Evie Bowie (Coogee)

BEACH FLAGS

U9	1	Jasmine Shardlow (Cronulla)
	2	Lila Smith (Wanda)
	3	Mia Brown (Elouera)
U10	1	Jada Christie (Elouera)
	2	Emily Snow (Bronte)
	3	Billie Rollo (South Maroubra)

U11	1	Chloe-Jayne Ammon (South Maroubra)
	2	Marnie Laurence (Coogee)
	3	Capri Vincent (South Maroubra)
U12	1	Katahra Boyle-Raniga (South Maroubra)
	2	Yve Sullivan (Coogee)
	3	Michaela Jenkins (North Cronulla)
U13	1	Grace Obeid (North Bondi)
	2	Aoife Connolly (Coogee)
	3	Jamilla Yamani (Bronte)
U14	1	Kayla Pryde (North Cronulla)
	2	Scarlett Hoerr (North Cronulla)
	3	Kaitlyn Williams (North Cronulla)

BEACH RELAY

U9	1	South Maroubra A - Asher Simpson, Rachael Huggins, Callie Simpson, Georgia Folkard
	2	North Bondi Red - Claudia White, Chelsea Joseph, Zara Maybury, Ruby Bowers
	3	Coogee A - Amelia Bissland, Alexandra Onley, Anouk Flores, Ivy Swan
U10	1	South Maroubra A - Billie Rollo, Francesca McKenney, Rosalie Aaron, Arabella Soden-Smith
	2	Bronte A - Beatrice Emanuel, Emily Snow, Sarah Nash, Willow Sharma
	3	South Maroubra B - Desak Made Shanti Inder, London Maynard, Grace Bula, Charlotte Cleary
U11	1	North Bondi Red - Lilly Na'a, Chloe Antony, Chloe Spencer, Amber Worden
	2	Coogee A - Marnie Laurence, Maya McHale, Mollie Hoppe, Zoe Moyes
	3	North Cronulla A - Allyra Sorensen, Aailyah Hawkins, Cleo Jovcevski, Josephine Davis
U12	1	South Maroubra A - Emily Maxwell, Katahra Boyle-Raniga, Emily Rana, Sienna Sharpe
	2	Wanda A - Gabriella Edwards, Liesl Spinner, Andie Smith, Lilly Molachino
	3	North Cronulla A - Michaela Jenkins, Olive Maguire, Bianca Pryde, Elle Buettner
U13	1	Coogee A - Olivia Perazzo-Pinkstone, Riley Baker Sedgman, Ruby McFadden, Taylor Morgan
	2	North Bondi Red - Chloe Dawson, Grace Obeid, Elizabeth Somerville, Isabella Sartor
	3	South Maroubra A - Estelle Soden-Smith, Ffyon McCabe, Katahra Boyle-Raniga, Cobi Ryan-Last
U14	1	North Cronulla A - Scarlett Hoerr, Kaitlyn Williams, Taryn Mott, Kayla Pryde
	2	North Bondi Red - Grace Obeid, Elizabeth Somerville, Zara Smirl, Sunny Gribble
	3	Coogee A - Adelaide Sewell, Emma Haley, Evie Bowie, Isabel Littlejohn

1KM BEACH RUN

U11	1	Charli Moses (Elouera)
	2	Sienna Moar (Wanda)
	3	Sophia Jokhan (Wanda)
U12	1	Lilly Molachino (Wanda)
	2	Liesl Spinner (Wanda)
	3	Rosa Hayward (Bronte)

2KM BEACH RUN

U13	1	Layla White (Wanda)
	2	Kyah Gallen (Wanda)
	3	Ella McGuinness (Wanda)
U14	1	Grace Madden (South Maroubra)
	2	Alexis Hudson (Maroubra)
	3	Sophia Garvin (North Bondi)

2 X 500M BEACH RUN RELAY

U11	1	Elouera A - Charli Moses, Emily Walker
	2	Wanda A - Sienna Moar, Emily Sentas
	3	South Maroubra A - Lucy Ballesty, Emily Jeffries
U12	1	Wanda A - Lilly Molachino, Liesl Spinner
	2	Bronte A - Rosa Hayward, Grace Humphrey

2 X 1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U13	1	Wanda A - Kyah Gallen, Layla White
	2	Wanda B - Ella McGuinness,
	3	Coogee A - Courtney Codd, Willow Swift
U14	1	North Cronulla A - Scarlett Hoerr, Kaitlyn Williams
	2	South Maroubra B - Charlotte Atherton, Lily Carter
	3	South Maroubra A - Emily Henville, Ffyon McCabe

SURF RACE

U9	1	Emerson Hoo (North Bondi)
	2	Chloe Zhang (Wanda)
	3	Georgia Gardiner (Elouera)
U10	1	Charlotte Brown (Wanda)
	2	Sophie Rowles (Coogee)
	3	Torah Curry (Coogee)
U11	1	Mia Hoo (North Bondi)
	2	Charli Moses (Elouera)
	3	Sophie Maley (South Maroubra)
U12	1	Kathryn Jordan (Coogee)
	2	Lillian Wenmohs (North Bondi)
	3	Jade Visch (Bronte)
U13	1	Zara Zammit-Mayer (Wanda)
	2	Madeleine Sone (North Bondi)
	3	Canberra Yamasaki (Clovelly)
U14	1	Willow Skene (South Maroubra)
	2	Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda)
	3	Sybella Daly (Elouera)

BOARD RACE

U9	1	Emerson Hoo (North Bondi)
	2	Isabel Christie (North Bondi)
	3	Azzuri Felix (North Bondi)
U10	1	Alexis Daly (Elouera)
	2	Hailey Avar (Coogee (NSW))
	3	Charlotte Brown (Wanda)
U12	1	Lillian Wenmohs (North Bondi)
	2	Montana Smith (Wanda)
	3	Annabelle Schneider (Cronulla)
U13	1	Zara Zammit-Mayer (Wanda)
	2	Ruby Cregan (North Bondi)
	3	Courtney Codd (Coogee)
U14	1	Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda)
	2	Sybella Daly (Elouera)
	3	Poppy Hulbert (Wanda)

BOARD RELAY

U9	1	North Bondi Red - Emerson Hoo, Azzuri Felix, Isabel Christie
	2	Elouera A - Tamara Austin, Lana Botha, Tiana Wilkinson
	3	South Maroubra A - Grace Kiernan, Alexa Jeffries, Lexi Ellis
U10	1	Coogee A - Hailey Avar, Sophie Rowles, Torah Curry
	2	Elouera A - Alexis Daly, Ainsley Cawley, Kendyll Paipa
	3	North Bondi Red - Cassidy Bowler, Millie Dale-Gosper, Sienna Maybury
U12	1	Wanda A - Montana Smith, Liesl Spinner, Andie Smith
	2	North Bondi Red - Lillian Wenmohs, Lucinda Gladstone, Lucia Zagora
	3	Coogee A - Ally Folsom, Amber Curry, Kathryn Jordan
U13	1	Wanda A - Kiani Johnson, Zara Zammit-Mayer, Zahri Lester
	2	North Bondi Red - Allie Hamilton, Frida Haggstrom, Ruby Cregan
	3	North Cronulla A - Ebony Springall, Eva Correia, Piper Edson
U14	1	Wanda A - Charlotte Bowmer, Sienna Mead, Piper Phillips
	2	Coogee A - Annabelle Hankin, Teagan Curry, Tessa Chua
	3	Elouera A - Georgia Thomas, Sybella Daly, India Chapman

SURF TEAM

U9	1	Wanda A - Lucy Christensen, Fleur Lonergan, Chloe Zhang, Molly Russell
	2	South Marbroua A - Alexa Jeffrie, Grace Kiernan, Lexie Millward, Ellery Stewart
	3	North Bondi Red - Azzuri Felix, Emerson Hoo, Katani Christopher, Isabel Christie
U10	1	Coogee A - Georgia Potter, Sophie Rowles, Torah Curry, Eleanor Maxwell
	2	Elouera A - Alexis Daly, Ainsley Cawley, Kendyll Paipa, Ava Donnelly
	3	Cronulla A - Ella Greene, Eve Dalglish, Violet George, Eve de Carle

U11	1	South Maroubra A - Olivia Philp, Sophie Maley, Scarlett Crewe, Makayla Kondilios
	2	Wanda A - Tilly Teasel, Maddelyn Cavanough, Aisling Young, Eva Brannock
	3	North Bondi Red - Mia Hoo, Madison Mancini, Darcy Greenfield Parker, Evie Landman
U12	1	North Bondi Red - Lillian Wenmohs, Lucinda Gladstone, Gia Gregory, Lucia Zagora
	2	Wanda A - Bridget Henley, Andie Smith, Liesl Spinner, Montana Smith
	3	Coogee A - Ally Folsom, Amber Curry, Kathryn Jordan, Ava Bembrick
U13	1	Wanda A - Zara Zammit-Mayer, Zahri Lester, Kiani Johnson, Isabel Adams
	2	North Bondi Red - Allie Hamilton, Lily-May Moran, Ruby Cregan, Madeleine Sone
	3	North Cronulla A - Ebony Springall, Eva Correia, Piper Edson, Lola Pittams
U14	1	Wanda A - Charlotte Bowmer, Sienna Mead, Piper Phillips, Jade Seidel
	2	South Maroubra A - Grace Madden, Willow Skene, Isabella Di Blasio, Zara Tobin
	3	Coogee A - Caitlyn Lee, Olivia Potter, Teagan Curry, Tessa Chua

BOARD RESCUE

U11	1	Wanda A - Tilly Teasel, Maddelyn Cavanough
	2	Coogee A - Aurelia Smyth, Charlie Haley
	3	South Maroubra A - Olivia Philp, Sophie Maley
U12	1	North Bond Red - Annabel Lynch, Lillian Wenmohs
	2	Wanda A - Andie Smith, Montana Smith
	3	Coogee A - Amber Curry, Kathryn Jordan
U13	1	North Bondi Red - Allie Hamilton, Ruby Cregan
	2	Clovelly A - Talica Vakaciwa, Canberra Yamasaki
	3	North Cronulla A - Ebony Springall, Eva Correia
U14	1	Wanda A - Charlotte Bowmer, Piper Phillips
	2	Coogee A - Teagan Curry, Tessa Chua
	3	South Maroubra A - Willow Skene, Grace Madden

IRONPERSON

U11	1	Mia Hoo (North Bondi)
	2	Charli Moses (Elouera)
	3	Sophie Maley (South Maroubra)
U12	1	Kathryn Jordan (Coogee)
	2	Lillian Wenmohs (North Bondi)
	3	Amber Curry (Coogee)
U13	1	Zara Zammit-Mayer (Wanda)
	2	Ruby Cregan (North Bondi)
	3	Canberra Yamasaki (Clovelly)

- U14 1 Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda)
 2 Teagan Curry (Coogee)
 3 Sienna Mead (Wanda)

CAMERON RELAY

- U13 1 **Wanda A** - Zara Zammit-Mayer, Zahri Lester, Kyah Gallen, Isabel Adams
 2 **North Bondi Red** - Elizabeth Somerville, Grace Obeid, Madeleine Sone, Ruby Cregan
 3 **Coogee A** - Courtney Codd, Willow Swift, Zara Wright, Isabelle Byrne
- U14 1 **Wanda A** - Charlotte Bowmer, Piper Phillips, Isabel Adams, Jade Seidel
 2 **Wanda B** - Sienna Mead, Poppy Hulbert, Zara Zammit-Mayer, Kyah Gallen
 3 **Coogee A** - Annabelle Hankin, Caitlyn Lee, Teagan Curry, Tessa Chua

MALE

BEACH SPRINT

- U9 1 Nicholas Kondilios (South Maroubra)
 2 Mael Bertolotti (Maroubra)
 3 Liam Morrissey (South Maroubra)
- U10 1 Patrick Spencer (North Bondi)
 2 Santiago Dalton (North Bondi)
 3 Denzel Cole (Cronulla)
- U11 1 Zac Brown (Elouera)
 2 Max Israel (South Maroubra)
 3 Liam Knibbs (South Maroubra)
- U12 1 Jayden Newrick (South Maroubra)
 2 Dewa Putu Krishna Inder (South Maroubra)
 3 Talin Opai (Coogee)
- U13 1 Ryan McNamara (South Maroubra)
 2 Rory Muldowney (South Maroubra)
 3 Kobi Keenan (Coogee)
- U14 1 Dylan Sharpe (South Maroubra)
 2 Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra)
 3 Oscar Murtas (Elouera)

BEACH FLAGS

- U9 1 Nicholas Kondilios (South Maroubra)
 2 Harry Cairns (North Bondi)
 3 Fletcher Geronimo (Cronulla)
- U10 1 William Kelliher (Bronte)
 2 Leo Kitchen (North Bondi)
 3 Bodhi Moyle (Wanda)
- U11 1 Max Israel (South Maroubra)
 2 Aimatai Vakaciwa (Clovelly)
 3 Callum Byrne (Wanda)
- U12 1 Jensen Lee (North Bondi)
 2 Jayden Newrick (South Maroubra)
 3 Lewis Arnold (Elouera)
- U13 1 Richard Nestor (Coogee)
 2 Ryan McNamara (South Maroubra)
 3 Dominic Smith (South Maroubra)
- U14 1 Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra)
 2 Diego Rojas (North Cronulla)
 3 Kaike McKinlay (North Cronulla)

BEACH RELAY

- U9 1 **South Marboura A** - Nicholas Kondilios, Liam Murcutt, Liam Morrissey, Bede Panlilio
 2 **North Bondi Red** - Benjamin Golan, Harry Cairns, Henry Parker, James Worden
 3 **Cronulla A** - Fletcher Geronimo, Zayn Hartup, Liam O'Loughlin
- U10 1 **North Bondi White** - Beau Ohara, Hugo Damours, Tullius Sharpe, Theodore Zagora
 2 **Cronulla A** - Tristiane Thorne, Denzel Cole, Kai Ward, Oscar Unwin
 3 **South Marboura A** - Julian Murcutt, Matthew West, Winston Wang, Nicholas Kondilios
- U11 1 **South Maroubra A** - Max Israel, Tenison Millward, Lewis Dawson, Liam Knibbs
 2 **Coogee A** - Henry Moore, Jack Baker Sedgman, Jacob Coleman, Matteo Menviel
 3 **Bronte A** - Angus Brickell, Bowie Klaiber, Edison Whalan, Maximus Austin
- U12 1 **South Maroubra A** - Jayden Newrick, Dewa Putu Krishna Inder, Jake Tobin, Christian Smith
 2 **North Bondi Red** - Jensen Lee, Spencer Jordan-Booth, Joshua Raymond, Lachlan Ibrahim
 3 **Bronte A** - Louis Bayard, Morgan Sharma, Ryan Cox, Phoenix Johnson
- U13 1 **South Maroubra A** - Ryan McNamara, Rory Muldowney, Leo Lique, Tom Maxwell
 2 **Coogee A** - Cameron Smith, Darragh Hogan, Kobi Keenan, Richard Nestor
 3 **Wanda A** - Jacob Vincent, Liam Lakomy, Joshua Dann, Justinian Romanos-Regas
- U14 1 **South Maroubra A** - Christopher Kondilios, Dylan Sharpe, Ryan McNamara, Rory Muldowney
 2 **Elouera A** - Zach Molloy, Oscar Murtas, Elliott Lindbeck, Mitchell Jones
 3 **Coogee A** - Antonio Thillainathan, Jacob Brunato, Samuel Patterson, Kobi Keenan

1KM BEACH RUN

- U11 1 Carter Codd (Coogee)
 2 Mitchell Henville (South Maroubra)
 3 Jordan Prince (Wanda)
- U12 1 Benjamin Dixon (Coogee)
 2 Jarrah Martinus (Wanda)
 3 Eoin Regan (Coogee)

2KM BEACH RUN

U13	1	Ryan Harris (Wanda)
	2	Maximilian Wu (Coogee)
	3	Sonny Bell (North Cronulla)
U14	1	Jack Wilkinson (North Bondi)
	2	Marcus Keyes (Wanda)
	3	Austin Martinus (Wanda)

2 X 500M BEACH RUN RELAY

U11	1	Wanda A - James Henderson, Jordan Prince
	2	Wanda B - Callum Byrne, Lachlan Dann
	3	South Maroubra A - Mitchell Henville,
U12	1	Coogee A - Eoin Regan, Benjamin Dixon
	2	Wanda B - Blake Spaul, Jarrah Martinus

2 X 1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U13	1	Coogee A - Dylan Branagan, Kai Stuetz
	2	Wanda A - Sebastian Sentas, Ryan Harris
	3	Coogee C - Maximilian Loeffler, Maximilian Wu
U14	1	Wanda A - Marcus Keyes, Austin Martinus

SURF RACE

U9	1	Max Ingram (Elouera)
	2	Presley Whalan (Bronte)
	3	Andrei Szabo (Coogee)
U10	1	Reed Martinus (Wanda)
	2	Willem Botha (Elouera)
	3	Ryder Pittams (North Cronulla)
U11	1	Jordan Prince (Wanda)
	2	Zac Brown (Elouera)
	3	Thomas Penny (Bronte)
U12	1	Kobi Mead (Wanda)
	2	Finn Thompson (Elouera)
	3	Ethan Hoo (North Bondi)
U13	1	Riley Maskiell (Wanda)
	2	Owen Lloyd-Jones (South Maroubra)
	3	Kai Stuetz (Coogee)
U14	1	Jake Boyle (Cronulla)
	2	Cooper Sanders (Cronulla)
	3	Jack Wilkinson (North Bondi)

BOARD RACE

U9	1	Angus Gladstone (North Bondi)
	2	Tymen Spierings (North Bondi)
	3	Andrei Szabo (Coogee (NSW))
U10	1	Jacob Gillard (Elouera)
	2	Charlie Roberts (North Bondi)
	3	Saxon West (North Cronulla)
U12	1	Hayden Vella (Wanda)
	2	Max Bowmer (Wanda)
	3	Finn Thompson (Elouera)
U13	1	Flynn Goold (North Bondi)
	2	Kai Stuetz (Coogee)
	3	Oliver Unwin (Cronulla)
U14	1	Jack Wilkinson (North Bondi)
	2	Henry Schneider (Cronulla)
	3	Aidan Renford (South Maroubra)

BOARD RELAY

U9	1	North Bondi Red - Angus Gladstone, Tymen Spierings, Henry Parker
	2	Cronulla A - Jake Towers, Felix Goode, Marlon Parkes
	3	Coogee A - Andrei Szabo, Xavier Lee, Ernest Tencate
U10	1	Elouera A - Willem Botha, Jacob Gillard, Brandon Sheekey
	2	Wanda A - Reed Martinus, Kye Georgaris, Jake Bowmer
	3	North Cronulla A - Ryder Pittams, Zac Maguire, Koby Prince
U12	1	Wanda A - Max Bowmer, Zed Lester, Kobi Mead
	2	North Bondi Red - Ethan Hoo, Hugo Spierings, Jack Sargent
	3	Coogee A - Ashton Habler, Roman Szabo, Louis Coleman
U13	1	Wanda A - Reef Lewis, Cooper Sutton, Max Christensen
	2	North Bondi Red - Flynn Goold, Noah Bowler, Matthew Davey
	3	Bronte B - Ethan Moorhead, Clancy Walsh, Jacob Sheehan
U14	1	North Bondi Red - Jack Wilkinson, Tom Mackay, Harrison Nixon
	2	Cronulla A - Henry Schneider, Jake Boyle, Cooper Sanders
	3	South Maroubra A - Aidan Renford, Ned Panlilio, Toby Gough

SURF TEAMS

U9	1	Cronulla A - Jake Towers, Felix Goode, Marlon Parkes, Zayn Hartup
	2	North Bondi Red - Angus Gladstone, Benjamin Andreatta, Henry Parker, Tymen Spierings
	3	Wanda A - Hugh Teasel, Declan Young, Nat Spinner, Hunter Banton
U10	1	Elouera A - Willem Botha, Jacob Gillard, Brandon Sheekey, Ethan Nicholson
	2	Wanda A - Reed Martinus, Jake Bowmer, Kye Georgaris, Ryland Mcilwaine
	3	North Cronulla A - Ryder Pittams, Koby Prince, Saxon West, Zac Maguire
U11	1	South Maroubra A - Billy Holford, Jacob Roorda, Josh Jenkin, Josh Jenkin
	2	Wanda A - Jordan Prince, Dashiell Loneragan, Lachlan Dann, Kobe Cash
	3	North Bondi Red - Bart Carmody, Sam Cregan, Joseph Landman, Connor Moran
U12	1	North Bondi Red - Ethan Hoo, Isaac Tait, Charlie Crocker, Charlie Silvester
	2	Wanda A - Kobi Mead, James Seidel, Jarrah Martinus, Max Bowmer
	3	Coogee A - Ashton Habler, Roman Szabo, Stirling Patterson, Louis Coleman

- U13 1 **Wanda A** – Riley Maskiell, Reef Lewis, Felix Lonergan, Max Christensen
 2 **South Maroubra A** – Owen Lloyd-Jones, Owen Roorda, Ryan McNamara, Jordan Pribadi
 3 **Elouera A** – Charlie Nicholson, Zane Panckhurst, Nate Robertson, Will Gardiner
- U14 1 **Cronulla A** – Jake Boyle, Cooper Sanders, Henry Schneider, Ethan Maclachlan
 2 **North Bondi Red** – Jack Wilkinson, Harrison Nixon, Max Prout, Cooper Burns
 3 **South Maroubra A** – Aidan Renford, Ned Panlilio, Zachary Stanilovski, Toby Gough

BOARD RESCUE

- U11 1 **North Bondi Red** – Bart Carmody, Sam Cregan
 2 **Bronte A** – George Nixon, Nicholas Fasol
 3 **Wanda A** – Dashiell Lonergan, Jordan Prince
- U12 1 **Wanda A** – Max Bowmer, Zed Lester
 2 **North Bondi Red** – Ethan Hoo, Hugo Spierings
 3 **Elouera A** – Xavier Daly, Finn Thompson
- U13 1 **Wanda B** – Reef Lewis, Max Christensen
 2 **North Bondi Red** – Matthew Davey, Noah Bowler
 3 **Elouera A** – Charlie Nicholson, Nate Robertson
- U14 1 **North Bondi Red** – Jack Wilkinson, Harrison Nixon
 2 **Cronulla A** – Henry Schneider, Cooper Sanders
 3 **South Maroubra A** – Aidan Renford, Toby Gough

IRONPERSON

- U11 1 Jordan Prince (Wanda)
 2 Bart Carmody (North Bondi)
 3 Zac Brown (Elouera)
- U12 1 Finn Thompson (Elouera)
 2 Ethan Hoo (North Bondi)
 3 Max Bowmer (Wanda)
- U13 1 Noah Bowler (North Bondi)
 2 Max Christensen (Wanda)
 3 Kai Stuetz (Coogee)
- U14 1 Jake Boyle (Cronulla)
 2 Jack Wilkinson (North Bondi)
 3 Cooper Sanders (Cronulla)

CAMERON RELAY

- U13 1 **Wanda A** – Riley Maskiell, Reef Lewis, Joshua Dann, Jacob Vincent
 2 **South Maroubra B** – Owen Roorda, Bat-Uunai Shinebayar, Leo Lique, Tom Maxwell
 3 **North Bondi Red** – Matthew Davey, Noah Bowler, Henry Goldrich, Henry Goldrich

- U14 1 **South Maroubra A** – Aidan Renford, Ned Panlilio, Christopher Kondilio, Dylan Sharpe
 2 **North Bondi Red** – Harrison Nixon, Hunter Norburn, Parker Jordan-Booth, Jack Wilkinson
 3 **Cronulla A** – Jake Boyle, Henry Schneider, Austin Crump, Cooper Sanders

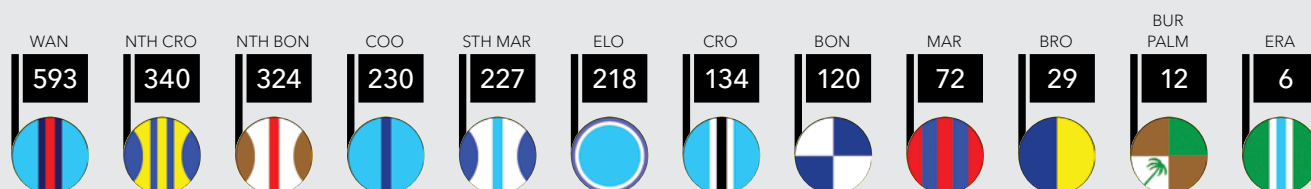
MIXED

BEACH RELAY

- U9 1 **South Marboura A** – Nicholas Kondilios, Liam Morrissey, Asher Simpson, Callie Simpson
 2 **Elouera A** – Mia Brown, Lucy Devine, Oliver Schwartz, Henry Smethurst
 3 **Coogee A** – Alexandra Onley, Amelia Bissland, Oscar Sewell, Ernest Tencate
- U10 1 **Elouera A** – Ava Cappelleri, Jada Christie, Noah Van Dyk, Ryley Penman
 2 **Cronulla A** – Tristiarne Thorne, Kai Ward
 3 **Coogee B** – Harry Thompson, Annalise Doyle, Torah Curry, Joe Macassey
- U11 1 **South Marboura A** – Capri Vincent, Makayla Kondilio, Max Israel, Tenison Millward
 2 **North Bondi Red** – Amber Worden, Beau Cadet, Lilly Na'a, Patrick Spencer
 3 **Coogee A** – Henry Moore, Maya McHale, Zoe Moyes, Jack Baker Sedgman
- U12 1 **South Marboura A** – Jayden Newrick, Dewa Putu Krishna Inder, Emily Rana, Sienna Sharpe
 2 **South Marboura B** – Jake Tobin, Christian Smith, Katahra Boyle-Raniga, Emily Maxwell
 3 **Coogee A** – Nicholas Giannikouris, Eadie Maguire, Talin Opai, Yve Sullivan
- U13 1 **Coogee B** – Darragh Hogan, Cameron Smith, Riley Baker Sedgman, Olivia Perazzo-Pinkstone
 2 **North Bondi White** – Chloe Dawson, Isabella Sartor, Jensen Lee, Spencer Jordan-Booth
 3 **South Maroubra A** – Ryan McNamara, Rory Muldowney, Estelle Soden-Smith, Ffyon McCabe
- U14 1 **South Maroubra A** – Christopher Kondilios, Dylan Sharpe, Tyla Hoolahan
 2 **North Cronulla A** – Scarlett Hoerr, Diego Rojas, Kaike McKinlay, Kaitlyn Williams
 3 **North Bondi White** – Grace Obeid, Elizabeth Somerville, James Onslow, Hunter Norburn

SURF SPORTS

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FEMALE

2KM BEACH RUN

U15	1	Jessica Henville (South Maroubra)
	2	Alicia Carman (North Cronulla)
	3	Stella Watmore (Burning Palms)
U17	1	Sari McKee (North Cronulla)
	2	Sienna Alderson (Wanda)
	3	Ruby Fry (North Bondi)
U19	1	Cynthia Baker-Barden (North Bondi)
Open	1	Sari McKee (North Cronulla)
	2	Rique Miroshnik (North Bondi)
	3	Emma Blanch (Wanda)

2 X 1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U15	1	Wanda B - Alice McNamara, Jade Seidel
	2	Wanda A - Isla Jokhan, Adelaide Thompson
	3	South Maroubra - Jessica Henville, Emily Henville
U17	1	North Cronulla A - Bella Fleming, Sari McKee
	2	Wanda A - Sienna Alderson, Waverly Martinus
Open	1	Wanda A - Emma Blanch, Chloe Gentle
	2	North Bondi A - Rique Miroshnik, Ruby Fry
	3	Wanda C - Gretchen Slater, Pippa Jokhan

BEACH SPRINT

U15	1	Milla Coles (Wanda)
	2	Mia Greacen (Cronulla)
	3	Amelia Byrne (Coogee)
U17	1	Annabel Penny (South Maroubra)
	2	Ruby Gray (South Maroubra)
	3	Amelia Kirby (Elouera)
U19	1	Tamara Abagi (Coogee)
	2	Lucy Flanagan (North Cronulla)
	3	Ruby Thomasyu (Coogee)
Open	1	Emily Rampoldi (North Cronulla)
	2	Zara Lammers (Wanda)
	3	Ruby Thomasyu (Coogee)

BEACH RELAY

U15	1	Coogee A - Amelia Byrne, Sophia Costello, Niamh Lynch, Jemima Sewell
	2	North Cronulla A - Ella Sorensen, Jasmine Springall, Lily Bell, Ruby Bofinger-Walker
U17	1	South Maroubra - Annabel Penny, Josephine Jeffriess, Lillie McLean, Ruby Gray
	2	North Cronulla A - Bella Fleming, Jessica Hapgood, Lily Thearle, Sari McKee
	3	Elouera A - Brooke Collins, Amelie Humphries, Natalie Hay, Amelia Kirby
U19	1	Coogee A - Eden Levit, Kate Johnson, Tamara Abagi, Ruby Thomasyu
Open	1	Coogee A - Ruby Thomasyu, Kate Johnson, Eden Levit, Tamara Abagi
	2	Wanda A - Zara Lammers, Tara Gentle, Jade Tattam, Chloe Gentle
	3	Elouera A - Sabina Rogers, Amelia Kirby, Sophie McGovern, Caitlin Hanna

BEACH FLAGS

U15	1	Ella Sorensen (North Cronulla)
	2	Jessica Henville (South Maroubra)
	3	Niamh Lynch (Coogee)
U17	1	Ruby Gray (South Maroubra)
	2	Jade Tattam (Wanda)
	3	Natalie Hay (Elouera)
U19	1	Lucy Flanagan (North Cronulla)
	2	Tamara Abagi (Coogee)
	3	Ruby Thomasyu (Coogee)
Open	1	Alexandra Rampoldi (North Cronulla)
	2	Emily Rampoldi (North Cronulla)
	3	Ruby Gray (South Maroubra)

SURF RACE

U15	1	Jasmine Alexiou (South Maroubra)
	2	Georgie Kiernan (South Maroubra)
	3	Eliza Dalglish (Wanda)
U17	1	India Hulbert (Wanda)
	2	Rome Southwell (Wanda)
	3	Elyssa Redrup (Wanda)
U19	1	Caprice Stokes (North Bondi)
	2	Alexandra Tait (North Bondi)
	3	Sophie Ferenczi (North Bondi)
Open	1	Britney Pierce (Wanda)
	2	Taylor Puskaric (Wanda)
	3	Emily Maythers (North Cronulla)

SURF TEAM

U15	1	Wanda A - Charlotte Bowmer, Piper Phillips, Eliza Dalglish, Sienna Mead
	2	South Maroubra - Sienna Mead, Genevieve Dommel, Maddison Chesher, Jasmine Alexiou
	3	Wanda B - Pearl Pelaez, Tia Hale, Jade Seidel, Adelaide Thompson
U17	1	Wanda A - India Hulbert, Rome Southwell, Tahli Christensen, Elyssa Redrup
	2	North Bondi A - Anna Wilkinson, Chanelle Stokes, Genevieve Hughes, Taylor Hamilton
	3	Wanda B - Waverly Martinus, Bella Summers, Sienna Spaul, Jayda Zammit-Mayer
U19	1	North Bondi A - Alexandra Tait, Caprice Stokes, Bernadette Hughes, Sophie Ferenczi
Open	1	Wanda A - Britney Pierce, Elyssa Pierce, India Hulbert, Taylor Puskaric
	2	North Bondi A - Alexandra Tait, Bernadette Hughes, Caprice Stokes, Sophie Ferenczi
	3	Bondi A - Dori Miller, Annabelle Paterson, Frances Shires, Amy O'Brien

BOARD RACE

U15	1	Eliza Dalglish (Wanda)
	2	Kaitlyn Byrnes (Elouera)
	3	Georgie Kiernan (South Maroubra)
U17	1	Rome Southwell (Wanda)
	2	India Hulbert (Wanda)
	3	Tahli Christensen (Wanda)
U19	1	Alexandra Tait (North Bondi)
	2	Sophie Ferenczi (North Bondi)
	3	Maya Dixon (Wanda)
Open	1	Britney Pierce (Wanda)
	2	Emily Maythers (North Cronulla)
	3	Alexandra Tait (North Bondi)

BOARD RELAY

U15	1	South Maroubra - Georgie Kiernan, Willow Skene, Jasmine Alexiou
	2	Wanda A - Alice McNamara, Eliza Dalglish, Zara Buckley
	3	Wanda B - Charlotte Bowmer, Sienna Mead, Piper Phillips
U17	1	Wanda A - Tahli Christensen, India Hulbert, Rome Southwell
	2	Elouera A - Mikaela Mead, Tara Collier, Holly Edmunds
	3	Wanda B - Elyssa Redrup, Jayda Zammit-Mayer, Waverly Martinus
U19	1	North Bondi A - Alexandra Tait, Caprice Stokes, Zara Hamilton
	2	North Bondi B - Bernadette Hughes, Sophie Ferenczi, Chanelle Stokes
Open	1	Wanda A - Britney Pierce, Elyssa Pierce, Taylor Puskaric
	2	North Bondi A - Alexandra Tait, Zara Hamilton, Bernadette Hughes
	3	North Bondi C - Chanelle Stokes, Taylor Hamilton, Genevieve Hughes

BOARD RESCUE

U15	1	South Maroubra – Georgie Kiernan, Jasmine Alexiou
	2	Wanda A – Eliza Dalglish, Zara Buckley
	3	South Maroubra Blue – Grace Madden, Willow Skene
U17	1	South Maroubra – Lillie McLean, Jasmine Alexiou
	2	North Bondi B – Chanelle Stokes, Taylor Hamilton
	3	North Bondi A – Anna Wilkinson, Genevieve Hughes
Open	1	North Bondi A – Zara Hamilton, Caprice Stokes
	1	North Bondi B – Alexandra Tait, Sophie Ferenczi
	1	North Cronulla A – Emily Maythers, Hannah Higgins

SINGLE SKI

U17	1	Chelsea Sutton (Wanda)
	2	Zoey Lester (Wanda)
	3	Rome Southwell (Wanda)
U19	1	Alexandra Tait (North Bondi)
	2	Logan Galea (Wanda)
	3	Caprice Stokes (North Bondi)
Open	1	Britney Pierce (Wanda)
	2	Taylor Puskaric (Wanda)
	3	Elizabeth Wise (North Bondi)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

U17	1	Wanda A – Zoey Lester, Chelsea Sutton, India Hulbert
	2	Elouera A – Mikaela Mead, Tara Collier, Natalie Hay
Open	1	Wanda A – Britney Pierce, Elyssa Pierce, Taylor Puskaric
	2	North Bondi A – Megan Rumford, Elizabeth Wise, Alexandra Tait

DOUBLE SKI

Open	1	Wanda A – Taylor Puskaric, Britney Pierce
	2	North Bondi A – Elizabeth Wise, Megan Rumford
	3	Cronulla A – Zoe Duchet-Catherine, Bridget Cole

CAMERON RELAY

U15	1	Wanda A – Eliza Dalglish, Milla Coles, Isla Jokhan, Charlotte Bowmer
	2	South Maroubra – Georgie Kiernan, Jessica Henville, Francesca Dawson, Jasmine Alexiou
	3	North Bondi A – Georgia Sone, Georgina Porteus, Maya Newman, Poppy Haggstrom

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U17	1	Wanda A – India Hulbert, Tahli Christensen, Chelsea Sutton
	2	North Bondi A – Anna Wilkinson, Chanelle Stokes, Genevieve Hughes
	3	Elouera A – Mikaela Mead, Tara Collier, Holly Edmunds
Open	1	Wanda A – Britney Pierce, Elyssa Pierce, Taylor Puskaric
	2	North Bondi A – Elizabeth Wise, Caprice Stokes, Zara Hamilton
	3	Bondi A – Frances Shires, Annabelle Paterson, Amy O'Brien

IRONPERSON

U15	1	Jasmine Alexiou (South Maroubra)
	2	Georgie Kiernan (South Maroubra)
	3	Eliza Dalglish (Wanda)
U17	1	Rome Southwell (Wanda)
	2	Tahli Christensen (Wanda)
	3	Mikaela Mead (Elouera)
U19	1	Alexandra Tait (North Bondi)
	2	Sophie Ferenczi (North Bondi)
	3	Caprice Stokes (North Bondi)
Open	1	Britney Pierce (Wanda)
	2	Emily Maythers (North Cronulla)
	3	Taylor Puskaric (Wanda)

MALE**2KM BEACH RUN**

U15	1	Kyle Mason (Wanda)
	2	ari swan (Coogee)
	3	Oliver Dalton (Wanda)
U17	1	Bailey Duncan (Elouera)
	2	Asher Thomasyu (Coogee)
	3	Taj Wicks (Wanda)
U19	1	Toby Hummerston (Wanda)
Open	1	William Mison (Coogee)
	2	Kai Hammond (Wanda)
	3	Jesse Tucek (Bondi)

2 X 1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U15	1	Wanda A – Kyle Mason, Dane Sutton
	2	Wanda C – Oliver Dalton, William Thompson
U17	1	Coogee Cactus – Asher Thomasyu, Connor Boyd
	2	Wanda A – Taj Wicks, Jack Fisher
	3	Wanda B – Emilio Biordi, Cameron Bonar
U19	1	Wanda A – Oliver Chandler, Toby Hummerston

BEACH SPRINT

U15	1	Luke Newrick (South Maroubra)
	2	Joshua Ballard (South Maroubra)
	3	Dylan Sharpe (South Maroubra)
U17	1	Kobe Sorensen (North Cronulla)
	2	Tom Farr-Jones (South Maroubra)
	3	Asher Thomasyu (Coogee)

U19	1	Peter Thoroughgood (Elouera)
	2	Max Geronimo (Cronulla)
	3	Kane Sheppard (Coogee)
Open	1	Peter Thoroughgood (Elouera)
	2	Max Geronimo (Cronulla)
	3	Jeremy Knott (Cronulla)

BEACH RELAY

U17	1	Coogee A - Connor Boyd, Conor McFadden, Ronan Sheppard, Asher Thomasyu
U19	1	Coogee A - Ryan Harper, Kane Sheppard, Ronan Sheppard, Asher Thomasyu
Open	1	Elouera A - Peter Thoroughgood, Joey Todd, Hugh Millar, Samuel Mood

BEACH FLAGS

U15	1	Joshua Ballard (South Maroubra)
	2	Luke Newrick (South Maroubra)
U17	1	Kobe Sorensen (North Cronulla)
	2	Tom Farr-Jones (South Maroubra)
	3	Addison Ramirez (Cronulla)
U19	1	Sasha Popovic (Cronulla)
	2	Max Geronimo (Cronulla)
Open	1	Sasha Popovic (Cronulla)
	2	Max Geronimo (Cronulla)
	3	Kobe Sorensen (North Cronulla)

SURF RACE

U15	1	Jackson Turner (Cronulla)
	2	Otis Jessop (Wanda)
	3	Dane Sutton (Wanda)
U17	1	Mitchell Green (Elouera)
	2	Zoltahn Szabo (South Maroubra)
	3	Kai Thatcher (Wanda)
U19	1	Jackson McCleery (Maroubra)
	2	Kai Robertson (Elouera)
	3	Thomas Oates (Bondi)
Open	1	Noah Steiner (Wanda)
	2	Thomas Hay (Bondi)
	3	Nicholas Middleton (Wanda)

SURF TEAM

U15	1	Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop, William Thompson, Ziggy Lester
	2	North Cronulla A - Cody Edson, Lucas Correia, Tom Oliver, Lincoln Cooper
U17	1	Wanda A - Will Steiner, Jackson Middleton, Hayden Watts, Kai Thatcher
	2	Elouera A - Mitchell Green, Nicholas Hughes, Angus Jarolimek, Jack Prowse
	3	South Maroubra - Charlie White, Maximo Di Blasio, Zoltahn Szabo, Noah Teitler
Open	1	Wanda A - Nicholas Middleton, Noah Steiner, Nathan Smith, Morgan Lloyd
	2	North Bondi A - Ned Wieland, Duke Wieland, Charlie Verco, Samuel Braun

BOARD RACE

U15	1	Dane Sutton (Wanda)
	2	Otis Jessop (Wanda)
	3	Lincoln Cooper (North Cronulla)
U17	1	Jake Walker (North Bondi)
	2	Mitchell Green (Elouera)
	3	Brent Gaddes (Cronulla)
U19	1	Charlie Morris (Elouera)
	2	Benjamin Sutton (Wanda)
	3	Charlie Winkelmeier (North Cronulla)
Open	1	Charlie Verco (North Bondi)
	2	Noah Steiner (Wanda)
	3	Samuel Braun (North Bondi)

BOARD RELAY

U15	1	Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop, Ziggy Lester
	2	North Cronulla A - Lucas Correia, Tom Oliver, Lincoln Cooper
	3	Cronulla A - Jackson Turner, Melvyn Guilbert, Lachlan Brinckley
U17	1	Wanda A - Joel Steiner, Kai Thatcher, Will Steiner
	2	South Maroubra - Charlie White, Maximo Di Blasio, Zoltahn Szabo
	3	Wanda B - Jackson Middleton, Dylan Porteous, Jack Fisher
U19	1	North Bondi A - Thomas Clothier, Hugh Clothier, Charlie Germane
	2	North Cronulla B - Joshua Correia, James Hards, Leo Astridge
Open	1	North Bondi A - Charlie Verco, Duke Wieland, Samuel Braun
	2	Cronulla A - William Banister, Rhys Telfef, Nathan Jay
	3	North Cronulla A - William Budd, Dane Bofinger, Charlie Winkelmeier

SINGLE SKI

U17	1	Hobie Smit (Cronulla)
	2	Jackson Middleton (Wanda)
	3	Kai Thatcher (Wanda)
U19	1	Charlie Winkelmeier (North Cronulla)
	2	Noah Doran (Wanda)
	3	Charlie Morris (Elouera)
Open	1	Nathan Neale (Elouera)
	2	Jim Walker (North Bondi)
	3	Noah Steiner (Wanda)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

U17	1	Cronulla A - Brent Gaddes, Hobie Smit, Noah Duchet-Catherine
	2	Wanda A - Dylan Porteous, Joel Steiner, Jackson Middleton
	3	Elouera A - Mitchell Green, Angus Jarolimek, Nicholas Hughes
Open	1	North Bondi B - Lachlan Cunningham, James Ekins, Charlie Germane
	2	Wanda A - Noah Steiner, Nicholas Middleton, Michael Georgaris
	3	Elouera A - Nathan Neale, Lachlan Galea Stacker, Connor Levings

DOUBLE SKI

- Open 1 **Wanda A** – Michael Georgaris, Joel Steiner
 2 **North Bondi A** – Jim Walker, Hayden Smart
 3 **Wanda B** – Dean Blanche, Noah Doran

CAMERON RELAY

- U15 1 **Wanda A** – Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop, Kyle Mason, Marcus Keyes
 2 **North Bondi A** – Lorenzo De Sa, Jack Wilkinson, Harrison Nixon

TAPLIN

- U17 1 **Wanda A** – Joel Steiner, Kai Thatcher, Jackson Middleton
 2 **Wanda B** – Hayden Watts, Dylan Porteous, Will Steiner)
 3 **Elouera A** – Mitchell Green, Angus Jarolimek, Nicholas Hughes
 U19 1 **Wanda A** – Benjamin Sutton, Morgan Lloyd, Noah Doran
 2 **Maroubra Red** – Archie Hayward, Connor McCleery, Jackson McCleery
 3 **Coogee A** – Finn McFadden, Daniel Kavanagh, Patrick Kavanagh
 Open 1 **Wanda A** – Nicholas Middleton, Noah Steiner, Michael Georgaris, Nathan Smith, Morgan Lloyd, Benjamin Sutton
 2 **North Bondi A** – Duke Wieland, Ned Wieland, Charlie Verco, Samuel Braun, Hayden Smart, Jim Walker
 3 **Elouera A** – Christopher King, Nathan Neale, Mackenzie Hannington, Kai Robertson, Charlie Morris, Lachlan Galea Stacker

IRONPERSON

- U15 1 Dane Sutton (Wanda)
 2 Otis Jessop (Wanda)
 3 Jackson Turner (Cronulla)
 U17 1 Fred Carmody (North Bondi)
 2 Mitchell Green (Elouera)
 3 Kai Thatcher (Wanda)
 U19 1 Charlie Winkelmeier (North Cronulla)
 2 Jackson McCleery (Maroubra)
 3 Charlie Morris (Elouera)
 Open 1 Nicholas Middleton (Wanda)
 2 Nathan Jay (Cronulla)
 3 Samuel Braun (North Bondi)

MIXED**BEACH RELAY**

- U15 1 **South Maroubra A** – Jessica Henville, Francesca Dawson, Luke Newrick, Joshua Ballard
 2 **North Cronulla A** – Alicia Carman, Cody Edson, Ella Sorensen, Lincoln Cooper
 3 **Wanda A** – Isla Jokhan, Milla Coles, Oliver Dalton, Ziggy Lester
 U17 1 **South Maroubra** – Annabel Penny, Ruby Gray, Tom Farr-Jones, Maximo Di Blasio
 2 **Elouera A** – Natalie Hay, Brooke Collins, Bailey Duncan, Angus Jarolimek
 1 **North Cronulla A** – Lily Thearle, Jessica Hapgood, Navrin Johnston, Noah Lister
 Open 1 **Elouera A** – Peter Thoroughgood, Joey Todd, Sophie McGovern, Sabina Rogers
 2 **Coogee A** – Kane Sheppard, Kate Johnson, Ryan Harper, Ruby Thomasyu

TAPLIN

- Open 1 **Wanda A** – Nicholas Middleton, Noah Steiner, Michael Georgaris, Elyssa Pierce, Britney Pierce, Taylar Puskaric
 2 **North Bondi A** – Elizabeth Wise, Caprice Stokes, Charlie Verco, Alexandra Tait, Hayden Smart, Ned Wieland
 3 **Bondi A** – Ryan Wilkes, Frances Shires, Annabelle Paterson, Bjorn Shakespeare, Thomas Oates, Amy O'Brien

DOUBLE SKI

- Open 1 **Wanda A** – Elyssa Pierce, Michael Georgaris
 2 **Wanda C** – Taylar Puskaric, Dean Blanche

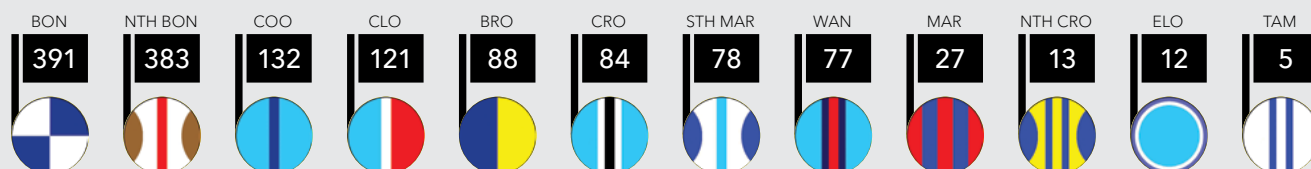
MARCH PAST

- Open 1 **Wanda A** – Anita Pryke, Glenn Bell, Mary O'Dwyer, Karen Byron, Margaret Ryall, Yvonne Holland, Narelle Hunt, Jann Townsend, Vanessa McKirdy, Kate Mountain, Paula George, Jeanie Iredale
 2 **North Cronulla A** – Brian Cowan, Rodney Fowler, Bethany Fulton, Kim Glasson, Jennifer Hayes, Kevin Macnamara, Craig McKinnery, Tracey McKinnery, Lenore McKinnery, Holly Newton, Alison Walsh, Kristine Whitford
 3 **Burning Palms A** – David Falkiner, David Dillon, Wayne Evans, Ross West, Michael James, Michael Howard, Robert Pringle, Martin Chafei, Terrence Farley, Todd Mison, Mary-ellen Evans, Steven Falkiner



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FEMALE

1KM BEACH RUN

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| 60-69 yrs | 1 Marie Bowen (Maroubra) |
| | 2 Rozanne Green (Bondi) |

2KM BEACH RUN

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| 30-39 yrs | 1 Freya Riddel (North Bondi) |
| | 2 Denise Meuldijk (Bondi) |
| | 3 Maddi Beale (Bondi) |
| 40-49 yrs | 1 Christine Maybury (North Bondi) |
| | 2 Rona Macniven (Coogee) |
| | 3 Tara O'Reilly (Bronte) |
| 50-59 yrs | 1 Michelle Baker-Barden (North Bondi) |
| | 2 Kimberly Johns (Bronte) |
| | 3 Deidre McCarthy (Wanda) |

BEACH SPRINT

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| 30-39 yrs | 1 Freya Riddel (North Bondi) |
| | 2 Greer Calabro (Wanda) |
| | 3 Kim Davey (Clovelly) |
| 40-49 yrs | 1 Gillian Worden (North Bondi) |
| | 2 Edel Dickson (South Maroubra) |
| | 3 Kirsten Newrick (South Maroubra) |
| 50-59 | 1 Sharon Deans (Coogee) |
| | 2 Margaret Simpson-Lee (Tamarama) |
| | 3 Ashleigh Breden (South Maroubra) |
| 60-69 yrs | 1 Caroline Smith (Clovelly) |
| | 2 Patricia Ford (Bronte) |
| | 3 Philomena Pettit (Clovelly) |

BEACH RELAY

- Pre 160 yrs 1 **Coogee A** - Sharon Deans, Nicola Logan,
Linda Walsh, Renny Finch
2 **Clovelly A** - Rachael Abbott,
Maria Lara Garrido-Herrero,
Kim Davey, Jennifer Jarrett
- Post 160 yrs 1 **North Bondi A** - Michelle Baker-Barden,
Gillian Worden, Gillian Worden,
Rique Miroshnik
2 **South Maroubra** - Ashleigh Breden,
Genevieve Andersen, Jennie Smith,
Kirsten Newrick

BEACH FLAGS

- 30-39 yrs 1 Kim Davey (Clovelly)
2 Freya Riddel (North Bondi)
3 Kimmy Rashleigh (Clovelly)
- 40-49 yrs 1 Edel Dickson (South Maroubra)
2 Kirsten Newrick (South Maroubra)
3 Genevieve Andersen (South Maroubra)
- 50-59 yrs 1 Linda Walsh (Coogee)
2 Wendy Pepper (Clovelly)
- 60-69 yrs 1 Caroline Smith (Clovelly)
2 Philomena Pettit (Clovelly)

BOARD RACE

- 30-39 yrs 1 Elizabeth Wise (North Bondi)
2 Miriam Salter (North Bondi)
3 Kristin Nagy (Bondi)
- 40-49 yrs 1 Amber Brown (Bronte)
2 Virginia Pope (Bondi)
3 Leonie Wilkinson (North Bondi)
- 50-59 yrs 1 Louise Santos (Bondi)
2 Kimberly Johns (Bronte)
3 Laura Thurtell (Bondi)
- 60-69 yrs 1 Philomena Pettit (Clovelly)
2 Jo Emery (Clovelly)
3 Jane Cichero (North Bondi)

BOARD RELAY

- Pre 135 yrs 1 **Bondi A** - Julie Pritchard, Kristin Nagy,
Virginia Pope
2 **North Bondi A** - Freya Riddel,
Miriam Salter, Amy Hanna
- Post 135 yrs 1 **Bondi A** - Laura Thurtell, Louise Santos,
Jo Delmodes
2 **Bronte B** - Jennifer Austin,
Gaby Naher, Kate Stewart
3 **Cronulla A** (Nina Tetzlaff, Georgina Redrup, Melissa Halpin)

SURF RACE

- 30-39 yrs 1 Sally Wood (Coogee)
2 Kimmy Rashleigh (Clovelly)
3 Kristin Nagy (Bondi)
- 40-49 yrs 1 Nicola Logan (Coogee)
2 Kate Stewart (Bronte)
- 50-59 yrs 1 Dori Miller (Bondi)
2 Laura Thurtell (Bondi)
3 Susan Bell (Wanda)
- 60-69 yrs 1 Carolyn Martin (Coogee)
2 Jane Cichero (North Bondi)
3 Jo Emery (Clovelly)

SURF TEAMS

- Post 135 yrs 1 **Bondi A** - Laura Thurtell,
Samantha Wolf, Louise Santos
2 **Clovelly A** - Jo Emery, Caroline Smith, Philomena Pettit)

IRONPERSON

- 30-39 yrs 1 Elizabeth Wise (North Bondi)
2 Miriam Salter (North Bondi)
3 Nina Tetzlaff (Cronulla)
- 40-49 yrs 1 Justine O'Connell (North Bondi)
- 50-59 yrs 1 Laura Thurtell (Bondi)
2 Louise Santos (Bondi)
3 Sarah Davis (North Bondi)
- 60-69 yrs 1 Jane Cichero (North Bondi)

SINGLE SKI

- 30-39 yrs 1 Elizabeth Wise (North Bondi)
2 Megan Rumford (North Bondi)
3 Miriam Salter (North Bondi)
- 40-49 yrs 1 Virginia Pope (Bondi)
2 Justine O'Connell (North Bondi)
3 Melinda Toomey (Coogee)
- 50-59 yrs 1 Sarah Davis (North Bondi)
2 Georgina Redrup (Cronulla)
- 60-69 yrs 1 Jane Cichero (North Bondi)
2 Jo Emery (Clovelly)
3 Philomena Pettit (Clovelly)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

- Pre 135 yrs 1 **North Bondi A** - Miriam Salter,
Elizabeth Wise, Megan Rumford

DOUBLE SKI

- 30-39 yrs 1 **North Bondi A** - Elizabeth Wise,
Megan Rumford
2 **Bondi A** - Kristin Nagy, Louise Skjeime

BOARD RESCUE

- 40-49 yrs 1 **Bronte A** - Amber Brown, Gaby Naher
2 **Bronte B** - Kate Stewart, Kimberly Johns
3 **Coogee A** - Nicola Logan,
Melinda Toomey
- 50-59 yrs 1 **Bondi A** - Dori Miller, Louise Santos
2 **Clovelly A** - Wendy Pepper, Jo Emery
3 **Bondi B** - Laura Thurtell, Julie Pritchard
- 60-69 yrs 1 **Clovelly A** - Philomena Pettit,
Caroline Smith

TAPLIN

- Pre 135 yrs 1 **North Bondi A** - Freya Riddel,
Miriam Salter, Elizabeth Wise
2 **Bondi A** - Maddi Beale,
Virginia Pope, Jo Delmodes
- Post 135 yrs 1 **Bondi A** - Laura Thurtell,
Dori Miller, Kristin Nagy
2 **Cronulla A** - Georgina Redrup,
Melissa Halpin, Nina Tetzlaff
3 **North Bondi B** - Leonie Wilkinson,
Justine O'Connell, Sarah Davis

MALE

1KM BEACH RUN

60-69 yrs	1	Paul Burman (Bondi)
70 yrs & Over	1	John Rooney (South Maroubra)

2KM BEACH RUN

30-39 yrs	1	Brendan O'Mahony (Bondi)
	2	Joshua Stein (North Bondi)
	3	Jesse Lockhart-Krause (Bondi)
40-49 yrs	1	Timothy Jeffries (Bronte)
	2	David Jones (Wanda)
	3	Noel McLaughlin (Bronte)
50-59 yrs	1	Jock Campbell (Wanda)
	2	Matthew Henville (South Maroubra)
	3	Richard Stuetz (Coogee)

BEACH SPRINT

30-39 yrs	1	Jeremy Knott (Cronulla)
	2	Keiran Stone (Clovelly)
	3	Nicolas Eulry (Bondi)
40-49 yrs	1	Joel Maybury (North Bondi)
	2	Timothy Tardent (Cronulla)
	3	Bjorn Shakespeare (Bondi)
50-59 yrs	1	Jayson Lincoln (Bondi)
	2	Alex Porebski (Bondi)
	3	Matthew Henville (South Maroubra)
60-69 yrs	1	Peter Hadfield (Wanda)
	2	Paul Burman (Bondi)
70 yrs & Over	1	Maxwell Murphy (South Maroubra)
	2	John Rooney (South Maroubra)

BEACH RELAY

Pre 160 yrs	1	Clovelly A - Justin Sayer, Kevin Davis, Keiran Stone, Michael Walker
Post 160 yrs	1	Bondi A - Courtney Date, Jayson Lincoln, Nicolas Eulry, Nicolas Eulry
	2	North Bondi A - Joel Maybury, David Freedman, Eddy Norburn, Joshua Stein
	3	Bondi B - Jonathan Potts, Joseph Carrello, Olivier Brisse, Alex Porebski

BEACH FLAGS

30-39 yrs	1	Jeremy Knott (Cronulla)
	2	Nicolas Eulry (Bondi)
	3	Keiran Stone (Clovelly)
40-49 yrs	1	Joel Maybury (North Bondi)
	2	Bjorn Shakespeare (Bondi)
	2	Timothy Tardent (Cronulla)
50-59 yrs	1	Alex Porebski (Bondi)
	2	David Freedman (North Bondi)
	3	David Martin (North Bondi)
60-69 yrs	1	Paul Burman (Bondi)
	2	Robert Chapman (Bondi)
70 yrs & Over	1	Maxwell Murphy (South Maroubra)
	2	John Rooney (South Maroubra)

BOARD RACE

30-39 yrs	1	Kiva Galgut (North Bondi)
	2	Finian Stronach (Coogee)
	3	Rodrigo De Sebastian Martin (Maroubra)
40-49 yrs	3	Josep Font Sadurni (Bondi)
50-59 yrs	1	David Martin (North Bondi)
	2	David Came (Cronulla)
	3	Gary McGregor (Maroubra)
60-69 yrs	1	Greg Clifford (North Bondi)
	2	Robert Chapman (Bondi)
	3	John Pleasance (Cronulla)
70 yrs & Over	1	Warwick Cavanagh (North Cronulla)
	2	Peter Kirkwood (Maroubra)

BOARD RELAY

Pre 135 yrs	1	North Bondi A - Kiva Galgut, Alex Tandl, Matthew Jenkins
	2	Bondi B - Michael Barry, Grant Baldock, James Rogers
	3	Bronte A - Troy Stewart, David Jones, Grant Lyndon
Post 135 yrs	1	North Bondi A - David Martin, Hugo Dudley-Smith, Andre Dalton
	2	Cronulla A - David Came, John Pleasance, Daryn Metti

BOARD RESCUE

30-39 yrs	1	Coggee A - Matthew Larkin, Finian Stronach
	2	North Bondi A - Joshua Stein, Alex Tandl
40-49 yrs	1	Bronte A - Timothy Jeffries, David Jones
	2	North Bondi A - Hugo Dudley-Smith, David Martin
50-59 yrs	1	North Bondi A - David Martin, Todd Cunningham
	2	Coogee A - Stephen Callaghan, James Giltinan
	2	Bondi A - Steven Hackers, Robert Chapman

SURF RACE

30-39 yrs	1	Finian Stronach (Coogee)
	2	Kiva Galgut (North Bondi)
	3	Jacob Yuide (Bondi)
40-49 yrs	2	Benjamin Harris (Wanda)
50-59 yrs	1	David Martin (North Bondi)
	2	William Hardman (Bondi)
	3	David Came (Cronulla)
60-69 yrs	1	Brian May (North Bondi)

SURF TEAMS

Pre 135 yrs	1	Bondi C - Blake Hatton, Nicolas Eulry, Alex Porebski
	2	North Bondi A - Kiva Galgut, Matthew Jenkins, David Martin
	3	Bondi A - Richard Campbell, Simon Nothling, Grant Baldock

SINGLE SKI

30-39 yrs	1	Jacob Michael (North Bondi)
	2	Finian Stronach (Coogee)
	3	Rodrigo De Sebastian Martin (Maroubra)
40-49 yrs	1	Andre Dalton (North Bondi)
	2	Paul Tatham (North Bondi)
50-59 yrs	1	William Hardman (Bondi)
	2	Todd Cunningham (North Bondi)
60-69 yrs	1	Greg Clifford (North Bondi)
	2	John Pleasance (Cronulla)
	3	Robert Chapman (Bondi)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

Pre 135 yrs	1	North Bondi A - Oli Zuk, David Mathews, Hugo Dudley-Smith
Post 135 yrs	1	Bondi A - William Hardman, Calvin Brodie, Bjorn Shakespeare
	2	North Bondi A - Andre Dalton, Todd Cunningham, Jacob Michael

DOUBLE SKI

30-39 yrs	1	Coogee A - Matthew Larkin, Finian Stronach
	2	North Bondi A - Matthew Jenkins, Jacob Michael
	3	Bondi A - Blake Hatton, Ben Doherty
40-49 yrs	1	North Bondi A - Andre Dalton, Paul Tatham
	2	Bondi A - Bjorn Shakespeare, William Hardman
	3	Bondi B - Josep Font Sadurni, Angus Chard

IRONPERSON

30-39 yrs	1	Finian Stronach (Coogee)
	2	Rodrigo De Sebastian Martin (Maroubra)
	3	Blake Hatton (Bondi)
40-49 yrs	1	Simon Nothling (Bondi)
	2	Andre Dalton (North Bondi)
	3	Benjamin Harris (Wanda)
50-59 yrs	1	David Martin (North Bondi)
	2	David Came (Cronulla)
60-69 yrs	1	Robert Chapman (Bondi)
	2	Greg Clifford (North Bondi)
	3	Brian May (North Bondi)

MALE TAPLIN

Pre 135 yrs	1	North Bondi A - Joshua Stein, Alex Tandi, David Mathews
	2	Bronte A - Timothy Jeffries, David Jones, Grant Lyndon
	3	Bondi A - Richard Campbell, Bjorn Shakespeare, Blake Hatton
Post 135 yrs	1	Bondi A - Simon Nothling, Calvin Brodie, Nathan Defries
	2	North Bondi 1 - Matthew Jenkins, Hugo Dudley-Smith, Greg Clifford
	3	North Bondi 2 - David Martin, Andre Dalton, Paul Tatham



SURF SPORTS

BRANCH LIFESAVING CHAMPIONSHIPS



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FEMALE

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

U14	1	Caitlyn Lee (Coogee)
	2	Emily Henville (South Maroubra)
U15	1	Jessica Henville (South Maroubra)
U17	1	Summer Robinson (Bondi)
	2	Freya Buckett (South Maroubra)
	3	Jessica Ryan (Bondi)
U19	1	Zoe Fletcher (Bondi)
	2	Cynthia Baker-Barden (North Bondi)
40-49 yrs	1	Robyn Farmer (Bondi)
	2	Catherine Schlub (Bondi)
	3	Rebecca Meisner (Bondi)
50 yrs & over	1	Michelle Baker-Barden (North Bondi)
Open	1	Emma Grand (Coogee)
	2	Annabelle Paterson (Bondi)
	3	Georgina Ryan (Bronte)

MALE

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

U14 Male	1	Calum Reiter (Coogee)
	2	Zachary Stanilovskiy (South Maroubra)
U15 Male	1	Vectis Buckett (South Maroubra)
U17 Male	1	Rory Davey (Bondi)
U19 Male	1	Evan Van Der Knaap (Bondi)
40-49 yrs	1	John Wilcox (Bondi)
	2	Marc Schmandin (Coogee)
50 yrs & over	1	Todd Warner (Bondi)
	2	Jonathan Potts (Bondi)
	3	David Freedman (North Bondi)
Open	1	Noah Kaplan (Bondi)
	2	Olivier Brisse (Bondi)
	3	Joseph Carrello (Bondi)

BRANCH SURF BOAT CHAMPIONSHIPS

FEMALE

U19	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Havachats (Coogee) - Alice Norbury, Georgia Beale, Mila Folsom, Macy Smith, David Smith (SBS) Blueys 19s (North Cronulla) - Alana Crutcher, Amanda Budrodeen, Grace Dyer, Sienna Horner, Mark Lea (SBS) Wobblies (Wanda) - Ellie Fisher, Lucy McGrath, Grace Spinner, Isla Lawson, Leslie Townsend (SBS)
U23	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Micks (North Cronulla) - Chloe Craig, Jade Bofinger, Mia Donnelly, Paris Donnelly, Michael Hawkins (SBS) Bofs (North Cronulla) - Abbey Bofinger, Hayley Spence, Kate Workman, Charlotte Macnamara, Michael Bofinger (SBS) Sea Turtles (South Maroubra) - Erin Farrelly, Gemma Morrison, Leah Howarth, Leila McCarthy, Phillip Stivano (SBS)
Reserve Grade	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> DMGs (Coogee) - Kelsey McGuinness, Lauren McLean, Samantha Murray, Caitlin Trumble, Paul Beale (SBS) Wingin it (Wanda) - Izel Tuncer, Sorrell Handforth, Stephanie Kentwell, Amy Grice, Brendan MacAlpine (SBS) COGS (Coogee) - Katie Vesper, Kyle Alp, Terrena Kolster, Gemma Lumley, Rod Colman (SBS)
Combined 200yrs+	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> COGS (Coogee) - Kellie Edmunds, Terrena Kolster, Kyle Alp, Katie Vesper, Rod Colman (SBS) Kessels (Wanda) - Karen Ross, Louise Southwell, Virginia Carnegie, Kaylene Walker, Leslie Townsend (SBS)

MALE

U19	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Missing (Maroubra) - Corbin Murray, Fletcher Bessant, Jason Hirsch, Vin Torsellini, Julian La Rosa (SBS) Adrenaline (North Cronulla) - James Whittaker, Jason De Francesco, Luke Villagrand, Zach Pauling, David Young (SBS) Weapons (North Cronulla) - Daniel Bredell, Harrison Boggiss, Harry Luxford, Kyle Meldrum (M), Vaughn Meldrum (SBS)
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U23

- Young Guns (North Cronulla)** - Logan Barling, Will Fleming, Hugo Langton, Benjamin Jessop, Michael Hawkins (SBS)
- Cronulla Cobras (Cronulla)** - Finley Moore, Ethan Miller, James Morrison, Joshua Watson, Garry Allman (SBS)
- Jeffs Colts (North Cronulla)** - Michael de Francesco, Kane Butterfield, Ky Whipps, Thomas Mooney, Jeffrey Loy (SBS)

Reserve Grade

- Blade Runners (North Bondi)** - Benjamin Celermajer, Jake Cassell, Charles Bodkin, James Samuels, Steve Larnach (SBS)
- Sons (Coogee)** - Jack Beale, Joe Beale, Harrison Smith, Lachlan Smart, Paul Beale (SBS)
- Cronulla Grunts (Cronulla)** - Drew Walsh, Jake Dalley, Nicholas Musico, Lewis Hannah, Ryan Wood (SBS)

Open

- Weapons (Wanda)** - Hayden Ward, Matthew Pescud, Bradley Querzoli, Jack Spooner, Nathan Spinner (SBS)
- Scraps (North Cronulla)** - James Budd, Tyrell Duff, Samuel Barning, Matthew Jessop, David Young (SBS)

MIXED

LIFESAVER RELAY

Open

- Wanda A** - Amy Grice, Sorrell Handforth, Stephanie Kentwell, Izel Tuncer, Noah Steiner, Nicholas Middleton, Joel Steiner, Benjamin Sutton, Brendan MacAlpine (SBS)
- Coogee A** - Finian Stronach, Joshua Fernandez, Kelsey McGuinness, Lauren McLean, Samantha Murray, Caitlin Trumble, Finn McFadden, Ronan Sheppard, Paul Beale (SBS)
- Elouera A** - Jenna Miller, Jessica Thomas, Kathryn Hull, Caitlin Smith, Nathan Neale, Harry Came, Charlie Morris, Mitchell Green, Michael McBain (SBS)





SURF SPORTS

NSW AGE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS



FEMALE

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SURF RACE

U9	1	Emerson Hoo (North Bondi)
U10	1	Sophie Rowles (Coogee)
U11	1	Mia Hoo (North Bondi)
U12	1	Kathryn Jordan (Coogee)
	3	Jade Visch (Bronte)
U13	1	Zara Zammit-Mayer (Wanda)

SURF TEAM

U9	1	Wanda - Lucy Christensen, Fleur Lonergan, Zaida Turner, Chloe Zhang
	2	Cronulla - Zara Adams, Indiana Watts, Milly Elphick, Tahlia Gilsenan
U10	1	Coogee - Torah Curry, Georgia Potter, Sophie Rowles, Eleanor Maxwell
U12	1	North Bondi - Gia Gregory, Lillian Wenmohs, Mia Hoo, Lucinda Gladstone
U13	3	Wanda - Zara Zammit-Mayer, Zahri Lester, Kiani Johnson, Isabel Adams
U14	2	Wanda - Piper Phillips, Charlotte Bowmer, Sienna Mead, Jade Seidel

BOARD RACE

U9	1	Emerson Hoo (North Bondi)
U10	1	Hailey Avar (Coogee)
U11	1	Mia Hoo (North Bondi)
U12	1	Lillian Wenmohs (North Bondi)
U13	3	Ruby Cregan (North Bondi)
U14	3	Sybella Daly (Elouera)

BOARD RELAY

U9	1	North Bondi - Emerson Hoo, Isabel Christie, Azzuri Felix
U10	1	Coogee - Hailey Avar, Torah Curry, Sophie Rowles
U12	2	North Bondi - Lucinda Gladstone, Lillian Wenmohs, Gia Gregory
U13	1	Wanda - Zara Zammit-Mayer, Zahri Lester, Kiani Johnson
	3	North Bondi - Allie Hamilton, Ruby Cregan, Frida Haggstrom

1KM FEMALE BEACH RUN

U11	1	Charli Moses (Elouera)
	2	Capri Vincent (South Maroubra)
U12	2	Lily Molachino (Wanda)

BEACH FLAGS

U9	2	Jasmine Shardlow (Cronulla)
	3	Mia Brown (Elouera)
U10	1	Scarlett Tracy (Cronulla)
	2	Alice Darke (North Cronulla)
U11	1	Marli Parker (Wanda)
	3	Amber Worden (North Bondi)
U12	1	Michaela Jenkins (North Cronulla)
U14	1	Kaitlyn Williams (North Cronulla)
	3	Scarlett Hoerr (North Cronulla)

BEACH SPRINTS

U9	2	Mia Brown (Elouera)
U10	1	Jada Christie (Elouera)
U11	1	Marnie Laurence (Coogee)
	2	Capri Vincent (South Maroubra)
	3	Marli Parker (Wanda)
U12	1	Michaela Jenkins (North Cronulla)
U13	1	Taylor Morgan (Coogee)
	3	Ruby Cregan (North Bondi)
U14	2	Kaitlyn Williams (North Cronulla)

BEACH RELAY

U9	1	Wanda – Tabitha Lines, Amelia Perryman, Lila Smith, Charlotte Slattery
	2	Elouera – Lucy Devine, Mia Brown, Asha Collins, Madeline Eades
	3	North Bondi – Azzuri Felix, Zara Maybury, Claudia White, Katani Christopher
U10	1	Elouera – Aca Cappelleri, Jada Christie, Lani Alexander, Alexis Daly
	2	South Maroubra – Billie Rollo, Francesca McKenny, London Maynard, Arabella Soden-Smoth
	3	Bronte – Emily Snow, Willow Sharma, Sarah Nash, Beatrice Emanuel
U11	1	North Bondi – Chloe Spencer, Chloe Antony, Roxanne Heng, Amber Worden
	2	Coogee – Marnie Laurence, Maya McHale, Mollie Hoppe, Zoe Moyes
U12	1	Coogee – Amelie Thompson, Marnie Laurence, Tara Regan, Yve Sullivan
	3	North Bondi – Alice Riakos, Addison Hughes, Mimi Tolnay, Sofia White
U13	1	North Bondi – Chloe Dawson, Grace Obeid, Elizabeth Somerville, Isabella Sartor
	2	Coogee – Sabelle Byrne, Yve Sullivan, Amelie Thompson, Tara Regan
	3	Coogee – Olivia Perazzo-Pinkstone, Riley Baker Sedgman, Ruby McFadden, Taylor Morgan
U14	1	North Cronulla – Eliza Wheatley, Kaitlyn Williams, Kayla Pryde, Scarlett Hoerr
	2	Coogee – Adelaide Sewell, Emma Haley, Evie Bowie, Isabel Littlejohn
	3	North Bondi – Grace Obeid, Elizabeth Somerville, Zara Smirl, Sunny Gribble

IRONPERSON

U11	1	Mia Hoo (North Bondi)
U12	2	Kathryn Jordan (Coogee)
U14	1	Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda)

CAMRON RELAY

U14	3	Wanda – Charlotte Bowmer, Piper Phillips, Jade Seidel, Tia Hale
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MALE

SURF RACE

U9	1	Presley Whalan (Bronte)
	2	Max Ingram (Elouera)
U10	2	Willem Botha (Elouera)
U11	2	Dashiell Lonergan (Wanda)
	3	Jordan Prince (Wanda)
U12	1	Kobi Mead (Wanda)
	3	Max Bowmer (Wanda)

SURF TEAM

U9	1	Bronte – James Moorhead, Presley Whalan, Fred Singleton, Henry Nixon
	2	Elouera – Max Ingram, Zac Wilson, William Roy, Chase Chalmers
	3	South Maroubra – Carter Doyle, Harry Maley, Bede Panlilio, Callum Rollo
U10	3	Elouera – Willem Botha, Jacob Gillard, Brandon Sheekey, Ethan Nicholson
U11	1	Bronte – Nicolas Fasol, George Nixon, Edison Whalan, Thomas Penny
	2	Wanda – Jordan Prince, Dashiell Lonergan, Lachlan Dann, Noah Sutton
	3	Cronulla – Jackson Swingler, Harry Maclachlan, Brody McLellan, Harrison Turner
U12	1	Wanda – Max Bowmer, Kobi Mead, Jarrah Martinus, James Seidel
	3	Coogee – Ashton Habler, Carter Codd, Henry Gellin, Roman Szabo
U13	1	South Maroubra – Jordan Pribadi, Owen Roorda, Owen Lloyd-Jones, Ryan McNamara
	2	Wanda – Riley Maskiell, Reef Lewis, Max Christensen, Felix Lonergan

BOARD RACE

U9	1	Andrei Szabo (Coogee)
	2	Tymen Spierings (North Bondi)
U10	1	Jacob Gillard (Elouera)
	2	Willem Botha (Elouera)
U11	1	Bart Carmody (North Bondi)
U13	2	Noah Bowler (North Bondi)

BOARD RELAY

U9	3	Bronte – James Moorhead, Max Hart, Henry Nixon
U10	2	Elouera – Willem Botha, Jacob Gillard, Brandon Sheekey
U11	2	North Bondi – Bart Carmody, Fredrick Goldrich, Sam Cregan
	3	North Bondi – Angus Davies, Joseph Landman, Brynn Spierings
U12	2	North Bondi – Ethan Hoo, Jack Sargent, Hugo Spierings

1KM BEACH RUN

U11	3	Mitchell Henville (South Maroubra)
U12	2	Owen Lovell-Ward (Wanda)

BEACH FLAGS

U9	1	Nicholas Kondilios (South Maroubra)
	2	Mael Bertolotti (Maroubra)
U10	1	Maxwell Nquyen (Coogee)
	3	Xavier Mancuso (Bronte)
U12	1	Dewa Putu Krishna Inder (South Maroubra)
	2	Nicholas Giannikouris (Coogee)
U13	1	Rory Muldowney (South Maroubra)
U14	2	Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra)

BEACH SPRINTS

U9	1	Nicholas Kondilios (South Maroubra)
	3	Mael Bertolotti (Maroubra)
U11	2	Zac Brown (Elouera)
U12	1	Dewa Putu Krishna Inder (South Maroubra)
	2	Thoman Giles (Cronulla)
	3	Morgan Sharma (Bronte)
U13	1	Rory Muldowney (South Maroubra)
	2	Ryan McNamara (South Maroubra)
U14	2	Dylan Sharpe (South Maroubra)
	3	Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra)

BEACH RELAY

U9	3	Coogee - Alec Rodowicz, Ernest Tencate, Oscar Sewll, Alfred Deal
U10	1	North Bondi - William Apperley, Patrick Spencer, Santiago Dalton, Leo Kitchen
	2	Coogee - Harry Thompson, Carter Swift, Maxwell Nquyen, Joe Macassey
	3	Elouera - Noah Van Dyk, Ryley Penman, Lachlan Murray, Casey Roeder
U11	2	South Maroubra - Lewis Dawson, Max Israel, Liam Knibbs, Sean Dickson
U12	1	North Bondi - Connor Colquhoun, Jensen Lee, Joshua Raymond, Spencer Jordan-Booth
	2	South Maroubra - Dewa Putu Krishna Inder, Jayden Newrick, Christian Smith, Jake Tobin
	3	Elouera - Spencer Mortensen, Hugo Schwartz, Lewis Arnold, Oliver Robertson
U13	1	Coogee - Cameron Smith, Carragh Hogan, Kobi Keenan, Richard Nestor
	2	South Maroubra - Ryan McNamara, Rory Muldowney, Dominic Smith, Tom Maxwell
	3	Wanda - Jacob Vincent, Ryan Harris, Joshua Dann, Justinian Romanos-Regas
U14	1	North Cronulla - Diego Rojas, Kaike McKinlay, Dean Zivanovic, Haiden Wooldridge
	3	South Maroubra - Christopher, Dylan Sharpe, Ryan McNamara, Rory Muldowney

IRONPERSON

U11	1	Jordan Prince (Wanda)
	2	Dashiell Lonergan (Wanda)
U12	2	Max Bowmer (Wanda)
	3	Roman Szabo (Coogee)
U13	2	Noah Bowler (North Bondi)
	3	Reef Lewis (Wanda)
U14	1	Jack Wilkinson (North Bondi)

CAMRON RELAY

U13	2	Wanda - Riley Maskiell, Jacob Vincent, Max Christensen, Joshua Dann
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MIXED**BEACH RELAY**

U9	1	South Maroubra - Asher Simpson, Callie Simpson, Nicholas Kondilios, Liam Morrissey
	2	Elouera - Mia Brown, Lucy Devine, Oliver Schwartz, Henry Smethurst
U11	1	South Maroubra - Makayla Kondilios, Capri Vincent, Max Israel, Liam Knibbs
	2	Wanda - Marli Parker, Sienna Moar, Axel Slater, Callum Byrne
	3	Coogee - Jacob Coleman, Marnie Laurence, Mollie Hoppe, Matteo Menviel
U12	1	Cronulla - Jayde Hartup, Thomas Giles, Zander Crump, Avani Spelta
	2	North Bondi - Mimi Tolnay, Jensen Lee, Sofia White, Spencer Jordan-Booth
	3	Coogee - Amelie Thompson, Cooper Bradbury, Nicholas Ginnikouris, Yve Sullivan
U13	1	Coogee - Richard Nestor, Kobi Keenan, Ruby McFadden, Taylor Morgan
	2	South Maroubra - Ryan McNamara, Rory Muldowney, Estelle Soden-Smith, Ffyon McCabe
	3	North Bondi - Elizabeth Somerville, Grace Obeid, Spencer Jordan-Booth, James Onslow
U14	1	North Cronulla - Kaitlyn Williams, Scarlett Hoerr, Diego Rojas, Kaike McKinlay
	2	Coogee - Antonio Thillainathan, Emma Haley, Evie Bowie, Jacob Brunato
All Age	1	South Maroubra - Nicholas Kondilios, Billie Rollo, Makayla Kondilios, Jayden Newrick, Estelle Soden-Smith, Christopher Kondilios
	2	North Bondi - Claudia White, Patrick Spencer, Amber Worden, Jensen Lee, Elizabeth Somerville, Parker Jordan-Booth
	3	Coogee - Ernest Tencate, Maxwell Nguyen, Marnie Laurence, Amelie Thompson, Taylor Morgan, Antonio Thillainathan

2 PERSON R&R

U10 & U11	1	Coogee A
	2	Coogee B
U12	1	North Cronulla - Erica Hyland
	2	North Cronulla - Bianca Pryde, Dakota Hodge
	3	Elouera - Georgia Murtas, Anna Jones
U13 -U14	1	Coogee Pink
	2	North Cronulla Axolotls
	3	North Cronulla Starfish
U14 -U15	1	North Cronulla Golden Pineapples
	2	Coogee Team A

5 PERSON R&R

U13 -U15	1	Coogee - Milla Hlywa, Laura Peshevski, Emma Fernandez, Ruby Hawkes, Erin O'Brien
	2	North Cronulla - Kate Newton, Cloe Walsh, Eleftheria Papadatos, Ellie Robertson
	3	North Cronulla - Erin Hyland, Sophia Heron, Anna McCrone, Soraia Olival, Olivia Gale

CAMRON RELAY

U11	1	North Bondi - Bart Carmody, Chloe Spencer, Mia Hoo, Patrick Gisz
	2	South Maroubra - Sophie Maley, Makayla Kondilios, Jacob Roorda, Max Israel
U12	2	Coogee - Roman Szabo, Kathryn Jordan, Ally Folsom, Henry Gellin



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FEMALE

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2KM BEACH RUN

U15 3 Jessica Henville (South Maroubra)

2 X 1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U17 1 **North Cronulla A** - Bella Fleming, Sari McKee
2 **Wanda A** - Sienna Alderson, Waverly Martinus
3 **Elouera A** - Amelie Humphries, Mikaela Mead
U19 1 **North Bondi A** - Ruby Fry, Sophie Ferenczi
2 **Wanda A** - Sienna Alderson, Chelsea Sutton
3 **Wanda B** - Amy Hummerston, Ruby Shaw

BEACH FLAGS

U15 2 Milla Coles (Wanda)
3 Alicia Carman (North Cronulla)
U17 1 Ruby Gray (South Maroubra)
3 Keira Vincent (Wanda)
U19 1 Lucy Flanagan (North Cronulla)
2 Sabina Rogers (Elouera)
Open 1 Alexandra Rampoldi (North Cronulla)
3 Isabellah Walker (Cronulla)

BEACH SPRINT

U15 2 Mia Greacen (Cronulla)
U17 2 Annabel Penny (South Maroubra)
U19 1 Zara Lammers (Wanda)
2 Lucy Flanagan (North Cronulla)
3 Ruby Thomasyu (Coogee)
Open 1 Isabellah Walker (Cronulla)
3 Emily Rampoldi (North Cronulla)

BEACH RELAY

U15 1 **Coogee A** - Jemima Sewell, Amelia Byrne, Sophia Costello, Niamh Lynch
U17 1 **Wanda A** - Isabella Ingram, Elyssa Redrup, Keira Vincent, Milla Coles
2 **South Maroubra White** - Annabel Penny, Ruby Gray, Lillie McLean, Jasmine Alexiou
3 **Elouera A** - Brooke Collins, Amelie Humphries, Molly Fitzpatrick, Natalie Hay
U19 1 **Elouera A** - Amelia Kirby, Sabina Rogers, Brooke Collins, Caitlin Hanna
2 **Coogee A** - Ruby Thomasyu, Eden Levit, Tamara Abagi, Kate Johnson
3 **Wanda A** - Isabella Ingram, Zara Lammers, Sienna Alderson, Keira Vincent
Open 1 **North Cronulla A** - Alexandra Rampoldi, Emily Rampoldi, Leah Rampoldi, Lucy Flanagan
2 **Cronulla A** - Ngaire Hadfield, Sunny Lucien, Isabellah Walker, Nicole Jones
3 **Coogee A** - Ruby Thomasyu, Eden Levit, Tamara Abagi, Kate Johnson

SURF RACE

U17 1 India Hulbert (Wanda)

SURF TEAM

U15 3 **Wanda A** - Charlotte Bowmer, Eliza Dalglish, Piper Phillips, Sienna Mead
U17 2 **Wanda A** - India Hulbert, Tahli Christensen, Elyssa Redrup, Rome Southwell
U19 3 **North Bondi A** - Lily Finanti, Lexie Tait, Caprice Stokes, Sophie Ferenczi
Open 2 **Wanda A** - Rome Southwell, Elyssa Pierce, Elyssa Redrup, Taylar Puskaric

BOARD RACE

U17 3 India Hulbert (Wanda)
U19 1 Lily Finati (North Bondi)

BOARD RELAY

U19 2 **North Bondi A** - Lexie Tait, Lily Finati, Zara Hamilton
3 **North Bondi B** - Caprice Stokes, Sophie Ferenczi, Bernadette Hughes

BOARD RESCUE

U17 1 **Wanda D** - India Hulbert, Tahli Christensen
U19 3 **North Bondi B** - Caprice Stokes, Zara Hamilton

TUBE RESCUE

U19 3 **North Bondi A** - Caprice Stokes, Lily Finati, Bernadette Hughes, Zara Hamilton

IRONPERSON

U17 2 Rome Southwell (Wanda)
U19 1 Lily Finati (North Bondi)

SURF BELT RACE

U17 1 **Wanda B** - Rome Southwell
U19 3 **North Bondi B** - Lily Finati, Matt Hamilton, John Clothier, James Ekins, Hayden Smart
Open 3 **North Cronulla** - Emily Maythers, Ryan McGrath, Dane Bofinger, Charlie Winkelmeier, Cruz McKee

CAMERON RELAY

U15 2 **South Maroubra White** - Willow Skene, Georgie Kiernan, Jessica Henville, Jasmine Alexiou
3 **Wanda A** - Charlotte Bowmer, Eliza Dalglish, Milla Coles, Isla Jokhan)

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

U19 1 Cynthia Baker-Barden (North Bondi)
2 Zoe Fletcher (Bondi)
Open 3 Emma Grand (Coogee)

SINGLE SKI

U19 2 Lily Finati (North Bondi)
Open 1 Elyssa Pierce (Wanda)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

Open 3 **Wanda A** - Britney Pierce, Elyssa Pierce, Taylar Puskaric

DOUBLE SKI

U19 3 **Wanda A** - Chelsea Sutton, Zoey Lester
Open 3 **Wanda B** - Britney Pierce, Taylar Puskaric

FEMALE TAPLIN

U19 2 **North Bondi A** - Lexie Tait, Lily Finati, Caprice Stokes

SURF BOAT

Reserve 3 Elouera A
Grade

MALE

2KM BEACH RUN

U15 1 Kyle Mason (Wanda)
2 Dane Sutton (Wanda)
3 Ari Swan (Coogee)

BEACH FLAGS

U15 1 Luke Newrick (South Maroubra)
U17 1 Tom Farr-Jones (South Maroubra)
U19 1 Sasha Popovic (Cronulla)

BEACH SPRINT

U15 1 Luke Newrick (South Maroubra)
U17 1 Luke Avati (Coogee)
U19 3 Peter Thoroughgood (Elouera)
2 Kobe Sorensen (North Cronulla)

BEACH RELAY

U15 1 **South Maroubra White** - Christopher Kondilios, Dylan Sharpe, Vectis Buckett, Luke Newrick
3 **North Cronulla A** - Lincoln Cooper, Lucas Correia, Tom Oliver, Lennox Southwell
U17 1 **Coogee A** - Luke Avati, Connor Boyd, Asher Thomasyu, Ronan Sheppard
3 **Wanda A** - Taj Wicks, Kai Thatcher, Will Steiner, Oliver Dalton
U19 2 **Coogee A** - Luke Avati, Ryan Harper, Kane Sheppard, Ronan Sheppard
3 **Cronulla A** - Sasha Popovic, Max Geronimo, Joshua Tattam, Addison Ramirez
Open 1 **Elouera A** - Peter Thoroughgood, Joey Todd, Tyrell Villania-Small, Hugh Millar
2 **Cronulla A** - Sasha Popovic, Max Geronimo, Jeremy Knott, Zac Brooks

SURF RACE

U15	1	Jackson Turner (Cronulla)
U19	1	Kai Robertson (Elouera)
	2	Jackson McCleery (Maroubra)
Open	2	Noah Steiner (Wanda)
	3	Nathan Jay (Cronulla)

SURF TEAM

U15	2	Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop, Ziggy Lester, William Thompson
Open	2	Wanda A - Hayden Allum, Nicholas Middleton, Noah Steiner, Nathan Smith
	3	Cronulla A - Jay Furniss, Nathan Jay, Tim Ford, William Banister

BOARD RACE

U19	3	Cruz McKee (North Cronulla)
Open	2	Charlie Verco (North Bondi)

BOARD RESCUE

U19	2	North Cronulla A - Cruz McKee, Charlie Winkelmeier
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BOARD RELAY

U15	3	Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop, Ziggy Lester
Open	3	North Bondi A - Charlie Verco, Duke Wieland, Samuel Braun

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U15	1	Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop, Ziggy Lester, William Thompson
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CHAMPION LIFESAVER

U15	1	Dane Sutton (Wanda)
	3	Vectis Buckett (South Maroubra)
U17	3	Joshua Fernandez (Coogee)
U19	2	Benjamin Sutton (Wanda)
Open	2	Noah Kaplan (Bondi)
	3	Hunter Perry (South Maroubra)

IRONPERSON

U19	2	Ben Christensen (North Bondi)
Open	2	William Budd (North Cronulla)
	3	Jay Furniss (Cronulla)

TUBE RESCUE

U19	2	Wanda A - Morgan Lloyd, Matias Soca, Will Steiner, Jackson Middleton
Open	2	Wanda A - Noah Steiner, Nicholas Middleton, Michael Georgaris, Noah Doran

SURF BELT RACE

U19	1	Elouera A - Kai Robertson, Isaac Byrne, Connor Levings, Nathan Neale, Shamus Oconnor
Open	1	Cronulla B - Tim Ford, Rhys Telfer, Ryan Hartup, Tate Browning, Sasha Popovic
	3	Wanda C - Riley Dixon

MALE TAPLIN

U19	2	Elouera A - Rory Jarolimek, Charlie Morris, Kai Robertson
	3	North Bondi Team B - Hugh Clothier, Jake Walker, Tim Senior Skinner
Open	2	North Bondi A - Duke Wieland, Ned Wieland, Charlie Verco, Samuel Braun, Hayden Smart, Jim Walker
	3	Elouera A - Harry Came, Christopher King, Connor Levings, Kai Robertson, Charlie Morris, Lachlan Galea Stacker

MALE SINGLE SKI

U17	3	Dylan Porteous (Wanda)
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SINGLE SKI RELAY

U19	3	North Bondi A - Ben Christensen, Thomas Clotheir, Charlie Germane
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MIXED

2K BEACH RUN

U19, U17	2	Toby Hummerston (Wanda)
	3	Noah Doran (Wanda)

COMBINED 2X1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U15	1	Wanda B - Kyle Mason, Dane Sutton
	2	Wanda A - Austin Martinus, Marcus Keyes
	3	Wanda C - William Thompson, Oliver Dalton
U19 & U17	3	Coogee Catcus - Asher Thomasyu, Connor Boyd
Open	1	Cronulla A - Nathan Breen, Jack Robertson
	2	Wanda A - Kai Hammond, Michael Fox
	3	North Bondi A - Jonathon Schacht, Jacob Schoffl

COMBINED 2KM BEACH RUN

Open	1	William Mison (Coogee)
	2	Nathan Breen (Cronulla)
	3	Jacob Schoffl (North Bondi)

BEACH RELAY

U15	2	South Maroubra White - Christopher Kondilios, Luke Newrick, Jessica Henville, Francesca Dawson
U17	2	South Maroubra White - Maximo Di Blasio, Tom Farr-Jones, Ruby Gray, Annabel Penny
	3	Elouera A - Natalie Hay, Brooke Collins, Bailey Duncan, Hamish Nesbitt
U19	1	Coogee B - Kane Sheppard, Eden Levit, Asher Thomasyu, Tamara Abagi
	2	Coogee A - Luke Avati, Ruby Thomasyu, Ryan Harper, Kate Johnson

- Open 1 **Cronulla A** – Max Geronimo, Jeremy Knott, Ngaire Hadfield, Isabellah Walker
- 2 **Elouera A** – Hugh Millar, Joey Todd, Molly Fitzpatrick, Amelia Kirby
- 3 **Cronulla B** – Dylan Ingram, Zac Brooks, Lauren Hocking, Sunny Lucien

LIFESAVER RELAY

- 2 **Wanda A** – Amy Grice, Sorell Handforth, Stephanie Kentwell, Izel Tuncer, Brendan MacAlpine, Noah Steiner, Nicholas Middleton, Joel Steiner, Benjamin Sutton
- 3 **Elouera A** – Jenna Miller, Jessica Thomas, Kathryn Hull, Caitlin Smith, Grant Wilkinson, Nathan Neale, Harry Came, Charlie Morris, Hamish Nesbitt

CHAMPION PATROL

- Open 2 **Coogee A**

MIXED TAPLIN

- Open 3 **Wanda A** – Britney Pierce, Elyssa Pierce, Taylor Puskaric, Noah Steiner, Nicholas Middleton, Michael Georgaris

MARCH PAST

- U23 1 **North Cronulla 17s** – Milly Newton, Kate Newton, Kirra Hodge, Lily Thearle, Layla King, Ashlyn Lloyd, Felicity Teirney, Jane Lanham, Phoebe Kessey, Hannah Higgins, Harley-Rose McGroder, Reagan Boggiss
- Open 1 **North Cronulla** – Holly Newton, Alison Walsh, Kristine Whitford, Jennifer Hayes, Kim Glasson, Rodney Fowler, Tracey McKinnier, Craig McKinnier, Kevin Macnamara, Brian Cowan, Bethany Fulton, Cherie Feher
- 3 **Burning Palms** – David Falkiner, Martin Chafei, Michael James, Michael Howard, Ross West, Robert Pringle, Terrence Farley, Todd Mison, Wayne Evans, Mary-Ellen Evans, Steven Falkiner

R&R

2 PERSON R&R

- U17 1 **North Cronulla Palm Trees** – Kirra Hodge, Lily Thearle
- 2 **Coogee Gold** – Jasmine Miller, Michayla Penn
- 3 **North Cronulla Pink Flamingos** – Reagan Boggiss, Sophia Papadatos
- U19 1 **Coogee Gold** – Jasmine Miller, Michayla Penn
- 2 **North Cronulla Palm Trees** – Kirra Hodge, Lily Thearle
- 3 **Maroubra The Blueys** – Genevieve Love, Zoe Di Cristo

- Open 2 **Comeback Queens (North Cronulla)** – Bethany Fulton, Kristine Whitford

5 PERSON R&R

- U17 1 **Coogee Spice Girls** – Millie Bloxsom, Chiara Hammond, Elouisa Hawkes, Jasmine Miller, Michayla Penn
- 2 **Maroubra Thunder** – Claire Whitaker, Genevieve Love, Stella Obrien, Zoe Di Cristo, Hannah Jerich
- 3 **North Cronulla Pink** – Felicity Teirney, Jane Lanham, Sophia Papadatos, Reagan Boggiss, Grace Dyer
- U19 1 **North Cronulla** – Indi Bulian, Heidi Quintano, Tyler Maddern, Annika Freiheit, Ariane Sharpe
- 3 **Coogee Blue Crew** – Chiara Hammond, Elouisa Hawkes, Patrick Kavanagh, Jasmine Miller, Michayla Penn
- U23 Mixed 1 **Coogee A** – Bianca Wallace, Millie Bloxsom, Samantha Gately, Yasmin Stuetz, Chiara Hammond
- 2 **North Cronulla 19s** – Indi Bulian, Heidi Quintano, Layla King, Tyler Maddern, Annika Freiheit
- 3 **North Cronulla 23s** – Darby Thompson, Harrison Maddern, Maddison Moyle, Phoebe Kessey, Ariane Sharpe
- Open Female 1 **Coogee A** – Tracey Bloxsom, Samantha Gately, Yasmin Stuetz, Yasmin Stuetz, Millie Bloxsom
- 2 **North Cronulla Navy** – Maddison Moyle, Felicity Teirney, Jane Lanham, Sophia Papadatos, Reagan Boggiss
- Open Male 2 **Wanda A** – Blake McCrindle, Tim Lee, Kurt Melville, Colin Jones, Stuart Smith
- 3 **Coogee A** – J Carter, Christopher Gately, Drew Hayes, Luke Ryan, Scott Ryan
- Open Mixed 2 **Wanda A** – Brock Douglas, Grant Sandstrom, Katie Spinner, Joanna Stavrou, Emily Caterson
- 3 **North Cronulla Legends** – Darby Thompson, Harrison Maddern, Maddison Moyle, Phoebe Kessey, Ariane Sharpe

6 PERSON R&R

- Open 1 **Coogee A** – J Carter, Christopher Gately, Drew Hayes, Patrick Kavanagh, Luke Ryan, Scott Ryan
- 2 **Wanda A** – Emily Caterson, Kurt Melville, Blake McCrindle, Tim Lee, Stuart Smith, Grant Sandstrom

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FEMALE

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BEACH RUN

30 yrs 3 Rique Miroshnik (North Bondi)

BEACH SPRINT

34-39 yrs 1 Nicole Jones (Cronulla)
3 Greer Calabro (Wanda)
40-44 yrs 3 Lauren Campbell (Wanda)
45-49 yrs 1 Gillian Worden (North Bondi)
2 Edel Dickson (South Maroubra)
50-54 yrs 2 Sharon Deans (Coogee)
55-59 yrs 3 Michelle Baker-Barden (North Bondi)

BEACH RELAY

140 yrs min 1 **Wanda A** - Greer Calabro, Casey Hadfield, Lauren Campbell, Mairead Brannock
2 **North Bondi Red** - Miriam Salter, Megan Rumford, Eloise Starr, Rique Miroshnik
170 yrs min 1 **South Maroubra** - Ashleigh Breden, Edel Dickson, Jennie Smith, Kirsten Newrick
2 **Bondi** - Dori Miller, Denise Meuldijk, Louise Skjeime, Julie Pritchard
200 yrs min 2 **Coogee** - Sharon Deans, Linda Walsh, Nicola Logan, Renny Finch
3 **North Bondi A** - Michelle Baker-Barden, Stephanie Hughes, Amanda Mawson, Gillian Worden
230 yrs min 3 **Maroubra A** - Marie Emerson, Elizabeth Donohoe, Farah Messina, Tracy Whittaker

FEMALE BEACH FLAGS

35-39 yrs 1 Nicole Jones (Cronulla)
3 Anne-Marie Kruk (Bondi)
40-44 yrs 3 Lauren Campbell (Wanda)
45-49 yrs 1 Edel Dickson (South Maroubra)
2 Genevieve Andersen (South Maroubra)
3 Gillian Worden (North Bondi)
55-59 yrs 3 Jennifer Trinca (Coogee)
75 yrs & Over 1 Jan McCloskey (Bondi)

SURF RACE

75 yrs & Over 1 Jan McCloskey (Bondi)

SURF TEAM

110 yrs min 2 **North Bondi** - Yael Galgut, Justine O'Connell
130 yrs min 1 **Bondi A** - Maddi Beale, Dori Miller, Robyn Hill
3 **Coogee A** - Nicola Logan, Carolyn Martin, Linda Walsh
150 yrs min 1 **Bondi A** - Samantha Wolf, Louise Santos, Laura Thurtell

BOARD RACE

35-39 yrs 3 Miriam Salter (North Bondi)
50-54 yrs 2 Susan Bell (Wanda)

BOARD RESCUE

30-34 yrs	3	Bondi A - Maddi Beale, Kristin Nagy
35-59 yrs	2	Bondi - Verity Newlove, Robyn Hill
	3	North Bondi White - Amy Hanna, Yael Galgut
45-49 yrs	3	Coogee - Melinda Toomey
55-59 yrs	1	Bondi A - Dori Miller, Louise Santos
	2	Bondi B - Laura Thurtell, Julie Pritchard
55-59 yrs	2	Cronulla - Melissa Halpin, Jackie Bryant

SINGLE SKI

50-54 yrs	2	Sarah Davis (North Bondi)
	3	Louise Santos (Bondi)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

110 yrs min	2	North Bondi A - Megan Rumford, Miriam Salter, Amy Somes
150 yrs min	2	Bondi A - Laura Thurtell, Louise Santos, Julie Pritchard

DOUBLE SKI

30-34 yrs	2	North Bondi - Megan Rumford
50-54 yrs	1	Bondi - Louise Santos, Laura Thurtell

FEMALE TAPLIN

110 yrs min	2	Bondi A - Louise Santos, Maddi Beale, Kristin Nagy
	3	North Bondi White - Miriam Salter, Amy Somes, Yael Galgut
130 yrs min	2	Coogee A - Nicola Logan, Linda Walsh, Allison Roberts
	3	Bondi A - Laurie Young, Verity Newlove, Samantha Wolf
150 yrs min	1	Bondi - Dori Miller, Laura Thurtell, Robyn Hill

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

30-39 yrs	2	Felicity MacArthur (Bondi)
40-49 yrs	2	Robyn Farmer (Bondi)
50+ yrs	2	Julie Pritchard (Bondi)
	3	Michelle Baker-Barden (North Bondi)

SURF BOAT

180 yrs	3	Elouera A
180 yrs	1	Coogee A
	3	Wanda A

MALE

BEACH RUN

30 yrs	2	Lachlan Cooke (North Bondi)
40 yrs	1	Mitch Dean (Bondi)
	2	Gerard Robb (North Bondi)
50-59 yrs	1	Brendan Krone (North Bondi)
	3	Jock Campbell (Wanda)

BEACH SPRINT

30-34 yrs	2	Jeremy Knott (Cronulla)
35-39 yrs	1	Dean Scarff (North Bondi)
	2	Jesse Lockhart-Krause (Bondi)
	3	Nicolas Eulry (Bondi)
40-44 yrs	1	Ross Langbein (North Bondi)
45-49 yrs	2	Joel Maybury (North Bondi)
50-54 yrs	1	Jayson Lincoln (Bondi)
60-64 yrs	3	David Brukmann (Cronulla)
65-69 yrs	3	Michael Galgut (North Bondi)
70-74 yrs	2	Raille Galgut (North Bondi)
75 yrs & Over	3	Edwin Wildie (Bondi)

BEACH RELAY

140 yrs min	1	North Bondi B - Alexander Merkur, Matthew Jenkins, Oli Zuk, Joshua Stein
	2	North Bondi A - Lachlan Cooke, Alex Tandi, Kiva Galgut, Jacob Michael
170 yrs min	1	North Bondi A - Joel Maybury, Ross Langbein, Nicholas Sone, Dean Scarff
	2	Bondi A - Alex Porebski, Jayson Lincoln, Nicolas Eulry, Jesse Lockhart-Krause
	3	Bondi B - Bjorn Shakespeare, Jacob Yuide, Jonathan Potts, Olivier Brisse
200 yrs min	2	Cronulla A - John Adamson, David Brukmann, Jeremy Knott, Steven Massone
	3	North Bondi A - Talbot Henry, Michael Galgut, Raille Galgut, David Freedman

BEACH FLAGS

30-34 yrs	1	Jeremy Knott (Cronulla)
35-39 yrs	1	Dean Scarff (North Bondi)
	2	Nicolas Eulry (Bondi)
	3	Olivier Brisse (Bondi)
60-64 yrs	2	David Brukmann (Cronulla)
70-74 yrs	2	Raille Galgut (North Bondi)
75 yrs & Over	1	Warwick Cavanagh (North Cronulla)

SURF RACE

30-34 yrs	1	Joshua Scott (South Maroubra)
45-49 yrs	3	Mark Norris (Bondi)
50-54 yrs	2	Simon Storry (North Bondi)
	3	David Martin (North Bondi)
55-59 yrs	2	Darrin Jones (Bondi)
60-64 yrs	2	Brian May (North Bondi)
65-69 yrs	2	Michael Barnes (Coogee)
	3	Robert Chapman (Bondi)

SURF TEAMS

110 yrs min	1	Wanda A – Cameron Pyett, Benjamin Harris, Hayden Allum
	3	North Bondi A – Lachlan Cooke, Andrew Graham, Kiva Galgut
150 yrs min	1	Bondi A – Mark Norris, Darrin Jones, Grant Baldock
	2	North Bondi A – Talbot Henry, Simon Storry, John Clothier
	3	North Bondi B – Jamie Verco, David Martin, Nicholas Sone

BOARD RACE

35-39 yrs	2	Cameron Pyett (Wanda)
40-44 yrs	1	Joe Bolewski (Wanda)
45-49 yrs	1	Andre Dalton (North Bondi)
50-54 yrs	2	David Martin (North Bondi)
110 yrs min	2	Wanda A – Joel Bolewski, Hayden Allum, Cameron Pyett

BOARD RESCUE

30-34 yrs	2	Wanda A – Hayden Allum, Joel Bolewski
35-39 yrs	2	Wanda B – Tait Brannock, Kurt Melville
	3	Bondi B – Grant Baldock, Blake Hatton
40-44 yrs	3	Bondi – Simon Nothing, Mitch Dean
45-49 yrs	1	North Bondi A – Simon Storry, Andre Dalton
50-54 yrs	1	North Bondi B – David Martin, Jamie Verco
55-59 yrs	3	Coogee A – James Giltinan, Stephen Callaghan

SINGLE SKI

35-39 yrs	1	Jacob Michael (North Bondi)
	3	Luke Michael (North Bondi)
40-44 yrs	1	Michael Georgaris (Wanda)
45-49 yrs	1	Andre Dalton (North Bondi)
	2	Paul Tatham (North Bondi)
	3	Mark Norris (Bondi)
55-59 yrs	2	Istvan Domokos (North Bondi)
65-59 yrs	1	Greg Clifford (North Bondi)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

110 yrs min	1	North Bondi A – Jacob Michael, Luke Michael, Matthew Jenkins
130 yrs min	1	North Bondi C – Stewart Oregan, Andre Dalton, Paul Tatham
	2	North Bondi A – Simon Storry, Lachlan Cooke, Istvan Domokos
150 yrs min	1	Bondi A – Bjorn Shakespeare, Bruce Hopkins, Thomas Woodriff
	2	Bondi C – William Hardman, Gregory Byrnes, Calvin Brodie
170 yrs min	1	North Bondi A – Greg Clifford, John Clothier, Todd Cunningham

DOUBLE SKI

30-34 yrs	2	Wanda A – Hayden Allum, Michael Georgaris
35-39 yrs	1	North Bondi A – Jacob Michael, Luke Michael
40-44 yrs	3	Bondi A – Josep Font Sadurni, Angus Chard
45-49 yrs	1	North Bondi A – Andre Dalton, Paul Tatham

TAPLIN

110 yrs min	1	Wanda A – Joel Bolewski, Hayden Allum, Michael Georgaris
130 yrs min	2	North Bondi A – Andre Dalton, Stewart Oregan, Luke Michael
	3	Bondi A – Mitch Dean, Calvin Brodie, Blake Hatton
150 yrs min	3	Bondi A – Darrin Jones, Thomas Woodriff, Mark Norris

IRONPERSON

30-34 yrs	2	Lachlan Cooke (North Bondi)
40-44 yrs	2	Joel Bolewski (Wanda)
45-49 yrs	1	Mark Norris (Bondi)
	2	Andre Dalton (North Bondi)
50-54 yrs	2	Simon Storry (North Bondi)
	3	David Martin (North Bondi)
65 + yrs	1	Robert Chapman (Bondi)
	2	Greg Clifford (North Bondi)

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

40-49 yrs	3	John Wilcox (Bondi)
50+ yrs	2	Jonathan Potts (Bondi)

SURF BOAT

160 yrs min	1	Elouera A
	2	South Maroubra Hunter Perry
	3	Wanda A
180 yrs min	3	Elouera A
200 yrs min	1	South Maroubra Hunter Perry
	2	Wanda A
	3	North Cronulla A

SURF SPORTS

NSW LIFESAVING STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS



FEMALE

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

U14	3	Caitlyn Lee (Coogee)
U19	2	Zoe Fletcher (Bondi)
30-39 yrs	2	Felicity MacArthur (Bondi)
40-49 yrs	2	Robyn Farmer (Bondi)
50 yrs & over	2	Julie Pritchard (Bondi)
Open	3	Emma Grand (Coogee)

MALE

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

U14	2	Calum Reiter (Coogee)
U15	1	Dane Sutton (Wanda)
	3	Vectis Buckett (South Maroubra)
U17	3	Joshua Fernandez (Coogee)
U19	2	Benjamin Sutton (Wanda)
40-49 yrs	3	John Wilcox (Bondi)
50 yrs & over	2	Jonathan Potts (Bondi)
Open	2	Noah Kaplan (Bondi)
	3	Hunter Perry (South Maroubra)

PATROL COMPETITION

Open	2	Coogee Blues
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SURF SPORTS

AUSTRALIAN YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

FEMALE

2KM BEACH RUN

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| U13 | 2 | Kyah Gallen (Wanda) |
| | 3 | Layla White (Wanda) |

2X1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

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| U13 & U14 | 1 | Wanda A - Kyah Gallen, Layla White |
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BEACH RELAY

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| U13 & U14 | 1 | North Cronulla A - Scarlett Hoerr, Kayla Pryde, Kaitlyn Williams, Taryn Mott |
| U14 & U15 | 2 | Coogee A - Amelia Byrne, Jemima Sewell, Niamh Lynch, Sophia Costello |

BEACH FLAGS

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|-----|---|-----------------------------------|
| U14 | 1 | Kaitlyn Williams (North Cronulla) |
| | 2 | Kayla Pryde (North Cronulla) |
| | 3 | Emma Haley (Coogee) |

SURF RACE

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| U14 | 1 | Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda) |
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2KM OCEAN SWIM

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| U14 | 2 | Charlotte Bowmer (Wanda) |
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CAMERON RELAY

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| U13 & U14 | 3 | Wanda A - Charlotte Bowmer, Jade Seidel, Sienna Mead, Piper Phillips |
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MALE

2KM BEACH RUN

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| U13 | 3 | Leo Liqueete (South Maroubra) |
| U14 | 3 | Marcus Keyes (Wanda) |
| U15 | 1 | Kyle Mason (Wanda) |

2X1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

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| U13 & U14 | 3 | Wanda A - Marcus Keyes, Austin Martinus |
| U14 & U15 | 1 | Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Kyle Mason |

BEACH SPRINT

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| U13 | 3 | Ryan McNamara (South Maroubra) |
| U14 | 2 | Dylan Sharpe (South Maroubra) |
| U15 | 1 | Luke Newrick (South Maroubra) |

BEACH RELAY

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| U14 & U15 | 1 | South Maroubra A - Luke Newrick, Christopher Kondilios, Dylan Sharpe, Vectis Buckett |
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BEACH FLAGS

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| U14 | 2 | Christopher Kondilios (South Maroubra) |
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BOARD RACE

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| U15 | 3 | Dane Sutton (Wanda) |
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BOARD RESCUE

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| U14 & U15 | 1 | Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop |
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SURF BOARD RIDING

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| U13 | 1 | James Azar (Coogee) |
| U14 | 1 | George Messiter (Coogee) |
| | 2 | Harrison Nixon (North Bondi) |

CAMERON RELAY

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| U14 & U15 | 1 | Wanda A - Dane Sutton, Otis Jessop, Kyle Mason, Austin Martinus |
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IRONPERSON

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| U15 2 | | Dane Sutton (Wanda) |
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CHAMPION LIFESAVER

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| U15 Male | 1 | Dane Sutton (Wanda) |
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MIXED

BEACH RELAY

- U14 & U15 2 **South Maroubra A** - Jessica Henville, Francesca Dawson, Christopher Kondilios, Luke Newrick)

2 PERSON R&R

- U13 & U14 1 **North Cronulla Golden Pineapples**
 - Cloe Walsh, Kate Newton
 2 **Coogee Pink** - Laura Peshevski, Milla Hlywa
 3 **North Cronulla Sea Shells** - Elsie Clare, Ellie Robertson
U14 & U15 2 **Coogee Lime** - Emma Fernandez, Ruby Hawkes

5 PERSON R&R

- U13 & U15 1 **Coogee Lime** - Laura Peshevski, Milla Hlywa, Erin O'Brien, Emma Fernandez, Ruby Hawkes
 2 **North Cronulla Butterflies** - Kate Newton, Elsie Clare, Ellie Robertson, Eleftheria Papadatos, Cloe Walsh

SURF SPORTS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

FEMALE

2KM BEACH RUN

U17	1	Sari McKee (North Cronulla)
U19	2	Sophie Ferenczi (North Bondi)
Open	2	Sari McKee (North Cronulla)
	3	Rique Miroshnik (Bondi)

2 X 1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U17	1	North Cronulla A - Bella Fleming, Sair McKee
	3	Wanda A - Sienna Alderson, Waverly Martinus
U19	2	North Bondi A - Ruby Fry, Sophie Ferenczi
Open	1	North Bondi A - Rique Miroshnik, Sophie Ferencz
	2	Wanda A - Chloe Gentle, Emma Blanch

BEACH FLAGS

U17	2	Keira Vincent (Wanda)
	3	Ruby Gray (Wouth Maroubra)
U19	1	Lucy Flanagan (North Cronulla)
Open	3	Alexandra Rampoldi (North Cronulla)

BEACH SPRINT

U19	3	Tamara Abagi (Coogee)
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BEACH RELAY

U17	3	South Maroubra White - Annabel Penny, Ruby Gray, Lillie McLean, Jasmine Alexiou
U19	1	Coogee A - Ruby Thomasyu, Kate Johnson, Tamara Abagi, Eden Levit
Open	2	North Cronulla A - Alexandra Rampoldi, Emily Rampoldi, Leah Rampoldi, Lucy Flanagan

SURF RACE

U17	3	Genevieve Hughes (North Bondi)
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2KM OCEAN SWIM

U19	3	Lily Finati (North Bondi)
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SURF TEAMS

U19	2	North Bondi A - Alexandra Tait, Lily Finati, Caprice Stokes, Sophie Ferenczi
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BOARD RESCUE

U19	3	North Bondi A - Lily Finati, Alexandra Tait
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SURF BELT RACE

U19	3	North Bondi B - Lily Finati, Scott Thomson, Hayden Smart, Samuel Braun, Charlie Germane
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CHAMPION LIFESAVER

Open	3	Emma Grand (Coogee)
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SURF BOAT

Reserve	2	Coogee DMGS - Kelsey McGuinness, Lauren McLean, Samantha Murray, Caitlin Trumble, Paul Beale
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5 PERSON R&R

Open	1	Coogee A - Bianca Wallace, Tracey Bloxsom, Samantha Gately, Yasmin Stuetz, Millie Bloxsom
	3	Pina Coladas North Cronulla - Tracey McKinnery, Kristine Whitford, Alison Walsh, Holly Newton, Maddison Moyle

MALE

2 X 1KM BEACH RUN RELAY

U17	3	Coogee A - Asher Thomasya, Ronan Sheppard
U19	2	Wanda A - Olive Chandler, Toby Hummerston
	3	North Bondi A - Thomas Clothier, Hugh Clothier
Open	1	Cronulla B - Jack Robertson, Nathan Breen
	3	Wanda A - Michael Fox, Kai Hammond

2KM BEACH RUN

U19	3	Toby Hummerston (Wanda)
Open	2	William Mison (Coogee)
	3	Kai Hammond (Wanda)

BEACH SPRINT

Open	2	Michael Hanna (Elouera)
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BEACH RELAY

- U19 2 **Coogee A** – Ryan Harper, Kane Sheppard, Asher Thomasyu, Luke Avati

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

- U19 1 Benjamin Sutton (Wanda)

TUBE RESCUE

- U19 3 **Wanda A** – Benjamin Sutton, Morgan Lloyd, Martias Soca, Jack Fisher

SURF BOARD RIDING

- U19 1 Cruz McKee (North Cronulla)
 3 Tate Browning (Cronulla)

BOARD RACE

- Open 2 William Budd (North Cronulla)
 2 William Budd (North Cronulla)

BOARD RESCUE

- Open 3 **North Bondi B** – Duke Wieland, Samuel Braun

MALIBUL LONG BOARD

- Open 1 Anthony Carroll (Bondi)

SINGLE SKI

- Open 2 Noah Havard (North Bondi)

SURF BELT RACE

- Open 1 **Bondi A** – Simon Nothling, Steven Hackers, Noah Kaplan, Jesse Tucek, Jonathan Potts

SURF BOARD RIDING

- Open 1 Anthony Carroll (Bondi)

SURF BOAT

- Open 2 **North Cronulla Scraps** – David Young, James Budd, Matthew Jessop, Samuel Barning, Tyrell Duff
 3 **Elouera Wilko** – Matthew Guy, David Frew, Grant Wilkinson, Matthew Norton, Daniel Ellice-Flint
Reserve 2 **North Bondi Blade Runners** –
Grade Benjamin Celermajer, Jake Cassell, Charles Bodkin, James Samuels, Steve Larnach

5 PERSON R&R

- Open 1 **Coogee A** – Christopher Gately, J Carter, Drew Hayes, Luke Ryan, Scott Ryan
 2 **Wanda A** – Blake McCrindle, Brock Douglas, Colin Jones, Stuart Smith, Grant Sandstrom, Kurt Melville

MIXED

BEACH RELAY

- U17 2 **Coogee A** – Eden Leit, Luke Avati, Ronan Sheppard, Jasmine Miller
U19 1 **Coogee Beach** – Eden Levit, Luke Avati, Tamara Abagi, Ryan Harper
 3 **Coogee Ardern** – Ruby Thomasyu, Kane Sheppard, Kate Johnson, Asher Thomasyu

5 PERSON R&R

- U17 1 **North Cronulla Navy** – Milly Newton, Kirra Hodge, Layla King, Ashlyn Lloyd, Lily Thearle
 2 **North Cronulla Pink** – Felicity Teirney, Jane Lanham, Sophia Papadatos, Reagan Boggiss, Grace Dyer
 3 **Maroubra Thunder** – Claire Whitaker, Genevieve Love, Stella Obrien, Zoe Di Cristo, Hannah Jerich
U19 1 **Coogee Blue Crew** – Patrick Kavanagh, Michayla Penn, Jasmine Miller, Elouisa Hawkes, Chiara Hammond
 2 **Maroubra Thunder** – Claire Whitaker, Genevieve Love, Stella Obrien, Zoe Di Cristo, Hannah Jerich
 3 **North Cronulla Pink** – Felicity Teirney, Jane Lanham, Sophia Papadatos, Reagan Boggiss, Grace Dyer
Open 2 **Wanda A** – Emily Caterson, Katie Spinner, Joanna Stavrou, Grant Sandstrom, Brock Douglas

CURLEWIS 6 PERSON R&R

- 2 **Coogee A** – Christopher Gately, J Carter, Drew Hayes, Patrick Kavanagh, Luke Ryan, Scott Ryan
 3 **Wanda A** – Emily Caterson, Kurt Melville, Blake McCrindle, Grant Sandstrom, Stuart Smith, Brock Douglas, Gordon McKirdy

MARCH PAST

- U23 2 **North Cronulla Gold** – Indi Bulian, Heidi Quintano, Ariane Sharpe, Tyler Maddern, Annika Freiheit, Darby Thompson, Harrison Maddern, Phoebe Kessey, Reagan Boggiss, Grace Dyer, Emily Maythers, Hannah Higgins)
Open 3 **Wanda A** – Anita Pryke, Dallas Newman, Deborah Walliss, Glenn Bell, Jann Townsend, Jeanie Iredale, Kate Mountain, Mary O'Dwyer, Margaret Ryall, Narelle Hunt, Vanessa McKirdy, Yvonne Holland

SURF SPORTS

AUSTRALIAN FEMALE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS



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2KM BEACH RUN

35-39 yrs	1	Rique Miroshnik (North Bondi)
40-44 yrs	1	Rona Macniven (Coogee)
	2	Gretchen Slater (Wanda)
40-44 yrs	3	Genevieve Andersen (South Maroubra)
50-54 yrs	2	Stephanie Hughes (North Bondi)
55-59 yrs	3	Michelle Baker-Barden (North Bondi)

1KM BEACH RUN

65-69 yrs	3	Patricia Ford (Bronte)
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BEACH SPRINT

30-34 yrs	2	Freya Riddell (North Bondi)
50-54 yrs	3	Sharon Deans (Coogee)
65-69 yrs	2	Patricia Ford (Bronte)

BEACH RELAY

140 yrs min	3	Clovelly A - Kim Davey, Kimmy Rashleigh, Rachael Abbott, Maria Lara Garrido-Herrero
170 yrs min	1	South Maroubra - Ashleigh Breaden, Genevieve Andersen, Jennie Smith, Kirsten Newrick
200 yrs min	2	Coogee A - Sharon Deans, Allison Roberts, Jennifer Trinca, Linda Walsh
230 yrs min	1	Clovelly A - Jo Emery, Wendy Pepper, Philomena Pettit, Caroline Smith

BEACH FLAGS

65-69 yrs	3	Patricia Ford (Bronte)
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SURF RACE

30-34 yrs	3	Kimmy Rashleigh (Clovelly)
50-54 yrs	1	Dori Miller (Bondi)
	2	Susan Bell (Wanda)
55-59 yrs	1	Laura Thurtell (Bondi)

SURF TEAMS

110 yrs min	2	Bondi A - Samantha Wolf, Amanda Cooper, Jo Delmodes
	3	North Bondi White - Freya Ridde, Leonie Wilkinson, Justine O'Connell
150 yrs min	1	Bondi A - Laura Thurtell, Dori Miller, Louise Santos
	3	Coogee A - Tanya Lynch, Linda Walsh, Carolyn Martin

2KM OCEAN SWIM

30-34 yrs	3	Kimmy Rashleigh (Clovelly)
40-44 yrs	2	Jo Delmodes (Bondi)
45-49 yrs	1	Robyn Hill (Bondi)
50-54 yrs	1	Dori Miller (Bondi)
	2	Susan Bell (Wanda)
	3	Louise Santos (Wanda)
55-59 yrs	1	Laura Thurtell (Bondi)

BOARD RACE

60-64 yrs	1	Philomena Pettit (Clovelly)
	2	Jo Emery (Clovelly)

BOARD RELAY

110 yrs min	3	North Bondi B - Megan Rumford, Miriam Salter, Robyn Merritt
150 yrs min	2	North Bondi A - Stephanie Hughes, Amy Somes, Leonie Wilkinson
	3	Bondi A - Laura Thurtell, Louise Santos, Julie Pritchard
170 yrs min	1	Clovelly A - Jo Emery, Wendy Pepper, Philomena Pettit

BOARD RESCUE

35-39 yrs	3	Bondi A - Jo Delmodes, Amanda Cooper
50-54 yrs	1	Bondi A - Laura Thurtell, Julie Pritchard
	2	Bondi B - Dori Miller, Louise Santos
	3	Coogee A - Linda Walsh, Tanya Lynch
55-59 yrs	2	Clovelly A - Jo Emery, Wendy Pepper
60-64 yrs	3	Clovelly A - Caroline Smith, Philomena Pettit

SINGLE SKI

55-59 yrs	3	Laura Thurtell (Bondi)
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SINGLE SKI RELAY

110 yrs min	2	North Bondi A - Megan Rumford, Miriam Salter, Amy Somes
	3	Bondi A - Samantha Wolf, Louise Skjeime, Jo Delmodes

DOUBLE SKI

45-49 yrs	3	North Bondi A - Justine O'Connell, Amy Somes
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FEMALE TAPLIN

110 yrs min	2	North Bondi Red - Robyn Merritt, Miriam Salter, Megan Rumford
150 yrs min	1	Bondi B - Dori Miller, Laura Thurtell, Louise Santos
	3	North Bondi A - Leonie Wilkinson, Stephanie Hughes, Amy Somes

IRONPERSON

50-54 yrs	3	Louise Santos (Bondi)
55-59 yrs	1	Laura Thurtell (Bondi)

SHORT BOARD RIDING

30-39 yrs	1	Amy Hanna (North Bondi)
	2	Amanda Cooper (Bondi)
50-59 yrs	1	Stephanie Hughes (North Bondi)
	3	Julie Pritchard (Bondi)

FEMALE MALIBUL LONG BOARD

30-39 yrs	1	Amy Hanna (North Bondi)
	2	Amanda Cooper (Bondi)
50-59 yrs	2	Julie Pritchard (Bondi)

SURF SPORTS

AUSTRALIAN MALE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS



2KM BEACH RUN

30-34 yrs	1	Lachlan Cooke (North Bondi)
	2	Brendan O'Mahony (Bondi)
35-39 yrs	2	Jacob Michael (North Bondi)
40-44 yrs	1	Mitch Dean (Bondi)
45-49 yrs	1	Gerard Robb (North Bondi)

BEACH SPRINT

35-39 yrs	1	Dean Scarff (North Bondi)
40-44 yrs	1	Ross Langbein (North Bondi)
50-54 yrs	2	John Minto (Bondi)
	3	Jayson Lincoln (Bondi)
75 yrs & Over	1	Warwick Cavanagh (North Cronulla)

BEACH RELAY

140 yrs min	1	North Bondi A - Ross Langbein, Dean Scarff, Jacob Michael, Luke Michael
	3	North Bondi B - Lachlan Cooke, Joshua Stein, Eddy Norburn, Gerard Robb
170 yrs min	3	Bondi A - Jayson Lincoln, Jesse Lockhart-Krause, John Minto, Alex Porebski

BEACH FLAGS

35-39 yrs	1	Dean Scarff (North Bondi)
45-49 yrs	2	Andre Dalton (North Bondi)
75 yrs & Over	1	Warwick Cavanagh (North Cronulla)

SURF RACE

40-44 yrs	3	Simon Nothling (Bondi)
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SURF TEAMS

- 130 yrs min 2 **Bondi A** – Grant Baldock,
Mitch Dean, Simon Nothing
- 150 yrs min 3 **North Bondi A** – Matthew Hamilton,
Simon Storry, John Clothier

2KM OCEAN SWIM

- 30-34 yrs 3 Finian Stronach (Coogee)
- 40-44 yrs 2 Simon Nothling (Bondi)
- 3 Mitch Dean (Bondi)
- 45-49 yrs 3 Talbot Henry (North Bondi)
- 65-69 yrs 3 Robert Chapman (Bondi)

BOARD RACE

- 75 yrs & Over 1 Warwick Cavanagh (North Cronulla)

BOARD RELAY

- 130 yrs min 1 **Bondi A** – Mitch Dean, Simon
Nothing, Anthony Carroll

BOARD RESCUE

- 40-44 yrs 2 **Bondi A** – Mitch Dean, Simon Nothing

SINGLE SKI

- 30-34 yrs 3 Lachlan Cooke (North Bondi)
- 35-39 yrs 3 Luke Michael (North Bondi)
- 40-44 yrs 1 Michael Georgaris (Wanda)
- 50-54 yrs 1 Jim Walker (North Bondi)
- 55-59 yrs 3 Istvan Domokos (North Bondi)

SINGLE SKI RELAY

- 130 yrs min 3 **North Bondi** – Stewart Oregan,
Lachlan Cooke, John Clothier
- 150 yrs min 1 **North Bondi A** – Simon Storry,
Andre Dalton, Istvan Domokos

DOUBLE SKI

- 35-39 yrs 1 **North Bondi** – Jacob Michael,
Luke Michael
- 40-44 yrs 2 **Wanda A** – Nathan Steiner,
Benjamin Harris
- 45-49 yrs 3 **North Bondi A** – Andre Dalton,
Stewart ORegan

TAPLIN

- 130 yrs min 3 **Bondi A** – Anthony Carroll,
Gregory Byrnes, Simon Nothing

IRONPERSON

- 40-44 yrs 2 Simon Nothling (Bondi)

CHAMPION LIFESAVER

- 30-39 yrs 1 Rodrigo De Sebastian Martin (Maroubra)

SHORT BOARD RIDING

- 40-49 yrs 3 Simon Nothling (Bondi)
- 50-59 yrs 3 Greg Alderson (Wanda)
- 70 yrs & Over 2 Peter Kirkwood (Maroubra)

MALIBUL LONG BOARD

- 40-49 yrs 1 Anthony Carroll (Bondi)

SURF BOAT

- 160 yrs min 1 **Elouera Wilko** – Grant Wilkinson,
Matthew Norton, Matthew Guy,
David Frew, Daniel Ellice-Flint
- 3 **Wanda Thumpers** – Garth Teasel,
Luke Turner, Jeff Potauaine,
Dean Slater, Jason Ardler
- 220 yrs min 1 **South Maroubra Snagglespuss** –
Mark Arbib, Mark Ingelmo,
David Lippmann, Steven Vesper,
Phillip Stivano

SURF SPORTS

SURF SPORTS OFFICIALS



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NAME	CLUB	AWARD NAME
Kathryn Aaron-Byrne	South Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
Christine Aarsaether	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Andrew Adams	Wanda	SS - Technical Official
Peter Agnew	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Robyn Allan	Elouera	SS - Senior Official
Kevin Allen	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Patricia Allum	Cronulla	SS - Core Official
Gregory Allum	Wanda	SS - Senior Official
Jared Antony	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Emily Ashcroft	Coogee	SS - Core Official
Ben Ashton	Bronte	SS - Technical Official
Scott Averay	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Katia Barker	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Mary Beausang	Bronte	SS - Technical Official
Anthony Beger	Clovelly	SS - Technical Official
George Benhayon	Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
Lindy Beynon	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Guy Beynon Snr	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Andrew Bloxsom	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Tracey Bloxsom	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Ted Bowler	North Bondi	SS - Core Official
Jane Boyle	Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
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Carl Briscoe	South Maroubra	SS - Senior Official
Donna Brown	Wanda	SS - Technical Official

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Jeffrey Brown	Wanda	SS - Senior Official
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Graham Bruce	Cronulla	SS - Senior Official
Adam Buckley	Wanda	SS - Technical Official
Geoffrey Budd	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Colin Bulloch	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Craig Bunker	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Lynne Burke	Bronte	SS - Technical Official
Peter Burst	Bondi	SS - Senior Official
Matthew Buttsworth	South Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
Michael Byrne	Elouera	SS - Technical Official
Robert Byrne	South Maroubra	SS - Senior Official
John Cahill	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Ian Caldwell	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Jodee Calo	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Natalie Campisi	Elouera	SS - Core Official
Emma Carmody	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
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Phillip Carter	Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
George Cassimatis	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Robin Castles	Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Paul Cavanagh	Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
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Tania Cooper	Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Stephen Cooper	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Belinda Cooper	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Mitchell Correia	North Cronulla	SS - Core Official
Nicky Crewe	South Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
Ross Crocker	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Louise Curcuruto	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
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Ben Daly	Elouera	SS - Technical Official
Courtney Date	Bondi	SS - Technical Official
William Davison	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Tracey Dawes-Lucas	Bronte	SS - Technical Official
Rebecca Dawson	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
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John De Cean	Bondi	SS - Senior Official
Antonio De Francesco	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Sharon Deans	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Shay Deguara	Tamarama	SS - Technical Official
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Monika Di Maio	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Edel Dickson	South Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
Benjamin Dillon	North Cronulla	SS - Senior Official
Kasey Diver-Tuck	Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Stephen Doran	Wanda	SS - Technical Official
Brock Douglas	Wanda	SS - Technical Official
John Douglas	Wanda	SS - Technical Official
Leone Doyle	South Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
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Annette Dydula	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
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Maree Emery	Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Mark Fabik	Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Adrian Finati	North Bondi	SS - Core Official
Jason Flanagan	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Mark Fletcher	Bondi	SS - Core Official
Rodney Fox	Clovelly	SS - Technical Official

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Leanne Fretten	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Brett Furniss	North Cronulla	SS - Technical Official
Darren Galea	Elouera	SS - Technical Official
Sharon Galgut	North Bondi	SS - Technical Official
Marcelo Garay	South Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
Maria Garay	South Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
Amber Garcia	Elouera	SS - Technical Official
Christopher Gately	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
Natalie Gellin	Coogee	SS - Technical Official
John Georgas	Maroubra	SS - Technical Official
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OUR CLUBS

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OUR CLUBS

BONDI SBLSC

I am very proud on behalf of the club to say "no lives lost" for Bondi SBLSC in 2022-23.

Unfortunately an experienced swimmer did pass away after diving head-first into underwater rocks. While this incident happened during the week at Flat Rock on Wednesday, 1 February 2023, it shows that our beach holds dangers all year around.

Our patrols had 347 rescues during patrol hours, and surpassed last year's count before the New Year, showing that visitors are starting to return to Bondi. This takes our total rescue count to 28,172 since 1924. We started a new 15th Patrol, the Quartly Patrol, named after our Life member Peter Quartly. Even with this additional patrol, I am glad to say all of our patrols looked strong on the beach this year, with very capable patrol leadership from Captains and Vice Captains. Our Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) section has strong numbers and excellent equipment, ensuring we had great support for our members on many challenging days.

The Education team automated many activities and delivered 129 Bronze Medallion holders to the club. Since its foundation, the club has trained 4,067 bronze holders. In addition, the section ran a very successful program for Ukrainian refugees, improving their skills and giving them a uniquely Australian experience. We also saw a number of new IRB drivers and crew delivered to patrols thanks to a big program of work from the IRB team.

Dori Miller and her team delivered the SIXTH consecutive win at the Aussies for our Masters team despite strong competition. It was also great to see the work done in the Open teams this year with more points for Open competition than we have had in many years. The Stan Mac came back to Bondi once again after a tough fight. This competition continues to build our friendly competitive links with North Bondi. Our IRB competitors have also been training hard for this year's competition.

Our Junior activities program continues to deliver junior lifesaver skills this year. They had 35 new SRC also completed their program, moving on to providing water safety and actively patrolling. Our junior members have impressive skills and are core to every patrol. The Dippers program for autistic children was run for its fourth year, and volunteers and participants continue to learn new skills and gain confidence in the water.

Our Administration team continued to refine some of our core processes. The compliance and Surfguard processes are often unobserved by members, but key to keeping things running smoothly, and this year's Club Survey indicated that members are happy with the support they receive from the Office and the new operating hours.

Our building renovation committee continued work on the detailed design. With such a large project with



numerous heritage conditions, I admire the work of our Building Committee. They continue to ensure we have a plan that delivers on our objectives and that will provide a new clubhouse that meets our needs while respecting our heritage. We still have a large funding requirement to make this vision a reality.

The Marketing and Sponsorship team did an incredible job over the year with activations bringing in significant incomes for the club and adding a bit of colour and excitement to the forecourt. The team also continued to develop the member benefits program and launched the Bondi Podcast which delivers a range of interviews with members of SLISA.

The club again excelled at reaching out to the broader Bondi community. Sebastian Cassie and his volunteers were able to provide Christmas meals to over 300 vulnerable people within our community. This included children, elderly persons, homeless, rough sleepers, mobility-impaired, indigenous and persons escaping domestic abuse/violence. More than 40 volunteers were inspired to assist on the Christmas Day event and serve those less fortunate, giving up their valuable time in the service of others. More than 200 gift bags were handed out, each containing Christmas gifts and essentials worth more than \$200. We thank all the sponsors and supporters of this significant event that reinforces that we are there for the broader Bondi community, and this year I was honored to present Sebastian both a Waverley Local Hero award and the club's President's Award.

Additionally, Rozanne Green was a Finalist in the Westfield Local Hero for the Silver Salties program, and we also supported the ADHD Association, Take 3 for the Sea, Ocean Lovers Festival, Coastrek (Beyond Blue), and many other community activities.

This year I had a great personal heartbreak, after 33 years together, my right hand and wise adviser, Tanya passed away from gall bladder cancer. During that period of time, I could not ask for a more capable and competent set of Directors. They are skilled, passionate and always looking to improve the club for all members, and I offer my heartfelt thanks for their support. I would also like to single out Felicity Macarthur for her significant work stepping in as Acting President from October to December, and taking a significant load from March to April as well. Felicity did an amazing job over that time, and I am very lucky that I had such a capable person to take on the work.

With strong patrols, skilled education capabilities, growing Nipper and Dipper programs, and robust finances, I believe Bondi is well placed to ensure "no lives lost" next season.

BRENT JACKSON
President

BONDI NIPPERS

Strengthening and consolidating the foundations for Bondi Nippers was our focus for 2022-23. Our focus was connection and engagement with our nippers and parents to set us up for a strong future. Recovery from the negative impacts of COVID-19 restrictions and weather from last season was a reality and we took on that challenge.

The season was one of getting back on the beach regularly with a strong focus of skills development across our entire group of Nippers. There was a realisation this season that the impact of closed swimming pools, beaches and travel restrictions in previous seasons really did have an impact on the skills and confidence of our nippers. Therefore, as a committee we intentionally focused on engagement, connection and developing skills of the broader Nippers group within a safe environment to nurture a solid and strong future.

What was clear from everyone involved in Nippers is the strength of the people involved. This season was one of great joy to be involved in where the love of the ocean, our beach and all the people involved in Bondi Nippers was so clear and present. People were excited to be in the moment, to participate, to help each other, to be part of something bigger.

Massive thanks to all involved in making Bondi Nippers happen each week, each month and each season - this includes the nippers, the parents and carers, our past nipper parents who have stayed on to help and mentor new parents, to those that step up and help on BBQ, merchandise and other behind the scenes roles.

A massive thanks and kudos to the two groups that put themselves properly out there on the beach and in the water each week - the Age Managers and the Water Safety teams. You are our engine room that makes it possible each week to physically be on the beach. Your dedication is exceptional, but what is even more impressive is the positive attitude that you bring week in, week out. Coaching, helping, guiding, instructing and inclusion, to help our nippers grow into confident ocean lovers, leaders, Bondi legends and lifesavers of the future! Your positive impact is tangible on the lives of many.

Looking forward to next season, we will continue our focus on developing skills within our entire Nippers cohort. We embrace the different strengths of our nippers and aim to provide a program that allows each nipper to develop aligned to their strengths and motivations. We will help those who want to improve skills for engaging on the beach each Sunday while also helping those who want to take their skills and to the next level, supercharge their training and compete at carnivals.

I am already excited about the 2023-24 season and I really look forward to seeing the amazing Bondi Nippers and friends back on the beach later this year. Let's go!

LIZ WEBB

Director of Junior Activities

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OUR CLUBS

BRONTE SLSC



We are always proud as a Club to report that no lives have been lost on Bronte beach during the season just gone.

It was a season that commenced with celebrating the amazing job the club has done over a number of years by being awarded the Sydney Branch and then the NSW Surf Lifesaving Club of the Year. It was a great honour and recognition for all the hard work and dedication our volunteers have undertaken. Awards like these don't come around very often and they allow us a moment to reflect on the job that we do and how we do it. I believe these awards reflect the positive change in our culture; the inclusive nature of our club, the continued prioritisation of lifesaving and the growth of female leadership.

Thank you to all of our patrollers. This year we had 67 rescues and 10,582 preventive actions. We thank the continuous support and relationship we have with the Waverley lifeguards.

A major focus for the Board of Management has been the new building development and process. We lodged the Development Application in September with extensive community support. We are currently liaising with the Eastern Planning Authority and the Design Excellence Architectural Panel.

Thank you to the many people who have contributed to our successful season. Firstly, to the board of management. Paul Wenck (Club Captain), Aaron Rodgers (Cadets), Kimberly Johns (Surf Sports), Vanessa Power (Finance), Anthony Burrows (Nippers), Betsy Rumble (Education) and Dave Finnimore (Communications and Sponsorship).

To our very special admin staff who have all worked tirelessly led by General Manager Peter Butcher. Peter retired from full time General Manager in February and we are appreciative of his dedication, hard work and performance.

Thanks to Kimberly Johns (Lifesaving & Education Coordinator and head of B2B) and now our General Manager. To Holly Ries (Functions Manager), Jessica Stewart (Nippers Administrator) and Tim Jeffries (Office & Membership Administrator). Thanks also for the assistance of Tilly Teahuahu-Tana (Sunday Office) and Lizzy Liersch (Education).

We salute Gaby Naher, our Club Member of the Year. Betsy Rumble, recipient of the President's Award, and Ingrid Studholme for the Patron's Award. Congratulations to Neil Hayward, our Rookie of the Year, Olivia Rosewall, Lifesaver of the Year and Simon Banks as Patrol Captain of the Year.

We have many amazing patrollers and I would like to highlight the efforts of Jochen Valdeck, Anthony Burrows, Alastair Visch, Paul Watchman, Jason King, Tim Jeffries, Zoe Tindale, Jennifer Austin, Ben Nixon, Tara O'Reilly, Kimberly Johns, Paul Wenck, and Tim Brown who all recorded over 100 patrol hours.

In all, the club registered over 16,000 lifesaving (including water safety) hours. Amazing effort!

Through the leadership of Betsy Rumble, our Education Team have done another great job this year with 61 SRC's (a club record), and 43 new Bronze, 9 Silver and 7 requalifying Gold Medallion holders.

It was another great Nippers year led by Anthony Burrows and Jessica Stewart and their hardworking committee. We have a great mix of girls and boys and the club appreciates all the assistance and guidance of our age managers. The Nippers remain for me the foundation of our future.

Thank you to the great efforts of our Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) team, wonderfully led by Jochen Valdeck and we congratulate Cam Miles and Paul Johnson as this year's IRB persons of the Year.

We welcomed back the Macquarie Bondi to Bronte Ocean Swim. With the challenging water conditions not allowing us to swim to Bronte beach, we changed the course to just past Marks Park and back to Bondi. With over 2,400 swimmers, the event was a great success and special thanks to Kimberly Johns, Tim Jeffries and Lauren Urtizberea.

On the Surf Sports side of our club, we maintain a focus on providing skills training for all members with soft sand running, board skills and ocean swimming on offer. We continue to have an attendance of 30-50 members at the water sessions each week. This 'everyone's welcome' approach has translated to a growing team of masters representing Bronte at various carnivals throughout the year, including some great results at the SLSNSW State Nippers and Masters Championships. Our great surf boat history continues with our Reserve crew representing us at Aussies this year.

The club is proud of our community programs including Dippers and the Swim for Ukraine initiated by Ingrid Studholme and Sally Bassett.

Sunday Joggers' has no bounds with lots of participants and we thank Geoff Doble, Ally Woodford and Morgan Green for their organisation. The Sunday Surf Race run by Life Member Barry Brignell has gone from strength to strength with more than 200 members taking part this season.

Our social calendar was busy with events such as Derby Day, Back to Bronte Day and our End of Season Party, a sell-out where our members danced the night away. This year's Presentation Day was a real highlight and was a great way to finish the season. Our ANZAC Day Memorial Service also attracted a big crowd. It remains a pivotal day on the community calendar and most certainly a highlight for our Club.

BASIL SCAFFIDI
President

BRONTE NIPPERS

To say we were back in the swing of things during the 2022-23 season is an understatement with a massive 703 nippers receiving their surf education award this season at Bronte SLSC. This is no mean feat given this is the second largest nipper program in the Sydney Branch on a relatively small patch of Sydney's beautiful coastline. Free of COVID-19 restrictions and blessed with plenty of great conditions on Sundays, it was pleasing to see everyone making the most of a fantastic Nipper season at Bronte.

This season we chose to focus on a number of key objectives which included, safety of our kids and volunteers in the water, fostering a culture of surf craft care, spreading the load amongst our hardworking volunteer network, and 'Taking 3 for the Sea' any time we visit a beach. It was impressive to see the age managers take on these focus areas with gusto to support the development of our junior lifesavers in training.

What really stood out for us this season was each age group maximising all available training opportunities. We had the younger groups using the pool, bogey hole, sand and park, having fun and gaining their confidence in the coastal environment. In the middle age groups, kids were out in the ocean testing their water skills under the watchful eye of the orange water safety crew and ever-encouraging band of green-rashie-wearing cadets, working hard in the shore break to pass their knowledge onto the next generation. In the older age groups, our nippers were often on board paddling adventures to neighbouring beaches, swimming from Tama to Bronte, or practising their rock entry techniques at the north and south ends of the beach.

On behalf of the Bronte Nipper community, I would like to express my thanks and appreciation to the Nipper Committee and in particular Jess Stewart who worked tirelessly to deliver and support an amazing program for our children. I would also like to highlight the significant contributions made by our coaches: Ben Nixon, Al Visch, Jo Mermaid, Will Brown, Jackson Raymond, Jack Williams and Amy and Zac Sharma. Steve Brown, with his expanding crew of board repairers, has again done a great job to keep our foam and fiberglass boards watertight and paddle-ready for each session. Our relationship with the Waverley Lifeguards, some of whom are ex-Bronte Nippers themselves, goes from strength to strength, in no small part thanks to our water safety leadership team of Tara Wynne, Grant Lyndon and Noel McLaughlin.

I would also like to pass a special thanks to our army of yellow-hat-wearing age managers and age assistants. This year we were able to train and qualify over 120 parents and carers with their age manager award which aligned with our focus area of spreading the load to ensure many hands make light work each Sunday.

I will close with some wise words from my predecessor: "If you can learn to swim at Bronte, you can swim anywhere!"

Here's to another fantastic season in 2023-24.

ANTHONY BURROWS

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OUR CLUBS

BURNING PALMS SLSC



Thinking the season would flow along without too many challenges was definitely the wrong state of mind to be in after winter, as we quickly found out. As previously reported our clubhouse had undergone a freshen up in the last couple of years which included new roofing and cladding plus getting it up to current building standards. All good, the clubhouse has been great and over the winter the final stage of the upgrade was completed including improvements to our toilets and showers as well as the kitchen. Storage for our spare gas bottles was also included in this upgrade as more an add-on to better ensure member safety. The clubhouse is now truly finished, for some time we hope!

I am pleased to be able to again report that 'No Lives Lost' this season whilst our patrols were on duty. This was a challenge at times due to both surf and weather plus crowds visiting out of sync with tides. To have not needed to worry about COVID-19 management was definitely a plus for our committee. I think like everyone else in the community, we are over it!

Credit once again to Chris Fogwell and his loyal team of unsung heroes who prepared the gear and equipment to the now expected high standard for the gear inspection obviously always worth a thank you mention in this report! It certainly set the club on a positive path for the season kick off.

We had many positives over the season. Congratulations to Rebekah Helyer and her Nipper team on organising a very successful stand at the Kegworth Annual Market Day. We achieved one of our goals being to be noticed as well as fielding many enquiries which whilst only seeing one new recruit, we are confident it will flow into opportunity in the months ahead. The same team of committed members were also responsible for the planning and execution of a modified 3-way minus one parent and nipper day at the Palms in January. The support from our members, plus the ever social Era's, made the day a wonderful one where past concerns about COVID-19 were well and truly not on display.

Whilst mentioning Era, it would be remiss of me not to thank Mark Wood and Dave Staples for their support in assessing and providing a beach to run assessments at when conditions were ordinary at the Palms. The support doesn't go un-noticed!

Whilst on competition, we had a few younger members take a plunge so to speak in competition for the first time. Hopefully it will lead to more having a go next

season by encouraging a few friends to join in and have some fun in a very different arena. We can only encourage and hope for the best. As always, our March Past Team showcased up and down the coast north to south and east to west. Many close results and dreaded count backs interspersed with a few podium finishes. It is always our hope the new blood will take the baton and run with it sparking a new generation of enthusiasts to lead from the front! Well done in waving the club flag!

The quiet achievers in any club that train, correspond, repair and conscript and go about their duties like clockwork and without them many more burdensome tasks would be needing a considerable amount of press-ganging to meet deadlines and benefits for our members. To Peter Pearce OAM, Gary Daly, Margaret Pearce, Rebekah Helyer and Geoff Phillips thank you, the club is in a good position due to your above and beyond the call of duty dedication.

I would also like to thank Peter Agnew ESM and his dedicated executive team who were like a dog with a bone in support of our push for a workable helipad near the clubhouse and more importantly for planning and hopefully provision of an uptown solution for gear storage and that would enable us to respond to emergency call outs without needing to negotiate the track in darkness. Both of these projects are progressing as fast as government agencies can but with the continued support of Branch and the provision of well timed reminders from our Hon Secretary Peter Pearce OAM, I am confident our club, along with Era, will benefit from the effort involved.

It would also be poor form not to acknowledge the above and beyond expectation support provided by the Branch office and the senior management. Having Linda as a reliable contact on all things paperwork and lifesaving, we know we are in good hands! In closing, I would like to thank Peter Agnew ESM and all the Branch Staff and Office Bearers for their dedication and efficiency in what was truly another atypical and definitely challenging season.

DR PAUL COOPER

President

Addendum

On behalf of all members of Burning Palms SLSC, congratulations to Peter Agnew ESM on his successful election to President of SLSNSW. We look forward to working with you over the ensuing years. Good luck and enjoy the many challenges ahead.

BURNING PALMS NIPPERS

We kicked off the season with the Royal National Park (RNP) Nippers Skills day at Kurnell last October. It was the first of two events this season that would not have been possible without the strong partnership between the Era and Burning Palms Surf Life Saving Clubs (SLSC). Era organised a morning program of skills activities and provided refreshments and a BBQ breakfast and lunch. Many of our active members came along for the day and volunteered their services for water safety, education and to make sure everything ran smoothly. It was declared 'a ripper of a day' and was a great introduction to surf skills for our new Nippers and an enjoyable refresher for our more seasoned athletes.

Next, we got things started down at the Palms with our trusty age managers Matt Brown, Toni O'Loughlin and Wayne Reynolds together making sure our Nippers were kept educated, entertained, and safe. We had small numbers of nippers during each of our sessions, but our age managers' enthusiasm for providing surf education never wavered. Whilst we hope to see higher numbers of nippers next season, I think the parents can all agree that our nippers are truly fortunate to have such a high ratio of quality instructors.

Each Nippers session this season was unique according to the weather, surf conditions and the host Patrol. The Nippers calendar was guided by the tide charts as recommended by our fishing enthusiast John Whittingham, and we managed to get out on the boards and into the water most weeks. This was a vast improvement on last year's 'Big Wet'. Matt Brown was rarely deterred by lateral currents, safely guiding our nippers through wades and 'porpoising' swims. Whilst we should never become complacent whilst entering the water at any beach, I do think that participating in Nippers at Burning Palms prepares our children for a range of surf conditions they may find at other beaches.

The highlight of the season was arguably the Nippers Social held at Burning Palms in January 2023. Despite an enthusiastic recruitment drive at Kegworth PS in December our numbers remained low and it was not feasible to host a carnival. But we still wanted to carry on the traditions of our long friendship with our RNP cousins Era SLSC and host a Nippers Social. Unfortunately, our fearless age manager Matt Brown suffered an injury as he ardently put the nippers through their paces during the session prior to the Social. This left a big gaping hole in our age manager crew and raised doubts about hosting the event. However, we never should have feared, as on the day our Era cousins descended upon our beach with gusto and immediately set about organising the nippers and commencing the activities.

Watching our clubs come together and support each other's junior activity events never gets tiresome. We also had lots of active members make the journey down the track to volunteer their services in the lead up with carries, and on the day with water safety, BBQ, and merchandise sales and following the event with rubbish removal. Whilst there are too many people to thank here, a big thanks must go to Sandra Marshall my fellow event organiser, without whom the event would not have been the success that it was both socially and financially for the club.

So, now here ends this season's report and whilst our numbers may be small our nippers are mighty, and they are the future of our very special little surf lifesaving club. So spread the word and help us recruit new junior active members for next season and keep Hammers legacy alive.

DR REBEKAH HELYER

Junior Activities Co-ordinator

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OUR CLUBS

CLOVELLY SLSC



Another fantastic year enjoyed by all at Clovelly. This year, once again, our selfless lifesavers kept Clovelly safe with no lives lost.

A major focus this year was our renovations with the new patrol room opening, our refurbishments to the hall to make it a truly multi-purpose space and the permanent extension of the gym. Many thanks to the NSW Government and Randwick Council for their funding of these works. Next up, we will be developing a long term Master Plan to guide the next evolution of our club.

We also upgraded the clubhouse exterior with an eye-catching new mural with the support of Dulux. This has proved to be a spectacular success and a great conversation starter with the wider community.

A major highlight of the year was the end of season presentation night. Apart from the rocking band, the two highlights were the initiation of our first inductees into the Hall of Fame and the awarding of the Nippers Life Membership to Michael 'Sticks' Walker. Congratulations also to all our club award winners Paul Farrugia, Tom Hetherington, Patrol team 3 led by Tim Carey, Kimmy Rashleigh, Sarah Elliason, and Paul Rushton-Clarke. Sarah also took out the Sydney Branch's U15 Surf Lifesaver of the Year award and Tom was highly commended at Branch for Youth Surf Lifesaving. Nothing beats being led by our youth!

Under the leadership of Kim Davey our Club Captain and our Patrol Captains, we kept Clovelly's record 300,000+ beachgoers safe. In 2022-23, we performed over 1,000 preventative actions, first aids and rescues. We had 321 patrolling members contributing over 10,000 hours of volunteer patrols. This past season we also continued to increase our focus on safety across all our operations both in and out of the water and I thank Stewart Wells, WH&S Officer for leading this space.

Our tireless education team led by Molly Cocks and Topper Thompson were once again very busy with another amazing record of 691 awards across nippers and the senior club, up from 594 awards the previous year being an increase of over 16%.

Our participation at Branch and National Carnivals was even stronger than last year's efforts. Under the leadership of Wendy Pepper, our competitors excelled winning gold medals and competing in the best spirit of surf lifesaving. Many thanks to all the water safety and officials at all carnivals for their selfless service. We also continued various internal club events organised by the selfless Cheree D'Ornay.

We continue to provide a range of community engagement programs including with children with autism. Eskimos our very popular and ever growing winter swimming club enjoyed another spectacular winter under the leadership of Susie Peterson. Our health and wellbeing classes open to the community continued to attract lots of people.

This year Nippers enjoyed a terrific run of weather and was smoothly led by Matt Scott. Thanks also to Ros Manuel who as Vice-President has championed improving services for members from everything to recognition to retention programs. A big shout out to Ken Ryan for his dedication in running the Saturday swim club into its 41st year.

Due to the careful stewardship of our finances by Paul Farrugia and his team, we continue to build a strong nest egg for the future of the club. Paul this year was awarded our club person of the year.

I would like to pass on my thanks to all in Clovelly who make our club such a wonderful community. Of note, a huge thanks to Keiran Stone our outgoing Vice President Erin Jeffries outgoing Secretary and Molly Cocks outgoing Education Director.

A massive thanks to all our club sponsors and partners, notably Randwick Council, NSW Government, our main sponsor Girvan Group, as well as Branch and state sponsors.

We greatly appreciate the support and guidance of Sydney Branch, Surf Lifesaving NSW and Australia and our fellow surf clubs.

BRYCE WILDE

President

CLOVELLY NIPPERS



What a season it has been, after the shocking weather, water pollution and tsunami warnings that saw so many Sundays on the beach cancelled last season we were blessed this year and were able to hold Nippers every week. With nearly 500 nippers, it has been a busy year for Clovelly but with the ongoing hard work of the committee and age managers it was, once again, an enormous success.

Sundays on the beach are always a big ask but the countless parents committee members and nippers that turn up each week to set up cook the BBQ and pack down get the job done. Without these selfless volunteer's Nippers would simply not happen.

The age managers are there each week organising their groups, planning the sessions, and teaching our future lifesavers the skills required to become patrolling members, whilst at the same time helping little Johnny with the sand in his goggles, and calming the tears and fears of going into the great abyss of Clovelly Bay and not coming back. Once again without them there would be no Nippers.

This year's major award winners were Blake Briggs and Lee Liston receiving the Nippers Volunteer of the Year Award for their continued commitment with training, set up and age manager roles. Nicole Solly and her under 11s took out Age Group of the Year Award.

Our competition team continued to build after losing momentum over COVID.

We had strong numbers at branch and state championships with both competitors and parents having fun the carnivals picking up a few medals along the way.

The 2022-23 committee worked tirelessly once again and delivered a fun and successful season with continued growth in younger age groups and a high retention in the older ages where historically the kids drop off to pursue other sports or activities.

I would like to thank our committee members Jules Meynell constantly working on all aspects of running nippers, Jim King, Paul Rushton, Stephen Dametto, Emma Kelly, Blake Briggs, Ross Edwards, Nicola Lincoln and Eileen Trinca for all your time and efforts this season. I would also like to make special mention of our outgoing committee members. Emma Kelly has been our competition director after being "volunteered" for the role some six years back and not having seen a surf carnival or knowing what a Cameron relay was. Her first task was to host Randwick Shield at Maroubra, which was a baptism of fire that has seen her embrace the role and do an excellent job over the years.

This season saw two longstanding nipper volunteer's awarded life membership of the Clovelly Nippers. Michael Walker, a 30-year member of the club, has been serving the nippers for over 12 years and has been instrumental in developing the competition team whilst training kids at Bondi every Thursday. Susie Wheatley's kids have been out of nippers for years, yet every Sunday Susie is at the club bright and early setting up the uniform shop and selling club merchandise to the members. The efforts of both Michael and Susie are a testament to their dedication and selflessness continuing to help the nippers succeed long after their kids have moved into the senior club. Congratulations to both these long-standing invaluable members.

Thank you to all parents, age managers, water safety committee members and most of all the nippers for making 2022-23 a great season I look forward to seeing you all next year.

MATTHEW SCOTT

Director of Junior Activities

OUR CLUBS

COOGEE SLSC

Coogee SLSC is proud to proclaim that once more no lives were lost on Coogee beach while our members patrolled. This season the club's members performed more than 21,100 volunteer hours. They also performed sixteen rescues and attended to 2,600 preventative actions across the patrolling season.

Coogee expanded its membership by welcoming 79 new Surf Rescue Certificate and 113 Bronze Medallion holders. We successfully upskilled our existing members with higher awards including eight Silver Medallion Patrol Captain Awards, 16 Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) Crew Certificates, four IRB Driver Certificates, 56 Advanced Resuscitation Training (ART) Certificates, 58 First Aid Awards and six Side by Side Operators Inductions.

The November 2022 Coogee Island Challenge was well attended by some 1,300 swimmers. The May 2023 Coogee Run Swim Event was similarly popular in its second year with 370 participants.

Coogee celebrated its seventh year of Dippers this season, launched the Beach Ocean Safety course in partnership with the University of NSW, hosted a Rainbow Beaches Patrol and continued tradition by conducting a Sisters in Surf Patrol. This year's Sisters in Surf Patrol was attended by 70 members who wore pink themed patrol uniform to celebrate the Club's inclusivity, tolerance and community values and provided the forum to celebrate diversity in our membership.

Some 80 competitors represented Coogee at the Australian SLS Championships (Aussies) this year. The youth led the way to begin the Aussies program with both George Messiter and James Azar picking up Gold in the U14 and U13 Surf Board Riding. The R & R achieved Gold in the U13-U15.

Coogee's Masters won one gold medal and five bronze across both beach and water events in Perth with Rona Macniven winning gold in the 40-44 years Female 2km Beach Run.

The Open Area finished eleventh overall in Australia. In the R & R area every single Coogee SLSC competitor in both Youth and Open events won at least a Gold Medal at Aussies including golds for the Open Mixed 6 person R&R, Open Female 5 Person R&R, Open Male 5 Person R&R and U19 Mixed 5 Person R&R. We also had for the first time in the club's history a mother (Tracey Bloxsom) and daughter (Millie Bloxsom) win an Australian Championship in the same team (Open Female 5 Person) and event. This feat was replicated by both a father (Scott Ryan) and son (Luke Ryan) who also became Australian Champions in the Open Male 5 Person. In keeping with the family theme both Chris and Sami Gately also won Gold within their respective R & R Open teams.

The Open beach area contributed a total of two Golds (u19 Mixed Beach Relay and U19 Female Beach Relay), three Silver and three Bronze to Coogee's tally. The U19 Female Beach Sprint has now won gold for two successive years.

Earlier in the season, Coogee Reserve Female Surf Boat crew swept by Paul Beale came first at the Australian Short Course Championships. They also made the final at the Australian Surf Rowers League (ASRL) open and came second at the Aussies in Perth.

My thanks to all the club's members, sponsors and supporters who contributed to another magnificent season on the beach. See you all next season!

PAT GARCIA
President

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COOGEE MINNOWS

The Coogee Minnows team have once again responded to the impacts of COVID-19 and significant weather disruptions to deliver a sterling season, training our future Surf Life Savers.

Firstly, I'd like to recognise the significant efforts of Steve and Renee Gibbs. Whilst Steve finished up as Minnows Captain in December, I think that it's important to recognise their significant contributions across the club and in particular, through the growth of our sand competitor training program.

As all are aware, this has been the second season impacted by COVID-19 however, the plans were ready and the team responded well to adapt the plans to suit the emerging restrictions. Whilst our COVID-19 response worked, the weather had a bigger impact this season than anyone would have foreseen, with more weekends lost to dangerous surf or poor water quality than in recent memory. Notwithstanding these pressures, the Minnows juggernaut continued, delivering an outstanding season to train our future Surf Life Savers. Some of the highlights to call out for the season.

- Graduating 67 Surf Rescue Certificates (SRCs) - This team of Junior Surf Life Savers were once again recognised for their high level of skill and overall proficiency. Moreover a number of this team have flagged a desire to fulfil higher responsibilities in the coming years including Age Managers and Trainers which is a line of effort that will be developed in the coming season.
- Our Under 6's have returned to the beach this season and more significant than the joy that they bring is the engagement of parents and number Age Assistants that were present from day 1. This is a testament to the efforts of Nicole Ashcroft and has set the benchmark for our approach going forward
- Training outcomes - the continuation of no parents on the beach and the large water training cohort through the weeks has further increased the surf confidence across the Minnows group. The Minnows group has again grown to nearly 900 children and we expect this to be larger again next season.



- Competition - Aidan Byrne along with his dedicated team has once again delivered a fantastic programme for the development of our junior competitors. Coogee was placed first overall at the completion of the NSW Age Championships where the team achieved 10 individual and 16 team medals.
- Mums and Dads Army XXV - With the support of Doug Hawkins, the club has delivered another 23 parents to the ranks of our Surf Life Savers, to patrol the beach and fulfil the role of water safety for our program.

Many thanks to the hundreds of volunteers who enable our program each week. To the Executive and Management teams, I offer my sincerest thanks for the significant contributions you make to deliver the safe and effective program. I'd like to particularly call out the contributions of Emily

Ashcroft, Shannon Campbell, Will Charles, Aidan Byrne, Keiran Brown and Catherine Yuan which go unseen by the masses. This team operates almost continuously through the year to shape and develop the program delivered throughout the summer. I also thank Kali Ogle who has stepped forward into the Vice Captains role and continues to give so generously on and off the beach.

With the season drawing to a close, I would like to mention two families finishing their years with Minnows. Will Charles has led the Lime Caps from U6s and has held several positions concurrently across the leadership team for many years. Similarly, Gerrard and Julie Pignatelli are finishing their time and commitment, whether that be sourcing our apparel or running the kiosk and BBQ.

Thanks for a great season

JAMES CAMPBELL
Minnows Captain

OUR CLUBS

CRONULLA SLSC

After several tumultuous seasons, operating out of shipping containers, managing the complexities of a major development, we were finally able to start the 2022-23 season in our new Clubhouse. Pheew!

The concurrent tasks of moving in, business as usual, and a largely new Executive presented challenges and opportunities. It is important that I acknowledge the dedication of the Executive Committee as well as the many CSLSC members that keep the wider SLS machine running. CSLSC is fortunate to have your passion and intellect, the diversity of your opinion, and I am thankful that you are so open to sharing your thinking with me, the Management Committee, and the members. Long may it continue.

In terms of outcomes, I am thankful for the willingness of the Executive Committee, to embrace my vision, to go beyond the 'red and yellow' and 'the sky blue, black and white'. As I have stated repeatedly throughout the season, CSLSC is at its best when we strive for more than the minimum objectives defined by others. We are at our best when we lead. We, with the support of the Management Committee, have addressed our core functions and pursued loftier ideals in 2022-23. Our performance against this 'higher standard' is the basis of this report and it will be the basis of our approach in 2023-24.

RED AND YELLOW

The Club Captain has repeatedly expressed his pride in our Lifesaving section this year - I can only echo his comments and congratulate him on his contribution. During a challenging season we were able to maintain 'no lives lost' via the diligence and outstanding efforts of club members. The leadership of our patrols, from our Captains, Vice Captains, and Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) drivers was outstanding and deserves special commendation. On behalf of the club and community, thank you all for your vigilance and service.

Additionally, I acknowledge our cohort of ex-Captains and senior members who add so much depth to our patrols. The mentoring, quiet offerings of support, and your experiential learning is a cornerstone of our current success. In my opinion, it is the respectful way this group combines with the current patrol leaders that has positioned CSLSC with the strongest patrols we have ever had. And then there's Brendan, but he will be acknowledged on presentation night...

SKY BLUE, BLACK, AND WHITE

The impact of COVID-19 and being 'homeless' for so long has impacted our long-standing competitive credentials, but 2022-23 showed clear signs of improvement. We are on the way back.

Special acknowledgements to Nathan Breen and Jack Robbo with another Aussie title which was never in doubt. To the leadership of our senior athletes and coaches, the team spirit under the tent and the smiles



at training, it is clear things are on the way back. To those that were close this season, your perseverance is inspiring; Nathan Jay, Jay Furniss, Nathan and Tim Ford, Jackson Turner, Ace Haslem, Bellah Walker, and the so many more - we can see you are close. Persevere.

BUSINESS

In a club as diverse as CSLSC, there are a multitude of commercial and operational matters that require attention, I thank the many members who assisted in the refining and optimisation of these matters. Rental arrangements, meetings with tenants and the myriad commercial and administrative activities are not everyone's cup of tea, but it creates the foundations we need to achieve the vision.

ABOVE AND BEYOND

CSLSC has often gone above and beyond in terms of a SLSC. The leading roles of members like Adam Weir and Wayne Drury are built on the foundations of so many illustrious members, including some who were acknowledged this year. But this year we asked ourselves what else we might consider, and where else we might contribute above and beyond.

When I speak to members about this activity, there is an almost universal passion for this precinct, and pride in the notion that we protect it, and those people that come to share it with us. The activities they choose, the times they come and where they head to is beyond our control, but CSLSC members want to help.

THE SAME HAPPENS WHEN WE ARE ON PATROL

This year we had opportunities to perform rescues outside our designated patrolling area and outside our patrolling hours. This is not unusual. What may have changed is the fact that our members are vocalising this eagerness, to have a wider impact. At its core, this is still about vigilance and service but it seems that members want to set and achieve a bolder objective. It is wonderful to be a part of an organisation that provides voluntary lifesaving services to the community and yet they still want to do more.

CSLSC members started to look to engage more deeply with our community in a range of ways this season. We played an active part in Relay for Life, Oz Harvest, and started a long-term partnership with De La Salle. This willingness to go beyond, to set new standards for social licence, is being driven by members, particularly our new and younger members, and it is something to be immensely proud of.

SUPPORT

I would like to thank the Patron, Ken English, and the Emeritus Patrons, Barry Ezzy and Geoff Forshaw, for their counsel and support throughout the year. Ken's speech at the Life Members Dinner was a highlight and his presence in Western Australia was greatly appreciated by the Touring team. On a personal note, the ability to congratulate Barry and Geoff on their respective OAM awards, and more recently, Dick Bignold, has been a highlight for me this year. What wonderful stalwarts of CSLSC.

BRAD TURNER

President

CRONULLA CRAYS NIPPERS



This was the first year back in our clubhouse without COVID-19 interruptions since 2017-18 and it was great to be back and able to provide our nippers and families with comfortable, modern facilities. Surf and weather conditions were also more favourably than last season with few days lost to rough surf. As a result, the ethos of "have the most fun" permeated through the Cronulla Crays this season as we relished being back in our clubhouse, free of the ravishes of COVID-19 and enjoying some excellent conditions. The Club was typically in full swing every Sunday afternoon post-Nippers with many parents "discovering" all of the benefits the Club had to offer.

With over 600 nippers registered this season, including over 200 in our under 6 and under 7s, we continue to run the largest Nipper programme in Bate Bay and one of the largest in Branch. We continued to build on and enhance our "One Club" and I would like to particularly acknowledge the support and counsel of Club Patron, Ken English, President Brad Turner and Deputy President Matt Aitken as well as the Club's Management Committee.

A key highlight this year for our under 6 and under 7 is the structured Learn to Swim programme run in conjunction with Cronulla Beach Swim School and supported by Cronulla RSL. For many kids and parents this is their first introduction to structured swimming lessons and serves as a fantastic entry point to the key competency for surf lifesaving.

This season we continued the COVID-era practice of running split session on Sunday mornings between the younger and older age groups. This has allowed significantly more beach and water space to be available for each group. While it has meant a longer day for some of us, particularly water safety and those with children across both sessions, it clearly maximising the time our nippers get to practice their skills both in the water and on the beach.

As always, our Sunday Nippers only runs with the support and commitment of many people from the Beach Set-up crew who are regularly on the beach from 6am to set up, Water Safety who often spend many hours out in inclement conditions, our Age Managers, Assistant Age Managers, parent helpers etc. There are too many names to specifically mention each and every helper but you all know who you are. We were also well supported by our Patrols and Sutherland Shire Council Lifeguards who consistently went out of their way to assist and make sure Nippers ran as smoothly as possible, particularly on those busy Sunday mornings in the middle of summer.

Our Lifesaving and Education activities were once again ably led by our Lifesaving Coordinator and Club Deputy Chief Training Officer Rodd Sanchez. Education and Lifesaving remain the core aspect of Nippers - teaching our children firstly how to keep themselves safe at the beach and in the surf and secondly how to keep their friends, family and members of the public safe. On a number of occasions, both at Cronulla and elsewhere we have had our nippers undertaking rescues, using the skills and confidence they have developed during their Sunday morning Nippers.

A highlight of the season is always seeing our under 14s complete their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) and join Patrols. Thanks to both Rodd and Carlo Villanti, along with our other Club Trainers for the training our SRCs receive. The consistent feedback from Patrol Captains and the Lifesaving Committee is that they always welcome the enthusiasm our new patrolling members bring as well as the skills they have developed through their many years at Nippers. They are a credit to themselves, their families, their age managers and their trainers.

We fielded a large Cronulla Crays team in the sky blue, black and white in the many carnivals across the course of the season including hosting the first Bate Bay 4-Way Nipper Carnival since 2019 at Cronulla, as well as attending the Branch carnival at North Bondi and the New South Wales State Titles at Manly. In all cases what was readily apparent was the spirit, sportsmanship and camaraderie within our team and the amount of fun the kids (young and old) had attending, competing and supporting their team at Carnivals.

Particular congratulations to our Branch and State Medallists as well as our Nominees for the Branch Awards of Excellence and Club Champions. Your hard work and dedication has paid off and you should be proud of your achievements.

This season we ran a smaller inclusion programme (the "Blue Fins") again ably led by Yvette Larkin, Georgia Carter and Lisa Dietrich. Whilst the programme may be smaller in number of participants than in previous seasons, the enthusiasm and commitment of the Blue Fins group cannot be faulted, nor the support the Blue Fins receive from the Club as a whole.

Finally a thank you to my hard working Executive Team: Russell Brinckley (Deputy Chair), Kasey Diver-Tuck (Secretary), Gary Greene (Treasurer), Ali Sanders (Registrar), Sam Schneider (Surf Sports Coordinator) and Rodd Sanchez (Lifesaving Coordinator).

RICHIE HEDLEY

Chair - Cronulla Crays

OUR CLUBS

ELOUERA SLSC



I would firstly like to start off by acknowledging the incredible work carried out by Elouera's Board of Management, each Director has gone above and beyond to support me in my first year as President of our amazing surf club. This season, Elouera SLSC was truly fortunate to receive the Club of the Year award at Surf Life Saving Sydney's Awards of Excellence, receiving this privilege would not be possible without a strong and motivated team, not only at Board of Management level, but also the remaining membership. I am extremely proud to be able to lead an incredible surf club, and I look forward to seeing many more amazing achievement and positive changes next season, and into the future.

Director of Lifesaving Andrew McKellar once again returned for another season leading our 12 patrol captains, and their patrolling members. This season Elouera had a particularly challenging patrol season, with large numbers back on the beach, and several critical incidents, however all lifesavers acted swiftly and professionally to ensure once again "No Lives were Lost". Andrew, the patrol captains and their patrolling members should be commended on their efforts throughout the entire season. For the 2022-23 season 8,781 patrolling hours were conducted, making 41 rescues, and conducted 1,637 preventative actions.

Stephen Urquhart once again led Elouera's Education Team, improving our award tally from the 2022-23 season. Stephen also ensured that we had a 100% success rate with our new members undertaking their Bronze Medallion, and existing members were proficient and upskilled in various courses. Elouera also ran its second mental health first aid course; this was extremely popular and received excellent feedback from all participants. This year the club gained a total of 479 awards. Of this total, 209 were gained by senior members while 270 were gained by JDC members.

A huge thank you and a job well done by Elouera's Director of Surf Sports Dean Morris and Deputy Director of Surf Sports Issac Byrne. Elouera had some incredibly positive results in surf sports and continues to grow into an incredibly competitive Club. Overall Elouera finished eleventh at the 2023 New South Wales Open Surf Life Saving Championships. This is an amazing accomplishment, especially when comparing the size of Elouera's competition team to most of the other clubs. There were many incredible individual and team results which all competitors should be extremely proud of. Elouera's competitors not only strive to be the best in their chosen sport, but also take pride and are extremely dedicated lifesavers who use their skills and athleticism to also serve the community.

Our community engagement activities continued, with the inclusive Yellow Fins program, Can Too for Cancer swim program, Silver Salties Program and our first of many Pink Patrols. The 'Tradies' Elouera

Surf Awareness Clinic once again returned for its 39th year, we look forward to celebrating the 40th Surf Awareness Clinic in January 2024.

I'd also like to take the time to recognise our sponsors, these being: Sutherland District Trade Union Club ('Tradies') with the partnership moving into its fortieth year, and our other generous sponsors, ACE Gutters, Australian Government, Bianchini's, Breen Holdings, Crux Surveying, DKG Surfboats, Enware, Holt Estate 1861, Matt Callaghan Property, NECA Training Group, Network 10, NSW Government, Soilco, Sutherland Mazda, Sutherland Shire Council and Westfield Miranda, Scentre Management Group. All these sponsors support the Club with purchasing new lifesaving and competition equipment, support Elouera's unique initiatives, like Elouera's annual Surf Awareness Clinic and Pink Patrol, and general day-to day operations. This season we were able to gain further financial security by locking in long-term sub-leases with our tenants.

Many thanks to the Cronulla Sutherland District Council of Surf Life Saving (CSDC), led by Chairman Ian Toll. The CSDC continues to operate in a cordial and cooperative manner to meet the challenges that confront Surf Life Saving in the district.

My thanks to:

- The Presidents of the other Bate Bay Clubs - Brad (Cronulla), Geoff Budd (North Cronulla) and Nathan Spinner (Wanda)
- District Secretary, Emma Larssen and Treasurer, Anita Pryke
- The District Life Saving Supervisor, Rob Short
- The District Education Supervisor, Brett Furniss
- Staff at Surf Life Saving Sydney, especially Linda Perrin who is the font of all knowledge SLS!
- Our Federal and State Members who have supported the Club
- Mayor and Councillors of Sutherland Shire Council
- Council management and staff
- The Directors and staff of the 'Tradies'

I would also like to thank Elouera's office staff Kay Hutchison, Nicole Burns and Debbie Muscat. Countless hours go into ensuring the Clubs administration duties are covered, organising paperwork, responding to membership requests, running of functions, and so much more. I really do appreciate the work that the three of you put in.

And finally, thank you once again to the Club Executive and the Board of Management for their incredible contributions and governance this season, I look forward to continuing to work with you into the coming 2023-23 season.

CAMERON SIMPSON
President

ELOUERA NIPPERS

Season 2022-23 welcomed the return of the Elouera Nippers program after a couple of COVID-19 interrupted seasons.

The season began with our annual training camp at Bendalong. Thanks to the coaches, Matt Elliott, Grace Elliott, Jake Evans, Joel Miller. Thank you to Brent Collier for attending to run the education and proficiency components, and the water crew, Daryl Chapman, Steve Tsoukalas and all our cadet helpers and water safety who assisted. Special thanks to Bec Bacon and Alison Prowse for all the work behind the scenes.

This season we had approximately 330 nippers register. The challenges of the previous seasons provided an opportunity to review the Nippers program. Some of these changes proved to be successful, while others have given us further cause to find ways to improve the experience and outcomes for the kids.

There were outstanding achievements throughout the year across several carnivals including Sydney Water, Bate Bay 4 Way, Wanda One, Branch and State. Congratulations to those who were series winners, medallists or finalists and importantly, well done to those kids who were competing for the first time.

We had about 100 nippers compete at the State Championships at Queenscliff and Manly and had some excellent results. The performance in the U9-U10 deserves special mention, their efforts and results had Elouera at the top end of the point score.

The performances from our nippers are testament to our coaches. Thanks to Craig Alexander, Grant Wilkinson, Michael Hanna, Donna Hanna, Jake Evans, Isaac Byrne, Grace Elliott and Tillie Tsoumbaras for the time and dedication given to all the kids. Congratulations to Matt Elliott and Scott Thomas for building such a strong coaching roster. Thank you to Tennille Jago and Brett Mortensen for your co-ordination of the water and beach programs across the season.

Whilst we love the carnivals and competition, the real goal of our Nippers program is to see our nippers acquire the necessary lifesaving skills that culminates with the Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) in the U14's. This is their first step into a broader role of Club and community support through patrols. Congratulations to our SRC recipients for this year, we know the beach is in safe hands. I wish our departing U14s the very best of luck as they graduate as cadets.

Our Club Captains Sybella Daly, Austin Alexander, India Chapman and Xavier Byrnes, along with our U14s, were excellent role models. Thanks for always assisting whenever needed, you made the Club proud.

One of the most rewarding aspects of our program is our Yellow Fins Nippers group. Congratulations to all our athletes who competed so with so much enjoyment this



season. Thank you to Leah Byrne and Kiara Summers, your commitment stands as a testament to the values of the club. Thank you to all the parent and cadet helpers, and a special thank you to Liwei Xie (Ryan Durney's mum) and Alexandru Dicu of Tomkin Australia for their contribution to the Elouera Nippers and Yellow Fins through the purchase of boards and equipment for the kids.

There are many people to thank for the success of our Nippers program. To the Junior Development Committee (JDC), Scott Thomas, Mark Summers, Brian Gunner, Bec Bacon, Alison Prowse, Matt Elliott, Tennille Jago, Brett Mortensen, Daryl Chapman, Darren Tasker and Andrew Watson, thanks for your efforts, commitment, and dedication across the many roles the JDC covers. The amount of planning required to get this season's Nippers program up and running cannot be underestimated. Thank you to Cam Simpson and the Board of Management your support and assistance has been greatly appreciated.

A big thank you to our age managers who continue to play an invaluable role. I want to thank all our water safety and officials for keeping all our nippers safe. You do a great job and I encourage more parents to get qualified and become water safety and officials.

Thank you to Scott Thomas and Fritz Botha for co-ordinating Sunday activities. The BBQ gang of Josh Kellett and Jamie Carson, thank you for helping set-up the BBQ each week. Thanks to Paul Walker for his help over the course of the season with our trailer and equipment.

Season 2022-23 was not without its difficult moments for the club. Sadly, we lost two members of the nipper family, Lee Tasker and Lorraine Jago. Their presence on the beach and around the club will continue to be missed. We witnessed the remarkable recovery of our Club Captain Austin Alexander, who refused to be told "no - this can't be done", an attitude clearly taken throughout his whole recovery.

I'd like to acknowledge our key sponsors, our long-time partner Tradies, Channel 10, Westfields Miranda, Sutherland Mazda, NECA Training Group, ACE Gutters, Bianchini's, SoilCo, Crux Surveying. Your support ensures that our nippers are provided with the best equipment and training and without you we wouldn't be able to run the excellent programs we do. I encourage you to support our sponsors.

Finally, we should be proud of ourselves for the program that we delivered this season and proud of our nippers for their commitment and achievements. The more you put into nippers, the more you get out of it. I urge all parents to step up and volunteer in some capacity. It really has been a great season with a lot of great memories, we look forward to seeing you on the beach again soon.

JOSH NICHOLSON

Director of Junior Development

OUR CLUBS

ERA SLSC



With the health restrictions of previous seasons no longer in place, this season was all about showing that the surf club is back and open for business.

Just prior to the official start of the season Era participated in the Gotcha 4 Life 24 hour row, which was a terrific opportunity to gather our little Era community back down to the club to get together and complete the challenge of having two rowers constantly spinning for 24 hours. We easily managed to fill all shifts throughout the 24 hours with members young and old all spending some time on a rower. We also managed to sneak into the top 20 for funds raised. A fantastic event to unofficially open the season with a good party vibe throughout and one that we will be participating in again next time.

Once the patrolling season started our active members were greeted with (mainly) good weather throughout which, coupled with the closure of the Garie precinct due to the road collapse, saw increased crowds on the beach most weekends. Over half our active members achieved 100% patrol attendance which is a great achievement for our small but dedicated active members.

152 Our junior activities were back with a good run of weather finally for our nipper events. In November we hosted our annual Kurnell Nippers day, inviting our neighbour Burning Palms to participate in a day of skills development in the calmer waters of Kurnell. This is a great day for both clubs to join resources and get some quality skills development into our nippers, water safety and age managers. We also had one nipper compete at five carnivals in total, including the Branch and State Championships. This is the first season in many that there has been an Era cap at junior carnivals, and something we can hopefully grow in the coming seasons. Thanks once again to Kristin Hancock and his assistant Sarah Josland for organising our Junior Activities program, plus to all the Age Managers, Trainers, Water Safety, and assistants who all gave up their time to ensure we could run events safely and most importantly ensure the kids had fun.

Our Chief Training Officer Geoff Snellgrove continued the training of our junior members in their Bronze and SRC which further increases our patrolling members. This season we ran two intensive Bronze and SRC courses in the January school holidays which were highly successful, with seven new bronze award holders and four new SRC awards which is a huge increase from the previous few seasons.

In the competition arena we built on the buzz from winning our first ever national title last season by fielding a larger surfing team at the early season State Surfing Championships, with Joe Mison once again medalling in both the under 19's and Open divisions. Our surfboat was also on the beach contesting the Ocean Thunder Surfboat Series, and most of the major carnivals throughout the season.

Congratulations to Petrina Howe and Cameron Watson who were awarded Branch Administrator of the Year and Patrol Captain of the Year. Everyone at Era has known for years how good you are in your roles, it is great to finally be recognised at the Branch Awards of Excellence.

I would also like to congratulate our very own Elissa Hancock on being elected Sydney Branch President, the first female President of our Branch which is a fantastic recognition of the commitment Elissa gives to surf lifesaving.

On behalf of Era SLSC I would like to formally thank our sponsors, Font and Swatch, Elite Physio, Hal and Eva Missingham, Office of Environment and Heritage, Fulton Hogan and CMG, for their support of our club, and also thank Branch sponsors Betty's Burgers, Sydney Airport, Transdev John Holland and Safe 365 for their support. A lot to the programs Branch run over the season would not be possible without this support, so it is great we have these strong partnerships in place.

I would also like to recognise the continued support of the various Sydney Branch board members, committees and support operations members and the commitment the staff give each year to our club, our outgoing Local Member Lee Evans, and NSW SLS, in particular Steven Pearce and the outgoing President George Shales who always keep the interests of Era SLSC in the forefront of any operations or grants that can assist the club and our members.

Lastly I'd like to thank our own Management Committee for their tireless work throughout a busy season. In the past couple of seasons we have had a changing of the guard in the Committee and our new(ish) committee members have grown in their respective roles.

So overall a busy but rewarding season after a few turbulent ones, great to see us all growing again.

See you on the beach

DAVID STAPLES
President

ERA NIPPERS

It was a relatively quiet Nipper season this year as the club continued to recover our numbers following COVID and the bushfires before that. On a brighter note, we did manage to run most of our Nipper events this season, including a return to Kurnell after a number of years of cancellations.

Sadly, we were reduced to less than half a season of beach events and very few of our scheduled social events. It was Burning Palms opportunity to host the Royal National Park District Carnival, however, the withdrawal of Garie and lower than expected numbers once again conspired against us and the event was cancelled. Era have committed to run the carnival next season and we look forward to seeing the event return to our beach in January.

We trained four SRC's during the season and four Junior Members completed their Bronze Medallion with the support of our training team, Geoff Snellgrove and David Staples. Congratulations to all those that passed these courses as they are taking their first steps to becoming Senior Members of the club.



At the conclusion of the season, we hand over five young lifesavers to the Senior Club and we wish them a long and active Life Saving Career at Era SLSC. We also trained nine Junior Members in their surf awards which although lighter than previous years, was a satisfactory return given the challenges faced. Due to the lower numbers and reduced meetings, we chose not to award Age Champions this season. Fortunately though, there was one nipper who was a clear stand out during the season and was the deserved winner of the Nipper of the Year Award; congratulations to Toby Staples, a worthy recipient.

We are grateful for the support and hard work invested in our club from the Sydney Branch, Era Committee Members, the Pracy Family and our group of Age Mangers and Water Safety. Thank you also to everybody who contributed to make this year as upbeat as possible. To our Sponsors, Peter & Eva Missingham, Office of the Environment and Heritage, Fulton Hogan, CMG, Elite Physio and Font & Swatch, thank you for your continued support. To the Parents and everyone who volunteered, donated and supported our Nippers on and off the beach throughout the season - a huge thank you.

KRISTIN HANCOCK

Junior Vice President

OUR CLUBS

GARIE SLSC



As many are aware, this season Garie SLSC's operations were impeded by the closure of Garie Road and the entire Garie Beach precinct following a landslide taking out a large section of Garie Road during heavy rainfall. In an attempt to keep our members together it was decided to relocate our patrolling operations to Wattamolla this season. The relocation took a lot of coordination and collaboration between the Royal National Park, Branch Officers, Garie's Board and patrolling members. The transition to the new location was successfully managed by our patrol captains and their patrol members who quickly adapted to the change. Despite the unfamiliarity with Wattamolla, the presence of Garie Patrols alongside ALS Lifeguards at Wattamolla Beach yielded remarkable results. For the first time in many years, no drownings were reported at Wattamolla. This also means that our club continues its tradition of no lives lost during patrol operations, even in a different setting.

Our patrol members took advantage of the calmer conditions at Wattamolla, having many positive interactions with the public while ensuring a safe and enjoyable beach experience. Karen Cook, one of our patrolling members, even commented that "taking into consideration conditions typically faced at Garie," we might get a little soft after patrolling at Wattamolla.

Unfortunately the relocation of operations did lead to some loss of patrolling members. Some members preferred the traditional patrolling of a beach and decided to patrol for different clubs until Garie Beach reopens, whilst others took the opportunity to embrace other activities within surf life saving, such as becoming involved with the Branch Support Operations team. We now have members as part of SR30, the RWCs and Duty Officers. This demonstrates the resilience and adaptability of the club's members in embracing new opportunities and contributing to the broader goals of surf lifesaving.

Regrettably, the relocation of operations to Wattamolla necessitated the decision to forgo the Junior Development Program for the third consecutive season. The previous season we had a small group participating, but it was cut short due to dangerous road conditions. Similarly, the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic in the preceding season also disrupted the program. Regardless of the location for the upcoming season, the club is committed to re-establishing some form of junior development or community program to nurture young talent and engage with the local community in the coming season.

Garie SLSC is proud to announce that Brad Taylor, the club President, was awarded the Emergency Service Medal for his exceptional service to surf lifesaving over many years. The medal was presented by the Honourable Margaret Beazley, Governor of New South Wales, at Government House.

Garie also had members nominated for awards at the SLS Sydney Awards of Excellence. Those nominated were Karen Cook for Surf Life Saver of the Year, Louise Skjeime for Volunteer of the Year, Will McLean for Youth Life Saver of the Year, and Brad Taylor for SR30 Member of the Year. Brad Taylor was ultimately awarded SR30 Member of the Year. The club congratulates all the nominees and winners and their clubs for their exceptional contributions.

Garie is a small club and greatly values the ongoing support of the local Federal and State MPs, the Royal National Park, various levels of Surf Life Saving and its staff, officers and members. Without this ongoing support Garie would struggle to provide a high standard of service to the public.

Special thanks to Peter Agnew for his support whilst President of Sydney Branch and wish him all the best as he transitions into his new role as President of Surf Life Saving NSW.

BRAD TAYLOR

President



OUR CLUBS

MAROUBRA SLSC

This year has been filled with remarkable achievements, growth, and an unwavering commitment to our mission of beach safety, community engagement, and fostering a vibrant surf culture. I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to all our members, volunteers, sponsors, and supporters for their exceptional contributions throughout the year.

MEMBERSHIP AND VOLUNTEER ENGAGEMENT

Our club has continued to thrive with a strong and dedicated membership base. We proudly boast a diverse and passionate community of over 1,000 active members, including 440 nippers and 220 patrolling members.

The commitment and enthusiasm demonstrated by our members have been outstanding, making Maroubra Surf Life Saving Club a vibrant and welcoming community.

This year our members conducted 80 rescues, responded to 409 first aid situations and took over 4,131 preventative actions to protect our community and beachgoers. We also reinforced our commitment to surf education and training with members completing over 200 new lifesaving qualifications.

TRESNE CHESHER - EMERGENCY SERVICES MEDAL

We are delighted to announce that one of our esteemed members, Tresne Cheshier, was presented with the prestigious Emergency Services Medal. This recognition is a testament to Tresne's exceptional contributions to surf lifesaving and her unwavering dedication to the safety and well-being of others. We congratulate Tresne on this remarkable achievement, which brings great honour to our club.

NATIONAL MEDAL AND PATROL SERVICE

We are pleased to announce that the long and exemplary service of Steven Cheshier and John Restuccia have been recognised with the award of decorations to the National Medal (25 year clasps). Twenty-eight members have also been recognised for their long-standing 100% patrol efficiency, including Mick Gray (40 years), Karl Solomonson (35 years) and Virginia De Lucia (15 years). We congratulate all on these milestone achievements, which bring immense pride to our club.

SPONSORS

We sincerely thank our continuing sponsors, Maroubra Seals and Ports NSW, for their invaluable support. Their commitment has been instrumental in sustaining our programs, purchasing vital equipment, and ensuring the smooth functioning of our club's operations. We would also like to thank our departing sponsor, Agents Group, for its support over the years. We bid them farewell with deep appreciation.

Additionally, I am thrilled to welcome our new sponsor, Suttons Motors Arncliffe Isuzu Ute, to the Maroubra Surf Life Saving Club family. We are excited about this new partnership and its further development and growth opportunities.

CLUBHOUSE REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

We are pleased to report that our clubhouse redevelopment project is progressing well. During the year, Randwick City approved allocations towards its \$6.5m funding commitment. Bridge42 was appointed project manager and commenced tenders for a lead architect and design consultant. Randwick City Council has actively engaged the club in this process, and we are represented strategically and operationally through two member committees. We are excited about the upcoming concept design engagement process, expected during the September quarter. We do not have a date for the start of building works at this stage, but we will update members as plans are approved.

SURF SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

Our surf athletes have achieved remarkable success in various competitions throughout the year. We secured medals at branch, state, and national levels in Surf Sports events, showcasing the dedication and talent of our athletes and the unwavering support of our coaches, officials and support crews. These achievements highlight the strength and competitiveness of Maroubra Surf Life Saving Club in the surf sports arena.

Special mention to our Aussies medallists: Rodrigo De Sebastian Martin (Gold - Champion Lifesaver), Peter Kirkwood (Silver - Shortboard), U19 & 17 Five-Person R&R teams (Zoe Di Cristo, Claire Whitaker, Stella O'Brien, Genevieve Love, and Hannah Jerich), Silver and Bronze, respectively, congratulations to you all.

HOSTING MAJOR EVENTS:

We successfully hosted nine events this year, including the Nutri-Grain Iron Series Rounds 3 & 4, Super Surf Teams League, SLISA Interstate and the Surf Life Saving Sydney Senior Branch, Surf Boat and Board Riding Championships. These events brought together athletes from across the region, fostering healthy competition and promoting the spirit of surf lifesaving. Our club's ability to organise and host such events is a testament to the dedication and teamwork of our members. From a personal perspective, the sight of all members groups pulling together to deliver the prestigious Nutri-Grain event was unforgettable and something I hope we can replicate in future.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Several of our members were finalists at the Surf Life Saving Sydney Branch Awards of Excellence, including category winners George Benhayon (Branch Member of the Year) and myself (Facilitator of the Year). These awards celebrate the outstanding contributions and achievements of individuals within our club. We congratulate all those nominated for their hard work, commitment, and positive impact on our community.

In conclusion, 2023 has been a year of great success and progress for Maroubra Surf Life Saving Club. Our collective efforts, dedication, and the support of our sponsors have propelled us forward. I sincerely thank all our members, volunteers, sponsors, and supporters for their unwavering commitment and passion. Also, I thank our sponsors and members of local, state and federal government for their ongoing support and advocacy.

As we look to the future, we remain committed to our mission of ensuring beach safety, fostering community engagement, and promoting a vibrant surf culture. Together, we will continue to make a positive impact and keep Maroubra's beaches safe and enjoyable for all.

PHILLIP CARTER

President

MAROUBRA NIPPERS



This season will be remembered as when nippers were back on the beach after a couple of disjointed years. And we were back in force with 427 Nippers learning Surf Life Saving skills under the red and blue colours.

Not taking anything for granted, our entire Junior Development community made a point this season to ensure our Nippers could make the most of the season. The Junior Development Committee, Age Managers, Age Helpers, Water Safety, Coaches, Officials, and volunteering parents dedicated hours to make the season successful for the Maroubra Nippers.

Our Age Managers were outstanding and led by the ever so committed Junior Development Committee - John Georgas (Deputy), Victoria Park (Secretary), Tracie Barber (Age Manager Coordinator), Tresne Chesher (Registrar), Ben Hasler (Water Safety Coordinator), Megan Still (Education Officer), Cristina Pemberton (Race Secretary) and Grant Owen (Equipment Officer).

Amongst over 80 volunteers, Petrice Sullivan consistently showed up and contributed to the Junior Development group, wearing many hats as Age Assistant, Water Safety, Age Manager substitute, BBQ helper and earned herself the Volunteer of the Year Award. Congratulations, and thank you, Petrice!

Jasmine Georgas, with the help of Yasmin Grivell and Tony Grivell, successfully guided 23 U14s through their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC), proudly becoming active patrolling members to keep our beach safe. Miah Georgas and Max Sullivan were standout leaders in that group and were appointed Junior Captains. Alyssa Brown, Amelie Thistlethwaite, Noa di Cristo, Ethan Howard and Matthew Park also played a great role in that cohort and completed the Junior Leadership team.

Developing critical Surf Life Savings skills remains a strong trademark of our Nippers program. David Love, Megan Still, and Karol Petrovska were instrumental in ensuring that knowledge is passed on to the next generation, with several of our Junior members attaining the Basic Emergency Care and Resuscitation awards.

At Maroubra, parents also get to challenge themselves with many awards, such as the Age Manager Award, SRC for Parents and the Officials award. All great ways for parents and guardians to get involved with the club.

The Nippers program also offers opportunities outside our club with Sydney Branch events such as the Surf Sports Development Clinic, U11s and U13s Development Camps and the Pool Rescue Clinic. The Nippers showcase their skills, learn new ones, form new friendships and immerse themselves in the Surf Life Saving community. David Love, George Benhayon and the entire team from Sydney Branch

do an amazing job putting these events together.

We also had an eventful Surf Sports season with a packed calendar on and off our beach. First was the Randwick Shield in November, which saw Coogee, Clovelly, Maroubra and South Maroubra successfully competing in Maroubra. Mael Bertolotti, U9, enjoyed his first-ever carnival with first place for Flags and second place for Sprint. It was the start of a very successful season for Mael, who placed second for Flags and third for Sprint at the NSW State Championships. The Junior Branch Championships were hosted at Bondi Beach where our group showed their best on the day, as did our selection of 18 athletes at the NSW State Championships in Queenscliff. Zenn Pemberton was another successful competitor, with first place at the Branch Championship Surfing event in Maroubra.

Mid-way through the season, Maroubra hosted the Nutri-Grain Iron series. Everyone played a role and gave the competitors and the public the best experience possible. It also allowed our Nippers to participate in the celebrations, running up the beach with the athletes for the competitor's presentation on national TV.

Off the back of the Nutri-Grain competition, a select few Nippers also got to shoot a battle of codes commercial for Nutri-Grain and SLISA with Georgia Miller and NRL / AFL superstars Harry Grant and Joel Selwood. Matthew Park, Miah Georgas and Max Sullivan were among the few proud representatives of our club.

And to cap off the season, the 2022-23 Sydney Branch Awards of Excellence recognised the finest of the Maroubra Nippers program as finalists in the Junior Development category.

Amongst the carnivals, board training sessions and Sunday Nippers, we didn't forget to have some fun. The 60 kids who joined Nippers as U6s this year had a blast playfully discovering their new environment. They all had an awesome time, and I can't wait to see them back next season.

To add to the fun, Santa joined the fun activities on the beach with the help of countless volunteers and even the local firefighters making a splash at our makeshift beach pool. Later in the season, we spiced things up by hosting a twilight Nippers followed by some oven-baked pizzas in front of the club.

The 2023 season was action-packed and embodied what Surf Life Saving and Nippers is all about—becoming one with the beach and our community to better ourselves and others.

FABIEN MONCEAUX

Director of Junior Development

OUR CLUBS

NORTH BONDI SLSC

After almost a decade on the Board of Management at North Bondi Surf Life Saving Club, including four years as President, my time on the Board is ending this 2022-23 season.

It's been an absolute honour and privilege to be able to witness first-hand the tremendous things our members do every day. I'm looking forward to my ongoing membership and involvement with the Club and enjoying the many deep friendships that I have made. I am also grateful for the relationships I have formed with other clubs in Sydney Branch, particularly the other Club Presidents. The work you do in conjunction with Surf Life Saving Sydney contributes immeasurably to the safety and wellbeing of beachgoers on one of the busiest stretches of coastline in the world.

SEASON 2022-23

This year has been very successful by any measure for North Bondi. Some highlights that spring to mind include:

- Winning the Nippers and Masters State Championships overall point score trophies. We also had a great Aussies with our Masters coming second overall and our Opens also performing very strongly
- Sophia Garvin being awarded Sydney Branch Junior Life Saver of the Year
- Dr Gary Shiels being awarded an AM
- Richard Lissenden receiving the RESCA award
- Gerry Stephenson being awarded an ESM
- Claudia Hamilton awarded Sydney Branch & SLSNSW Rescue of the Month in January
- Implementing a Female Mentoring Program
- Raising the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Flags
- Hosting two successful Ocean Swims and popular weekly enduros and Biathlons

LOOKING BACK

If I look back over the last ten years, the story of North Bondi is one of steady evolution rather than revolution. Our Club is a key fixture of the local beachside community and has a culture of community service, sporting endeavour, cultural tolerance and egalitarianism. We are grounded in our four pillars of lifesaving, nippers, surf sports and social, supported by our education, training, and club administration. We strive to be a balanced Club with strength in all key areas.

LOOKING FORWARD

North Bondi has a storied past and a bright future. There have been profound changes since our inception and there will be even greater changes to come, but there is no reason to doubt our life saving traditions will remain relevant. All the Sydney Branch Clubs will need to adapt to the changing nature of their local communities, deal with demographic, social and environmental changes, and remain relevant. We also need to find a way to keep young people engaged as this is the group we struggle to maintain and is the group that is losing touch with the surf lifesaving movement. Greater flexibility will be needed.

Proudly, North Bondi is a beacon to many locals and to people from all over the world who want to experience a beachside culture where community service is valued. We are open to all and strive to maintain a diverse membership.

ANDREW CHRISTOPHER

President



NORTH BONDI NIPPERS

After a couple of years of disruptions, Nippers returned to record numbers at North Bondi, and it was great to see the buzz of North Bondi beach on Sunday mornings again. It's quite a magnificent sight to see the beach awash with our sponsor Ric Serrao's pink rashies and SLS red and yellow flags and tents and the smell of the North Bondi barbecue being run by our volunteers.

We had over 800 children from U6 to U14 register this season and we remain one of the larger programs across Sydney and Australia. Congratulations to all the children who participated in the 2022-23 North Bondi Nippers program and those who represented the Club at carnivals, Interbranch and Development Camps.

A key message that underpinned our plan for Nippers this year was to expose children to a range of experiences but to also improve their ocean skills. Fatal drownings on unpatrolled beaches in NSW rose by more than sixty per cent this summer, and without the skills of lifesavers, it would be far worse. Most of these drownings were swimmers caught in rips and swimming at unpatrolled beaches. It's a reminder of the value of our Nipper program and the very simple rules around water safety the children learn during the season.

Our program introduces children to surf life saving and the pathway to community service through lifesaving patrols. Nippers is just the beginning of this journey. Through the generosity of club members and sponsors we're fortunate that we can provide the full range of equipment and facilities to support Nipper participation. This includes a range of boards suitable for all age groups, Inflatable Rescue Boats (IRB), a morning setup crew to lay out the sand and water course, a team of water safety and the use of the pool in the north corner.

This season we were able to send a small group of U11 and U13 nippers to the annual Sydney Branch Development Camps. Developing lifesavers is the primary aim of our Nipper program and giving the children the opportunity to attend these camps is an important step on that lifesaving journey.

The club offers a competitive and non-competitive program. Some families join our Nipper program with a focus on learning to be safe in the ocean, and others want to take that skill further and compete at carnivals. Every child has something to offer, and we hope our Nipper families return and continue with the program so that their children become patrolling members.

As most of you would know, Nipper programs depend entirely on help from parents of the children involved. Without them, it simply cannot run. Thank you to our team of Age Managers, water safety, set up crew, and other helpers.

The culmination of our Nipper education program is the Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC). Congratulations to the 38 nippers who achieved their SRC and are now qualified to patrol and provide water safety. It's a significant achievement for these nippers and it offers them a valuable connection to the community and to our club.

Congratulations to SRC graduates, Sophia Garvin and Jack Wilkinson who were awarded the Club's Nipper of the Year by their peers. At presentation day, we also awarded our Competitor of the Year following the results at carnivals during the season, culminating in the State Age Championships. This year, U11 nipper Mia Hoo won seven gold medals at State and was the worthy recipient of this award.

This season North Bondi enjoyed its best result ever when we won the overall point score at the State Age Championships. It's the first time in the club's history we've won, and a testament to all those who have contributed many hours over many years. North Bondi also hosted the Waverley Shield and Branch Championship this season. It was great to see youth carnivals back in full swing after several years of disruption.

We look forward to another successful year for North Bondi Nippers as we continue to develop the next generation of young lifesavers.

NORTH BONDI NIPPERS

OUR CLUBS

NORTH CRONULLA SLSC

What was our season going to look like with no beach and no clubhouse?

Large storms ravished the Bate Bay beaches in June/ July 2022. North Cronulla Beach copped a large amount of damage, the erosion took out all the dunes which started to encroach into the walkways and we nearly lost the lifeguard tower. The rapid response by Sutherland Council must be commended by identifying and putting into action a solution that protected the North Cronulla precinct from any further damage.

Over the following three months a major project was undertaken to rebuild the beach front using sandstone boulders placed along the foreshore with new ramps built for easy access onto the beach. This was completed within the first few weeks of the patrolling season. The result has been amazing, with good beach access throughout the season. The sandstone boulders have been placed in such a way that it allows our roving members a clear viewing platform onto the beach. In mid-March 2023 sand dredging of the Port Hacking River took place with many metres of sand dropped off North Cronulla – the full result is yet to be realized.

Without a clubhouse we held our 2021-22 AGM at the Tradies Gynea. Much debate took place where members were concerned and nervous regarding the year ahead. The true character of our North Cronulla members shone bright where we joined together to have an almighty season. Whilst we have had many challenges everyone rolled up their sleeves and pitched in when needed. Our Education Team continued training our members using the Cronulla SLSC training facilities for their evening training sessions while alternating between our own beach and Cronulla for practical sessions. Our Lifesaving Team worked well throughout the year maintaining a high standard of patrols on the beach. Our Junior Activities Group had great weather with one of the most successful seasons in many years on our beach.

The redevelopment of the clubhouse has been a hot topic all season. We experienced a major delay towards the end of last season with ground contamination which held us back 4-5 months. Great progress was achieved towards Christmas with the ground floor slab poured. The first-floor slab was poured in April and major internal works of the old Clubhouse are well underway. There have been many challenges and hurdles and we'll continue to work on issues as they arise. The final result will be worthwhile for our members and the community. Early May 2023 I had the opportunity to take Local Member for Cook the Hon Scott Morrison through the clubhouse where he was impressed and is looking forward to seeing the building completed.

Yet again we produce members who do amazing things:

- Rodger Mentha was Awarded the Australian Fire Service Medal in Australian Day Honours
- Sari McKee & Warwick Cavanagh became World Champions in their respective fields.
- Warren Rennie – Cronulla Senior Citizen of the Year
- Shane Whittaker was part of the NSW Ambulance Operations Team deployed to Türkiye to help those impacted by the Türkiye earthquake
- Anthony Sobb – Deployment to Northern NSW for the floods
- Phoebe Kessey – Deployment to Western NSW for the floods
- Kane Hughes and Joel Wiseman – Worked in the NSW Emergency Control Centre during the NSW floods
- SLSNSW Awards of Excellence 2021-22 Season
 - Tom Rampoldi – Coach of the Year
 - Lucy Flanagan – Youth Athlete of the Year
 - Open Female Beach Relay Team – Team of the Year
 - Donna Hargreaves – SLSNSW Presidents Medal
- Celebrated Life Member Bert Jordan – 100th Birthday Milestone
- Surf Life Saving Sydney Awards of Excellence 2022-23
 - Dave Hargreaves – Official of the Year
 - North Cronulla / Elouera / Cronulla – Rescue of the Year
 - Sari McKee – Youth athlete of the Year
 - Anita Pryke – Trainer of the Year

Our Education Team worked hard with an increase in Advanced Resuscitation Technique Certificate (ARTC) holders being noticeable along with many members gaining their Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) crewman's and IRB Driver awards.

The members of our club rose to the challenge this season, dealing with adverse conditions both on the beach and with the ocean. The challenges of visitors to our beach not understanding these dangers put extra pressure on patrols. Our patrols rose to these challenges and were proactive in keeping the public aware of the many rips and issues along our beach and keeping swimmers within the flags which could be moved several times a day.

Many rescues were preformed this season, all resulting in the safe return home for our beach visitors. We had two small mass rescues on Christmas Eve before the beach was closed and then a major Mass rescue on 5th February with over 25 people returned to shore with some receiving CPR and oxygen therapy. This mass rescue also involved members from Elouera and Cronulla Surf Clubs, the Jet Ski service and the Council Lifeguards. All involved worked together for the best outcome, with the Senior Council Lifeguard having nothing but praise for all involved.



One afternoon in early March we experienced a Sea Mist, with visibility down to a few metres. As we could not see people in the water, patrol members jumped on boards and went to the back of the flagged area where they maintained guard resulting in three being rescued from panic.

We are blessed to have a club with so many competing athletes who train weekday afternoons. As a result, there are many rescues done outside of hours which are not recognised or recorded. I commended the members of North Cronulla for always being vigilant.

The patrols throughout the year have been strong, and when the call for extra assistance went out our members responded. When our competing members were at Branch, State and Australian titles the rest of the club banded together and maintained strong patrols on our beach.

Our members are a social bunch. Even without a clubhouse they continued to be involved in as much club activity as possible. Some highlights for this season:

- 24 Hour Row
- Rugby Day at Southern Districts – Great turnout for the Sea Lice game
- Paddle out for Zane West on Christmas Eve – A lovely reflection on our members
- Barefoot Bowls at Taren Point Bowling Club
- Interclub at Cronulla
- Cancer Relay for Life
- Cook Classic at Cronulla
- Every section also had their own get togethers

This year North Cronulla excelled in competition with results at the highest levels. For a club who was working out of containers we should all be so proud of the results. Our Nippers performed well at local carnivals; our seniors chased competition along the east coast. As a club our results at Branch (Nippers at North Bondi - Seniors at Maroubra) and State (Queenscliff) were outstanding with Gold medals and Personal Best's across all ages and disciplines.

The Club invested in two containers for moving equipment to the Australian Titles in Perth. A breakfast and team photo morning was held in the lead up with great attendance. This set the mood for our club competitors, as our performance in Perth was stellar coming home in eighth place which is a great result. The Sunday evening function was a highlight of the year with everyone in great spirits celebrating the club's successes.

All sections of the club chased extra events:

- Boaties tradition – George Bass event threw up some hurdles but the crews finished on top
- Board Riding – I had the pleasure watching our team of 25 compete at North Avoca and taking out the State Title – Well done to all

- Pool Rescue – A section on the rise with outstanding results across all ages.
- Sea Lice Rugby – Another strong season with some great results
- IRB Racing team – A section important to our club with many young members competing where surf was not kind early in the season. I hope they get the opportunities they deserve.
- The Chargers – four members travelled to Grafton to paddle 40km along the Clarence River

The Club without a Clubhouse held events

- Australia Day – Well attended and perfectly run
- Christmas Carnival Boats – Held at Kurnell due to conditions
- Weekly Nipper program – the most successful for years, with weekly BBQ and U13 fundraising each week in the park and full program on the beach.

A big thank you for Governments of all levels – The assistance we received in Federal, State and Local funding for our building program must be recognised. This support is making our dream a reality, the support is much appreciated and the community will all benefit from the support.

The sponsors and supporters of North Cronulla have again this season assisted the club maintain its core business of Lifesaving under very trying circumstances. Their financial or in-kind assistance has been valuable this season.

North Cronulla are lucky to have three other great clubs alongside it within Bate Bay. Our district is also well supported by the Lifeguard Service of Sutherland Shire Council. We meet monthly to discuss and improve our offering to the community. Having this network of support makes what we do a little easier.

The Board of Management at North Cronulla has been stable for many years, we have a team very committed to our members and the community. They continue to focus on being the best and producing great outcomes. This season without a home has been hard, but the BOM have remained focused and supportive.

It is important that I thank Peter Agnew, Branch President and his team for their continued support and hard work. I thank them for the leadership and continued push for improved change. The Branch representatives for the Bate Bay District – Brett Furness (Education) and Robert Short (Lifesaving), are both incredibly supportive and their knowledge exceptional, the work they both put in is appreciated.

The members of North Cronulla have an exciting year ahead – we cannot wait...

GEOFF BUDD
President

OUR CLUBS

SOUTH MAROUBRA SLSC



Colleagues, members, friends, supporters, it's with great pleasure I once again present to you our season 2022-23 year in review for the best community club in Sydney, South Maroubra SLSC.

In my 19th year as President of the club, so much has changed and evolved within our organisation, with more asked of our volunteers. Surf Life Saving Clubs are now year-round businesses still run predominately by volunteers on a shoestring budget. Long gone is the seasonal commitment which many people wished still existed.

To our year in review!

This season South Maroubra completed our planned commitments including hosting Carnivals, Ocean Swim, Fundraising Events, Branch Boatie Presentation and Socials. We travelled to Perth by road and air whilst also continuing our program of club improvements, future building plans and of course ensuring we looked after our supporters and sponsors all whilst delivering a successful surf season.

Lifesaving – once again led by our Lifesaving Director and this year's Sydney Branch Volunteer of the Year - Nicole Cooney, our club delivered growth within our lifesaving ranks with a good mix of ages throughout most patrols. Fortunately, with COVID-19 just a bad memory, this year saw surf conditions stabilise with fantastic beach weather resulting in large crowds capably managed by our proactive lifesavers. Taking out the Randwick Operational Area Patrol Efficiency Award along with Noah Teitler Branch Betty's Burgers Youth Lifesaver of the Year was a reflection on a very successful season.

It was also so pleasing to see the diverse range of education courses being provided to members including 79 new Bronze Medallion/Certificate II, 57 new Surf Rescue Certificates, 11 new Silver Medallion Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) Drivers, 24 new IRB Crew and 47 new Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (ART) awards. Quite the effort. The following lifesaving statistics were recorded - 70 aquatic Rescues, 2,520 Preventative Actions, 218 First Aid cases, with 'No Lives Lost'.

Competition – Led again by Shane White and Maria Garay, this season we again saw our younger 'Open' competitors excel at a range of Pool, Surf, Branch, State and Aussie events throughout the season with our competition future in good hands. Aussie results in Scarborough saw our Masters boaties take out Gold and Gold for our Masters female relay team. Our Youth excelled picking up Gold in beach sprint male, Gold in male flags, Bronze female flags, Bronze female beach relay, fifth beach sprint, seventh in belt, and finalist in the

surf race. Big thanks must go to our volunteer coaches that are the quiet achievers. Our IRB team is once again preparing for Round three as I write this report and were solid in last year's competition coming third at State Titles with three members in the State Team so great overall effort by South Maroubra Competitors.

Nippers – Led by Peter and Mary Kondilios saw yet again a massive turn out of under 6 to U14 children with 1,150 on the books, in fact the largest Nipper section in AUSTRALIA. Attracting such numbers doesn't happen by chance. South Maroubra is recognised as the place to come to for fun, friendship, skills and a reliable club to roll out a comprehensive education program in sometimes challenging conditions. If managing those numbers on a Sunday wasn't a sufficient challenge, our nipper coaches, parents and supporters also excelled at carnivals taking out fifth place at State Titles along with Branch AOE's Junior Male Athlete of the Year 9-10's, 11-12's, 13-14's, and Junior Age Manager of the Year.

Once again, a big thank you is extended to everyone that contributes to our successes both time, materials and financially. We always welcome any additional support as these children are tomorrow's volunteer lifesavers.

Acknowledging Major Supporters – Big thank you is extended to all our supporters including Michael Daley Member for Maroubra (congratulations Mick), Matt Thistlethwaite Member for Kingsford Smith, Dylan Parker Mayor of Randwick City Council and of course our great local Councillors.

Congratulations to outgoing Branch President Peter Agnew ESM who I believe will bring clubs along for the ride during the next several years as State President. Congratulations to Elissa Hancock incoming Branch President and all directors and staff who do a magnificent job. Thank you to Branch Sponsors for providing funding at the branch level in support of our clubs.

In closing I thank Linda our club Vice President and all directors, lifesavers, and members of South Maroubra for their efforts and ongoing support.

See you all 2023-24 season!

PAUL 'STRETCH' FOWNES APM OAM
President

SOUTH MAROUBRA NIPPERS



South Maroubra Nippers once again saw nipper registrations consistent with last season, with over 1,150 registered, making us the largest Nipper program in AUSTRALIA. This does not happen on its own. Our Nipper team consists of not only our nippers, but also includes parents, water safety, coaches, age managers, age assistants, committee, officials, competition team, educators and the patrols each Sunday morning. It really does take a village to run Nippers and how fortunate we are at South Maroubra that we have all these wonderful volunteers in our great team.

The education of our members is our priority but is achieved in conjunction with a balanced

approach to Sunday nipper activities and more formal competition events. We are blessed at South Maroubra to have an exceptional group of volunteer Age Managers, Water Safety

and Surf Sport Coaches. You make it happen each week and your roles are pivotal to the success of Nippers with your enthusiasm and passion for delivering this wonderful program to our nippers each week.

We once again elected a Nipper leadership committee from our under 14 Nippers. Congratulations to Christopher Kondilios and Emily Henville on being elected as Junior Club Captains, ably supported by a Committee of Carter Hughes, Zachary Stanilovskiy, Daniel Driscoll, Grace Madden, Lily Carter, Willow Skene, Aiden Renford, Kylar Vecellio, Amy Dickson & Isabella Di Blasio.

This group of young lifesavers are to be commended for the mature approach to these roles and onwards to their new lives as patrolling members. They were members of a 57 strong group, all achieving their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) and becoming active patrolling members for the community. Thanks to our Education and Training team for their efforts in getting this group ready for their assessment.

At a competition level, our season was once again very successful with a strong

117 representatives in our Competition & Touring Team. South Maroubra junior athletes were successful in finishing fourth in the overall point score at the NSW State Age Championships at Queenscliff and North Steyne. It comes after months of planning and training and is just a reward for the nippers, coaches, officials and water safety. Each of these roles played a part in achieving this result. We also sent a large contingent of nippers to compete at the NSW State Pool Lifesaving Championships, with some of our junior athletes announcing themselves as stars of pool lifesaving. In a super tight overall club point score, we finished third with only one point separating us.

Our Junior Development Programs success was recognised at the 2022 SLS Sydney Branch Awards of Excellence with finalists in the Junior Development Category being:

- Nicholas Kondilios - Junior Athlete of the Year 9-10 yrs male
- Dewa Putu Krishna Inder - Junior Athlete of the Year 11-12 yrs male
- Christopher Kondilios - Junior Athlete of the Year 13-14 yrs male
- Sarah Teitler - Junior Age Manager of the Year
- Nipper March Past Team - Junior Team of the Year

These awards are a recognition of the hard work and dedication for all these finalists. Congratulations to Nicholas, Krishna, Christopher & Sarah who then took out these awards.

Thank you to all at Sydney Branch for your ongoing support of our Nipper Program. It is a testament to your hard work and determination that we are able to deliver such a successful Nipper season, Nipper development camps (the highlight of the season!), ongoing training and surf carnivals.

To our Nipper sponsors, Nixco and Holfords Pool Services, thanks for your continued support of South Maroubra Nippers. Without your ongoing assistance, we could not deliver the program we do.

On a personal note, I would like to express my appreciation to Paul Fownes our President, Linda Perin our Vice President and all of the Board of Directors, Lifesavers and members of our great club of South Maroubra for their ongoing assistance in my second season as Director of Youth. We are very fortunate at South Maroubra SLSC to have such a committed and engaging leadership team.

Finally, to the nippers, thank you for turning up each week willing to learn and participate in

this uniquely Australian pastime. Your enthusiasm is the reason why you have many volunteers willing to assist you.

See you all for the 2023-24 season.

#WeAreSthBra

PETER KONDILIOS
Director of Youth

OUR CLUBS

TAMARAMA SLSC

I can report with great pride on another season of "no lives lost" at Tamarama. This year was not short of challenges, yet our club has risen through the difficulties. Our spirit of inclusion, professionalism and generosity was stronger than ever.

Tamarama SLSC is grateful to its patrolling members and to incredible patrol captains who lead with enthusiasm, providing leadership, training, and giving their unwavering dedication to the cause.

SO CLOSE YET SO FAR

We were all eagerly anticipating the completion of the clubhouse renovation this year when another roadblock got in the way and delayed the project further. The news that our builder Lloyd Group entered administration hit many organizations, including our club. Throughout the construction process we have worked well with Waverley Council and continue to do so to find a way to resume works on site as quickly as possible. As I write this, tenders for a new builder to take over the site are being assessed and new contractor will be appointed shortly. On behalf of the surf club I would like to commend the efforts of the Building Committee of Mike Turner, Richard Hamilton, Ronan MacSweeney for their work to date. I also thank all our members for their ongoing support and patience.

The community consultation process about a new kiosk within the new clubhouse has started earlier this year and we are expecting the results shortly. This is the next step in delivering a small commercial tenancy that can provide revenue to the club and relieve pressure on our hall hire and fundraising activities.

OUR SUPPORTERS

The building would not be possible without our institutional supporters Waverley Council, the NSW and Federal Governments for their ongoing assistance. Our gratitude goes also to our corporate supporters Easts Group and Sculptures by The Sea for their financial contributions and to Versatile and Dulux for their in-kind support. A big thank you for all our existing and new donors: every dollar helps to rebuild the club.

OUR INCLUSIVE CLUB

For another year Tamarama SLSC has led the way for inclusion and diversity through the work of the 'She is a Lifesaver' team and through the participation to the World Pride Celebrations and to Lifesavers with Pride. This is the second year of our 'She's a Lifesaver' campaign that continues to address the under-representation of women in surf lifesaving. The aim of the campaign is to increase the active membership of women in surf lifesaving and support their personal and professional development within the organisation. When we started the campaign two years ago, women made up 28% of our active members at the club. It is



a pleasure to report that women now make up 34% of the active members of our club, and now 1% of our members identify as non-binary or gender diverse.

We believe that accepting everyone for who they are and encouraging diversity, new thinking, new ways of doing things contribute to our members feeling valued, supported and fulfilled.

A special mention goes to the She is a Lifesaver committee Sandra Fox, Lisa Bodrero, Michelle Cowans, Sue Jackson, Audrey Rollin, Charlotte Mann, Ellie Pietsch, Jemima Wadell and to all the volunteers who dedicated countless hours to this project and to the International Women's Day event (Bill Shires, Tim Murray, Gretchen Masters and Patrols 7 and 10)

A GREAT YEAR FOR EDUCATION & MEMBER WELFARE

It was a great year as the Education team trained 36 new Bronzies and 5 Surf Rescue Certificates, bringing Tamarama 151 active patrollers, close to the highest Tamarama has been. This wouldn't have been possible without the great help of our Chief Training Officer (CTO) Arnauld Delachaise, Deputy CTO Andrew, Lead Trainer David Murphy and Guy Waddell teaching the SRC's.

A huge thank you go to all the trainers, aspiring trainers and Water Safety who consistently showed up on Saturdays to help. A special thank you goes to former CTO Michelle Cowans for setting up our education material and systems.

This year we renewed our focus on member protection and welfare. Thank you to registrar Lisa Bodrero and to Louise Thompson for their assistance in developing initiatives aimed at helping us look after one another.

A NEW CONSTITUTION

This year we have reviewed our rules with the objective of modernising them and to improve our governance. Thank you to Sue Jackson, Tom Bodger, Tim Murray and Phil Hogan for bringing their expertise to the table and for developing the new constitution we will be voting on soon.

NEXT YEAR

Predicting the completion of the clubhouse has become notoriously hard to make but I would like to think that by the end of the year we will be able to have a hot shower again! With the clubhouse finished we will be looking at restarting Migrant Beach Days and our education programmes and resume our social activities at the clubhouse.

We have also been working with Bronte SLSC on sharing their Sustainability Strategy and seeing what we can build as a joined-up sustainability approach across our bay.

VALE WIL BAILEY

Tamarama SLSC lost one of its most fabulous members this year. Wil embodied the spirit of inclusiveness and kindness we hold so dear at Tamarama - he is missed every day.

MATTEO SALVAL

President

TAMARAMA NIPPERS



Compared to the challenges offered by the 2021-22 season (COVID-19, weather et al.), the 2022-23 season was a breeze. Unfortunately, the club was without a clubhouse for the second season in a row. Post Nipper season end, the contracted builder went bust which we hope will not delay the club completion for a third season.

The Sun Gods were out during the season and provided arguably the best conditions we've seen for many years with favourable surf and beach conditions, and plenty of sunshine (ideal considering no clubhouse).

The club increased Nipper membership by 11% to 111 active Nippers including a doubling of the U6 nipper cohort to 29. Additionally, we had 8 members graduate from Nippers to the Senior Club with their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) qualification.

Friday afternoon training sessions at North Bondi developing water and board skills continued under the tutelage of Annabelle Paterson who volunteered her time with a cross section of age groups participating (U6 to U13). This enhanced the competition squads at carnivals and developed vital skills for handling the challenging beach conditions which Tamarama produces.

We participated in most carnivals with a solid group of competitors who received outstanding results and plenty of medals – a fantastic performance for a small club.

Our "Holly Days" indigenous program – run by Jo Miller – focussed on providing a Nipper experience for the La Perouse aboriginal community continued and nears 20 years of collaboration between the Club, and the La Perouse Community.

Thanks must go to:

- Club President Matteo Salval and the Executive Committee who continue to support the Nipper program
- Junior Activities (Nipper) management team including Brad Charters and Shay Deguara.
- Age Managers who went above and beyond to deliver another memorable season and a wonderful experience for the nippers

- Water Safety (including recently graduated SRC's) who demonstrated their newly learnt skills, developed their leadership competence and ensured no lives were lost
- Sunday morning patrols who provided inspiration to our "lifesavers of the future" and additional water safety
- The BBQ team who met the challenge of cooking sausages for the army of nippers and their families from the Gear Shed (again).
- Waverley lifeguards who provided backup to the patrol and water safety teams, and tolerated and supported the enthusiasm shown by our nippers
- Sydney Branch Nippers President Dave Love and his team who provided administration support.
- Network Ten again agreed to be a major sponsor of the Tamarama Nipper program. Their continued funding allows the Nippers Swim & Board Skills program held at North Bondi on Friday afternoons.
- SRC Trainer, Guy Waddell who for many years has ensured our nippers transition into the senior club and achieve their Surf Rescue Certificate along the way.
- Jo Miller's ongoing selfless commitment to the "Holly Days" program is enormously appreciated. The program partners with Weave and allows indigenous kids from the La Perouse area to participate in the Tamarama Nippers program. Many participants have achieved their Surf Rescue Certificate and Bronze Medallion. Jo co-ordinates every aspect of the program from registration through to delivery. It is an enormous contribution, and our thanks go to her for ensuring the program continues.

The Club – and the Nipper Team – delivered another successful season which strengthened the community, provided fun for the kids, developed their skills on the sand and in the surf as well as offering them a pathway to become our lifesavers of the future.

JON HANCOCK

Junior Activities Director

OUR CLUBS

WANDA SLSC



Again, this season Wanda SLSC members and supporters have achieved some fantastic results both on and off the beach. We are proud of our one club ethos and how this drives our culture and decision making in our club.

Wanda rostered 13 patrols and continued the last couple of 100% patrol efficiency seasons. With no COVID-19 restrictions this season we saw a heavy competition load and carnival support quotas placed on our membership. As a consequence we experienced some lean patrol numbers during both the competition period and the shoulder season. Notwithstanding the additional load away from Wanda it was pleasing to see that we were still committed to assisting Garie SLSC (Royal National Park) and Fairy Meadow SLSC (Illawarra) with patrol members.

We had a number of new trainers, and this produced pleasing results in new awards, with a total of 183 members achieving new awards. This compared to the 2021-22 season with 128 awards.

It was great to see our Club Captain, Denny Rowlands in his capacity as Trainer being awarded the Sydney Branch Community Education Program of the Year for the Swim Brother Program. We are excited about welcoming another squad to our club this winter.

After two rescheduled dates, Wanda's 75th Year Anniversary was finally celebrated on Saturday 14 August 2022. A Celebration Lunch in our Founders Room at Wanda SLSC marked the occasion. Nearly 300 members, past and present, and invited guests came together to celebrate the milestone and enjoyed many stories from the past, reminisced about the good old days and gained an insight on how the club and the surf lifesaving movement has progressed over the years. We also remembered all those past members we have lost over the years, many who have shaped our great club into what it is today. (Photo: Dignitaries in attendance).

We held two carnivals this year. In October we ran the SLSS Boat Series Round 2, and in November we held our annual "Tradies One Club Carnival", where we had over 1,200 athletes competing. Our huge thanks to Cronulla and North Cronulla Surf Life Saving Clubs for supporting the Carnival by holding junior aged water

events at Cronulla and beach sprints and flags at North Cronulla when we were faced with a combination of a large swell and a king high tide on the day.

With Aussies held in Perth this season we saw numbers drop in our surf sports participation. Despite this Wanda still excelled at championship carnivals. The club was placed first in the Opens Overall Sydney Branch point score and at The Australian Titles held at Scarborough beach Western Australia finished seventh overall and second out of the NSW clubs. We saw one Open Gold medal at this year's Aussies and remarkably seven Gold medalists at the Youth Aussies.

I take this opportunity to congratulate the Sutherland Shire Council Lifeguards on another successful season. La Nina weather pattern continued to pummel the east coast and the Bate Bay bore the brunt of this causing significant erosion to all beaches. Particularly our access ways resembled cliffs which we addressed with assistance from Council and for their fast remediation work we are extremely grateful. The devastation of the weather was not just prominent on our beaches; parks roads and buildings were also affected and required Councils resources.

I would like to acknowledge Sydney Branch for their coordination to celebrated 40 Years of Women in Surf Lifesaving. The celebratory luncheon held in August 2022 was represented by a contingent of Wanda's original Bronze Medallion qualifiers. We also took this opportunity to invite several female Long Service members and female leaders of our club.

Our sponsors have been very supportive this season, and thankfully this season we have had a number of opportunities to thank them face to face.

Lastly, I would like to congratulate Wanda's Board of Management and members for their ongoing efforts and consistent results across all functions of our club. We are now all looking forward to organising a successful 'Sutherland2Surf' Fun Run being held on Sunday 16 July.

NATHAN SPINNER

President

WANDA NIPPERS



It's been a very busy season for our nippers with lots of smiles, friendships, and success! After a couple of interrupted seasons, it was wonderful to see everything back in full swing.

From our littlest Under 6's playing tug-o-war in their bright yellow sun shirts to our oldest nippers taking on the waves out the back, Sunday mornings at Wanda continued to be a mirage of colour and excitement. It is always fun to watch our nippers developing their skills on the sand and in the water and learning more about sun and surf safety. Our coaches, working in tandem with our age managers and a very structured program, made sure that every Sunday was engaging, educational and most of all, fun.

There are a vast array of skills, experience, and confidence when it comes to our nippers in the ocean, and we were particularly proud of the implementation of our Board Confidence and Water Confidence Programs this season. We saw great outcomes from these.

We also continue to be proud of our Red Fins Inclusive Program which is in its fifth year. The program brings together a terrific group of young and older members, patrol members and water safety team to ensure this is a wonderful and safe experience.

We were pleased to see the 4-Way Carnival back for the first time in three years. It is a great collaboration between the Bate Bay clubs. Our nippers had so much fun competing against their friends from neighbouring clubs.

The Tradies Wanda One Club Carnival was hit with huge surf on a king tide and limited beach space. This led to the carnival being held across three beaches - Wanda, North Cronulla and Cronulla. It was a huge undertaking to move a carnival with over 1,200 participants to new locations at the last minute.

The Sydney Branch Carnival was held at North Bondi - for the first time in a decade. Our nippers had a great two days of competition, and we were delighted to finish top of the point score.

We then moved onto the State Championships at North Steyne and Queenscliff where Wanda finished the State Nippers point score in third place with 224 points - our largest points tally for many years. Congratulations to all our nippers - you all gave 100%, showed great sportsmanship and represented Wanda proudly. Thanks also to all our volunteers for their contribution to a very successful State Champs.

A huge thank you to our coaches for the wonderful job they did in preparing our nippers for the competition season.

Our Under 13's and Under 14's travelled over to Perth at the end of March to compete at Aussies. The group achieved incredible results with many making semi-finals and finals. We had four Australian Gold medals won by our nippers which is outstanding!

It was great to see the representative pathways back in action this season. Wanda had ten nippers selected to represent the winning Sydney team at the Interbranch Carnival.

Two of those nippers then went on to represent the successful NSW team in the Interstate Challenge.

On the education front, we saw our nippers enthusiastically taking part in their education sessions - practicing CPR, learning signals, learning how to spot rips and general beach safety. We had a particular focus on sun safety this season. We again had several nippers attending the Sydney Branch Development Camps - making new friends and learning more about lifesaving. We are proud of all our lifesavers in training.

Our Under 14's passed their Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) and excitedly joined our patrols. We congratulate our Junior Activities Group (JAG) Captains on being named finalists in the Sydney Branch Junior Lifesaver of the Year. We thank both our Captains and Vic Captains Zac for representing all our nippers as leaders.

We were delighted to learn that one of our Under 14's put his years of training into practice and assisted with a rescue down the coast over the New Year period while he was on holidays with his family. This was a great example of the benefits of the Nipper Program.

Our Under 14's were again off to Penrith to celebrate their final year as nippers. A jam packed few days of activities and so many memories were created. We wish all our U14's the very best and sincerely hope all our Purple Caps (kids and parents!) stay involved in the club.

There are so many people to thank for their great contribution:

- Our volunteer army - age managers, water safety, IRB team, carnival officials, BBQ & set up crews.
- Our sponsors - whose funds allow us to buy and maintain all our equipment, provide the best coaching, and give the best experience to all our kids.
- The parents who have stepped forward to complete their SRC, Bronze, Inflatable Rescue Boat (IRB) and advanced courses. What a great example for the kids to see mum and dad in the red and yellow.
- Wanda's Board of Management for their support of the Nipper Program
- Our JAG committee and those in supporting roles. The amount of work that has been undertaken is quite incredible.

I wish all our families a safe and relaxing off season. I look forward to seeing all the smiling faces back on our favourite beach soon!

FIONA SUTTON
Director JAG



SECTION 10

FINANCIALS



FINANCIALS

DIRECTOR OF FINANCE REPORT

The 2022-23 season was tremendous operationally and financially with all that my fellow Directors and I achieved with Sydney Branch having the first normal year since Covid and the floods and fires the year before. Overall the Financial Statements show a strong Balance Sheet and a successful position with an Operating profit of \$120,870 which was substantially supported by our incredible sponsorship partner, Betty's Burgers (\$150,000) and continued support from our major sponsor for over twenty years, Sydney Airport (\$80,000). TransDev became a sponsor this year supporting Education (\$25,000).

Thanks also to the support from Surf Life Lifesaving Australia's major sponsors, Westpac, DHL, Ampol and Isuzu Ute, support from PKF and Safe365, our digital health and safety partner, and NSW Surf Lifesaving, we have had the ability to fund Sydney Branch and continue our financial stability to oversee and deliver increased surf rescue and operations, 24 hour emergency support, surf sports, and junior and senior member services to our 15 Clubs and community which represents the most populated coastal region in Australia.

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The Financial Statements show a saving of around \$200,000 compared to our approved budget due to a combination of revenue increases and expense savings. The underlying operating result is a profit of \$120,870. Operating revenue was \$605,170 which was up \$24,281 on the previous year. Sponsorship & Government Grants \$353,091 decreased compared to last year by \$29,146. Competition and Event fees \$132,388 exceeded last year by \$43,742 due to the Branch Carnival last year being scaled down with events being cancelled with unfavourable sea conditions. Capitation Fees of \$119,691 were up by \$9,685 compared to last year which was due to increased Surf Club memberships.

We assessed the management of our significant Rental Property investment and its invaluable revenue stream this year. We appointed a new Agent to manage the rental properties and reassessed the COVID benefits provided to our current tenants and rentals in line with industry practices. Both properties were assessed in relation to market returns and current tenants agreed to new commercial leases in 2023 for two years with options for an additional terms at market rates. We recouped outstanding rents due to Covid of \$32,445. As a result our rental property income was \$252,272 which increased by \$63,475 compared to last year.

The Statement of Cash Flows indicates that Sydney Branch received operating revenues of \$1,017,422 (previous year \$730,808) and spent \$830,965 (previous year \$726,648) on operating expenses (which included the Branch Carnival being held at three beaches over

five days compared to previous years (over two days). Even with this extra pressure on cash, the current year has resulted in a substantial cash increase of \$151,067 (previous year decrease of \$28,411).

The Branch continues to expand services which, even though a challenging year, resulted in an expenditure of \$712,064 which exceed last year by \$76,085. Most activities from Life Saving and Operations, Surf Sports, Education and Junior Services continued in line with budgets. Increased costs of \$61,332 were mainly due to the Awards of Excellence, additional employee support and development of the new website.

Member Services events continued with events successfully held virtually which resulted in substantial savings which were channelled into our second separate Junior and Senior Awards of Excellence held at Royal Randwick Racecourse. The separate events being held on the same day and location resulted in more than 600 members attending and celebrating our members significant achievements this year.

I would like to congratulate my fellow Directors for their financial prudence, stewardship and the many hours they dedicated to support our financial result for Sydney Branch this year.

I would also like to thank Linda Perrin who is a foundation of knowledge and support and Catherine Woodside, who did an excellent job co-ordinating the Branch events in her first year in a challenging but hopefully, rewarding position.

Sydney Branch are also very appreciative of the professionalism and support of Sharon Porter of 2 Aspire who has managed the financial accounting for many years.

I would like to thank Paul Farrugia as Financial Advisor, Phillip Carter as Assistant Finance Director and the Finance Committee and Audit Committee of Paul Rushton, Kristy McIntyre Paul Farrugia and Phillip Carter who supported my challenges with the properties this year.

I am stepping down this year, but I believe the financial results and investment properties are in a good position for future years. Finally, I would like to thank all the Surf Club President's, and other members of our Branch for their support and encouragement over my two years as Director of Finance.

ATHENIA PASCOE

Director of Finance, Surf Life Saving Sydney

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Committees' Report
31 May 2023

The Executive Committee present their financial report on Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated for the financial year ended 31 May 2023.

General information

Executive Committee members

The names of committee members throughout the year and at the date of this report are:

Peter Agnew ESM	President (Resigned 20/05/23)
Elissa Hancock	Deputy President (Acting President from 21/05/23)
Athenia Pascoe	Director of Finance
Marissa Saunders	Director of Administration
David Love	Director of Junior Development
Doug Hawkins	Director of Members Services
Carlo Vilanti	Director of Surf Sport
Scott Muir	Director of Lifesaving and Support Operations
Craig Howie	Director of Education

Principal activities

The principal activity of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated during the financial year was to act as a charity to save lives, create great Australians & build better communities within the Sydney region.

Significant changes

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


Review of Operations


The net surplus from operations for the financial year amounted to \$120,870 (2022: surplus of \$1,621,317).

Events after the reporting date

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or could significantly affect the operations of the Incorporation, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Incorporation in future financial years.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members of the Committee:


Committee member:
Peter Agnew ESM


Committee member:
Elissa Hancock

Dated 19 July 2023



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Auditor's Independence Declaration under the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 to the Directors of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 31 May 2023, there have been:

- (i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 in relation to the audit; and
- (ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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SCOTT TOBUTT
PARTNER

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Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the Year Ended 31 May 2023

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
Operating Revenue			
Sponsorship & Government Grants		353,091	382,237
Capitation fees		119,691	110,006
Competition & event fees		132,388	88,646
		<u>605,170</u>	<u>580,889</u>
Operating Expenditure			
Competition and event running costs		(171,988)	(110,656)
Employee benefits expense		(162,737)	(130,243)
Depreciation and amortisation expense		(31,798)	(27,695)
Other operating expenses	4	(345,541)	(367,385)
		<u>(712,064)</u>	<u>(635,979)</u>
Net deficit from operations		<u>(106,894)</u>	<u>(55,090)</u>
Other income and expenditure			
Interest received		2,462	383
Gain on sale of fixed asset		-	1,038
Miscellaneous income		12,918	49,265
Rental property income	3	256,272	192,797
Rental property expenses	3	(43,888)	(47,076)
Fair value movements on investment property	10	-	1,480,000
		<u>227,764</u>	<u>1,676,407</u>
Current year surplus before income tax		<u>120,870</u>	<u>1,621,317</u>
Income tax expense		-	-
Net current year surplus		<u>120,870</u>	<u>1,621,317</u>
Other comprehensive income		-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year		<u>120,870</u>	<u>1,621,317</u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Financial Position As At 31 May 2023

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	737,748	586,681
Trade and other receivables	6	1,300	51,869
Other financial assets	7	167,326	165,809
Other assets	8	28,533	21,977
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		934,907	826,336
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	9	114,854	107,980
Investment property	10	5,350,000	5,350,000
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		5,464,854	5,457,980
TOTAL ASSETS		6,399,761	6,284,316
LIABILITIES			
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	11	61,376	67,841
Employee benefits		34,229	35,526
Other financial liabilities	12	5,860	3,523
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		101,465	106,890
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		-	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES		101,465	106,890
NET ASSETS		6,298,296	6,177,426
MEMBERS' FUNDS			
Retained surplus		6,298,296	6,177,426
TOTAL MEMBERS' FUNDS		6,298,296	6,177,426

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Changes in Equity For the Year Ended 31 May 2023

	Retained Surplus \$
Balance at 1 June 2022	6,177,426
Surplus for the year	120,870
Balance at 31 May 2023	6,298,296
Balance at 1 June 2021	4,556,109
Surplus for the year	1,621,317
Balance at 31 May 2022	6,177,426

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended 31 May 2023

	2023	2022
Note	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Receipts from members, grants and sponsorship	1,017,422	730,808
Payments to suppliers and employees	(830,965)	(726,648)
Interest received	945	383
Net cash provided by operating activities	16 187,402	4,543
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(50,035)	(34,402)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	11,363	3,546
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities	(38,672)	(30,856)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Net proceeds from/(repayment of) borrowings	2,337	(2,098)
Net cash provided by/(used in) financing activities	2,337	(2,098)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents held	151,067	(28,411)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	586,681	615,092
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial year	5 737,748	586,681

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 May 2023

1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements are for Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc. ("the Incorporation") as a not-for-profit individual entity domiciled in Australia.

Surf Life Saving Sydney Inc. is not a reporting entity because the Board of Directors is of the opinion that there are unlikely to exist users who are able to command the preparation of financial reports tailored to satisfy all of their information needs. Therefore this report is a Special Purpose Financial Report that has been prepared solely to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Board, the requirements of the *Charitable Fundraising Act 1991* and *Australian Charities and Not-for-profit Commission Act 2012*.

The special purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the significant accounting policies described below and do not comply with any Australian Accounting Standards unless otherwise stated.

The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities.

Significant account policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and are consistent with prior reporting periods unless otherwise stated.

(b) Revenue and other income

The core principle of AASB 15 is that revenue is recognised on a basis that reflects the transfer of promised goods or services to customers at an amount that reflects the consideration the Incorporation expects to receive in exchange for those goods or services.

1. Identify the contract with the customer
2. Identify the performance obligations
3. Determine the transaction price
4. Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations
5. Recognise revenue as and when control of the performance obligations is transferred

Generally the timing of the payment for sale of goods and rendering of services corresponds closely to the timing of satisfaction of the performance obligations, however where there is a difference, it will result in the recognition of a receivable, contract asset or contract liability.

None of the revenue streams of the Incorporation have any significant financing terms as there is less than 12 months between receipt of funds and satisfaction of performance obligations.

Specific revenue streams

The revenue recognition policies for the principal revenue streams of the Incorporation are:

Donations

Donations collected, including cash and goods for resale, are recognised as revenue when the Incorporation gains control of the asset.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(b) Revenue and other income

Grant Revenue

Where grant income arises from an agreement which is enforceable and contains sufficiently specific performance obligations then the revenue is recognised when control of each performance obligations is satisfied.

Each performance obligation is considered to ensure that the revenue recognition reflects the transfer of control and within grant agreements there may be some performance obligations where control transfers at a point in time and others which have continuous transfer of control over the life of the contract.

Where control is transferred over time, generally the input methods being either costs or time incurred are deemed to be the most appropriate methods to reflect the transfer of benefit.

Membership subscription income

Membership subscription income is recognised over the period in which the services are rendered and corresponds to the satisfaction of performance obligations and transfer of control to the customer.

Amounts received in advance are recognised as deferred income and credited to profit and loss on a straight line basis over the expected subscription period.

(c) Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of the cost of that asset.

All other borrowing costs are recognised as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

(d) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payable are stated inclusive of GST.

Cash flows in the statement of cash flows are included on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is classified as operating cash flows.

(e) Property, plant and equipment

Property Plant and Equipment are carried at historical cost less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation.

The depreciation amount of all property, plant and equipment is depreciated over the useful lives of the assets to the entities commencing from the time the asset is held and ready for use.

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(e) Property, plant and equipment

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable asset are shown below:

Fixed Asset Class	Depreciation rate
Plant and Equipment	7.5% - 40%
Leasehold improvements	2.5% - 10%

At the end of each annual reporting period, the depreciation method, useful life and residual value of each asset is reviewed. Any revisions are accounted for prospectively as a change in estimate.

(f) Investment property

Investment property is held to generate long term rental yields and/or for capital appreciation. All tenant leases are on an arm's length basis. Investment property is carried at fair value determined by current market values every three years. Changes to the fair value are recorded separately as an income or expense items directly in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

(g) Financial instruments

Financial instruments are recognised initially on the date that the Incorporation becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

On initial recognition, all financial instruments are measured at fair value plus transaction costs (except for instruments measured at fair value through profit or loss where transaction costs are expensed as incurred).

Financial Assets

All recognised financial assets are subsequently measured in their entirety at either amortised cost or fair value, depending on the classification of the financial assets.

Classification

On initial recognition, the Incorporation classifies its financial assets into the following categories, those measured at:

- amortised cost

Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their initial recognition unless the Incorporation changes its business model for managing financial assets.

Amortised cost

The Incorporation's financial assets measured at amortised cost comprise trade and other receivables and cash and cash equivalents in the statement of financial position.

Subsequent to initial recognition, these assets are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method less provision for impairment. Interest income, foreign exchange gains or losses and impairment are recognised in profit or loss. Gain or loss on derecognition is recognised in profit or loss.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(g) Financial instruments

Impairment of financial assets

Impairment of financial assets is recognised on an expected credit loss (ECL) basis for the following assets:

- financial assets measured at amortised cost

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial assets has increased significantly since initial recognition and when estimating ECL, the Incorporation considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis based on the Incorporation's historical experience and informed credit assessment and including forward looking information.

The Incorporation uses the presumption that an asset which is more than 30 days past due has seen a significant increase in credit risk.

The Incorporation uses the presumption that a financial asset is in default when:

- the other party is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Incorporation in full, without recourse to the Incorporation to actions such as realising security (if any is held); or
- the financial assets is more than 90 days past due.

Credit losses are measured as the present value of the difference between the cash flows due to the Incorporation in accordance with the contract and the cash flows expected to be received. This is applied using a probability weighted approach.

Trade receivables

Impairment of trade receivables have been determined using the simplified approach in AASB 9 which uses an estimation of lifetime expected credit losses. The Incorporation has determined the probability of non-payment of the receivable and multiplied this by the amount of the expected loss arising from default.

The amount of the impairment is recorded in a separate allowance account with the loss being recognised in finance expense. Once the receivable is determined to be uncollectable then the gross carrying amount is written off against the associated allowance.

Where the Incorporation renegotiates the terms of trade receivables due from certain customers, the new expected cash flows are discounted at the original effective interest rate and any resulting difference to the carrying value is recognised in profit or loss.

Other financial assets measured at amortised cost

Impairment of other financial assets measured at amortised cost are determined using the expected credit loss model in AASB 9. On initial recognition of the asset, an estimate of the expected credit losses for the next 12 months is recognised. Where the asset has experienced significant increase in credit risk then the lifetime losses are estimated and recognised.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(h) Impairment of Assets

At the end of each reporting period the Incorporation determines whether there is evidence of an impairment indicator for non-financial assets.

Where assets do not operate independently of other assets, the recoverable amount of the relevant cash-generating unit (CGU) is estimated.

The recoverable amount of an asset or CGU is the higher of the fair value less costs of disposal and the value in use. Value in use is the present value of the future cash flows expected to be derived from an asset or cash-generating unit.

Where the recoverable amount is less than the carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss.

Reversal indicators are considered in subsequent periods for all assets which have suffered an impairment loss.

(i) Intangible assets

Intangible assets are recognised at cost of acquisition. Intangible assets have a finite life and are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any impairment losses. Intangible assets are amortised over their useful life of 3 years

(j) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprises cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments which are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

(k) Leases

At inception of a contract, the Incorporation assesses whether a lease exists - i.e does the contract convey the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

This involves an assessment of whether:

- The contract involves the use of an identified asset - this may be explicitly or implicitly identified within the agreement. If the supplier has a substantive substitution right then there is no identified asset.
- The Incorporation has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from the use of the asset throughout the period of use.
- The Incorporation has the right to direct the use of the asset i.e decision making rights in relation to changing how and for what purpose the asset is used.

Lessee accounting

The non-lease components included in the lease agreement have been separated and are recognised as an expense as incurred.

At the lease commencement, the Incorporation recognises a right-of-use asset and associated lease liability for the lease term. The lease term includes extension periods where the Incorporation believes it is reasonably certain that the option will be exercised.

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1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(k) Leases

The right-of-use asset is measured using the cost model where cost on initial recognition comprises of the lease liability, initial direct costs, prepaid lease payments, estimated cost of removal and restoration less any lease incentives received.

The right-of-use asset is depreciated over the lease term on a straight line basis and assessed for impairment in accordance with the impairment of assets accounting policy.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments at the commencement of the lease. The discount rate is the rate implicit in the lease, however where this cannot be readily determined then the Incorporation's incremental borrowing rate is used.

Subsequent to initial recognition, the lease liability is measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. The lease liability is remeasured whether there is a lease modification, change in estimate of the lease term or index upon which the lease payments are based (e.g. CPI) or a change in the Incorporation's assessment of lease term.

Where the lease liability is remeasured, the right-of-use asset is adjusted to reflect the remeasurement or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

Exceptions to lease accounting

The Incorporation has elected to apply the exceptions to lease accounting for both short-term leases (i.e. leases with a term of less than or equal to 12 months) and leases of low-value assets. The Incorporation recognises the payments associated with these leases as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

(l) Employee benefits

Provision is made for the Incorporation's liability for employee benefits, those benefits that are expected to be wholly settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled.

Employee benefits expected to be settled more than one year after the end of the reporting period have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits. In determining the liability, consideration is given to employee wage increases and the probability that the employee may satisfy vesting requirements. Cashflows are discounted using market yields on national government bonds with terms to maturity that match the expected timing of cashflows. Changes in the measurement of the liability are recognised in profit or loss.

(m) Adoption of new and revised accounting standards

The Incorporation has adopted all of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB). There are no new and revised Accounting Standards and Interpretations effective for the current year that are relevant to the Incorporation.

(n) Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables represent the liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period for goods and services received by the Incorporation during the reporting period that remain unpaid. The balance is recognised as a current liability with the amounts normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability.

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2 Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments

The directors make estimates and judgements during the preparation of these financial statements regarding assumptions about current and future events affecting transactions and balances.

These estimates and judgements are based on the best information available at the time of preparing the financial statements, however as additional information is known then the actual results may differ from the estimates.

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3 Rental property income and expenditure

The following rental property income and expenditure is recorded within the statement of profit and loss and other comprehensive income:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Rental property income		
- Rental property income	<u>256,272</u>	<u>192,797</u>
Rental property expenditure		
- Strata levies	(21,839)	(27,895)
- Rates	(10,469)	(9,014)
- Agent fees	(11,330)	(7,967)
- Repairs and maintenance	<u>(250)</u>	<u>(2,200)</u>
	<u>(43,888)</u>	<u>(47,076)</u>
Rental property profit	<u>212,384</u>	<u>145,721</u>

4 Other operating expenses

The result for the year includes the following specific expenses:

Other expenses:		
Auditors remuneration	5,000	6,654
Presentation and trophy expenses	113,741	83,662
Telephone and internet	21,143	12,204
Printing and stationery	13,788	11,191
Seminars and meetings	18,622	38,492
Rescue services	25,726	18,054
Repairs and maintenance	92,727	115,022
Uniforms and apparel	14,546	35,474
Computer costs	6,264	6,959
Other expenses	<u>33,984</u>	<u>39,673</u>
	<u>345,541</u>	<u>367,385</u>

5 Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash at bank	540,252	390,130
Term deposit	196,996	196,051
Cash on hand	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>
	<u>737,748</u>	<u>586,681</u>

6 Trade and Other Receivables

Trade receivables	<u>1,300</u>	<u>51,869</u>
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7 Financial Assets

Term deposits at amortised costs	<u>167,326</u>	<u>165,809</u>
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8 Other Assets

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
CURRENT		
Prepayments	28,533	21,977

9 Property, plant and equipment

Rental plant and equipment	9,418	9,418
Accumulated depreciation	(9,418)	(9,418)
Total rental plant and equipment	-	-
Plant and equipment	33,912	33,912
Accumulated depreciation	(29,701)	(25,483)
Total plant and equipment	4,211	8,429
Office furniture and equipment	41,858	40,328
Accumulated depreciation	(18,224)	(14,775)
Total office furniture and equipment	23,634	25,553
Leasehold improvements	17,027	17,027
Accumulated amortisation	(12,183)	(12,019)
Total leasehold improvements	4,844	5,008
Competition and life saving equipment	225,314	188,173
Accumulated depreciation	(143,149)	(119,183)
Total competition and life saving equipment	82,165	68,990
Total property, plant and equipment	114,854	107,980

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 May 2023

10 Investment Property

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Balance at beginning of year	5,350,000	3,870,000
Fair value adjustments	-	1,480,000
Balance at end of the year	<u>5,350,000</u>	<u>5,350,000</u>

The Incorporation measures the investment property at fair value on a recurring basis.

On 31 May 2022 the investment properties held by the Incorporation were independently valued by Mangioni Property Valuations & Consultancy Pty Ltd resulting in a fair value increment of \$1.48 million.

11 Trade and Other Payables

Trade payables	16,393	13,632
Rental bond	27,844	27,844
GST payable	(1,894)	10,333
Accruals	12,650	11,239
Other payables	6,383	4,793
	<u>61,376</u>	<u>67,841</u>

All amounts are short term and the carrying values are considered to be reasonable approximation of fair value.

12 Other financial liabilities

Credit Card	<u>5,860</u>	<u>3,523</u>
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13 Key Management Personnel Remuneration

The remuneration paid to key management personnel of the Company is \$ - (2022: \$ -).

14 Contingencies

In the opinion of the Committee of Management, the Incorporation did not have any contingencies at 31 May 2023 (31 May 2022: None).

15 Related Parties

(a) The Incorporation's main related parties are as follows:

Key management personnel - refer to Note 13.

Other related parties include close family members of key management personnel and entities that are controlled or significantly influenced by those key management personnel or their close family members.

(b) Transactions with related parties

No transactions occurred with related parties during the year.

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16 Cash Flow Information

(a) Reconciliation of result for the year to cashflows from operating activities

Reconciliation of net income to net cash provided by operating activities:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Surplus for the year	120,870	1,621,317
Non-cash flows in profit:		
- depreciation	31,798	27,695
- net gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(1,038)
- revaluation of property, plant and equipment	-	(1,480,000)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
- decrease/(increase) in trade and other receivables	50,569	(28,848)
- (decrease)/increase in other assets	(1,517)	(129,732)
- increase in inventories	(6,556)	(544)
- decrease in trade and other payables	(6,465)	(8,419)
- (decrease)/increase in provisions	(1,297)	4,112
Cashflows from operations	187,402	4,543

17 Information and Declarations to be furnished Under The Charitable Fundraising Act 1991

No fundraising appeals have occurred during the year.

18 Events after the end of the Reporting Period

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Incorporation, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Incorporation in future financial years.

19 Statutory Information

The registered office and principal place of business of the association is:

Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated
16 Murra Murra Pl
Little Bay NSW 2036
Australia

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20 Additional Information to be furnished under the Charitable Fundraising Act, 1991

Declaration by President of the Board as required by the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 (NSW)

I, Peter Angew, President of the Board of Surf Life Saving Sydney, declare that in my opinion:

- (a) the accounts for the year ended 31 May 2023, give a true and fair view of all income and expenditure of Surf Life Saving Sydney with respect to fundraising appeals, and
- (b) the Statement of Financial Position as at 31 May 2023, 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 (NSW), 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 are appropriate and effective in accounting for all income received and applied from any of its fundraising appeals.



Peter Agnew ESM

President

Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated

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Declaration by Members of the Executive Committee

In accordance with a resolution of the committee of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated, the members of the committee declare that:

- the financial statements as set out on pages 3-18 present a true and fair view of the financial position of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated as at 31 May 2023 and of its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements and the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 and the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991; and
- 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 signed for and on behalf of the committee by:



Peter Agnew ESM

Dated: 19 July 2023



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY INCORPORATED

Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated (the Incorporation), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 May 2023, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the declaration by members of the executive committee.

In our opinion the financial report of Surf Life Saving Sydney Incorporated, has been prepared in accordance with *Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*, including:

- a) giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 31 May 2023 and of its financial performance for the year 2023 then ended; and
- b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards to the extent described in Note 1 and *Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013*.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Emphasis of Matter – Basis of Accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared for the purpose of fulfilling the Incorporation's financial reporting responsibilities under the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Independence

We are independent of the Incorporation in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (including Independence Standards) (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

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Other Information

The members of the Executive Committee are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Incorporation's annual report for the year ended 31 May 2023 but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Executive Committee for the Financial Report

The members of the Executive Committee are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards to the extent described in Note 1 and the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*. The members of the Executive Committee's responsibility also include such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, Executive Committee is responsible for assessing the Incorporation's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intend to liquidate the Incorporation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Executive Committee is responsible for overseeing the Incorporation's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report (cont'd)

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Incorporation's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Incorporation's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Incorporation to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the management regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the management with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, action taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.



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SCOTT TOBUTT
PARTNER

19 JULY 2023
SYDNEY, NSW

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DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION REPORT



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It is with great pleasure to present my first Surf Life Saving Sydney 2022/23 Annual Report. This report recognises and reflects on the outstanding achievements and the many highlights during the season. Here is a snapshot from Administration.

STRONG SPONSORSHIPS SUPPORTING OUR CLUBS AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Betty's Burgers continues to support Surf Life Saving Sydney as our Principal Partner. This three year 'Brand and Community' sponsorship provides our clubs with new beach patrol tents and funding to support our Lifesaving, Education, Member Services, Junior Development and Surf Sports programs. In addition to the sponsorship, Betty's Burgers' generosity extended to event activations, gift cards, exclusive member offers and catering for the Branch Championships VIP lunch. Our competitors were also treated to complimentary hats and sunglasses during the two-day event. It's fair to say, Betty's Burgers have delivered well beyond the agreement. I feel confident it's a partnership we will have for many more years to come.

Safe365, leaders in intelligent health and safety software also continues as our Digital Health and Safety Partner. The Safe365 app will enable our Member Services team and clubs to assess, monitor and improve the health and safety within our organisation.

Thank you to Transdev John Holland for their support for the role of the Silver Medallion basic Beach management and SMAR course which our members enjoyed over the season. Thank you to Matt Spooner from Buyers

Market, Ryan Tindall from Empire Protection and Ben Grumley from Mission Ready Group for their contribution and support to our support operations activities.

I wanted to take this opportunity to thank Sydney Airport for supporting our frontline volunteers and future Surf Lifesavers for an incredible 23 years. Over this time, the financial support has directly assisted to educate and develop our Nippers into frontline volunteer Surf Lifesavers who have kept our local and international communities safe with no lives lost between the red and yellow flags.

AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

Following feedback from a member survey, we held our Awards of Excellence event at the Winx Stadium at Randwick Racecourse. An impressive venue overlooking the racecourse. Feedback from our members following the event solidified that this was the right venue for our members this season. We continued with last year's initiative to split the junior and senior events which allowed more juniors to celebrate their achievements. Both junior and senior events were spectacular as always attracting over 500 attendees combined, being our largest Awards of Excellence event to date. Congratulations to all our award nominees and winners. All the best at the SLSNSW Awards of Excellence in August.



NEW LIFE MEMBER

Congratulations to Kerryn Briody for her elevation to Life Membership of Surf Life Saving Sydney. Kerryn's contribution to Sydney Branch spanning over many years in education, lifesaving and more recently in the 'Women's mentoring', is worthy of this recognition.

MY FELLOW BOARD MEMBERS

This season Elissa Hancock moved into the role of Deputy President and shortly thereafter, assumed the position of acting President gearing up to her Presidency for the forthcoming season of President for Surf Life Saving Sydney. With Elissa moving into the Deputy President role, I joined the Board and the Executive to assume the role of Director of Administration having previously been the Director of Administration at my home Club, Bondi SBLSC.

At the end of the season we farewelled Athenia Pascoe our Director of Finance, Craig Howie, Director of Education and Carlo Villanti, Director of Surf Sports. We thank each of our retiring Directors for their support and work in their roles and wish them all the best in their next surf life saving journey.

We also farewelled our President, Peter Agnew who was recently appointed as President of SLSNSW. We thank Peter for this guidance and support to the Board through the many challenges we faced throughout the season. Peter provided a solid foundation and ensured we delivered on our Strategic Plan to further the development of the Branch.

Thank you to our ongoing directors Scott Muir, Director Life Saving & Support Operations, David Love, Director Junior Development and Doug Hawkins, Director Member Services, who continue to provide invaluable service to the Branch.

OUR STAFF

Thank you to our incredible staff members Linda Perrin, Catherine Woodside and Breanna Riley. Our accomplishments and dreams over the past twelve months would not have been realised without your professionalism, dedication and support. We did farewell William White and Julie Fox in the Club Development Office role this season and we wish them all the success in the future endeavours.

Thank you to all Club officers and members for their contribution and support to the Branch this past season and I look forward to working with you this coming season and new and exciting initiatives.

MARISSA SAUNDERS

Director of Administration



1,349
RESCUES

62,335
PREVENTATIVE ACTIONS

2,185
FIRST AID

18,842
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP
