# COOGEE Surf Like Saving Club

Annual Reports • Financial Statement 116th Edition • 2021-2022





WE WOULD LIKE TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WE ARE HERE ON THE LAND OF THE GADIGAL AND BIDJIGAL PEOPLE WHO TRADITIONALLY OCCUPIED THE SYDNEY COAST.

ON BEHALF OF COOGEE SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB,
WE PAY OUR RESPECTS TO ELDERS, BOTH PAST AND PRESENT.

# Our Youls

We are Rescue Ready
Our members are well trained
Our patrols are well attended
We provide pathways for members
We are well governed

# Chib Values

ONE CLUB ONE VISION

We work together as One Club:
Unity

We are committed to the highest standards of ethics, behaviour & mutual respect:

Respect & Integrity

We recognise that trust & accountability are key to our success:

Honesty & Transparency

We will treat each other with respect, value each other's contribution & celebrate our member's diversity:

Inclusivity & Tolerance

We belong to our own unique community, but acknowledge that we are part of the broader lifesaving movement:

Community & Culture

#### AUSTRALIAN GOLD MEDALLISTS 2022

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 OPEN
 <u>U17 Mixed 5 Person R & R Team</u>
 U1

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Open Male 5 Person R & R team

Chiara Hammond

J Carter

Elouisa Hawkes

Christopher Gately

Patrick Kayanagh

Drew Hayes Jasmine Miller
Grant Hayes Michayla Penn

YOUTH

Scott Ryan Drew Hayes - Coach

U19 Female Beach Relay Team U13-U15 Mixed 5 Person

Andrew McEncroe - Coach

Tamara Abagi

Kate Johnson

Eden Levit

Ruby Thomasyu

R & R Team

Bronte Bloxsom

Millie Bloxsom

Emma Fernandez

U17 Male Beach Sprint Ruby Hawkes
Luke Avati Erin O'Brien

Christopher Gately – Coach

<u>U14 & U15 Male 2 x 1km</u> Beach Relay Team

Connor Boyd Huon Groves

50-54 yrs Female Beach Sprint

Helen Deas

200 yrs Female Beach Relay Team

Sharon Deans Helen Deas Nicola Logan Linda Walsh



ADMINISTRATION	LIFESAVING	EDUCATION	COMPETITION	MINNOWS	COMMUNITY	FINANCE	MEMBERS
2	18	28	34	48	70	88	92

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#### — Coogee Surf Life Saving Club —

# Notice of 116th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING SUNDAY 7th AUGUST 2022

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NOTICE is hereby given that the 116th Annual General Meeting of the Coogee Surf Life Saving Club Incorporated will be held in the Ocean Room, Coogee Surf Life Saving Club, on Sunday 07 August 2022 commencing at 10.00am.

#### **AGENDA**

#### Pursuant to Rule A27 of the Rules, business will be conducted as follows:

- Opening of the meeting by the Chairperson;
- Apologies;
- 3. One-minute silence:
- 4. Adoption of the minutes of the 115th Annual General Meeting;
- 5. Presentation of the 116th Annual Report;
- Presentation of the Income and Expenditure Statement and Balance Sheet and Statement of Members pursuant to the relevant legislative provisions;
- 7. Notices of motion for which due notice has been given;
- 8. Election of Office Bearers for 2022-2023;
- 9. General business as may be transacted according to the rules and by-laws.

#### NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICE BEARERS

Pursuant to Rule Al3.2, nominations are now called for the Office Bearers of the Club for the season 2022-2023, being:

President; Vice President; Secretary; Treasurer; Club Captain; two (2) Governors; Director of Minnows; Director of Competition; Director of Fundraising and Sponsorship; Director of Social Events; Director of Youth Services; Director of Publicity, Marketing and Communications; Compliance and Public Officer; Club Vice Captain; Club Junior Captain; Chief Instructor; Registrar; Chief Gear Steward; IRB Captain; Radio Officer; Patrol Supervisor; Proficiency Supervisor; First Aid Officer; Boat Captain; Swimming Captain; Surf Board Riding Captain; Beach Captain; Board and Ski Captain; R & R Captain; March Past Captain; Masters Captain; Life Saving Sports Captain; Assistant Competition Director; and, in respect of the Minnows Committee, the Deputy Director of Minnows; Minnows Branch Delegate; Minnows Secretary; Minnows Treasurer; Minnows Competition Captain; and Minnows Registrar.

In accordance with Rule A14.1(d), candidates for the position of Elected Officers must be aged 18 years or over, reside in Australia and be financial for the 2022/2023 Season.

Members accepting nominations for Office should familiarise themselves with the duties and responsibilities of the Office they are seeking. A summary of all duties is available from the Secretary.

Pursuant to Rule A24, the listed requirements will be necessary for any candidate to election to the following roles:

- Club Captain: shall hold a Bronze Medallion and Beach Management Award.
- Club Vice Captain; shall hold a Bronze Medallion.
- Chief Instructor: shall hold a Training Officers Certificate.

#### Pursuant to Rule A14.1(e), nominations must be:

- Made in writing, signed by two proposing members of the Club, and accompanied by the written consent of the nominated member.
- Made and proposed only by members who are entitled to vote at an Annual Meeting, subject to Rule A28; and,
- Delivered to the Honorary Secretary, not less than eight (8) days before the date fixed for the holding of the Annual General Meeting.

Nomination Forms are available from the Secretary or care of admin@coogeeslsc.com.au. Nominations close at 10:00am on Saturday 30 July 2022.

Members should refer to Rule A28.1 for entitlement to vote at the AGM.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE

Greg Smart Honorary Secretary Coogee Surf Life Saving Club Inc





#### OFFICE BEARERS

PATRONS Federal Member for Kingsford-Smith, Hop. Mr. Matt

Hon.,Mr Matt Thistlethwaite MP

**NSW Member for Coogee**, Dr Marjorie O'Neil MP

Randwick City Mayor, Cr Dylan Parker

**CLUB GOVERNORS** 

David 'Luna' Park Tony Waller OAM

ELECTED OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

President Todd Mison

Vice President Nicola Logan

<u>Honorary Secretary</u> Greg Smart

<u>Honorary Treasurer</u> Rob Illidge

Club Captain Emily Miers

<u>Director of Minnows</u> Steve Gibbs James Campbell (elect. Dec 2021)

Director of Competition: Andrew Bloxsom

<u>Director of Fundraising</u> <u>& Sponsorship</u> Melanie Reiter

<u>Director of Social</u> <u>Events</u> Allison Roberts

<u>Director of Youth</u> <u>Services</u> Rebecca Waugh

Director of Publicity, Marketing & Communications Doug Hawkins

Compliance & Public Officer Mark Doepel <u>Club Vice-Captain</u> Michael Barnes

<u>Club Junior Captain</u> Ruby Thomasyu

<u>Chief Training Officer</u> Rebecca Mister

Registrar Fiona Phelps

<u>Chief Gear</u> <u>Steward</u> Andrew Tooher

IRB Captain Scott Parker

Radio Officer Paul Lardi

Patrol Supervisor Sean Bond (res. Oct 2021) Ben Heenan (elect. Nov 2021)

Proficiency Supervisor Will Davison

First Aid Officer Craig Howie

Boat Captain Rod Colman

<u>Swimming Captain</u> Michael Kavanagh

Surf Board Riding
Captain
Clayton Cantarella

Beach Captain Sharon Deans (elect. Aug 2021)

Board & Ski Captain Matt Larkin

R&R Captain Chris Gately (elect. Aug 2021)

March Past Captain Jenny Trinca (elect. Aug 2021)

Masters Captain Carolyn Martin <u>Life Saving Sports</u>
<u>Captain</u>
Emma Grand
(elect. Aug 2021)

Assistant Competition <u>Director</u> Lee Hume (elect. Aug 2021)

APPOINTED
ADVISORS
Assistant Secretary
Troy Swan

Assistant Treasurer
David Winkle

Building & Facilities Coordinator Matthew Scanlon

Work Health & Safety Officer Carol Russell

Member Protection Information Officer Nicola Logan

Grievance & Disciplinary Coordinator Michael Barnes

Wylie's Baths Trust
Delegate
Tony Waller OAM

Child Protection Officer Ruby Cuthbert (app. Aug 2021)

<u>IT Coordinator</u> Paul Beale

Recognition & Honours Coordinator Pat Garcia (app. Oct 2021)

<u>Club Historian</u> Mark Doepel

Advanced Awards Coordinator Alexandra Scott (app. Aug 2021)

Assistant Gear Stewar Debbie Zonich (app. Aug 2021) IRB Vice Captain Cameron Callaghan (app. Aug 2021)

IRB Education Coordinator Charlotte McHenry (app. Aug 2021)

Boat Vice-Captain David Smith (app. Aug 2021)

<u>Gymnasium Manager</u> Daniel Gibbs

Coaching Coordinator Michael Scroop (app. Aug 2021 res. Oct 2021) Vacant

Surf Sports Official Coordinator Vacant

Water Area Vice Captain Finian Stronach (app. Aug 2021)

STATUTORY
APPOINTMENTS
Bar Manager &
Licensee
Simon Figures

<u>Honorary Solicitor</u> Cilla Robinson

Honorary Auditor Greg Middleton

EMPLOYED STAFF
Lifesaving
Administration
Debbie Zonich

<u>Functions Manager</u> Trudy Jones

#### PATROL STATISTICS

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2019-20

2020-21

2021-22

2018-19

RESCUES

RESCOES	2010 10	2010 20	2020 21	2021 2
No Gear	4	2	2	3
Rescue Tube	11	7	2	6
Rescue Board	0	3	0	3
IRB	5	1	2	3
Other	0	1	0	0
TOTAL	20	14	6	15
Preventative Actions	1129	571	169	2463
Lost Children	10	1	7	1
Searches	3	0	0	3
Shark Alarm	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1142	572	176	2467
FIRST AID CASES				
Minor First Aid	71	28	26	44
Major First Aid	1	51	4	8
Marine Stings	49	127	121	3
Breaks/Dislocations	7	3	7	3
Spinal Injuries	7	4	3	1
Resuscitation	0	0	0	1
Other	19	22	4	7
TOTAL	154	235	165	67
TOTAL INCIDENTS	1316	821	345	2549
MEMBERSHIP	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-2
Life Member	15	13	15	16
Long Service	237	238	234	233
Reserve Active	65	72	77	64
Senior Active (18+)	505	533	588	575
Junior Active (15-18)	108	141	172	156
Cadet (13-15)	178	147	125	122
Leave	45	14	14	27
Probationary	26	0	0	22
Associate	165	160	147	134
Honorary	47	53	5	7
Junior Activities (Nippers)	852	897	663	763
General	150	259	208	194
Community Member	0	0	0	15
TOTAL	2393	2527	2248	2330



#### CLUB FEES

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Fees for the 2022 / 2023 season are now due. You will note Club Fees have been reinstated to the pre-pandemic costs as substantial financial support from Surf Life Saving NSW and other bodies has now ceased.

Applications will only be accepted once payment of fees has been completed. Fees received after 30 September 2022 will attract a late fee of \$25.

#### **MEMBERSHIP FEES**

Life Members	<b>\$</b> 0
50 Year Long Service	<b>\$</b> 0
Long Service	\$80
Long Service Over 70 Membership	\$80
Reserve Active	\$80
Senior Active (18yrs and over)	\$80
Junior Active (15-18 yrs)	\$80
Cadet/SRC (13-15yrs)	\$50
General (Non-Active Nipper Parents)*	\$60

\*or other such fee as the Management Committee may determine from time to time.

#### ASSOCIATE FEES

Associate	\$200
Over 70 Associate	\$120
Associate Joining Fee *	\$100

\*Currently the club is not taking on any new Associate memberships but if and when that occurs there is a \$100 Associate Joining Fee (once only).

#### **GYM FEES**

Gym fees are now due. Failure to renew gym membership by 30 September 2022 will result in electronic fob deactivation.

Associate	\$180
Long Service/Reserve Active	\$120
Senior Active	\$120
Junior Active/Over 70 years	\$50

NOTE: Senior Active, Junior Active & Cadets (must be over 15 years) members MUST be proficient and complete the required number of patrolling hours per season to join and to retain their gym membership.

Life, Seventy Five and Fifty-year members are respectfully reminded that they must complete a membership renewal form each season to ensure continuing service.

# President's Report



#### TODD MISON

HAVE A GO! This is my favourite clubbie slogan and one that encapsulates everything that we do at Coogee Surf Club. Covid-19 reappeared to severely affect our club and our season, however, to everyone's credit, we rose above the constant frustrations, isolations, postponements and cancellations to excel in every club endeavour this season.



Throughout the worst summer weather on record, when the seas were rough and water quality disgusting, our patrols soldiered on and on, performing more serious rescues than ever before, until finally, on the afternoon of 25th April, our Club Captain Emily Miers could declare, for the 116th season in a row, No Lives Lost between the flags at Coogee Beach. This is a credit to Emily, our patrol captains and vice captains, all active members, and our education teams. A proud record that we should all be in awe of.

In addition to keeping our beach safe, Coogee SLSC still carries out volunteer patrols at Garie Beach. Coogee also provided assistance to the SES throughout the recent devastating floods. We also had to stand by and watch helplessly as our boat shed was smashed by the massive surf in early April. Testing times, however, Coogee lifesavers pulled through and battled

on. I thank those involved in the above activities and all members of the club's Lifesaving Committee for their hard work.

Our education team led by Beck Mister was battered from pillar-to-post with some squads still endeavouring to finalise their awards well into May. Once again, it wasn't the time to "spit the dummy" and come back next year. It was a case of, "if we can't do it now, when can we do it?". I commend all the educators and the trainees on their resilience this season.

Same can be said for our competitors. We will never experience a more disjointed season than this. A season that commenced with equipment locked away, no group training or gym entry. It got worse with no carnivals for several months and the cancellations of the Sydney Branch and NSW State Titles. Coogee finally led the way of the amateurstyle clubs with an outstanding 8th place

overall in the Australian Open carnival, behind five of the "powerhouse" clubs of Qld and two from NSW.

Once again, our R&R and beach sprinters excelled at Aussies. Coogee were R&R Club of the Year, and our sprinters were amazing with so much depth and many medals to their name. Most pleasing, however, is the rise of our 2km runners, surfers, Champion Lifesaver, Patrol Comp, and a resurgence in the Boats. Congratulations to our Director of Competition Andrew Bloxsom and his dedicated Competition Committee. On a deeply personal level, I was so proud to witness two of my sons win their first-ever Aussie medals.

There were a few things that I was passionate about when I became President in 2019. Nothing has changed my thinking. Community engagement, Youth development and growing our Surf Sports organically by using our own home-grown coaches and



Paisley Park Childcare visit

nurturing our youth competitor talents to come through and shine are still priorities.

Let me touch on community engagement. I believe that Coogee Surf Club should forever strive to be the heart of the Coogee community. We are now engaging with so many community groups through our volunteering, education, and leadership efforts. Autism Swim Dippers, Can Too ocean swimming, Gotcha 4 Life 24-Hour Row for Men's Mental Health, Muscular Dystrophy 'Project Libertas', Rainbow Beaches and Anzac Day Services are just some of the programs that we are fully involved in. There are so many inspirational leaders and volunteers from Coogee SLSC putting so much work into making our club and our community better places to be.

We also have our home-grown community events like our two Coogee Island Challenges and the Run Swim Coogee that are planned and run expertly by our Events Team. To those members who have become so involved and passionate in all the above, the club, and our community leaders at all levels are extremely proud of you.

I want young members to shine brightly at Coogee Surf Club, and this season they did. Five from six of our Aussie gold medallists came from our U/19 and below. Our Minnows shone despite an interrupted season to be placed 1st in the State progressive point score for the first time ever. I would like to congratulate the Minnows Management Team for their professionalism and the high quality of kids that are transitioning from the Minnows program. Well done

to new Minnows Captains Caitlin and Callum who are already carrying out their official duties.

We have a very active Blueys Youth cohort, two talented and passionate Junior Captains in Ruby and Cate, and our Youth Director Bec Waugh who is a great role model. Coogee now boasts a much higher level of engagement with our transitioning youth from Minnows to SRC, which will reap its rewards in years to come. There are youth members working in our kiosk and training our Minnows Beach Team, showing leadership beyond their years. The benefits from our younger members enjoying their surf club experience are the increasing family involvement, social connections and competition/ lifesaving successes that will follow. To our younger members, keep up the good work and have fun.

I wish to thank Randwick City Council for their ongoing support. Our relationships with all RCC personnel, from Mayor Dylan Parker to Lifeguards on our beach has been exceptional this season. I would also like to thank all companies and individuals that sponsor Coogee SLSC. Despite the financial hardships faced through the past two Covid-affected years, all our sponsors have stayed solid with us, and I look forward to seeing you all at our next Sponsors evening later this year.

Congratulations to all club members who have been nominated for Sydney Branch awards and Coogee SLSC higher awards. Also, to Doug Hawkins, who was elevated to Life Membership of Surf Lifesaving Sydney for his many years of dedicated and distinguished service.

Thank you to our Functions, Bar and Social team of Trudy Jones, Simon Figures, Matt Scanlon, Allison Roberts, all our casual workers and Admin Officer Debbie Zonich. These people give so much to our club, behind the scenes and without fuss.

I express my sincere condolences to the families and friends of members who have passed away since last season. We also share the family's grief of local swimmer Simon Nellist who was fatally attacked by a shark at Little Bay in February.

Finally, I want to express my sincere thanks to the Executive and Management Committee members including Governors who all work tirelessly for our club in their own directorates as well as working positively with each other. The volunteer hours that go into running a successful club like Coogee still amaze me. What impresses me most is that Coogee SLSC directors constantly set themselves a very high bar, then perform to that level, all for our members' benefit. Inspirational.

TWO BLUE

Todd Mison President



# Secretary's Report



#### GREG SMART

This season could be best described by the following: constant change, adaptation, resilience, dedication and commitment. The end result being a very successful season with "No Lives Lost" whilst our patrols were on duty.



Ladies and Gentlemen,

Presented to you is the 116th Annual Report and Financial Statement for your consideration.

#### LIFESAVING AND EDUCATION

In Lifesaving terms, the season was once again a success, with our patrols that were on duty in a summer that was once again disrupted by the ongoing pandemic and horrendous weather. Our patrols performed exceptionally over the summer, under what seemed like a never-ending stream of NSW Health regulation changes, flooding rains, poor water quality and big surf that hammered the boatshed in March and again in April. We thank our newest Club Captain, Emily Miers for completing a very successful and demanding first season in this critically important role.

Congratulations and thank you to all our Patrol Captains, Vice Captains

and active patrolling members for fulfilling your duties both professionally and responsibly throughout the season where you compiled over 18 thousand hours of voluntary community service, completed 15 rescues and countless first aid treatments and over 2400 preventative actions.

Patrols were originally limited to a small active but operationally critical contingent, rather than the full patrols we have been used to in previous seasons. As the summer progressed, restrictions were eased and we gradually returned to the normal patrol operations, however, not without their fair share of disruptions as members tested positive and were forced to undertake mandatory isolation periods along with those considered to be close contacts.

The largest change to our operations as a Club came when SLS NSW indicated in December 2021 that we would be mandating vaccinations for patrolling

members and those using our facilities. This had the potential impact of reducing our available patrolling resources, but luckily, our membership showed their willingness to adapt to the new mandate and to the lifesaving cause.

Although training and education was impacted by capacity restrictions and adverse weather, our education team still managed to continue our recent form and cadence of candidates. To be achieving this year after year is a great accolade, and congratulations should be passed on to our education team for an outstanding effort under difficult circumstances.

All these results come from dedication and commitment across the full patrolling membership, and Emily and her Lifesaving Committee are to be heartily congratulated.

#### **COMPETITION**

On the competition front, disruption throughout the season meant that many carnivals were either cancelled or relocated, with the most significant being the cancellation of the NSW State Titles as wild weather closed beaches and flooding closed major routes throughout the state. But despite this, our competitors again showed true grit and determination to ensure they achieved their best possible results throughout. At the conclusion of the Australian Championships Coogee had won a total of 6 Gold in the Youth and Open carnivals across Beach and R&R events, with a further 2 Gold in the Masters, along with many silver and bronze medal results and outstanding personal achievements. Congratulations to the competition team, coaches, trainers and committee for an outstanding season.

#### **EVENTS**

With Covid restrictions lifted towards the end of November, the first Island Challenge was held in the first week in December to allow greater participation. This was a successful event, with our second largest swim ever with 1755 registrations. Unfortunately, the extreme weather during March and April meant the second planned swim had to be cancelled due to adverse weather conditions and unsafe water quality leading to health concerns. In May, we ran our inaugural Run Swim Coogee Aquathlon. It was a spectacular day and incredible event with over 500 registrations and supported by over 80 volunteers. These events continue to grow in stature, and bring significant income to the Club. Thanks to all involved.

#### **COMMUNITY PROGRAMMES**

Coogee Surf Club continued our ongoing commitment to community programmes in 2021/22, running successful programmes with the CanToo (Ocean Swimming) and ongoing support for the Autism Swim, known as Dippers. Thanks to Helen Murphy and Charlotte McHenry and their teams for running successful programmes.

We also ran a very successful Muscular Dystrophy pilot programme. The works done during the renovation and a dedicated team allowed this programme to run, and we should be immensely proud of being at the forefront of the lifesaving community in the achievements of this programme.

Finally, we engaged in the 24-Hour Row for Life, supporting Mens Mental Health. As a collective, the 40 participating Surf Clubs raised over \$151,000, with Coogee alone raising over \$14,500. The funds will be used to fund several grassroots, high impact workshops and training programs through many communities.

As we approach the new season, other programmes are now being developed. We encourage all members to support and get involved in these rewarding efforts.

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

Club membership saw a modest increase compared to last season, with a total of 2330 members across all categories. This is reflected in the membership summary at the start of this Annual Report and detailed listing at the conclusion. Of particular note has been the relatively stable number of

members in the Active Senior (18yrs+), Active Junior (15-18 yrs) and Cadet (13-15 yrs) membership categories compared to last season, although these numbers should also be taken in context of the vaccination mandate for active patrolling members.

The biggest change in membership numbers compared to last season has been seen in the Junior Activity Members (Minnows 5-13 years). As expected, the Minnows group membership rebounded slightly this season when most capacity restrictions were removed.

# MANAGEMENT, ADMINISTRATION AND OPERATIONS

The season started with the Annual General Meeting being held under full Covid-19 restrictions with only a handful present to run our first (and hopefully only) fully virtual meeting. The new committee got the season kicked off in a timely manner and under unprecedented conditions.

Also at that AGM, we had the proud moment to endorse another Life Member Mark Doepel. Congratulations, Mark, on the greatest honour the membership Club can bestow and on your extraordinary achievements as a member.

From an Administration and Operations perspective, the clubhouse was closed from June 2021 and did not reopen to our members from NSW Health imposed restrictions until October 2021. When we did reopen, NSW Health imposed capacity limits and mandatory NSW Govt QR Sign-in codes across our facilities. We established QR-Codes for the separate functional areas of the Club. This allowed minimal disruption to other areas of the Club operations should a case be identified. It seemed like every week we were updating our signage or capacities as the pandemic ebbed and flowed. One unfortunate impact of these capacity limitations and increasing case numbers was felt in our Function Room operations, with many function room bookings postponed and reduced Sunday bar trading. Yet we are very fortunate, as many pure hospitality businesses were closing or reducing operations due to their reliance on a single source of income.

Now restrictions have been removed, we are again seeing significant interest in the hire of the Club facilities for private functions and good attendance at Sunday afternoon trading. Further, Corporate hire of the Ocean Room during the week is starting to become more popular as businesses start to return to normal. This will become a great additional source of income for our future. We are now starting to fulfil the potential the renovation has afforded us.

While the Clubhouse may have been closed to members from June through until October 2021, the Club was still operational as a business. To this end, Debbie Zonich and Trudy Jones, along with volunteers Matt Scanlon and Simon Figures, kept the Club running through the closure in preparation for the season ahead. They are unsung heroes of the Club, and we are truly lucky to have them working for Coogee SLSC. I am extremely proud, and personally thank them all, for their extraordinary efforts and attitude through the adversity and disrupted operational period.

#### VALES

This season, we again lost some long and distinguished members of our Surf Club community. To all those who lost family or friends during the past year, the Club extends our sincerest condolences.

In conclusion, it has been a very successful year for the Club. This success has not been achieved by individuals, but the efforts of many, and that success has not necessarily come overnight, but through sheer hard work over an extended period. While we should be immensely proud of what we have achieved, we should not become complacent, but use this as the new benchmark and look forward to greater outcomes in future years.

Finally, I'd like to thank the Management Committee and Executive, and office bearers for their ongoing support of our activities. We always endeavour to operate as One Club to ensure that we determine the best outcomes for all our members. When we have faced adversity, everyone has shown the leadership, dedication and commitment to ensure we always delivered our best possible result

Thank you for the honour of being Club Secretary for our great Club this season and I greatly appreciate everything we have achieved.

Yours in Lifesaving,

Greg Smart Honorary Secretary

#### CLUB AWARDS

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HONOUR BLAZER
Nicola Logan



The Club's most prestigious seasonal award is given to a member who has made an outstanding contribution to the Club during a single season. The blazer is adorned with a gold star and the season for which it is awarded. The recipient's name is listed on the Silver Proficiency Tablet in the Jack Cannot Ocean Room.

Nicola Logan's achievements and service at Coogee SLSC speak for themselves. Nicola is a pioneer in women's lifesaving as the first female Coogee member to obtain her Gold Medallion.

Today, Nicola is the Vice President of the club, a position in which she has served with distinction for two seasons, as well as setting up and acting as Chair of Member Services Committee, Member Protection Information Officer, mentee on the National Women's Mentoring programme, as well as featuring in 'Breaking the Bias' – International Women's Day. Further, Nicola was the liaison between the Events and Management Committees to ensure smooth running and management of our Island Challenge swims and Coogee Run Swim biathlon.

An active competitor, Nicola competed with distinction at the Australian Masters Championships, placing 1st in the Beach Relay, 2nd Surf Teams, 5th Ocean Swim, 5th Surf race, and 6th Board Rescue in her age group.

Coogee SLSC is very fortunate to have a member of the calibre of Nicola working tirelessly and volunteering countless hours both on, but particularly off the beach. She is an exemplary member, a significant role-model and truly deserving of the Honour Blazer.

Sponsor: Coogee Bay Hotel

MAURIE DALY MEMORIAL

AWARD/ AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL

BANK SCHOLARSHIP

Lana Reiter



Maurie Daly was a long-time associate of the Club, a Life Member and president of Wylie's Baths Trust, and, for 27 years, the General Manager of Sydney Credit Union, now Australian Mutual Bank. His son Gary Daly is a former President and Life Member of the Club. This scholarship is awarded to an exemplary member undertaking full-time education. The scholarship of \$2,000, is kindly donated by the Australian Mutual Bank and is to assist the member with financial costs of their study.

Lana joined the Club in January 2021 when she completed her Bronze Medallion, but also achieved higher awards including First Aid, Advanced First Aid, Advanced Resuscitation, Managing First Aid Services, Silver Medallion Beach Management, and IRB crew.

Lana is currently patrol vice-captain of P11, and so far this season has volunteered in the Coogee Island challenge, acting as patrol 11's youth liaison officer, chaperoned the 'Blueys' on their emergency services day out, being a part of the club's flood response team, assisting in training 4 new champion lifesaver competitors, and competing at the Aussie's in Champion Patrol and Champion Lifesaver.

Lana is currently in her second year of university, completing a Bachelor of Pharmacy and Management at the University of Sydney, and currently maintaining a Distinction grade average. We all wish Lana success in her future studies.

Sponsor: Australian Mutual Bank

#### PATROL PERSON OF THE YEAR Charlotte McHenry



This award is bestowed to the person who is the Club's most knowledgeable and most prestigious lifesaver. recognises Τt achievements of the Club's patrolling lifesavers and is awarded annually to the Club Member who has completed 100% patrol attendance, demonstrated a proficiency in lifesaving skills through a series of theoretical and practical assessments and has shown a significant commitment to the Club and the community it serves via an interview with Club Management representatives.

Congratulations, Charlotte, as being identified as our Patrolperson of the Year.

Sponsor: Jeff Sayle Foundation

COL & JACK SCOTT

MEMORIAL AWARD

MOST OUTSTANDING JUNIOR

Cate Kyling



This award is presented in memory of the only brothers to become Life Members: Jack, a former Secretary and President and Col, one of the hardest working members and our longest serving gear steward. This prize is awarded to the Junior member, who's been outstanding in all facets of the club life across the season.

Sponsor: David 'Luna' Park

#### CLUB AWARDS

STAN WINDON CADET CLUB CHAME

STAN WINDON
MEMORIAL AWARD
MOST OUTSTANDING CADET
Huon Groves



Stan Windon was a foundation member, and long-serving secretary and president. He was a club Life Member and a Life Member of Sydney Branch, NSW State Centre and the National Association. This award is presented to the cadet who has shown outstanding capabilities.

Sponsor: David 'Luna' Park

MILTON COUGHLAN
MEMORIAL AWARD
JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPIONS
Josh Fernandez & Ava Szabo





This award is given in memory of junior member Milton Coughlan, killed by a shark during the Coogee Carnivalin 1922. The most prestigious competitive award for juniors.

Sponsor: Steve & Renee Gibbs

CADET CLUB CHAMPIONS
Madeleine Quinn



<u>CADET CLUB CHAMPIONS</u> Huon Groves & Lachlan Hume





Sponsor: Coogee Minnows

MASTERS CLUB CHAMPIONS
Finian Stronach & Sally Wood





Sponsor: James Giltinan

ANONYMOUS DONORS
Female: Ashley Finegan
Male: Will Mison





Sponsor: An Irishman & His Truck

ANONYMOUS DONORS TEAM Michelle Finegan & Rebecca Waugh





Sponsor: Coffee Club

MASTER OF THE YEAR
Allison Roberts



GATELY FAMILY TROPHY
CLUB CHAMPIONS
Marcus Littlejohn & Emily Miers





This is the Club's most prestigious award in the men's and women's competition areas. This trophy was donated by the late Geoff and Maureen Gately when the number of open championships won by Chris and Paul Gately reached 10.

Sponsor: Coffee Club

#### CLUB AWARDS

# THE REG JOHNSTON MEMORIAL AWARD FOR MOST IMPROVED CADET Millie Bloxsom & Donovan Wain





Reg Johnston was the Club's longest serving secretary, a life member, president and patron. He was also a stalwart March Past member. This award is given to the Cadet who has shown outstanding improvement during the course of the season.

Sponsor: The Hawkins Family

#### ROD MILLER MEMORIAL AWARD FOR MOST IMPROVED JUNIOR Zoe Kander



This award is named after Rod Miller, one of only three members to have held all four executive positions in the Club. Rod was a life member and Australian champion who always encouraged competition at the junior and cadet levels. This award is presented to the junior member who shows outstanding improvement during the season.

Sponsor: Sharon Deans

#### CADET PATROL SERVICE AWARD Lara Stock



This award is to recognise a Cadet Member who displays excellent skill and dedication with specific reference to lifesaving duties.

Sponsor: Penguins Winter Swimming Clubs

JUNIOR PATROL SERVICE

<u>AWARD</u>

Tom Walker & Josh Fernandez





This award is to recognise a Junior Member who displays excellent skill and dedication with specific reference to lifesaving duties.

Sponsor: Olivia Gardiner

# SINGER-YEO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR Michayla Penn



This award is given in memory of the Club's two active patrolling members, Tom Singer and Gerard Yeo, who lost their lives in the Bali bombing, October 2002. This award recognises the most outstanding new member to complete their bronze medallion award this season.

Sponsor: David 'Luna' Park

TRAINER OF
THE YEAR
Charlotte McHenry



Sponsor: P Garcia & DMA XXV Team



#### AGM 2021 HONOUR AWARDS

At the 115th Annual General Meeting, the membership voted and bestowed the following honours to several of our members.

# Like Member

Subject to the Constitution, the Management Committee at an Annual General Meeting may vote to award Life Membership to a member for conspicuous and sustained voluntary service to the Club and to Surf Life Saving generally in some or all of its areas.

# 1907 Foundation Medallion

1907 Foundation Medallion is an award that may be given each year to a Member or Members who in the opinion of the majority of the Management Committee and as approved at the club AGM has performed sustained and distinguished service to the Club over more than one season.



# LIFE MEMBERSHIP Mark Doepel



Mark obtained his Bronze Medallion with Coogee SLSC in August 2004 and has since achieved 15 years of 100% continuous patrol attendance with over 900 patrolling hours. Most of Mark's time over the last few seasons has been spent assisting and providing water safety to the Dippers programme.

Mark has held many positions over the seasons, from lifesaving Patrol Captain to Training Officer and Chief Instructor in education, Sponsorship Director, and has chaired the Judiciary and Grievance Committee for several seasons. Mark has also held the positions of Secretary, Vice President, and President, and is now the Compliance and Public Officer for the Club.

As part of his service to the Club, Mark has been recognised with the Singer Yeo Rookie of the Year (2005), Patrolperson of the Year (2007), Honour Blazer (2011) and the National Service Medal.

He chaired the Club's Rules Review Committee from 2016 to 2020 to totally rewrite the Club's Constitution.

Finally, during Mark's term as President in July 2016 the Club sustained significant damage to the Club and Mark worked tirelessly to drive through a rebuild strategy which was successfully implemented by the Building Committee culminating in our new club house, opened in December 2020.

Congratulations, Mark, on being endorsed by the membership as a Life Member at the AGM.

MEDALLION
Greg Smart



Greg is one of Coogee SLSC's most highly decorated lifesavers, with 15 years of 100% patrol service, Patrol Captain, Patrolman of the Year (1991), Honour Blazer (1997) and service as our Club Captain since joining our Club in 1984.

As an experienced and highly competent club leader and administrator, he has held the position of Honorary Secretary on two separate occasions and Club Captain for three consecutive seasons in the mid 1990's, included in a total of 14 Seasons on the Management Committee of the Club.

Greg is the ultimate club man and will always join in to help every area of the club without any fuss or fanfare. Notwithstanding the above achievements, in the past two seasons at Coogee SLSC, Greg has worked as hard for our club as anyone could ask for, including establishing and implementing demanding and rigorous COVID-19 processes, procedures and plans for all areas of the club including gym, downstairs, Ocean Room, lifesaving, education and competitions.

Greg is a known leader and mentor of our Club, with his invaluable and sustained contribution to the Club being recognised by the membership endorsing him for the 1907 Medallion at the AGM.



#### OTHER AWARDS

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SURF LIFE SAVING SYDNEY BRANCH AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE 2021-22

WINNERS
Community Education
Program Of The Year
Project Libertas

Junior Team Of The Year U13 – U15 5 Person R & R Team

Junior Athlete Of The Year – 13-14 Yrs Female Bronte Bloxsom

<u>Junior Athlete Of The Year –</u> <u>11-12 Yrs Female</u> Kathryn Jordan

Patrol Efficiency By Operational Area Randwick: Coogee SLSC

Most Awards Per Operational Area Randwick: Coogee SLSC

FINALISTS
Club Of The Year
Coogee

Administrator Of The Year Greg Smart

Surf Lifesaver Of The Year Charlotte McHenry

Volunteer Of The Year Helen Murphy

Patrol Captain Of The Year Alexandra Scott

Patrol Of The Year Patrol 11

Rescue Of The Year Conducted by Toni Darben & Jodi King on 29 August 2021

Youth Athlete Of The Year Luke Avati

<u>Junior Age Manager Of The Year</u> Aidan Byrne

Junior Athlete Of The Year – 9-10 Yrs <u>Female</u> Marnie Laurence

Junior Athlete Of The Year – 9-10 Yrs Male Ethan Costa Surf Sports Team Of The Year Men's 5 Person R & R Team

<u>Tony Hughes Official Of The Year</u> Andrew Bloxsom

Coach Of The Year Christopher Gately

Masters Athlete Of The Year Sharon Deans

Athlete Of The Year Ruby Thomasyu

Trainer Of The Year Charlotte McHenry

Assessor Of The Year Maria Luise Ossimitz

PATROL PARTICIPATION AWARD
Patrol 1
Iulia Beck

Patrol 2 Eden Levit

Patrol 3 Madeleine Bald

Patrol 4 Adam King Patrol 5 Ruben Stock

Patrol 6 Kristina Gram

Patrol 7
James Peate

Patrol 8 Ben Campbell

Patrol 9 Ben Masters

Patrol 10 Will Hamilton

Patrol 11 Lana Reiter

Patrol 12 Wayne Keyser

Patrol 13 Roz Manuel

Patrol 14 Kay Chua

Patrol 15 Zoe Kander



#### OTHER AWARDS

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#### PATROL OF THE YEAR - PATROL 11

**Patrol Captain** SCOTT Alexandra

Vice Captain REITER Lana

#### 10 Years Training Service

**HOWIE Craig** MISTER Rebecca

10 Years Assessing Service **HOWIE** Craig

Coogee SLSC 50 Year Membership

**CARNEY Peter** CASSIMATIS George

#### **Patrol Members**

**ABDO** Alan **ADAMS** Gabrielle **AZAR** Maggie **BARRY** Lynne **BONSER** Stephen **BOYD** Tara **CHALMERS** Natalie **CHARLES** Leah Zoe **CHARLES** DINGLE Abigail **FERNANDEZ** Josh **FLYNN** Jessica Sarah **FLYNN HOSPERS** Lily **KOON** William KROUJKOV Alex **MALONEY** Molly **NOLAN** John **POTTER** Lucie **PRESTON** Anna Oliver SEN **SILVESTRI** Elisa Noelle **SIMPSON** STANGROOM Adam TURNER Brie **VONWILLER** Audrey WENDLER Annabelle

WENDLER

WOOD

Lily

Sally







#### OUR CLUBHOUSE

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The Clubhouse has seen over a century of change - upgrades and renovations from minor to major. Below features the major changes the Clubhouse has undergone, from one the very first images captured of the Clubhouse to the very latest.

One thing remains the same: the committment and dedication of our members.

TWO BLUE











#### AMENDMENTS FROM THE 2020/21 REPORTS

OMISSIONS FROM 100% PATROL **ATTENDANCE** ABONANTE Antonello ABRUZZESE Daniel **ADAMS Gabrielle** ALP Kyle ANDERSON Kobe ANDREWS Connor ANDREWS Daniel ANDREWS lake **ANDREWS Liam ANICIC Sophia** ASHTON Alfie **ASKIN Pauline BALD Andrew BALD Madeleine** BAO Willy **BEALE** Georgia BEAUMONT Luella **BEER Adam BLAZEK Jaroslav BLOXSOM Andrew BODKIN** Eliza **BOYD** Tara BRCIC Mina Louise **BRENNAN Lara BROOKS** Ben **BROWN Atticus BURNS Peter** BUTLER Luke BYRNE Aidan **BYRNE Sam** CALLAGHAN Stephen CHARLES William **CHOONG Stephanie** CLARK Adam **CLARKE Austin COLEMAN Abby CONNON Sheridan CONOMOS** Timothy COSTELLO Oliver **COWEN Lawrence COWEN Nora** CRUMBLIN Jeremy **CULLIVER Paul** 

**CUTHBERT Ruby** D'AGROSA Donato **DAVIS Bethan** DAVIS Emma DAVISON Alexandra DAVISON Josephine DAWSON Rebecca **DEANS** Robert **DEANS Sharon** DEAS Alexandra **DEAS** Helen **DEAS Scarlett DEVINE** Josh DONATH Reka **DUNN Toby** DZIRIL-LOVE Thomas **ELIASSON** Lachlan **ELIZONDO Nicholas ELLIOTT** Konstandina **ELLIOTT Tim EMERY Matilda** FALSTER Daniel FATSEAS George FILIPPI Amelie FINEGAN Benjamin FOOTE-SHORT Lucinda FRANCEZ Romain FRANCIS Kathryn FRASER Angus FREIHEIT Wolfgang FROEHLING Heidi GALLAGHER Ben **GATELY Samantha GEEVES Mackenzie** GIBELLINI Rob **GLASS Bradley** GLEDHILL Scott **GODFREY Sally GOLLAN Kel GOODWIN** barry **GRAAF Sarah GRAND** Emma

**GRAND** Stephanie

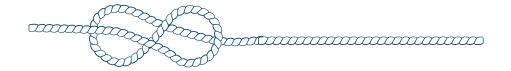
**GRIFFITHS** Meredith

**HABLER Bailey** HAMILTON Will **HAMMOND** Chiara HANKIN Joshua HARPER Ryan HARWIN Jon HAWKINS Doug **HAWKINS** Heather **HENDERSON Clare HEYDON Paul HICKEY Paul HILLSTON** Alexander HIRSCH David **HOBBY Susan HUGHES** Gordon ILLIDGE Andi ILLIDGE Ethan **IRONS Tom IACKSON Samuel IOHNSON** Grace **JONES** Derek **KAVANAGH** Daniel **KAVANAGH** Eloise **KAVANAGH Michael KAVANAGH Patrick KEATY Bryan** KERMODE Rebecca **KNAGGE Hannah KOON** William **KOSTOGIANNIS Iacqueline** KROON Kristiaan KROUJKOV Alex KUIJSTEN Miranda LAPI Jack LEE Brendan LENNON Justin LEO Belinda LEVIT Eden **LEWIS Douglas** LICHAA Samara LITTLEJOHN Marcus LITTLEWOOD Beatrice LOWE Harriet

MAGEE Colin MANUEL Roslyn MARESH Amelia **MARMOTTA** Maurizio MAURER Karren MCDONALD Amelia MCDONALD Grace MCDONALD Hugh MCFADDEN Finn MCGHEE Mathew MCGUINNESS Zoe MCKEAN Brent MCMAHON Sarah MCRAE Kelly MELVILLE Hugh **MENDES Nubia** MILLAR Ryan MITCHELL Blake MITCHELL Jai **MORELLO Sasha** MORGAN Brett MULLAN Erin MURRAY Aonghus **NEILSON Ingrid** NICHOLSON James **NOLAN Ryan** O'BRIEN Gareth O'CONNOR Cormac O'CONNOR Micheal O'DONNELL Cooper PAPASTAMOS Harvey PEATE Fiona PEATE Mark PESSANHA Ronaldo PEYRACHON Gabriel **PINEIRO Nicholas** POIDEVIN Simon PRENDERGAST El PRESTON Anna PRESTON Simon **QUINN** Nicholas **RAWSON Robert** RAYMENT Christopher

**REITER Lana** 

RHEINBERGER Jack RIZZO Anthony ROBLEDO Alicia **ROHANNA** Poppy RYAN Neil SASSONE Christopher SEN Rod SHANKAR Ravi SHEEDY Brendan SHEEDY Tanya SHEEHAN Chris SHEPPARD Sophie SHEPPARD Steve SILVESTRI Leonardo SIMPSON Noelle SLEVIN Ken SMITH Macv SPENCER Peter STACEY Leanne STOKES Cooper STOKOE Justin **SULLIVAN** Dominic SZABO Ava TANNER Elizabeth THOMAS Joanna THOMPSON Gavin TODD Jennifer TRUSTRUM Mack TWOMEY Jennifer **UPTON** Cameron VESPER Katie WALLACE Bianca WALLACE Cameron WALSH Cora WALSH Sarah WENDLER Annabelle WHYTE Josephine WILLIAMS Nigel WOOD Sally WU Lindsay YOUNG Nick **ZENERE** Christopher



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Despite the continued disruption to our patrolling operations, we had another successful season. Through all the adversity, our patrolling members show time & time again how selfless and dedicated they truly are.









# Club Captain's Report



#### EMILY MIERS

The 2021/22 season has been extremely successful for Coogee SLSC's lifesaving operations. Congratulations to all our patrolling members, new members, trainers, and the existing members who upskilled this season. We have an exemplary group of members who are driven by community values to protect beach goers and support each other.

On behalf of Coogee Surf Life Saving Club I would like to extend my thanks following the conclusion of the 2021/22 patrolling season. In this patrolling season, members of Coogee SLSC have spent over 18,000 volunteer hours on the shores of Coogee Beach keeping the community and passionate beach goers safe. As a Club, we performed fifteen rescues and attended to 2,500 preventative actions across the patrolling season from September 2021 to April 2022.

Our patrolling operations were very strong both in terms of attendance and the level of experience of members signing on to every patrol. The patrol leadership teams, including patrol captains and vice captains, provided invaluable support and mentorship

to the patrol groups, and engaged in advanced training to ensure our incident response capabilities were a top priority. The patrol leadership teams also facilitated skills maintenance at every opportunity to ensure all members were proficient and aware of changes in the delivery of CPR, lifesaving treatments and rescue methods.

We expanded our membership by welcoming 70 new Surf Rescue Certificate and 61 Bronze Medallion holders. We successfully upskilled our existing members with higher awards including 10 Silver Medallion Beach Management Awards, 20 IRB Crew Certificates, 15 ART Certificates, 63 First Aid Awards and 25 Side by Side Operators Inductions. Congratulations to the Education Team, led by Rebecca

Mister and Alexandra Scott, and all trainers who facilitated these courses.

The strength of our life saving operations relies in part on the skill set of our competitors. This season our competition team strengthened and placed 8th in the Open Point Score at the 2022 Australian Championships (3rd placed NSW club behind Newport and Wanda) including numerous solo and relay gold placings.

In November 2021, we hosted the Coogee Island Challenge and assisted 1,755 swimmers to successfully cross the finish line. While the scale of the event is a testament to our local community's participation and support of our Club, it was a terrific day thanks to the support of the Events Committee and volunteer contribution of our members.

We celebrated 40 years of women as active surf life savers this season and did so in the best way possible, with an all-female beach patrol in December 2021. It was motivating to see the highly capable and experienced women who participated in our 'Sisters in Surf' patrol and can inspire the next generation of female surf life savers.

Community investment was a strong focus by our life saving operations team this season with investment in new and continuing community-based programs. We proudly launched 'Project Libertas' in partnership with Muscular Dystrophy NSW. Our goal of the program is to broaden inclusivity in our Club and lifesaving movement and reimagine what the Australian lifesaver looks



like. The pilot program saw three participants successfully obtain their radio operators award and training to perform surveillance patrols. It has been fantastic to see these participants in our Club activities. We look forward to broadening 'Project Libertas' next season. Congratulations to the multidisciplinary team who assisted in delivering this project, including Rebecca Mister, Rebecca Waugh, Tony Waller, Paul Lardi, Charlotte McHenry, Allison Roberts, and Cate Kyling.

We celebrated the sixth year of Dippers this season where members assisted in teaching children with Autism fundamental and lifesaving surf skills. It was great to see the enjoyment on the faces of both participants and those providing water safety. The program would not be possible without the leadership of Helen Murphy, the Dippers Coordinator.

In February 2022, parts of regional NSW experienced a significant flooding emergency. Coogee SLSC proudly led a strong IRB response to assist in the disaster. Members were unwavering in their willingness to embark on a dangerous deployment to swollen rivers to provide essential food, water and medical care to individuals cut off from their communities. This commitment is a testament to the values of Coogee SLSC and its members. Thanks have been received from SLS NSW, SLS Australia and individuals assisted by our members.

Our Club's achievements are monumental considering the significant challenges we have faced throughout the season including those imposed by the ongoing COVID-19

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Andrew Gardiner 78
Scott Muir 65.51
George Shales 110.79
Matt Spooner 102

**RWC Support Ski Service** 

Altin Bunaj 34.5
Peter Harvie 33
Adam King 19
Gordon Manuel 47.5
Dane Melcum 69.5
Tom Molomby 22.75
Scott A Parker 30.5

Glen Sheldon
Surf Rescue 30

Cameron Callaghan30.5William Davison111.25Benjamin Heenan85Patrick Moore33.5Scott A Parker57.5Fiona Phelps76.23Clive Stiff93.75

Julien Vincent

<u>UAV Operators</u>

Craig Howie Michael Lette

pandemic, La Niña weather pattern and huge swell sequences. Despite experiencing COVID-19 restrictions since 2020, the impacts had not been greater than those faced this season, significantly affecting our patrolling numbers during lockdown and isolation periods. Thank you to all members for your commitment during these challenging times. Unsurprisingly, it was heart-warming to see members unite and offer support to each other both on and off the beach. The values of our Club rest in the combined offerings of our members and for this reason, Coogee SLSC is a fantastic community organization and a leading surf lifesaving club which I am proud to captain.

This was my first year as Club Captain and it has been a privilege to see the strong community values and volunteer efforts that keep our Club running shine. To the Executive, Management and Lifesaving Committee – your volunteering efforts behind the scenes are appreciated and have been invaluable this season.

Service Hours 2021/22

Service Hours 2021/22

Service Hours 2021/22

22.67

58

Thank you to all members for your service and I look forward to seeing you on the beach again at the start of the 2022/23 patrolling season.

**Emily Miers Club Captain** 









#### 100% PATROL SERVICE

#### 15 Years 100%

HOWIE Craig ILLIDGE Rob KAROZIS Tass

#### 10 Years 100%

CALLAGHAN Cameron GUINEY Philip HAWKINS Doug MCGHEE John MURPHY Helen SHELDON Glen TOOHER Andrew TOOMEY Melinda VINCENT Julien

#### **5 years 100%**

**BECK Julia** BEROWNE Jerry **BOND** Sean **CLIFFE Steven CUTHBERT Ruby DAVISON** William **FATSEAS** George FLYNN Sarah FREIHEIT Alena **HOBBY Susan** KAROZIS Angela **KAROZIS Marcus KARRAS Gerry KEYSER** Wayne KING Adam MCAUSLAND Olivia MCHENRY Charlotte **MIERS Emily MOLES** Angela **NEILSON** Ingrid O'CONNOR Cormac O'CONNOR Michael **PLIMER Raoul** PORTER-DALY Luke PRINGLE Zoe **ROBERTSON Roz** SCOTT Alexandra TAN Janine **VUETI** Jamie WALKER Chloe

### 100% Patrol Participation

**ZONICH** Debbie

ABAGI Tamara
ABDO Alan
ABRUZZESE Daniel
ADAMS Gabrielle
AIELLO Ginevra
ALLEN Bradley
ALLEN Kevin
ALLEN Tait
ANDERSON Andrew
ANDREWS Connor
ANDREWS Liam

ANDREWS Lucy ANICIC Sophia APPEL Jeffrey ASHTON Kve ASKHAM Emma **ASKHAM Gabrielle ASKIN Pauline** ASTRIDGE Heidi ASTRIDGE Leo AVATI Luke BALD Andrew **BALD** Madeleine **BALDOW Katrin** BANKI Susan **BAO** Willy **BARNES Michael** BARRETT Louise BARRY Lynne BATEMAN-STEEL Wigs BEALE Jack BEAUMONT Luella BECK Julia **BEER Drew** BEER Lara **BELL Graeme** BENNETT Jeremy BEROWNE Jerry **BLAIR** Torika BLAZEK Jaroslav BODKIN Eliza **BOND Sean BONSER Stephen BOURKE Karl Patrick BOYD** Tara BRCIC Allan **BRENNAN** Lara **BROOKS** Ben **BROWN Atticus BROWN** Christopher **BROWN Kieren BROWN Steven BUCKLEY Karen BUNAJ** Altin **BURNS** Finnian **BYRNE** Aidan CALLAGHAN Cameron CALLAGHAN Daniel CALLAGHAN Stephen CAMPBELL Ben CAMPBELL James CAMPBELL Jess CANTARELLA Clayton CANTARELLA Sam CHALMERS Natalie

**CHAPMAN Blair** 

**CHARLES** Aimee

CHARLES William

**CHARLES Leah** 

**CHILCOTT Paul** 

CLARKE Makayla

**CHUA Kav** 

CLIFFE Steven **CODD** Leanne **COMINO Stuart** CONNON Sheridan CONOMOS Tim CONSTANTINOU Andrew CONSTANTINOU Tracey COOPER Joanne **COSTELLO** Oliver **COWEN Lawrence COWEN Nora** CRUMBLIN Jeremy **CULLIVER Paul CURRY Craig CUTHBERT Ruby CUTTING Samuel** DADY Julian D'AGROSA Donato DARBEN Toni DAVIS Emma DAVIS Kvle DAVISON William **DAWSON** Rebecca **DEANS Evelyn DEANS** Robert **DEANS Sharon DEANS** William DEAS Alexandra DEAS Helen **DEAS Scarlett DEVINE** Joshua DOEPEL Mark **DURACK Kim EARP Emily ELLIOTT Tim EVANS** Duncan FAHY Ryan **FATSEAS** George FERNANDEZ Joshua FERRI DE BARROS Felipe FINAN Michelle FINEGAN Benjamin **FINLAYSON James** FLETCHER Adam **VELOZ Raul Flores** FLYNN Sarah FOLSOM Mila FRASER Matthew FRAZER Lydia FREIHEIT Aisling FREIHEIT Alena FREIHEIT Annika **FULTON Bruce** GALLAGHER Ben GALLAGHER Owen **GARCIA Patrick GARCIA** Rachel

GARLAND John GASTELAARS Mia **GATELY Samantha** GEEVES Mackenzie **GENTIN Sara GEORGE** Robin GIBELLINI Rob GILTINAN Zachary GLEDHILL Scott GOLEBIOWSKI Blanka GOODWIN Barry **GRAM Kristina GRAND Emma GRIFFITHS** Meredith **GROVES Campbell GUINEY Philip** HADJIHAMBĪ Ion HAES Aron HAES Paul HAMILTON Will HAMMOND Arabella HANKIN Joshua HARG Benjamin **HARRISON Zachary HAWKINS Callum HAWKINS Doug HAWKINS Heather HEENAN Benjamin HESS Sascha HEYDON Paul HOBBY Susan HODGSON Mark HOOKER** Peter **HORNE** Andrew **HORNE Nicholas HOSPERS Lily HOWIE Craig** ILLIDGE Andi ILLIDGE Ethan ILLIDGE Robert **IRONS Tom IRVINE** Jake JACKSON Oliver JACKSON Samuel JENKINS David **JOHANSON Nick JOHNSON** Adrian **IOHNSON** Fiona **IOHNSON** Kate **JONES** Derek **JUNG** Bridget KANDER Zoe KAROZIS Angela **KAROZIS Marcus KAROZIS** Tass **KARRAS Gerry KAVANAGH** Daniel **KAVANAGH Michael** KAVANAGH Patrick

**KEATY Bryan** 

**KEYSER** Wayne

KEENIHAN Stephanie

KING Adam KING Jodie KNAGGE Hannah KOON William KOSTOGIANNIS Jacqueline KROON Kristiaan KROUJKOV Alex **KUIJSTEN** Miranda **KYLING Cate** LAMONT Taylor **LANCE Thomas** LANE Loren LARDI Paul LARKIN Matthew LAVERY Daniel LEE Brendan LEO Belinda **LEONG Geoffrey** LEVER Susan LEVIT Eden LITTLEJOHN Marcus LOGAN Nicola LONGDON Edward LORRAINE Allan LOVETT Sophie LUKASZEWICZ-PLUTA Ioanna MAGEE Colin MAGEE Conor MANUEL Roslyn MARMOTTA Maurizio MASHFORD Martin MASKELL Ella MASTERS Benjamin MAURER Karren MCAUSLAND Fynn MCAUSLAND Olivia MCCORMACK-HOTTES Lachlan MCCORMACK-HOTTES Thomas MCDONALD Amelia MCDONALD Benjamin MCDONALD Emma MCFADDEN Finn MCGHEE John MCGHEE Mathew MCHENRY Charlotte MCMAHON Sarah MCPHEE Stuart MCRAE Kelly **MENDES Nubia** MIERS Emily MIFSUD Stephanie MILLAR Ryan MILLER Jasmine MILLER Lachlan MISTER Rebecca MITCHELL Jai **MOLES** Angela **MOORE Patrick** 

MORELLI Michela

**GARDINER** Andrew

**GARDINER** Olivia

**MORELLO Sasha** MORGAN Brett MOURANT Ian **MOYLAN Max** MULCAHY Georgina **MULLAN Erin** MURPHY Helen MURRAY Aonghus **NEILSON** Ingrid **NELSON Paul** NICHOLSON Jessica NICHOLSON Oliver NIMRICH Carolin NOLAN John O'CONNOR Cormac O'CONNOR Lorcan O'CONNOR Micheal OGLE Kali O'GRADY Michael OSSIMITZ Carmen OSSIMITZ Maria Luise O'SULLIVAN Catherine OZSDOLAY Nikki PAGET David PAGET Ryan PALM-MANNING Ashlvn PARKER Scott A PASCOE Athenia PENN Michayla PENN Wayne PESSANHA Ronaldo PEYRACHON Gabriel PHELPS Fiona PHILIPPI Shaine PIGGFORD Kristine PLIMER Raoul PLUTA Filip PLUTA Jacek PLUTA Zak POIDEVIN Gabriel

POIDEVIN Simon

PORTER-DALY Luke POWER Kathy PRENDERGAST El PRESHAW Anthony PRESTON Anna PRESTON Simon PRINGLE Wyatt PRINGLE Zoe **QUINN Nicholas** RADIN Mary **RAYMENT Christopher** REITER Gerard REITER Lana REITER Melanie RETTKE Kristofer REYPERT Mala RICAMARA Joshua ROBERTS Allison ROBERTSON Roz **ROBINSON Callum ROBINSON Rohan RUSSELL Carol** RYAN Adrian RYAN Marv RYAN Neil SARNO Julianne SARNO Madeleine SASSONE Christopher SCHILLING Andreas SCHOFIELD Xavier SCHORK Tim SCOTT Alexandra SCOTT Andrew SCROOP Deanne SCROOP Michael SEN Oliver SHEEHAN Chris SHELDON Glen SHEPPARD Kane SHEPPARD Ronan

SIMPSON Noelle SLEVIN Ken **SLY Simon SMITH Harrison** SMITH Sophie SMYTH Jake SPENCER Peter SPIELMAN Nathaniel STACEY Leanne STANGROOM Adam STIFF Clive STOCK Peter STOCK Ruben STRONACH Finian STUETZ Richard STUETZ Yasmin SULLIVAN Dominic SZACINSKI Stefan TAN Janine TANNER Maximillian TERRY Jarrod TESORIERO John **THOMAS Anthony** THOMASYU Ruby THOMPSON Gavin TINK Peter TKACHENKO Svetlana TODD Jennifer TODD Joey TONG Vincent **TOOHER Andrew** TOOMEY Melinda TORRISI Eleanor TRAN Aidvn TRAYNOR Georgia TREHARNE Adam TRENAMAN Gary TRIBE Hugo TRINCA Jennifer TURNER Brie **ULM** Charles

VAN DEN HOVEN Michael **VARNIER Lucas VESPER** Katie VINCENT Iulien VON JONQUIERES Georg VONWILLER Joseph VONWILLER Sophie **VUETI** Jamie WAGNER Florian WALKER Chloe WALKER Sally WALKER Thomas WALLACE Bianca WALLER Anthony WALLER Matthew WALLER Tom WALSH Cora WALSH Darci WALSH Sarah WASSEF Samuel WAUGH William WENDLER Lily WHELDON Christopher WHITE Denise WHITEHILL John WHYTE Josephine WILKIE Finn WILLIAMS Nigel **WOOD Sally** WU Lindsay YARDY Kenneth YOUNG Nick **ZONICH** Debbie



SHEPPARD Steve

SILVESTRI Emma



**UNCLES Ewan** 

#### **Patrol Captains**

P1 Kris Rettke
P2 Emily Miers
P3 Charlotte McHenry\*
\*denotes new PC this
season

P4 Callum Hawkins\* (res Feb 2022) Conor Magee\* (app. Feb 2022) P5 Rebecca Mister P6 Cam Callaghan P7 Andrew Gardiner P8 Ryan Paget P9 Michael Scroop P10 Ben Heenan P11 Alexandra Scott P12 Michael Barnes P13 Fiona Phelps P14 Zach Giltinan P15 Will Davison

















# Blueys Report

#### RUBY THOMASYU



The most outstanding showing of our young people is that throughout this Annual Report you will see our 14-18 year-olds in every aspect of club life. From excelling in competition to engaging in higher awards of education, making their mark on lifesaving, demonstrating great leadership, and contributing to our uniquely positive, enjoyable, and meaningful culture of Surf Lifesaving.





Vincent and Cate representing Coogee SLSC at SLSNSW Youth Development Camp

The season of 2021-2022 for Coogee Surf Lifesaving's youth was definitely one to remember. With Covid dictating the rocky start in September, reduced patrolling numbers and by extension limited safe ways for U18s to patrol, we spent the first few weeks watching from the side-line. Thankfully, as the situation continued to change our youth were able to return to patrol and contributed their hand in keeping the beach and our community safe. As the season progressed, the challenges didn't stop there. Floods, La Nína and Covid ran rampant through the Summer, however, as always, our youth bounced back and responded with great strength.

Our season has been busy with many of our Blueys involved in the Sydney Branch chats, champion lifesaver, competition, our Blueys Kiosk, rescue services day, SRC graduation, Thunder Bronze, club events; the Biathlon, RunSwim Coogee, Rose Shield & President's Cup and much more. It's safe to say the Blueys have done it all!

One of the great lessons I learned at the 50- and 75-year membership dinner, is that many of the club's longest-standing members have been true friends since their junior days. The friendships I have witnessed form, grow, and continue over my three years of Junior Captain is something I am immensely proud to have watched. I hope that all our young people have enjoyed this season, made great friends and memories, learnt, grown and know they've done so in the service of their community.

It has been a great honour to serve as your Junior Captain for the last three years and this season with Cate and Bec. Thank you to all Blueys for your ongoing service, engagement, and enthusiasm.

Ruby Thomasyu Junior Captain

# Director of Youth Report



#### REBECCA WAUGH

It has again been a challenging year for our young members. Cancellations, contingencies, and public health orders, made it tricky for patrols, competition, and social connections. In acknowledging this, Coogee has seen outstanding contributions from our young people in all areas of the club.





We had 68 Minnows attain their Surf Rescue Certificate and graduating into the senior club, 16 Bronze Medallions and five Advanced Resuscitation certificates.

They continue to support water safety at Minnows, water confidence group, Autism swim, and Coogee Island Challenge. Many are taking up opportunities as trainers, patrol vice captains and reaching for leadership opportunities at club, branch, state, and national levels.

The youth committee established a Youth liaison officer on each patrol to encourage participation, social engagement and assist with role model pathways for youth.

We managed to host an Emergency Services open day and a welcome to the club breakfast for our new Life Saving certificate graduates and parents.

Our "Blueys Kiosk" continued to offer employment to our under 18s

membership. Thank you to Wayne Penn and Ruby Thomasyu for your assistance in the operations.

A pilot youth female mentoring program kicked off. Congratulations to Junior Captain Ruby Thomasyu and Vice Junior Captain Cate Kyling for their acceptance into the SLS Australia women's mentoring program. The Program promotes ongoing supported pathways of personal and professional development as well as networking opportunities and support and guiding both Ruby and Cate's leadership skills.

Our youth committee which includes Minnow captains, newly graduated Surf Rescue Certificates holders, Junior Captains, and others under the guidance of the Director of Youth has become a strong advocacy space to listen, share, and action ideas and initiatives from and for our youth.

In the youth competition arena although Huey was against us at Branch

and State, we managed to send an impressive youth team to Aussies. Congratulations to all our youth competitors who competed this season at the SLS National Titles at both Broadbeach and North Kirra.

Rebecca Waugh Director of Youth













Another disrupted season, with some of the longest run Bronze Medallion courses on record. Once again, our team showed their adaptability and tenacity to educate our newest & most resilient patrolling members.





#### LEAD TRAINING OFFICERS

**Surf Rescue Certificate** 

Doug Hawkins & James Campbell

**Thunder Bronze** 

Beck Mister & Alexandra Scott

Summer Bronze

Michael Barnes & Ben Heenan

Dads & Mums Army XXIV

Doug Hawkins

**Advanced Resuscitation Techniques** 

Beck Mister, Kath Power, Craig Howie & Andrew Tooher

**IRB Crew** 

Scott Parker & Will Davison

Project Libertas – Radio Operator Charlotte McHenry

**SSV Operator** 

Tony Waller

# Chief Fraining Officer's Report



#### REBECCA MISTER

I am pleased to report that this season Coogee has awarded the highest number of awards in Randwick (302) and the second highest number in Surf Life Saving Sydney branch, although we were restricted by both COVID19 and El Nina weather. COVID stopped us running courses in the early part of the season, and the weather extended our normal 6-to-8-week Bronze Medallion courses to over 4 months.

I would like to start by acknowledging the support of Alexandra Scott, Advanced Awards Coordinator and Charlotte McHenry, IRB Education Coordinator who have worked closely with me throughout this season as we all learnt how our roles worked. I would also like to acknowledge George Fatseas, previous CTO.

Ongoing COVID restrictions into Spring 2021 meant that like many other parts of the Club, we had a delayed start to the season. Uncertainty about when training could start and what format it would take meant that the Club was not able to offer the full range of courses we normally do. Covid restrictions meant course structure was adapted as we implemented COVID safe practices to keep participants safe.

Surf Rescue Certificate: started later than normal and was split into two groups to reduce COVID risk. Doug Hawkins and James Campbell led this course, with support from Will Charles and many other age assistants.

Thunder Bronze: The first bronze course of the season "Thunder Bronze" a fast-track course for current patrolling SRCs over 4 evenings and two weekends. Alexandra Scott and I led with thanks to Wayne Penn, Paul Haes, Andrew Bloxsom and Andy Gardiner for coming back to the Education team to help with this course.

Our plans for a second Thunder Bronze course during the summer school holidays were dashed with the emergence of Omicron. We look forward to supporting these candidates to achieve their bronze medallion at the start of the 2022/23 season.

Summer Bronze: This course led by Michael Barnes and Ben Heenan started in late January, with plans to assess in mid-March. This year we trialled a different schedule of one weeknight and one weekend session each week, the move to e-learning allows us to have less face-to-face classroom sessions. This means less time commitment for both trainers and candidates.

Dads and Mums Army (DMA) XXV: This season we celebrated our 25th Dads and Mums Army bronze course, led again by Doug Hawkins. Some of the candidates in this squad started training on the beach in October so a great commitment by everyone. This course is run in conjunction with Minnows and aims to enable Minnows parents to be part of Water safety as well as patrolling.

The weather... Unfortunately, the beach assessments for both Summer and DMA courses were delayed several times due to weather, swell and poor water quality – but after almost 12 weeks both squads finally completed in early May, much to the relief of all. Thanks to the trainers, assessors and candidates for their patience and continuing enthusiasm over what I suspect were the longest bronze courses at Coogee!

Coogee led courses: This year we have run ART and IRB crew courses, with the next Silver Medallion IRB Driver course running during the off-season.

ART: Changes to ART award this season meant that we spent time upskilling current trainers prior to running our first course, with more courses planned during the offseason. ART courses are led by Craig Howie, Kath Power, Andrew Tooher, and I, with several new ART trainers in development.

IRB: The IRB team led by Scott Parker ran 2 IRB Crew courses this season; getting through over twenty-five new crewies. Huge thanks to all drivers who came and helped in the early mornings, particularly Dave Paget, Josh Ricamara, Will Davison, Rob Illidge, Andrew Tooher, Paul Lardi, and Ben Heenan. IRB training continues through the off-season, with driver training happening over the Winter months.

Advanced Awards: This season our members continued to upskill by achieving Higher Awards, including first aid, Silver Medallion Beach Management and Trainers and Assessors, showing the depth of our member qualifications.

This year there were no new Gold assessments, but we thank George Fatseas for his ongoing Gold Medallion training in the pool and on the beach.

Project Libertas: A pilot program between MDNSW and Coogee SLSC, Project Libertas offered the opportunity for individuals with Muscular Dystrophy to become lifesavers through achievement of the Radio Operator Certificate. This program has provided us with three new lifesavers, who will focus on observation from higher vantage points and communication with the patrol captain and team.

I would like to thank all the Lead Trainers as well as the many Trainers, Assessors and Facilitators who continue to support the ongoing success of Coogee's Education team. In addition, I would like to acknowledge those members who help with Water Safety and act as content experts.

This season we have worked to welcome back to the training team members who have stepped back over the last few seasons. We also have several probationary trainers in the wings, with more members keen to become Trainers and Assessors in the coming season.

This season I have worked with Bec Waugh, Director of Youth Services and Ruby Thomasyu and Cate Kyling, Junior Captains to plan further training and education for our Youth members, COVID delayed some of our plans, but we were pleased to run a Blueys First Aid course and hope to plan further training for the 22/23 season.

Finally, I would like to thank the Lifesaving Committee lead by our Club Captain Emily Miers and our Club Management Committee for their continued support, and assistance throughout the season, with special thanks to Debbie Zonich for her ongoing support, advice and for never getting cross with my questions.

Rebecca Mister Chief Training Officer

#### CERTIFICATIONS

#### **Surf Rescue Certificate**

ANDERSON Noah **AVARD Tahlia AZAR Maggie BANKS Finlay BANKS Sienna BARLOW Chloe BAYOT** Evie **BELL** Amelia BLIGH Cian **BLOXSOM** Bronte **BOWLER Alice BURNS** Oscar **BUTLER Jack** BYRNE Amelia CAMPBELL Victoria **CARTER Sophie** CHAMBIRAS Namika **CHARLES** Zoe CONTARINO Alexander **COSTELLO** Sophia **DEANS** Abigail **DINGLE** Abigail DONNELLY Olivia **DUNCAN** Angus **EASSON Charlie EDWARDS Nicholas ELLIOTT William** FERNANDEZ Emma **FULTON Emma** Marie **GARDINER Charles GEORGALLIS Scarlet GIBBS** Sebastien GILLIGAN Fynn **GLADSTONE** Hannah **HARDY** Xanthe HAWKES Ruby **HEGGIE-PROTIERE** Colette **HOLSTEIN Alice** JOHNSON Jack **KATSIOTIS Max** LEE Aiden **LUCAS-FUNK Casper** LYNCH Liam LYNCH Niamh MCDONNELL-ZAMMIT Ava NABARRO Eva NORBURY Meg O'BRIEN Erin PIGNATELLI Benjamin RIKARD-BELL Koko SAAD Noah SEWELL Jemima SILVESTRI Elisa

SMITH Owen STOCK Lara SWAN Ari **SWIFT Finlay** TANNER Charlie TRUSTRUM Jasmine TURINUI Sasha TURNBULL Bodie **VESPER** Alexander **VESPER Thomas** VONWILLER Audrey WALLEY Grace WALSH-SIMS Aislinn WILLIAMSON Abbey WILLIAMSON Darby WRIGHT Isaac

#### **Bronze Medallion**

**BOWERS Thomas BRENNAN** Lauren **CHAPMAN Scott CRANNEY Nick DEANS** Evelyn **EERIKAINEN Stefanie FOLEY Rory** FOO Jin **GARDINER Krystian GODFREY Martin GRAHAM Elise** HABLER Cooper **HAES Aron HALEY Benjamin HAMMOND** Chiara **HAWKES** Elouisa **HODGSON Billy HORAN Simon HOWLETT Melanie HUME Lachlan JACKSON Eliza KALETA Steve KELLY Tim** LEVIT Eden LIPMAN Cath **LUFF** Catherine MACKENZIE Samuel MACKENZIE Zazou MARGIN George **MATHIES Christine** MAXWELL Jason MCPHERSON Jozef MILLER Jasmine MITCHELL Brad **MOYLAN Max NESTOR James** O'BRIEN Victoria O'LEARY Brigid PENALOZA Raymundo PENN Michayla

**PENNEMO Mattias PICCOLRUAZ** Sharmeela PIENAAR Benita PIENAAR Gert RAMAN Madhav RICHARDSON Perrin ROUAEN Jourdin SCANLAN-HOPPE Belinda **SCHMANDIN Marc SMYTH Paul** STEFANAC Anthony TAVALLAI Erin WAUGH William **WENKE** Aprile WHITE Adrian WILLIAMSON Kailan WILLIAMSON Zara WINDSOR Caroline ZILLI Francisco

# Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (AID)

**BAO** Willy **DALY Gary DEVINE** Joshua **EARP Emily GEEVES** Mackenzie **HEENAN** Benjamin **HOWIE Craig** KANDER Zoe KEENA Vaughn LAMONT Taylor MISON Brook MISON Kylie MISTER Rebecca OSSIMITZ Carmen **POWER Kathy ROBERTS** Allison SCOTT Alexandra **TOOHER Andrew** TRAYNOR Georgia

#### **IRB Crew**

ASHTON Kye
BALD Madeleine
BENNETT Jeremy
CHARLES Leah
DEVINE Joshua
EARP Emily
FINEGAN Benjamin
FLETCHER Adam
FORSTER Scarlett
HADJIHAMBI Ion
HOSPERS Lily
JENKINS David
KANDER Zoe

LEE Brendan LICHAA Samara MITCHELL Jai REITER Lana WALKER Thomas WASSEF Samuel YOUNG Nick

Silver Medallion
Beach Management
(SMBM)
RIZZO Anthony
THOMASYU Ruby
WALSH Darci

Offshore Rescue
Boat Driver
PARKER Scott A

Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue BECK Julia

Silver Medallion
Beach Management
RIZZO Anthony

RIZZO Anthony THOMASYU Ruby WALSH Darci

Silver Medallion
Patrol Captain
HAWKINS Doug
WALLER Anthony

#### Provide First Aid

**ALLEN Tait** 

ASHCROFT Emily **ASKIN Pauline BAO** Willv **BARRETT Louise BATEMAN-STEEL** Wigs **BEROWNE Jerry BLAIR** Torika BRANSBY John **BRCIC Thomas BRENNAN** Lauren CALLAGHAN Cameron **CAMPBELL James CARNEY Peter** CHARLES Leah **CLIFFE Steven COLEMAN Karen DALY Gary** DAVISON William **DEANS Sharon DEVINE** Joshua **EARP Emily** 

Cara

**FALLON** Joey FERNANDEZ Matthew FERRI DE BARROS Felipe FLORES VELOZ Raul FREIHEIT Alena **FULTON Bruce GARCIA Patrick GEEVES Mackenzie GEORGE** Robin **GRAM Kristina** HAMMOND Arabella **HARVIE Peter** HAWKINS Callum **HAWKINS** Heather **HEENAN** Benjamin **HODGSON Mark HOSPERS Lily HUA Phillip** ILLIDGE Robert JACKSON Eliza JIWANE Manas KANDER Zoe KEENA Vaughn **KEENIHAN Stephanie KEYSER** Wayne **LAMONT Taylor** LARDI Paul LEVER Susan MACNIVEN Rona MANUEL Roslyn MCAUSLAND Olivia MCHENRY Charlotte MCLEAN Lauren **MENDES Taigo MIERS Emily** MISON Brook MISON Kylie MISTER Rebecca **MORRIS** Janice O'CONNOR Cormac O'CONNOR Micheal OSSIMITZ Carmen O'SULLIVAN Catherine PASCOE Athenia PENALOZA Raymundo PHIBBS Kevin **PIGGFORD** Kristine PLIMER Raoul **POWER Kathy REITER Lana ROBERTS** Allison **ROHANNA** Poppy **RUSSELL Carol** SASSONE Christopher **SAYER-BOURNE** 

EMERY Jo

#### CERTIFICATIONS

SCOTT Alexandra SCOTT Michael SCROOP Deanne **SHALES George** SIMPSON Noelle SPENCER Peter STIFF Clive SUTTIE Julianne TKACHENKO Svetlana **TOOHER Andrew TOOMEY Melinda** TRAYNOR Georgia TREHARNE Adam VINCENT Julien WALSH Linda WASSEF Samuel WENKE Aprile WHITE Adrian WOOD Sally **WRIGHT** Gary YARDY Kenneth **ZONICH** Debbie

#### Radio Operator Certificate

GREEN Scott MEHTA Jai NOLAN Patrick

#### Technical Official

AARSAETHER Christine BLOXSOM Tracey GELLIN Natalie HARTCHER Adriana HENDERSON Clare HOBBS Jennie HUME Lee JORDAN Scott SAUNDERS Marissa THOMAS Joanna TKACHENKO Svetlana

**SSV Operator** APPEL Jeffrey **BARNES Michael GARDINER** Andrew GARDINER Olivia **GEEVES Mackenzie GILTINAN Zachary HAES Paul HEENAN Benjamin HOWIE Craig KAROZIS** Tass **LARKIN Matthew** MCHENRY Charlotte **MIERS Emily** MILLAR Ryan MISTER Rebecca PAGET Ryan PHELPS Fiona **RETTKE Kristofer** RIZZO Anthony SCOTT Alexandra SCROOP Michael **TOOHER Andrew** TREHARNE Adam **UNCLES Ewan** WALLER Anthony

#### **Age Manager Course**

ALLEN Aleks **ANDREWS Matthew BYRNE James CLARKE Lisa** CONCANNON Sean **CREWES Anthony** D'AGROSA Donato DALY Cathal DAVIS Ryan **DAWSON Lindsay DAWSON Matthew DOOLEY Rob** DRAKE Campbell **EERIKAINEN Stefanie GREGORY** Andrew **GRIFFIS** Lisa **HAYNES Richard HORAN Simon HOWLETT Melanie** JANZ Christopher **KESTEN Mutlu LUFF** Catherine LUMSDEN Alex MARSDEN Sam MAXWELL Carly MONTEIRO Jordana **MOYES** less **OBRIEN Paul** OWEN Dan PATERSON James PENFOLD Nerissa **RUTTER Stephen** SASSONE Christopher SCANLAN-HOPPE

SLEVIN Ken SMALE Dane STANKOWSKI Monika WHALAN Jeni WILSON Sharon YOUNG Nick ZELLER Olivier

#### EDUCATORS AWARDS

Training Officer
DAVISON William
PASCOE Athenia

Assessor IRB TREHARNE Adam

#### **Minnows Award Totals**

Surf Smart Two U13 Surf Smart One U12 Surf Safe Two U11 Surf Safe One U10 Surf Aware Two U9 Surf Aware One U8 Surf Play Two U7 Surf Play One U6 VOCHTELOO Jerry KEENA Vaughn SAUNDERS Marissa HAWKINS Doug HOWIE Craig MISTER Rebecca

TREHARNE Adam

**Facilitator** 

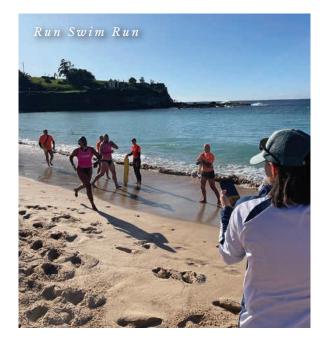
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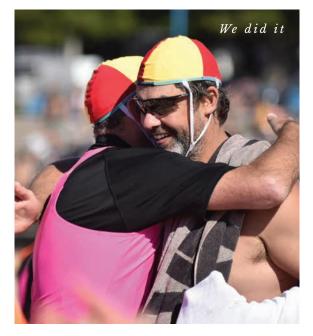


















Flexibility and toughness were the name of the game this season, and our competitors, coaches, support teams & officials had it in spades. This is the epitome of just how strong our club is.













# Competition Director's Report



#### ANDREW BLOXSOM

We had a good year...no we had a great year! Through adversity the determination, commitment and resilience shown by our competitors was equal to none. On the flip side, we had the joy of running our first "Whole Club" gala day and welcomed our U13 Purple caps to Aussies.

For a season that we thought would be starting off with some normality, this wasn't the case with round two of Covid-19, multiple lockdowns and limitations meaning it was going to be a battle for the Two Blues once again. To jump back into the "hot seat" after more than 15 years and the club being a very different size and composition on top of the pandemic was always going to be a challenge...but one that we battled through together to come out as one of top clubs in our Branch, the State and Australia.

One of the big highlights for me this season was being able to put on the club's first "Whole Club" Gala Day which was held on Saturday 20th November. This was a combination of Club Champ rounds for both the Senior and Minnows that saw nearly

200 members compete across the range of events including having Minnows competing in relays with our Opens. This season we also took on the challenge of making our club events more efficient with online registrations so that our members can spend more time racing than sitting around. Next season we are looking at taking this a step further to include online results utilising the Live Heats solution.

We also ran a couple of our club events, in the Anonymous Donors, Rose Shield and President's Cup on Friday afternoons which enabled us to entice a different participation group and utilise the clubhouse after for BBQ and drinks. This also continued our "One Club" focus for this season where we had more than 10 ul2 competitors compete, and some were part of the

winning teams, for both the Rose Shield and President's Cup.

Pre Xmas there were only a couple carnivals run, mainly focussed on the beach and boat areas, which enabled people to start seeing results from all their hard work but more importantly to the rest of the areas that there was light at the end of the tunnel. This included our boaties with the Sons rowing not just U23 but also mixing it up regularly in the finals for the Open division and the DMGs who kick started their trend of making the final at every carnival except one.

With 2022 finally on us there was hope that carnivals were becoming regular, but January saw more cancellations until finally the Manly/ Freshwater Australia Day weekend carnivals saw beach, boat, water and R&R contingents making their way over the harbour. This was the first carnival of the season for many and showcased that Coogee was going to be a force this season with 1st places in both the Reserve Female boat and four of the R&R events. We also had our long-distance beach runners head down to the Shire at the same time with Coogee taking away four 1st places.

The Branch and State champs saw wild weather and dangerous/unhealthy conditions rob many of our competitors the chance to compete or moved to the flat water of Yarra Bay for water events and Kurnell for



the boats at the Branch Champs. For those few that were able to compete at the Branch Champs, the Two Blues still showed our class bringing home a total of 47 medals, including 22 Gold! These great results saw Coogee come 4th overall in the Branch.

Coogee hosted the Branch R&R Championships for the second year and adding Champion Lifesaver to the schedule. Not only were our results fantastic but the glowing and positive feedback we received from other clubs and the carnival referee illustrated that we know how to host an event.

With the Branch results there were many tremendous efforts across the four days of competition, but I just wanted to call out three. These being Rona Macniven and Rebecca Waugh stepping back in time to take 1st place in the Open 2 x 1km Female Beach Relay, Bronte Bloxsom winning the inaugural U14 Female Champion Lifesaver and our Open Mixed Surf Boat Relay for winning our first ever medal in this event with a 2nd place. This team comprised 15 of our boaties to cover Open Male, Open Female and U19 crews saw all members step up divisions with the Sons going from U23 to Open, the DMGs from Reserve to Open Female and our U19s in their first carnival. Our U19's effort is more so impressive in that Mila Folsom jumped into the boat with three of our boys (Kailan, Harry, and Billy), so all

four had never rowed together before.

For the State Champs, due to the consistent appalling water conditions meant that from all our nearly 150 competitors from U15 to Masters only 15 competed. But we were still able to capture 2 Golds and 1 Silver. Big shout out to Jasmine Miller and Michayla Penn who won both our Gold medals in the U17 and U19 2 Person R&R events. This was the first time these events had ever been run. Well done ladies!

I'd like to make a special mention to our U9 to U12 age groups who not only came 1st place overall at Branch but where also 1st place overall at the NSW State Champs and enabled Coogee to receive the only NSW State championship trophy for the 21/22 season. Well done Aidan and all!

We sent 127 competitors from Youth, Masters, and Opens to the 2022 Australian Titles. This included our U13 Purple Caps for the first time at an Aussies and they didn't disappoint. Once the team and gear started to turn up, we had constant curve balls thrown at us with the Youth beach area flooded so events were moved from North Kirra to Kurrawa, cyclonic swell meaning boats were moved from Broadbeach to Bilinga and water events moved to North Kirra. On top of this due to many halts to competition, events were starting to be cancelled outright or in the case of R&R all were run "dry", so no swim. These changes also meant

that many competitors were adding two hours of commuting to their day.

Shout out a massive thanks to parents and coaches with the likes of Aidan, Rod, Richard, Wayne, MK, and Todd who become shuttle bus drivers. Also, to Sharon who let us turn her car into the personal Coogee vehicle shuttling people and gear up and down the Gold Coast every day.

With everything that was thrown at our competitors the Two Blues started off precedings with a bang, with medals and personal bests throughout. In terms of medals Coogee was able to walk away with a total of 32 across all 3 carnivals including:

#### 8 Gold

(2 x Youth, 2 x Masters and 4 x Open)
15 Silver

(3 x Youth, 7 x Masters, 5 x Open)

9 Bronze

(2 x Youth, 2 x Masters, 5 x Open)

This enabled Coogee to come 11th in the overall Masters rank and 8th in the Open, only one spot behind Wanda and 3rd best club in NSW!

Some of the highlights included competitors winning individual medals, then joining a team and winning another. Our Female boat crews, in Masters and Open competitions, shining and getting on the podium. The 200 yrs. Female Beach Relay team taking out the win for the second year. The single and







double ski competitors making the podium in their first time competing in this discipline. Luke Avati winning the U17 Beach sprint, after winning the same event last year in U15. Finn Wilkie doing the same with his silver medal in U17 Surf Board Riding. Our U19 Female Beach Relay team getting gold with three members stepping up from the U17 ranks.

Our R & R team continued their success by bringing home 5 medals. We had teams in every final and won the Ron Sandstrom Trophy for Australian R&R Champion Club for the second consecutive year.

There are a couple of special notes I'd like to make with Aussies. These being firstly our Reserve Female Boat crews (DMGs and Fruit Bats), both crews waiting for nearly three full days for a chance to row in a wait and see situation. To our Champion Lifesavers and Patrol Comp team who started their days with 6:30am registration but didn't receive their results until after 7pm. Having to stay at the beach and wait, sometimes nearly six hours after competing. Our Coogee family strength showing through with Father/ Daughter, Uncle/Niece, Husband/Wife and Partners all competing together in the same team but more so in two pairs of sisters taking medals together in our Youth. Finally, to one of our individual water competitors in Dakota Fielding (our youngest team member and first Aussies) who placed 9th in the final of the U13 Female Board Race from a total of 139 competitors.

We wouldn't be able to do many of these events without our sponsors, or the management of Mel and Luna, and Steve "Chimes" Gillis for his unwavering generosity with the annual Sportsman Lunch. Our amazing sponsors are ensuring that we have top of the line equipment. To each of you a massive thank you from all competitors!

Finally, I just wanted to thank a few groups of people who have supported the area and myself throughout this season and our success wouldn't have been possible without them. Firstly, all the competitors for their unwavering commitment and sportsmanship this season. Next to all the parents, partners, and families for their dedication to ensuring our competitors had the chance to compete. To the Management, Executive and Debbie Zonich, thank you all for your amazing support and commitment to our competitors. A big thank you to all our coaches, over 40 of you, your dedication, structures, and selflessness make all this possible. To all the officials, water safety and gear transporters (particularly Matt, Termite, Sharon, Josh, and Gravy) who without their attendance at carnivals and support no one would be able to compete. Our IRB area, particularly, worked tirelessly to cover and support all our internal and external carnival water safety requirements at their normal A+ level. The Competition Committee this season was amazing to work with so thank you to Aidan, Emma, Matt, Finian, Hips, Jen, Termite, Sharon, Cam, MK, Carolyn, Clay & Smithy. I'd like to shout out to Lee, as the Assistant Comp Director, in his first year taking on all the entries and his tireless support. To my R&R team...the Coogee Bunnies, thank you for another season of fun where we made the Aussie Final but not able to bring home any chocolates.

Finally, thank you to my family, Tracey, Millie, and Bronte who have supported me stepping back into this challenging role. Each were a credit to the competition team and the club. I'm truly lucky to be competing for the Two Blues with my whole family. Yes, each of them brought home Australian Medals, including Gold for the girls, so I'm the only one left in the family without one.

It was an honour and privilege to lead the Two Blues again, fantastic to reconnect with many and meet new members, whether they are 6 or 60, in our amazing club.

Andrew Bloxsom Competition Director

### CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS

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ROUND 1				***
20th November 2021			Event	Winner
ROUND 2			Junior (U19) Female	NT - A A
30th January 2022			Ski Race	No Award Ava Szabo
ROUND 3			Board Race	Ava Szabo No Award
20th March 2022			Iron Women	
			Beach Sprint	Ruby Thomasyu
			Beach Flags	Ruby Thomasyu
CLUB CHAMPIONS	H I P	S	Ikm Beach Run	Ruby Thomasyu
Event		Winner	Junior (U19) Male	No Award
Female Club Champion		Emily Miers	Ski Race	Alfie Ashton
Male Club Champion		Marcus Littlejohn	Board Race	
Junior Female Club Champ	ion	Ava Szabo	Iron Man	No Award
Junior Male Club Champio	n	Joshua Fernandez	Beach Sprint	Kane Sheppard
Cadet Female Club Champi	ion	Madeleine Quinn	Beach Flags	Kane Sheppard
Cadet Male Club Champion	ı	Huon Groves / Lachlan Hume	1km Beach Run	Marcus Littlejohn
Masters Female Club Cham	pion	Sally Wood	Cadet (U15) Female	
Masters Male Club Champion		Finian Stronach	Board Race	Madeleine Quinn
Whaters White Glas Champion			Iron Women	Madeleine Quinn
ACE CHAMBIONEH	IDC		Beach Sprint	Madeleine Quinn
AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS			Beach Flags	Sasha Turinui
Event	Wi	nner	lkm Beach Run	Bronte Bloxsom
<u>Female Open</u>			Cadet (U15) Male	
Ski Race		Award	Board Race	Lachlan Hume
Board Race		Award	Iron Man	Lachlan Hume
Iron Women	No	Award		Owen Smith
Beach Sprint	Ru	by Thomasyu	Beach Sprint	Asher Thomasyu
Beach Flags	Ru	by Thomasyu	Beach Flags	Ronan Sheppard
lkm Beach Run	No	Award	lkm Beach Run	Asher Thomasyu
Male Open			Masters (30+) Female	,
Ski Race	An	gus Bennett	Ski Race	Linda Walsh
Board Race	Alf	ie Ashton	Board Race	Linda Walsh
Iron Man	An	gus Bennett		Linda Walsh
Beach Sprint	Ka	ne Sheppard	Iron Women	Linda Walsh
Beach Flags	Kai	ne Sheppard	Beach Sprint	
•			Beach Flags	Helen Deas



1km Beach Run

Will Mison

**Beach Flags** 

1km Beach Run

Rona Macniven

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Event Winner

Masters (30+) Male

Ski RaceFinian StronachBoard RaceColin MageeIron ManFinian StronachBeach SprintWayne PennBeach FlagsNo Award

1km Beach Run Andrew Bloxsom



#### ANONYMOUS DONORS Friday 5th February 2022

Female Ashley Finegan
Male William Mison
Teams Michelle Finegan
Rebecca Waugh

#### PRESIDENT'S CUP Friday 11th February 2022

**Emily Miers** 

Thomas Macassey

Tessa Chua Linda Walsh

Simon Sly

Lee Hume

Daniel Kavanagh

#### ROSE SHIELD Friday 11th February 2022

Todd Mison

Jack Cuthbert

Ashton Habler

Darragh Hogan

Caitlyn Lee

Ben Burdett

#### SEDDON SHIELD

Finn Wilkie







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#### SYDNEY BRANCH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Yarra Bay & Maroubra Beach Saturday 5th February 2022

Overall Point Score: 4th - 214 points

Event	Winner	Place
Ul7 Male Beach Sprint	Ryan Harper	1st
U19 Female Beach Sprint	Ruby Thomasyu	1st
U17 Mixed Beach Relay	Ryan Harper	1st
	Kate Johnson	1st
	Eden Levit	1st
	Maximillian Tanner	1st
Open Mixed Beach Relay	Jake Irvine	lst
	Benjamin McDonald	1st
	Elizabeth Tanner	1st
	Ruby Thomasyu	1st
Open Female Beach Relay	Nubia Mendes	1st
	Elizabeth Tanner	1st
	Ruby Thomasyu	1st
	Annabelle Wendler	1st
Open Female 2 x lkm Beach Relay	Rona Macniven	1st
	Rebecca Waugh	1st
Open Male 2 x lkm Beach Relay	Marcus Littlejohn	2nd
	William Mison	2nd
U17 Male Beach Sprint	Maximillian Tanner	3rd
U17 Male Beach Flags	Ryan Harper	3rd
U19 Male 2km Beach Run	Marcus Littlejohn	3rd
Open Female 2km Beach Run	Rebecca Waugh	3rd





#### MASTERS BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS Maroubra Sunday 6th February 2022

40-49 yrs Female 2km Beach Run	Rebecca Waugh	1st
40-49 yrs Male Beach Sprint	Wayne Penn	1st
40-49 yrs Female Beach Sprint	Nicola Logan	1st
50-59 yrs Female Beach Sprint	Jennifer Trinca	1st
40-49 yrs Male 2km Beach Run	Scott Parker	2nd
30-39 yrs Female 2km Beach Run	Rona Macniven	2nd
50-59 yrs Male 2km Beach Run	Michael Scroop	2nd
50-59 yrs Male Beach Sprint	Simon Preston	2nd

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#### SYDNEY BRANCH BOAT CHAMPIONSHIPS SYDNEY BRANCH R&R & LIFESAVING Kurnell

Saturday 12th February 2022

### CHAMPIONSHIPS Coogee Saturday 19th February 2022

Event	Winner	Place	Saturday 19th Febru	ary 2022	
Reserve Grade Female Surf Boat	DMGs	lst	Event	Winner	Place
	Terrena Kolster	lst			
	Kelsey McGuinness	1st	U14 Female Champion Lifesaver	Bronte Bloxsom	lst
	Lauren McLean	lst	U19 Female Champion	Lana Reiter	lst
	Samantha Murray	lst	Lifesaver		
	Paul Beale (sweep)	lst	Open Female Champion Lifesaver	Emma Grand	lst
U19 Female Surf Boat	Havachats	1st	50 yrs + Female Champion	Melanie Reiter	lst
	Georgia Beale	1st	Lifesaver		150
	Mila Folsom	lst	Open 6 Person R&R	J Carter	lst
	Alice Norbury	lst		Chris Gately	lst
	Macy Smith	lst		Drew Hayes	lst
	David Smith (sweep)	lst		Grant Hayes	lst
U23 Male Surf Boat	Coogee Sons	2nd		Luke Ryan	lst
	Jack Beale	2nd		Scott Ryan	1st
	Lachlan Smart	2nd	Open Female 5 Person R&R	Tracey Bloxsom	lst
	Harrison Smith	2nd		Eliza Bodkin	lst
	Austin Wem	2nd		Samantha Gately	lst
	Matthew Leary (sweep)	2nd		Yasmin Stuetz	lst
200yrs + Male Surf Boat	Paul Beale	2nd		Bianca Wallace	lst
	Matthew Leary	2nd	Open Male 5 Person R&R	J Carter	lst
	David Smith	2nd		Chris Gately	lst
	Michael Terry	2nd		Drew Hayes	lst
	Harvey Barratt (sweep)	2nd		Grant Hayes	lst
Open Mixed Surf Boat Relay	Jack Beale	2nd		Scott Ryan	lst
	Lachlan Smart	2nd	U17 5 Person R&R	Chiara Hammond	lst
	Harrison Smith	2nd		Elouisa Hawkes	lst
	Austin Wem	2nd		Patrick Kavanagh	1st
	Matthew Leary (sweep)	2nd		Jasmine Miller	lst
	Terrena Kolster	2nd		Michayla Penn	lst
	Kelsey McGuinness	2nd	U19 5 Person R&R	Chiara Hammond	lst
	Lauren McLean	2nd		Elouisa Hawkes	lst
	Samantha Murray	2nd		Patrick Kavanagh	lst
	Paul Beale (sweep)	2nd		Jasmine Miller	lst
	Mila Folsom	2nd		Michayla Penn	lst
	Harry Staines	2nd	U17 2 Person R&R	Jasmine Miller	2nd
	William Vesper	2nd		Michayla Penn	2nd
	Kailan Williamson	2nd	U17 Male Champion	Joshua Fernandez	2nd
	Rod Colman (sweep)	2nd	Lifesaver		

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Event	Winner	Place
U12/U13 2 Person R&R	Coco Sweeney	2nd
	Margot Godfrey	2nd
Open Mixed 5 Person R&R	Jann Ashley	2nd
	Eliza Bodkin	2nd
	Drew Hayes	2nd
	Grant Hayes	2nd
	Patrick Kavanagh	2nd
U19 2 Person R&R	Jasmine Miller	2nd
	Michayla Penn	2nd
Open Mixed 2 Person R&R	Jennifer Trinca	2nd
	Wayne Penn	2nd
Open Male Champion Lifesaver	Josh Devine	3rd
Open Mixed 5 Person R&R	Andrew Bloxsom	3rd
	Tracey Bloxsom	3rd
	Luke Ryan	3rd
	Jennifer Trinca	3rd
	Rod Wallace	3rd
Open 6 Person R&R	Andrew Bloxsom	3rd
	Tracey Bloxsom	3rd
	Eliza Bodkin	3rd
	Samantha Gately	3rd
	Bianca Wallace	3rd
	Rod Wallace	3rd

#### NSW STATE R&R CHAMPIONSHIPS Freshwater - most events were cancelled Saturday 5th March 2022

Event	Winner	Place
U15 Mixed 5 Person R&R	Bronte Bloxsom	1st
	Millie Bloxsom	1st
	Emma Fernandez	1st
	Ruby Hawkes	1st
	Erin O'Brien	1st
U17 2 Person R&R	Jasmine Miller	1st
	Michayla Penn	1st
U19 2 Person R&R	Jasmine Miller	1st
	Michayla Penn	1st

### NSW STATE OPEN, BOAT & LIFESAVING CHAMPIONSHIPS - CANCELLED







AUSTRALIAN YOUT	H CHAMPIONS	HIPS	Event	Winner	Place
Kurrawa & North Kirra Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd April 2022			U17 Short Board Riding	Finn Wilkie	2nd
Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd			U17 Mixed Beach Relay	Luke Avati	2nd
Event	Winner	Place	•	Ryan Harper	2nd
U13-U15 Mixed 5 Person R&R	Bronte Bloxsom	1st		Kate Johnson	2nd
	Millie Bloxsom	1st		Eden Levit	2nd
	Emma Fernandez	1st	Reserve Female Surf Boat	DMGs	2nd
	Ruby Hawkes	1st	100011010111110001111111111111111111111	Terrena Kolster	2nd
	Erin O'Brien	1st		Kelsey McGuinness	2nd
U14-U15 Male 2 x 1km Beach Relay	Connor Boyd	1st		Lauren McLean	2nd
riciny	Huon Groves	1st		Samantha Murray	2nd
U13 Male Surfboard Riding	Angus Folsom	2nd		Paul Beale (sweep)	2nd
U14-U15 Mixed 2 Person R&R	_	2nd	Condensis On an Mine 1 C	Matt Fernandez	
	Ruby Hawkes	2nd	Curlewis Open Mixed 6 Person R&R	Watt Fernandez	2nd
U13-U14 Female Beach Relay	Evie Bowie	2nd		Chris Gately	2nd
·	Emma Haley	2nd		Drew Hayes	2nd
	Adelaide Sewell	2nd		Grant Hayes	2nd
	Jemima Sewell	2nd		Luke Ryan	2nd
Ul5 Male 2km Beach Run	Huon Groves	3rd		Scott Ryan	2nd
U14-U15 Mixed Beach Relay	Nicholas Clemson	3rd	Open Male 2 x 1km Beach Relay	Bailey Habler	3rd
	Juliette Gray	3rd	,	William Mison	3rd
	Madeleine Quinn	3rd	U17 Male Beach Relay	Ryan Harper	3rd
	Asher Thomasyu	3rd		Kane Sheppard	3rd
				Maximillian Tanner	3rd
AUSTRALIAN OPEN		IPS		Thomas Walker	3rd
Kurrawa, Broadbeach & No Wednesday 6th to Sunday			U19 5 Person R&R	Chiara Hammond	3rd
Point Score: 8th - 87 point	•			Elouisa Hawkes	3rd
Event	Winner	Place		Patrick Kavanagh	3rd
U17 Male Beach Sprint	Luke Avati	1st		Jasmine Miller	
U17 5 Person R&R	Chiara Hammond	lst		Michayla Penn	3rd
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	Patrick Kavanagh	lst	U19 Mixed Beach Relay		3rd
	Jasmine Miller	lst		Ryan Harper	3rd
	Michayla Penn			Eden Levit	3rd
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U19 Female Beach Relay	_	lst	Open Female 5 Person R&R	Tracey Bloxsom	3rd
	Kate Johnson	1st		Eliza Bodkin	3rd
	Eden Levit	1st		Samantha Gately	3rd
0 11.55	Ruby Thomasyu	lst		Yasmin Stuetz	3rd
Open Male 5 Person R&R	J Carter	1st		Bianca Wallace	3rd
	Chris Gately	1st			
	Drew Hayes	1st			
	Grant Hayes	1st			
	Scott Ryan	1st			
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#### AUSTRALIAN MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIPS Kurrawa & Broadbeach Monday 4th & Tuesday 5th April 2022 Point Score: 11th – 98 points

Event	Winner	Place
50-54 yrs Female Beach Sprint	Helen Deas	lst
200 yrs min Female Beach Relay	Helen Deas	lst
	Sharon Deans	1st
	Nicola Logan	1st
	Linda Walsh	1st
30-34 yrs Male Surf Race	Finian Stronach	2nd
30-34 yrs Male 2km Ocean Swim	Finian Stronach	2nd
45-49 yrs Female 2km Beach Run	Rebecca Waugh	2nd
50-54 yrs Female Single Ski	Allison Roberts	2nd
50-54 yrs Female Beach Sprint	Sharon Deans	2nd
130 yrs min Female Surf Team	Nicola Logan	2nd
	Carolyn Martin	2nd
	Linda Walsh	2nd
220 yrs min Female Surf Boat	COGS	2nd
	Kyle Alp	2nd
	El Prendergast	2nd
	Leanne Stacey	2nd
	Katie Vesper	2nd
	Rod Colman (sweep)	2nd
45-49 yrs Female Board Rescue	Sasha Morello	3rd
	Linda Walsh	3rd
50-54 yrs Female Double Ski	Allison Roberts	3rd
	Linda Walsh	3rd









#### AUSTRALIAN TITLES TOURING TEAM 2022

#### **YOUTH**

Tahlia Avard Bronte Bloxsom Millie Bloxsom Evie Bowie Connor Boyd Amelia Byrne Tess Chua Nicholas Clemson Sophia Costello Teagan Curry Emma Fernandez Dakota Fielding Angus Folsom Juliette Gray Kai Gregory **Huon Groves** Emma Haley Ruby Hawkes Milla Hlywa Lachlan Hume Zoe Laurence Caitlyn Lee Niamh Lynch Conor McFadden George Messiter Erin Ö'Brien Laura Peshevski Madeleine Quinn Adelaide Sewell Jemima Sewell Ronan Sheppard Ari Swan Asher Thomasyu

#### **MASTERS**

Kyle Alp Michael Barnes Stephen Callaghan Rod Colman Sharon Deans Helen Deas Matthew Fernandez Chris Gately James Giltinan Paul Heydon Gerry Karras Matthew Larkin Nicolas Logan Rona Macniven Carolyn Martin Sasha Morello Scott Parker Wayne Penn El Prendergast Melanie Reiter Allison Roberts Anthony Sheppard Simon Sly Leanne Stacev Finian Stronach Richard Stuetz Melinda Toomey Jennifer Trinca Katie Vesper Linda Walsh

#### **OPEN**

Tamara Abagi

Alfie Ashton

Luke Avati Harvey Barratt Paul Beale Jack Beale Georgia Beale Andrew Bloxsom Tracey Bloxsom Eliza Šodkin Cameron Callaghan **J** Carter . Samantha Cook Will Davison Josh Devine Joshua Fernandez . Matthew Fernandez Mila Folsom Chris Gately Samantha Gately Emma Gillespie Emma Grand Stephanie Grand Campbell Groves Bailey Habler Chiara Hammond Ryan Harper Elouisa Hawkes Drew Haves Grant Hayes Lauren Houghton Andi Illidge Kate Johnson Daniel Kavanagh Patrick Kavanagh Hannah Knagge Terrena Kolster Matthew Leary Eden Levit Marcus Littlejohn Sophie Lovett Amelia McDonald Finn McFadden Kelsey McGuinness Lauren McLean Jasmine Miller . William Mison Samantha Murray Alice Norbury Michayla Penn Lana Reiter Luke Ryan Scott Ryan Kane Sheppard Lachlan Smart David Smith Harrison Smith Macy Smith Yasmin Stuetz Maximillian Tanner Ruby Thomasyu Jennifer Trinca Caitlin Trumble Thomas Walker Bianca Wallace Rod Wallace

Finn Wilkie









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Coogee Minnows is Australia's longest continually run Junior Surf Life Saving Club. This season saw the Minnows playbook change in line with Covid protocols. Despite the uncertainty, the passion and dedication from all our volunteers and participants adopting the changes, created the 'best season ever'!









#### COMMITTEE & AGE MANAGERS 2021-2022

### **ELECTED OFFICERS**

<u>Director</u> Steve Gibbs (res. Dec 2021) James Campbell (elect. Dec 2021)

Deputy
Director
James Campbell
(res. Dec 2021)
Kali Ogle
(app. Feb 2022)

Branch Delegate Will Charles

Secretary Emily Ashcroft

<u>Treasurer</u> Catherine Yuan

#### **COMMITTEE**

Assistant Secretary Shannon Campbell

Asst. Treasurer Adrian Ryan

Education Advisor Nicole Ashcroft

Beach Competition
Advisor
Renee Gibbs
(res. Dec 2021)
vacant

Water Competition Advisor Cameron Habler Water Safety
Supervisor
Filipe Ferri De Barros
Jaz McGhee

Apparel Supervisor

Gerard Pignatelli

Assistant Apparel
Supervisor
Vacant

Sponsorship / Fundraising Craig Sewell

Social Media Coordinator Mark Elizondo

#### **AGE MANAGERS**

<u>Under 14's</u> Will Charles James Campbell

<u>Under 13's</u> Jon Harwin Rachel Garcia

<u>Under 12's</u> Aidan Byrne Shannon Campbell Florian Wagner

<u>Under 11's</u>
Pat Garcia
Steven Bellew
Fiona Nilsson

Under 10's Ben Masters Karren Maurer Dan Owen <u>Under 9's</u> Paul Lardi Kali Ogle Nick Young

<u>Under 8's</u> Katrin Baldow Eliane Blay

<u>Under 7's</u> Astrid Macassey Alex Peshevski

<u>Under 6's</u> Nicole Ashcroft Simon Horan Chris Janz

# Minnous Captain's Report



#### JAMES CAMPBELL

The Minnows team has once again responded to the impacts of COVID 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 contribution 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; however, the plans were ready, and the team responded well to adapt to suit the emerging restrictions. Whilst our COVID 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 any season 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 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 but more significant than the joy that they bring is the engagement of parents and number Age Assistants that were present from day one. 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 1st overall in the State at the completion of the 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. In particular, I'd like to call out the contributions of Emily Ashcroft, Shannon Campbell, Will Charles, Aidan Byrne, Keiran Brown and Catherine Yuan - unseen by the masses, this team operates almost continuously through the year to shape and develop the program delivered through the summer. I also thank Kali Ogle who has stepped forward into the Vice Captain role and continues to give so generously on and off the beach.

With the season ending, 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 2021-2022

### STEVE GIBBS - CAPTAIN'S REFLECTION SEASON 2021/2022

Time and distance have allowed me to reflect upon the past 2 years and the Coogee Minnows more broadly. I want to take this opportunity to acknowledge the incredible sustained efforts of James, Shannon, Emily, Kieran, Catherine, Will, Aidan and the rest of our Coogee Minnows Committee who have worked tirelessly behind the scenes week in, week out to navigate the constantly changing environment caused by COVID and extreme weather conditions to deliver a world class program for our kids. You can see them getting stronger, more confident, and more expert every year.

Despite all the challenges it has been another incredible year, NSW State Champions for the first time ever. More importantly that result was not achieved through recruiting a bunch of superstars from outside, it was achieved through building up our Coogee kids in large numbers over many years. The trickle-down effect of that approach is easy to see as the general level of surf skills across the whole program continues to improve year on year.

Well done everyone and enjoy your off season.



Steve Gibbs



# U6 Age Managers Report

#### NICOLE ASHCROFT, CHRIS JANZ & SIMON HORAN

Pink Caps



The short half season for our youngest members has been wonderful as an introduction to the lifesaving community in nice warm waters.

Eighty Pink Caps registered, with strong weekly attendance only hampered by poor weather and COVID isolation requirements.

Taking advantage of calmer conditions in the shallows, our brave little fish, dolphins, turtles and whales were able to build their confidence in and around the water with plenty of wading and board play.

They showed their competitive streak on the sand while looking after their mates, "swimming" through land-based obstacle courses, learning the basics of flags and sprinting across the beach.

Capping off their Surf Play 1 Award were learning outcomes focused on surf and sun safety, from slip, slop, slap to signalling for help, the role of lifeguards, reading the surf and identifying dangerous animals.

Nicole led a brilliant water safety team in the sea, ensuring our littlest Minnows were both safe and smiling. On the sand, an army of Age Assistants kept each session moving even though most of us were wearing our Minnows training wheels.

We are so glad the kids had such a great season and that the parents can see the value Coogee Minnows is delivering. In the words of one satisfied parent: "All the conditions are here for the kids to discover, be confident and get to involve themselves each time a bit more. Your passion and commitment are definitely key in this success."

Despite the short season, our Pink Caps built their confidence, made new friends and had fun. We're looking forward to more time in the water, better weather and fewer global pandemics in 2022-23!





Seaweed heaven

# UT Age Managers Report

#### ASTRID MACASSEY & ALEX PESHEVSKI

Light Blue Caps



They come with the Light(ning) Blue, and the Thunder! The force is powerful in this group of young Surf Lifesavers. While this group of youngsters may have missed out on a year of Sundays on the beach in 2020/2021, they more than made up for it this season.

What an enthusiastic group of young individuals we have in this team. Each week their enthusiasm, energy and proficiency astounded the team of Age Assistants. We spent this year working on beach orientation, skills and proficiency. In addition to developing basic skills on the beach, and in a strong sand fitness and flags competition, we spent time in the water, starting to power through the wade and get out into the waves on the boards. The weather brought some challenges, but the squeals of delight in catching a wave to shore those last few weeks are enough to see us through the long winter.

A special shout out and thank you to our Age Assistant crew for 2022. Not an easy task for our first year on the beach (led by a first time Age Manager), but we quickly found our groove and were skipping through our Sundays by the end of the season. Please join the gang next year, as we need you as we do more in the water next season.

This year, we also couldn't have done it without a small group of senior (Silver Caps) Nippers - Max, Claire, Freddie and Tom; you were the glue that held our obstacle courses and flags sessions together. We can't thank you enough!

Fun on the beach is always our goal on a Sunday morning, and we also spent time this year starting to develop skills of Surf Life saving - our beach signals (often useful around the house), as well as our safety requirements on the beach. These were particularly useful during our missing child drills during the season. Well done for working on our skills team!

Already looking forward to a cracking 2022/2023 season, making new friends and learning new skills. But most of all, to have a bunch of fun on the beach getting to be better future Life savers.

Astrid & Alex U7 Age Managers





# US Age Managers Report

#### KATRIN BALDOW & ELIANE BLAY

Green Caps



We came, we ran, we swam and we triumphed. The green berets have done it again against all odds. The 2021-2022 season has seen our group swell to over 100 members, as green caps enthusiastically flocked to the beach after another year of covid lockdowns and social distancing. As restrictions eased, participation was still affected by illness and periods of isolation and throw in the mix the wet weather and crazy surf of this La Niña weather pattern as well as the odd tsunami warning, the season saw its fair share of disruption. The green caps and their amazing support crew made the most of things regardless and have grown tremendously in skill and attitude as the weeks passed.

When circumstances allowed, we showed up with gusto and participated with flair. When the swell inhibited water activities, we hit the sand running with fantastic efforts in flags, ship shark shore, and rescue obstacle courses. We brushed up on our signals, assessed beach risks and got a crash lesson from our trusted IRB team. And when the water allowed, the green berets waded,



porpoised, swam and paddled their hearts out. We were so proud to see them all brave the bigger boards over several sessions towards the end, taking on the challenge with such courage.

There were stand out performances throughout the season and in our John Mudge competition where we recognised numerous green caps for their surf and sand skills and their amazing collaboration in teams.

The green caps team is fortunate to have a bunch of dedicated water safety and age assistants as well as SRCs to help who were absolutely instrumental in the smooth and safe running of our program and are to be congratulated for their commitment in turning up and guiding our green berets week in and week out in a pretty challenging season.

We hope green caps continue to practice their beach skills during the off season and look forward to welcoming them again for more fun times in October.

Eli & Katrin U8 Age Managers.

# 49 Age Managers Report

#### PAUL LARDI, KALI OGLE & NICK YOUNG

Red Caps



What a season!!! Hamstrung by the virus that shook the world, Paul and Kali were joined by Nick, who entered a baptism of fire to pull off a seamless season where, by all reports, the kids had an absolute blast, learning plenty of skills along the way. Word must have got out how much fun Sunday's mornings are; as we were surprised, pleased and (slightly) concerned that our numbers had continued steady at about 110 very eager children again this season. It was great to see so many kids returning, but also to meet lots of new kids who joined this season. While the parents had to watch from the promenade, we could still hear their calls of encouragement which really motived the kids.

We were just as excited (and relieved) to see lots of our amazing Assistants and Water Safety return to put their hand up. Unfortunately, we lost a few of our age assistants to the younger age groups this year (with a few becoming age managers). Next season we will be asking parents to put their hand up again to complete their age manager course and Bronze next season so that

we can continue to offer a high quality and fun nippers program.

For the fourth season in a row, the junior club members again impressed us, the SRC's who aided within range of beach and water activities. We are sorry we cannot list them by name, but we really hope it gets fed back to these young people how impressive they are and how grateful we and the U9s are for their time, effort, and expertise.

The children further developed their knowledge and understanding of beach safety e.g., surf signals, advanced board techniques, negotiating waves with confidence and working as part of a team. Two Red Caps were rescued by surf life savers when swimming between the flags and correctly signalled for assistance. We used this as part of their learning and when the opportunity presented itself, we sent the Red Caps out with 1:1 water safety and a surf rescue tube to negotiate a rip. They swam 20m out into a guttural rip, which pushed us towards Giles and spat us out approaching 50m out to sea. They then swam south towards Wylies and into shore. While we had a lot of nervous Red Caps, they rose to the occasion, and they now have a practical understanding of how to overcome this danger. We noticed a huge improvement in skills and confidence of our U9s, especially in the water. By the end of the season, it was obvious during water activities, that the kids were becoming comfortable and competent in diving under big waves and controlling a board.

Once again, overall, it was a successful and enjoyable season. We are confident that we have another funfilled nippers season in 2022/2023.

Paul, Kali & Nick U10 Age Managers.

# U10 Age Managers Report

#### BEN MASTERS, KARREN MAURER & DAN OWEN

Gold Caps



This season saw the Gold Caps emerge from their second long lockdown landing on to the beach rearing to go. Many of the children were unable to participate in their usual off-season swimming training so there was a buzz and some trepidation on the beach the first morning as they all arrived to get going for the 21/22 Season.

They stood up to the challenge, getting straight into swims and boards to kick off the season with many showing grit and determination to get those skills backup and having loads of fun in the process. Gold Caps competition team were also training hard, boards, swimming, sand and RnR teams backing up week after week to get ready to compete for our Club at State this year. Congratulations to all those who achieved amazing results an indication of how much time and effort they put in and reaping the rewards. Many thanks to all the coaches who also supported them throughout the season.

As the Gold Caps kicked off 2022 at our new early time slot there was little hesitation to get up and get going again. We were so inspired by the Gold Caps kids really starting to embrace skills such as flags, Rescue and Resuscitation, and gaining new knowledge on the use of boards and tubes for rescue scenarios, confidence clearly growing in these areas. We have also noticed how much the gold caps support each other in times when there is uncertainty amongst their peers, they are always ready to teach and cheer each other on. They are certainly showing great understanding and skill needed for lifesaving. We look forward to seeing those skills growing in the seasons to come.

We would also like to say a huge thank you to our Age Assistants and Water safety parents and SRC who are always there to encourage the kids and the Age Managers on the beach every week you have all been the backbone every session week in and week out.

We cannot wait to see you all on the beach next season for more fun, learning, challenges, and friendships.

See ya's on the beach...

Ben, Karren & Dan U10 Age Managers.





## UII Age Managers Report

#### STEVE BELLEW, PAT GARCIA & FIONA NILSSON

Blue Caps



With restrictions easing and borders opening, we said farewell to some Blue Caps who were finally able to go home - but as with each new season we welcomed some new, enthusiastic faces.

The impact of COVID19 from previous seasons gave us an opportunity to really streamline logistics and management of the beach on Sunday mornings.

This year a group of eight children was selected to participate in the Ull Development Camp, along with other clubs from Sydney Branch. Learning leadership skills through a variety of adventure-based activities.

Our competition team had tremendous success in the water and on the sand at Branch and State Carnivals, while John Mudge Day provided an opportunity for our life savers in training to demonstrate the lifesaving skills they have learned.

Throughout the season, we had an increased focus on ocean swimming and board paddling; two core skills for junior lifesavers. With the help of our newly qualified SRC's coming back to help out the Blue Caps, we saw continued

improvement in the development of skills and confidence in the water.

As with previous years we have been impressed with the calibre of SRCs that act as Water Safety for the Blue Caps. They display confidence in the water and leadership on the sand, which really sets the standard for the Blue Caps.

And finally, to all our Age Assistants and Water Safety - thank you for the work you do each week in guiding the Blue Caps and keeping them safe in the water. You do a fantastic job and we could not do this without you.

See you all next season,

Steve, Pat & Fiona U11 Age Managers.



Young IRB Crew

## UID Age Managers Report

#### SHANNON CAMPBELL, AIDAN BYRNE & FLORIAN WAGNER

Silver Caps



Another season over and it was great to have so many familiar faces return and welcome some new ones after another year of pandemic impacts.

We moved to the concept of 4 patrols for the group this year with a balance of children bringing their different strengths to each patrol. We focused a lot more on technique in the water and education this season as we move into the last season and half for the mighty Silver Caps. The children also extended their skills and had great fun doing board rescues and a variety of conscious and unconscious tube rescues and carries.

The group's ability to navigate the break both with the swim and boards has been impressive even in some challenging surf and their education knowledge in signals and DRSABCD increased with the team winning the John Mudge award gaining the edge with points picked up in the Education session with some children showing a real aptitude for the education components of the program.

Again Coogee held its Champo day outside of the regular Minnows

schedule and it was wonderful to see a large number of Silver Caps participate and get competition experience.

For the competitive children, while there were regular carnivals, unfortunately the water and weather again this year was often not kind on the day with many competition water events cancelled.

With State held closer to home (Northern Beaches) this year but impacted by weather and illness the Coogee Two Blue had some great performances with many finals made, medals being brought home and all participants helping the Club to be in first place at the close of events.

Finally, many thanks to all of our U12 volunteers (Age Assistants, Water Safety, COVID Marshalls) — Coogee Minnows simply cannot function without you. We hope to see you all again next year.

Shannon, Aidan & Florian U12 Age Managers.





## UB Age Managers Report

#### JON HARWIN & RACHEL GARCIA

Purple Caps



After 8 seasons on the beach our Minnows journey is over, the Purple Caps are now junior lifesavers in training. With the help from our wonderful team of volunteers, this group of young adults are ready to take on the challenge of the SRC in 2022. It is hard to believe how far this group has come, from doing a glide in blow up pools on the beach & rubber chickens on boats to attacking challenging surf on the big boards and returning to shore with huge smiles and laughter.

We were not able to get as much training on the big boards this season due to another weather disrupted year, but we did fine tune our tube rescues and DRSABCD. We managed to have a lot of fun along the way, finishing the season with a return to the 6's day with tug of war, tube races and one we haven't done for a while, a flag championship with the victorious winners taking home rubber chickens.

It was great to see so many of our kids put their hands up and apply for leadership rolls next season. The interviews showed us just how far our kids have advanced with their SLS skills and knowledge.



We truly have a great bunch of kids in the Purple Caps. Everyone should be so proud of their achievements.

BRING ON THE SRC.

Jon & Rachel U13 Age Managers.



# UH Age Managers Report

#### WILL CHARLES & JAMES CAMPBELL

Lime Caps



The 2021-2022 Minnows season saw the Lime Caps conclude their nine-season journey from the Southern end of Coogee Beach replete with squeaky rubber chickens, dodgeball, bucket relays and tug-owar, to chilly 7:30am starts at The Boat Shed for run-swim-run, rescue boards, tube rescue and three person From energetic, excitable CPR. five-year-olds, to sometimes a little less than energetic young men and women! But still, sixtyseven young men and women who trained hard to gain their Surf Rescue Certificates in record time after COVID delayed the start to our season.

As their Age Managers, James and I could not be prouder of our new SRCs, and it has been an honour to be part of their training and development over nine seasons. Seeing them graduate into the cadet ranks of Coogee SLSC, in patrol uniforms often several sizes too big, and donning their Minnows Water Safety orange in the second half of the

season, we both felt a profound sense of pride and accomplishment. We hope that our SRCs are equally proud of themselves, and we wish them all the absolute best in the future.

We could not, however, have achieved this success without the assistance of a dedicated crew of adult helpers. Our SRC trainers, particularly Doug and Callum Hawkins, gave up their Wednesday and Thursday nights, plus Sunday mornings, to educate and encourage the kids over nine weeks of study and practice, through to assessment and graduation. Our Age Assistants and Water Safety, many of whom have been with the Lime Caps since the U6s, have been the backbone of our efforts and their contribution cannot be overstated. Our competition trainers and carnival chaperones have coached a hugely talented group of competitive Lime Caps to individual and team successes at Branch, State and National levels. And not forgetting the many parents who stepped up on

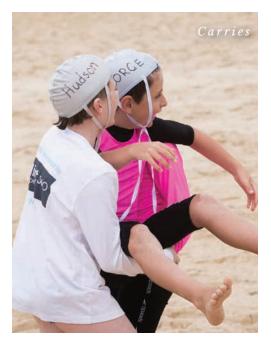
countless Sundays to cook hundreds of eggs, rashers, and snags to feed hordes of hungry nippers.

The season closes with relief, tinged with sadness. On one hand glad to see a job well done and sixtyseven new Lifesavers join the ranks of Coogee SLSC, but on the other sad to see our journey conclude and the Lime Caps go full circle to be next season's Under Sixes. Good luck to them (and their Age Managers!) as they begin their own journeys into Surf Life Saving.

Will & James U14 Age Managers.













# Sunior Female Captain's Report

#### AISLINN WALSH SAMS

This season started with a rush trying to commence our final education around Covid protocols and restrictions, where the Lime Caps had 6 weeks to train, study and complete both our physical and theory exams to graduate from the SRC program.





After 8 years on the beach starting as a 6-year-old it all crept up on us and I am proud to share all 67 Lime Caps passed and graduated from the SRC examination and are now qualified Life Savers and have started patrolling our famous beach

On behalf of all the Lime Caps, I would like to thank James Campbell and Will Charles for all the tireless efforts over the years as our dedicated Age Managers (we are very thankful to have had very passionate and supportive Age Managers).

Looking back over my Nippers journey, there have been many highlights, however the most important one I have taken away is it has given me the confidence and ability to now stand up and take responsibility for my actions, as well as how to react and think quickly and most importantly how to save lives and give back to the community.

Assisting on the beach over the past 2 seasons with our younger age groups I have witnessed and experienced the amount of effort and education that goes into running a large program such as Coogee Minnows. Committee Members, Age Managers, Age Assistants, Water Safety and our dedicated trainers lead by Doug Hawkins, who are all volunteers and deserve the warmest and biggest thank you from all the Minnows children. Without this effort and commitment, we would not have a successful program and club.

Finally, to all the Minnows children that are a part of this great club I want

you to continue your journey within the club, just like me, you do not have to be the fastest runner or the best swimmer or win medals. Remember the priority of our Nippers journey is learning and training to be a lifesaver.

If you believe in yourself and remember to do your best and most importantly have fun, you never know where this journey will take you!!!!!! You might very well be the next Junior Captain.

Hope to see you all on the beach real

Aislinn Walsh Sams Female Junior Club Captain

## Sunior Male Captain's Report

#### SEB GIBBS

This season was a difficult year for our Minnows group and my family moved to Perth in December, which was hard also, but all the challenges and my move made me appreciate everything Minnows has given me even more.





First, our surf training at Coogee Minnows taught us to be resilient and adapt when problems arise. Our Lime Caps and everyone had to adapt when we went into COVID lockdown (again) during SRC training and when the rain cancelled a lot of our sessions after Christmas. For me, I had to adapt when I moved from a club where I have been since I was seven and I knew everyone to a club where everything worked differently, and I knew no one. For all of us we just had to accept the situation and do the best we could with it. Minnows has been good at teaching us to do that.

Second, the excellent training from James, Doug, all the Age Managers and Assistants made me confident in the water and confident with my surf skills which made it much easier to fit in at a new club, to make new friends and to get involved.

Third, coming to a place where I do not know anyone made me appreciate

our Coogee Community even more. My friends, all the adults such as James Campbell, Cam Habler, Michael Kavanagh, and a lot of others who looked out for me and helped me during Minnows but also any time they saw me at the beach or anywhere else. When you do not have that anymore you realise how amazing it was. Also, Minnows has helped me because I know that the more you put into a community, the faster you become part of it. That lesson from Minnows has helped me fit into a surf club in Perth quickly which has helped a lot.

Lastly, our Minnows friends across all the Age Groups and no matter what you do, are a really special group who I miss a lot. To all the Minnows coming through now – appreciate your friends, get involved as much as possible and thank all the amazing adults who are looking after you...

Against all the odds of 2021/2022 Minnows had an amazing year. I want to congratulate the Competition Team who won the NSW State Championships this year and to all the people who trained through the rain and achieved personal best results. When I started Minnows, we could never have imagined winning States, but we did it and for everyone involved we know it was years of hard work and that we focused on winning as a team instead of individuals. I hope everyone continues it, that Coogee has another great year in 2022/2023 with and some of you come to visit us in Perth next year for Aussies.

Miss you all and hope to see you soon.

Seb Gibbs Male Junior Club Captain

# Competition Report



#### AIDAN BYRNE

The 2021/22 pre-season was once again set against a backdrop of the COVID-19 pandemic, this time with restrictions in place preventing the team from getting together for in person training.

The coaches did an excellent job issuing training programs to the team and the team members posted updates on their progress on social media. Little did we know that it was not just a global pandemic that was going to a challenge this season but some of the worst weather that has hit Sydney in a long time, including a tsunami warning. Despite all the challenges, the results achieved this season were some of the best, culminating in the Club placed 1st overall in the State at the completion of the Age Championships.

Our first carnival was in late November where we competed in a One Club Gala Day where our youngest U9 competitors competed right up to our Masters. This also acted as our annual Champo Day and was a great hit out for all the competitors and more importantly it was great to see the bonds between the junior and senior competitors building on the one Club ethos. From there, our Water team took on the best outside of Coogee at the Freshwater Bennett Fast and Furious, relocated to Manly due to the heavy surf conditions, and our Sand competitors went to North Narrabeen. Coogee also sent competitors to carnivals at Swansea Belmont for the Kracka Challenge (Water), Narrabeen (Sand), Manly for the Nipper Nats (Sand, Water events were cancelled due to a tsunami warning) and North Cronulla for the Australia Day Junior Iron Person Classic all in preparation for the major carnivals.

Sydney The 2022 Branch Championships at Maroubra were set up as a dry run for the upcoming State titles with the program split between the Age competitors (U9 - U12) on February 6 and Youth competitors (U13 - U15) on February 5. Due to the heavy surf conditions at Maroubra, the water events were moved to Frenchman's Bay. Across the two locations, the Club put in some fantastic results, none more so than our U11 Female competitor Kathryn Jordan who picked up 6 Gold and a Silver medal.

The Sydney Northern Beaches hosted the 2022 State Titles, with events staged between North Steyne and Queenscliff



Surf Clubs for the water and beach events and at Freshwater Surf Club for the R&R and lifesaving events. The junior events were scheduled over 4 days, split across age categories with the Age events on February 24-25 and Youth events on February 26-27.

The lead-up, however, was marred by extremely poor weather, as La Niña caused heavy rainfall and rising tides. There was real concern whether the event would proceed at all, and it was with great relief that the Age competition got underway, albeit in atrocious conditions. The water events were shifted south towards Manly as the water quality was poor and unsafe near the lagoon at Queenscliff. The fantastic results across all disciplines in the Age competition had Coogee leading the points competition after the first two days, our Youth competitors were ready to follow this up despite the weather continuing to wreak havoc. Unfortunately, shortly after competition began, reports of gastro illnesses amongst Age Competitors began to filter through and SLS NSW cancelled the remainder of the Youth competition. A very disappointing outcome after the effort the competitors put into training and preparing for these Championships but the right call.

Despite the disappointment of those that did not get to compete or were disappointed with a performance, all our competitors represented the Club with distinction.

The results on the following page were borne of the incredible dedication and effort of our competitors, both in training and competition, along with the programs put in place by our coaches and their passion in delivering them. All the coaches, led by Damien Costello on Sand, supported by Louise Connor as Manager, Cameron Habler in the Water, supported by Elisha Curry as Manager, and R&R Coordinator, Jen Trinca, have invested enormous amounts of personal time and commitment to developing and implementing these programs, for which we are all grateful.

The way our kids compete with respect and a smile, genuinely enjoying themselves is a credit to all the coaches. A special mention to Andrew Bloxsom for all the support the Senior Club gave this season to bring the junior and senior competitors together, the results for the Club were a testament to his endeavours.

Aidan Byrne Minnows Competition Coordinator

### — Coogee Surf Life Saving Club —

#### NSW STATE AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

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U9 Male Beach Sprint	Ethan Costa	1st	U9 Female Board Relay	Hailey Avard	2nd
U9 Male Beach Flags	Max Nguyen	lst		Sophie Rowles	2nd
U10 Female Beach Sprint	Marnie Laurence	1st		Torah Curry	2nd
U9 Female Board Race	Torah Curry	2nd	U10 Female Sprint Relay	Marnie Laurence	2nd
U11 Male Board Race	Roman Szabo	2nd		Mollie Hoppe	2nd
U11 Female Iron person	Kathryn Jordan	2nd		Zoe Moyes	2nd
U9 Male Beach Flags	Ethan Costa	3rd		Maya McHale	2nd
U11 Female Beach Flags	Yve Sullivan	3rd	Ull Female Surf Team	Kathryn Jordan	2nd
U11 Female Surf Race	Kathryn Jordan	3rd		Amber Curry	2nd
U13 Female Beach Sprint	Adelaide Sewell	3rd		Gia Gregory	2nd
U10 Male Sprint Relay	Jack Baker Sedgman	1st		Ally Folsom	2nd
	Jacob Coleman	lst	Ull Male Surf Team	Roman Szabo	2nd
	Matteo Menviel	lst		Ashton Habler	2nd
	Harry Yang	1st		Henry Gellin	2nd
U11 2 Person R&R	Adelaide Zenere	1st		Louis Coleman	2nd
	Matilda Wu	1st	Ull Male Sprint Relay	Nick Giannikouris	2nd
U12 Female Sprint Relay	Riley Baker Sedgman	1st		Lachlan Hobbs	2nd
	Aoife Connolly	1st		Peter Houseas	2nd
	Matilda LeBard	lst		Talin Opai	2nd
	Taylor Morgan	1st	U9 Male Board Relay	Jax Fielding	3rd
U14 5 Person R&R	Laura Peshevski	1st		Charlie Lipman	3rd
	Milla Hlywa	1st		Joe Macassey	3rd
	Margot Godfrey	1st	U9 Male Sprint Relay	Ethan Costa	3rd
	Sofia Hartcher	1st		Dean Houseas	3rd
	Coco Sweeney	1st		Max Nguyen	3rd
U15 5 Person R&R	Bronte Bloxsom	1st		Carter Swift	3rd
	Erin O'Brien	1st	U10 Mixed Sprint Relay	Jack Baker Sedgman	3rd
	Emma Fernandez	1st		Jacob Coleman	3rd
	Ruby Hawkes	1st		Marnie Laurence	3rd
	Millie Bloxsom	1st		Zoe Moyes	3rd
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### Water Sakety Report

#### JAZ MCGHEE & FELIPE FERRI DE BARROS

It felt like déjà vu this year regarding the whole approach to the 2021 / 2022 Nippers season. Covid restrictions remained in place, and this meant we adopted the same approach to water safety.



In the water, we had a number of new Mums and Dads joining our water safety team as well as many old faces committing for yet another year. In fact, the water safety team volunteered almost 1800 hours this season – which is fantastic! We had a phased approach this season, introducing a couple of age groups each week and therefore we never had the full complement of Water Safety in the water until Christmas.

Weather played havoc this season with wild storms providing torrential rain and huge seas which cancelled many nipper sessions as well as impacting surf carnivals. Coogee Water Safety played a vital role in supporting the training of our competitors as we ramped up in readiness for State Championships. A large contingent of water safety also represented Coogee at the State Titles in very trying conditions.

With regards to major first aid incidents, we are happy to report that the season ended without any serious injury and are delighted that the children and water safety alike enjoyed our wonderful beach safely and with no

incidents. We successfully carried out a missing child scenario and even had to deal with a real missing child during the exercise. Both patients were found safely!

The commitment and dedication the Water Safety displayed whilst keeping our children safe in the water whilst learning valuable surf skills was awesome. Every week there was a different challenge – including large dumping waves, flash rips, abandoned boards and of course, blue bottles! Thank you very much!

We wish to recognise a couple of key milestones for the season:

- The 2021 SRCs who qualified as lifesavers and committed their Sunday mornings to performing water safety in their orange shirts this garnered incredibly positive feedback.
- Alex Hillston who once again gave up his time to provide a highly successful water confidence group.
- The Dippers program which is designed to assist children with Autism to have fun on the beach and in the water in a safe and controlled environment. Thank you to those Water Safety and buddies that volunteered to assist, you



have made a massive impact to the lives of these children and their families, and you have again done Coogee Surf Lifesaving Club proud.

Jaz & Felipe Water Safety Co-Ordinators

#### Coogee Surf Life Saving Club —

#### AWARDS

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SEASON AWARDS	
Junior Captain – Female	Aislinn Walsh Sams
Junior Captain – Male	Sebastian Gibbs
Club Person of the Year	Mark Elizondo
Ul4 Age Manager Awards	William Charles
	James Campbell
Sand Competitor of the Year	Ethan Costa
Water Competitor of the Year	Kathryn Jordan
Water Team of the Year	U12 Mixed Sprint Relay

Beach Team of the Year

U14 Female Beach Relay Amelia Byrne Sophia Costello Niamh Lynch Jemima Sewell Aoife Hogan Stirling Patterson

Ashton Habler Roman Szabo Louis Coleman Henry Gellin

Trainer of the Year – Water

Trainer of the Year - Sand

#### MOST OUTSTANDING EFFORT IN WATER

U9 – Female	Torah Curry
U9 – Male	Jax Fielding
U10 – Female	Ella Clayton
U10 – Male	Stirling Patterson
Ull – Female	Kathryn Jordan
Ull – Male	Roman Szabo
U12 – Female	Courtney Codd
U12 – Male	Kai Stuetz
U13 – Female	Dakota Fielding
U13 – Male	Kai Gregory
Ul4 – Female	Tahlia Avard
Ul4 – Male	Ben Pignatelli

#### MOST OUTSTANDING EFFORT IN SAND

U9 - Female	Aoife Hogan	
U9 – Male	Ethan Costa	
U10 – Female	Marnie Laurence	
U10 – Male	Jack Baker-Sedgman	
Ull – Female	Yve Sullivan	
Ull – Male	Talin Opai	
U12 – Female	Taylor Morgan	
U12 – Male	Beau Matheson-Raynor	
U13 – Female	Adelaide Sewell	
U13 – Male	Sam Patterson	
U14 – Female	Jemima Sewell	
U14 – Male	Noah Anderson	

#### **MOST OUTSTANDING LIFESAVER**

U9 – Female	Sophie Rowles
U9 – Male	Charlie Lipman
U10 – Female	Marnie Laurence
U10 – Male	Jaden Truscot
Ull – Female	Simona Preshaw
Ull – Male	James Robinson
U12 – Female	Courtney Codd
U12 – Male	Thomas Macassey
U13 – Female	Caitlyn Lee
U13 – Male	Ryan Murphy

#### MOST OUTSTANDING OVERALL COMPETITION

U9 – Female	Hailey Avard
U9 – Male	Louis Gibbs
U10 – Female	Ella Clayton
U10 – Male	Stirling Patterson
Ull – Female	Amber Curry
Ull – Male	Roman Szabo
U12 – Female	Courtney Codd
U12 – Male	Kai Stuetz
U13 – Female	Caitlyn Lee
U13 – Male	Kai Gregory
U14 – Female	Jemima Sewell
U14 – Male	Owen Smith

#### — Coogee Surf Life Saving Club —

### AWARDS

#### JOHN MUDGE AWARDS

U8 – Mixed Team	Eva Scott	Name of the local division in the local divi	
	Poppy James	William Inc.	CO CO
	Xavier Lee		200
	Archie Ryan		
	Jack Newton		
	Henry Cashman		18
U10 – Mixed Team	Louisa Brooks		
	Simon Tran		
	Marina Tsoukalas		
	Zoe Moyes	1 (1/2)	
	Harry Robinson		
	Grace Bartram		
Ull – Mixed Team	Sophie Bonser	1	Bro
	Louis Coleman		1
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	Rion George	U8 - Female	Lilly Anagnostou
	Nicolas Giannikouris		Lyla Shalhoub
	Eric Hess		Aria Mitchell
	Cillian Ingle		Elizabeth Horvath
	Marcel Malecki	U8 - Male	Jensen Honey
	Georgina Watson		Matthew Peake
U12 - Mixed Team	Claire Campbell		Dilan Bhardwaj
	Courtney Codd		Alfred Deal
	Edward Ashcroft	U9 - Female	Lily Dean
	Gabriel Ferri de Barros	U9 - Male	Harris Tran
	Gaia Droppa	U10 - Female	Claudia Mallam
	Grace Dean	U10 - Male	Marcus Kumar
	Ruby Maloney	Ull - Female	Allegra Thompson
	Samuel Bonser	Ull - Male	Dante Stokoe
	Tom Ingham	U12 - Female	Grace Dean

Caitlyn Lee

Dakota Fielding

Teagan Curry Annabelle Hankin

Tessa Chua

U13 - Mixed Team



Max Wu

Clara Smyth

Zachary Gatt

**U12 - Male** 

U13 - Male

U13 - Female



Coogee Surf Club is a family of civic minded locals who have served the community and kept Coogee Beach safe for 116 seasons. It remains integral to the local community from which it draws its members.















## Anzac Commemoration



#### DAVID PARK

The Anzac tradition is part of our history and culture because of those who have served, and those club members who have paid the ultimate sacrifice, so we can enjoy the pleasures that this great country has to offer..

The traditional march along the promenade to the Fallen Lifesaver Memorial was led by Scots School Pipers, Ben and Tom, followed by the flags of Australia, New Zealand and Allied Countries. Club Governor, Tony Waller, ran the proceedings.

There was a reading of "100 Years Since Anzac" with a moving response from Minnows Captain, (ex Lt. Col.) James Campbell. Tia Haes sang her Anzac song which she composed "The Men Who Built Our Home". Wreaths were laid by members representing The Minnows, Blueys, along with dignitaries and special guests including those from the Diggers and Sub-Branch of the Coogee Randwick Clovelly RSL. The Last Post was played, followed by Reveille, and the Ode was read.

A moving ceremony, as is our tradition. There are many to thank but a special thank-you to Doug Hawkins for putting the program together; to Tony and Todd who also worked on the Anzac Day Committee; to the pipers, Ben and Tom; those members who did the reading; James Campbell; those who laid wreaths; the flag bearers; the Scouts and Schools who attended; CRC Sub-Branch and Swiss8 veterans; Tia Haes; Adrain Sutter who provided the flags; Randwick Rugby manager, Hector; the Diggers President, Steve; and the representatives from the three levels of Government and the dignitaries who attended. Thank you all for making this a very special morning for the Coogee Club

This commemoration, at the Fallen Lifesavers Memorial, was followed by a short service in the Surf Club's Memorial Hall. It was great to see a full hall recognising the members who have served and those who gave their lives in the two world wars along with those who served in the peacekeeping/conflicts since. We had two members

with us who served while being club long service members, David Habler and Vic Greenfield.

The service was conducted by Doug Hawkins and included a short talk by David 'Luna' Park about what Anzac Day means to him. Wreaths were laid at the foot of our Honour Boards, making it a very successful service. Thank you Doug, Tony, Todd and those attendees who were part of the service.

Lest We Forget

David 'Luna' Park Governor & Life Member



## Anzac Day - ASL Dawn Service



#### DAVID PARK

Randwick City Council in conjunction with the Coogee Randwick Clovelly RSL Sub Branch

The Sub- Branch President, Mike Sterling, started proceedings by introducing Adrian Sutter.

Adrian gave the opening and very moving address, sitting on a Coogee surf boat, on the beach. The video was linked to the big screen.

This was one of the best Anzac services held at Coogee, with a huge crowd paying their respects to past and present ADF personnel.

Our President, Todd Mison along with several members of Management were invited to attend the commemoration.

Club Captain, Emily Miers, and Club Governor David 'Luna' Park were given the privilege of laying wreaths on behalf of Coogee Surf Club.

Club Governor Tony Waller, a Superintendent of NSW Fire & Rescue, laid a wreath on its behalf.

The Commemoration was run very professionally by Mike Sterling and covered all aspects of a great community Anzac Service.

A big thanks to Kieta and the officers of RCC whose organisation made this service very special.

Also, well done to the boys and girls at the Sub-Branch who put on one of the best Commemorative Services held at Coogee.

It was reported that over 6000 of the Randwick community attended.

A big thank you to boat captain, Rod 'Termite' Colman and the crew for placing the boat, which without a boat shed was not an easy task.

Thank you to our ushers in red and yellow for a very early start (4.30am) - your presence was noticed.

Thanks too, to those who represented the club by marching in the parade. These were mainly our R&R competitors and president Todd was also spied among the marchers.

To those who served and those who gave their lives.

Lest We Forget.

David 'Luna' Park Governor & Life Member



## 50/75 Year Lang Service Function

#### DAVID PARK

As always it was a fun night with members playing catch up at our annual get together.

We acknowledged those members who have passed since last we met, along with those, who due to poor health, could not be with us. Apologies were read and we updated on Kevin Tuner, our only 75-year member, who is living north-side and doing ok.

We also acknowledged Frank Bedford who passed away in January who became a 75-year member this past season.

A big thank you to those members who made the effort coming in from Queensland, interstate and Vic 'Nigel' Greenfield who flew in from Vancouver, Canada. To Les Holden at 96 and Stew 'Crowbar' Crow joining us for the evening - thanks for being there. We did have a special guest in Alan 'Louie Rouge' Oliver who we have not seen for many a year, joining in as though he never left Coogee.

President, Todd Mison, updated everyone on the season's activities including the Club's Lifesaving and Competition achievements.

This year we welcomed two new recipients on achieving 50-year long service membership of the Association. Congratulations to Peter Carney and George Cassimatis on receiving their SLSA award. President Todd Mison made the presentations.

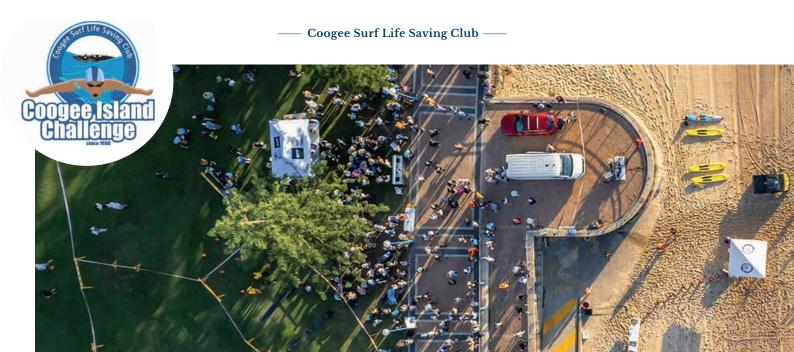
The story telling and reminiscing along with many laughs went on during the function while we all enjoyed a buffet dinner.

Thanks to Doug for the tech displays and Danny for the memories, and to Deb working behind the scenes to make the evening a success. Thanks also to Trudy, our function manager for her organisation and to Faf and the bar staff for providing the cool refreshments.

Another great night for the club and its older members who have built on the foundation and traditions of what is Coogee Surf Club today.

> David 'Luna' Park Governor & Life Member





## Coogee Island Challenge

#### OCEAN EVENTS TEAM

The global pandemic continued throughout 2021 with various lockdowns and a high level of uncertainty. Many events throughout the year continued to cancel due to lockdowns and crowd capacity limitations which added incredible uncertainty to the November 2021 Coogee Island Challenge..

As we were coming out of lockdown in the month of November, we made the decision to reschedule the November swim to Sunday 5th December. This proved to be an excellent decision as we could not have run the CIC on the original date due to dangerous sea conditions.

We also saw an incredible uptake in registrations as people just wanted to participate in an event before the end of the year. Our social media campaign achieved incredible results making the December CIC the second largest swim ever with 1755 registrations and had the sun been shining on the day, we would have easily surpassed the previous record of 1,830 back in 2014.

For the first time ever, we had media coverage from numerous businesses and organisations including: Randwick City Council's weekly eNews and website; SLSNSW, Register Now, Oceanswims. com and Oceanfit. Glenn Duffus Photography captured incredible images once again, despite the terrible weather conditions. This allowed us

to upload 3,700 and make available on GeoSnapShot for all entrants to purchase.

A huge thank you to all our amazing volunteers and sponsors: Harvey Normal Commercial, Bowerman's Commercial Furniture & Joinery and Budgy Smuggler. We would also like to thank Chish & Fips for supplying the fresh fruit for swimmers and breakfast for the hungry IRB set-up team along with the Coogee Diggers for the post swim food for volunteers.

Unfortunately, the April Coogee Island Swim was cancelled due to adverse weather conditions and unsafe water quality. Here's hoping CIC November 2022 will be the biggest and best ever.

The Event's Committee comprising of: Sarah Young (Chair), Michael Scroop (Event Digital), Tass Karozis (Event Director), Nicola Logan (Event Liaison), Marty Mashford (Event Logistics) and Melanie Reiter (Director of Sponsorship).

**Ocean Events Team** 













## Run Suim Googee Aquathlon

Finally, and after three previous attempts, the inaugural Run Swim Coogee Aquathlon took place on Sunday 1 May.

It was a spectacular day and incredible event. The sun shone, the ocean sparkled, and a sea of people descended on Coogee.

Although we are well versed at running large scale events like the CIC with numbers close to 2,000 entrants, the RSC is very different being spread across 3 bays and is highly complex to manage and control and required over 80 volunteers on the day.

We had an incredible 508 registrations on the day and are sincerely grateful to all who enabled the event to go ahead. It was certainly a complex event to stage but one that we can't wait to host again in May 2023. We are extremely thankful to the army of volunteers and a huge thank you to our many new event sponsors: Speedo Australia (and Olympian James Hickman as starter), Recoverie, The Runners Shop, Hoka, The Wright Physio, Randwick Council and Chish & Fips for providing fresh fruit for the competitors and volunteers.

Five professional photographers captured incredible images that included along the entire course, in the water and from the air. Over 3,500 images taken

of competitors were then available for purchase on GeoSnapShot.

The event was the talk of the Eastern Suburbs, and we received many glowing reports from participants. One example came from Rebecca and Ken Newing from Tallebudgera Valley in Queensland:

Today's event was awesome! A group of us from the Gold Coast came down to participate and we all agreed it was a fabulous day and it incapsulated everything that we love - a fun yet challenging run, ocean swimming and the extra adventure element of the swimming with shoes on. We are regular ocean swimmers but this event was next level and we loved it! Thank you to all of the organisers and helpers, your work was very much appreciated. We will be back next year with others in tow! Please let this be a new annual event for the calendar.

A transactional based event like the RunSwim Coogee Aquathlon is a completely untapped market. As an example, the Swim Run Australia event on Sydney Harbour sells out in just hours from registrations going online. We have had people come from regional locations and even interstate who found us online and flew to Sydney to participate. While





many were ocean swimmers, the entrants were overall a different demographic to the CIC and the atmosphere on Goldstein Reserve at the build-up to the start was electric.

**Coogee Ocean Events Committee** 



## Coage Dippers



#### HELEN MURPHY

The Coogee Dippers program is a partnership between Autism Swim and the Surf Club and is a modified form of Nippers for children of other abilities. Participants are taught valuable beach and surf skills over eight weeks and has now been running over the past six seasons.

This season Autism Swim organised thirteen participants of varying abilities to join the Saturday fun. Each participant requires a ratio of two to one water safety to enter the water and this was made possible with over forty volunteers committing their time.

Sadly, the weather was not on our side this season and we could only enter the surf for a couple of the sessions. This did not stop the sand skills still going ahead and the use of the Ross Jones pool was a lifesaver.

A big thank you goes out to Randwick City Council for supporting the program and the sponsors that make it possible to go ahead.

A massive shoutout goes to our community of members and to those who joined us from Clovelly and Tamarama who give up their valuable time to make this program continue.

I look forward to seeing all our volunteers and supporters again next season, and welcome anyone new that would like to join us.

For more information on the Dippers program and to see more photos, visit Autism Swim's website here:

https://autismswim.com.au/events/

Helen Murphy Dippers Coordinator







## Con Too Ocean Suimming



#### CHARLOTTE McHENRY

This year saw the beginning of a partnership between Coogee SLSC and Can Too. Can Too is a health promotion charity that challenges participants to set an ocean swim goal in which they work over 12 weeks to achieve

Supported by Toni Darben with a weekly pool coaching session, each Saturday the participants came down to Coogee to work on ocean swimming techniques and distance training. This program was supported by Arabella Hammond, Toni Darben and myself as coaches along with a range of water safety volunteers. I would like to sincerely thank all those who gave up multiple Saturday mornings to assist with the group.

At the beginning of the program, some participants were scared to put their head underwater or go beyond the break but by the end were able to complete the 1 or 2km goal swim at Palm Beach or Bondi Beach. The Autumn Swimprogram unfortunately was disrupted by terrible weather,

however, participants instead worked towards these goals at the Andrew 'Boy' Charlton pool and improved foundational swimming skills – which many hope to build on in the next ocean program.

Importantly, across all the pods – the Summer Swim program raised over \$400,000 and Can Too recently achieved their \$25 million fundraising mark. It is with huge thanks to everyone involved in this successful program that the Coogee pod began. A special mention to Gary Trenaman, without who none of this was possible and all of the club executives who supported this program from the get-go.

Some of the participants enjoyed the experience so much and were

so well supported by Coogee SLSC members they have now expressed interest in completing their Bronze Medallion. I hope we can continue this fruitful partnership next season and continue to support this essential fundraising. Cancer is something that has sadly touched so many people, and the raising of these funds is so vital to scientific advancement.

**Charlotte McHenry Ocean Swim Coachr** 



# Project Libertas - in association with Muscular Dystrophy NSW



#### BEC WAUGH

Coogee Surf Life Saving Club has started a journey with Muscular Dystrophy NSW in the creation of the Patrolling Member Surveillance and Radio Operator Award Program. Code-named, Project Libertas, the pilot aimed to reach out to a wider section of the community and utilise their collective skills.

Congratulations to our first three patrolling member graduates – Jai, Scott and Pat and the Coogee team who have been involved in this project, particularly to Charlotte McHenry, lead trainer.

The development of the project included much collaboration, the Coogee education team, Muscular Dystrophy NSW, including community trainers and Occupational therapist, the participants themselves and radio intel from both Coogee and NSW Surf, thanks to Paul Lardi Coogee SLSC Radio Officer and Andrew Ugarte NSW Surf Communications Systems Manager.

Under the challenges of Covid, the training course was split across zoom and practical sessions. Once competent with the theory, practical sessions were undertaken utilising a range of technologies that best supported the participants.

The new award holders will be stationed at "Coogee Southern Outpost", at the front of our clubhouse. Graduates are trained in radio operations and can communicate in a range of situations, such as dangers, rescues and first aid. The goal moving forward is to incorporate other locations and continue to teach new lifesaving skills.

To the Muscular Dystrophy community, thank you for embracing this opportunity with us. Thanks go to all the club volunteers who helped get this program up and running. We hope this pilot program continues to lead the way for more inclusive lifesaving programs.

Bec Waugh Director Youth Services Lead on Project Libertas.



## Dotcha 4 Like



#### DAVID SMITH

Coogee SLSC participated in our first Gotcha4Life 24 Hour Rowing event in support of mental health, as we would like to see the next generation of children grow up with the tools required to deal with adversity that they will inevitably face in their lives.

On the weekend of the 30th and 31st of October 2021, Coogee SLSC participated in the 24-Hour Row in support of Gotcha4Life who will be using the money raised to directly fund several grassroots, high impact workshops and training programs, the money is creating positive ripples through many communities.

We joined forty other Surf Clubs throughout Australia, by taking part in the 24-Hour Row, which was our first time in this event, with hopefully many more to come.

We had over fifty participants, rowing on two rowing ergometers (also known as "indoor rowers"), for 24 hours straight, from midday Saturday until midday Sunday, non-stop.

These Club Members, and the help from some of their family members, from ALL areas of the Club, rowed in 1-hour shifts, to achieve this. Rowing for one hour straight on an ergometer, is tough. It presents, not only a physical challenge, but it tests you mentally, as well, as anyone who has done it can attest. But more importantly, it was done for a great cause – we were raising funds for the mental health charity, GOTCHA 4 LIFE.

Over the 24 hours, Coogee rowed over 680,000 metres, in total.

As a collective, the Surf Clubs raised over \$151,000.

But get this..... Our great Surf Club, on its own, raised over \$14,500.

This made Coogee SLSC, the NUMBER 1 FUNDRAISING CLUB IN AUSTRALIA!

We should all be so proud of so many amazing members, across ALL sections of the Club, for their physical and Fundraising efforts.

The good news is, that the GOTCHA 4LIFE 24hrRow is on again this year, on the 10th and 11th of September.

So, pencil in the date.... and start training; it will be here before you know it.

We should aim to maintain our position as the AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONS of FUNDRAINING, and we do that by having even more members participating.

The goal is to have four ergs going at once, this year, which hopefully means.... double the Fundraising and double the Fun!

David Smith Event Organiser



## Community History Milton Coughlan

#### TODD MISON

On 5th February 2022 Coogee SLSC held a moving 100-Year Commemorative Service at Randwick Cemetery, where dignitaries and club members laid wreaths, there was a minute's silence, and a short speech by our Club President.

It was pleasing to see family members of Milton and local community leaders and historians participating.

100 years ago, a young and well liked 18 year old member Milton Coughlan was tragically attacked by a large shark off Coogee Reef and succumbed to his injuries only hours later in hospital. It was the day of the Coogee Carnival with thousands of beachgoers and competitors at Coogee Beach. During the fatal attack, two heroes from Nth Bondi SLSC, Jack Chalmers and Frank Beaurepaire, entered the water, swam to Milton and rendered assistance. These two brave

men were subsequently awarded the highest honours for their courage as well as Life Memberships of Coogee SLSC.

Milton's grave site had severely deteriorated through the decades and was a very sad sight before the Committee of our club voted in 2020 to restore the beautiful marble obelisk and head stone and its sandstone surrounds. Now the site is back in its original condition and well worth a visit by all members.





# Cokkee

#### DAVID PARK

The Coffee Club is a highlight of the week for many of our older members, with an opportunity to catchup with old friends and stay connected to the Club.



Last year can only be described as nothing less than disruptive.

Covid closed down several months of operation but now we are back on track and going strong.

Chief Barista, Glen, directed proceedings along with assistants, George and Luna, with Jeanette Sayle as our back up.

We missed some of our old regulars in 'Teach' Outterside, Billy Bishop and the Norleys.

However, the regulars were there, with Ken Murray being the first through the door each week.

We make special mention of Les Holden who at 96 drives over from Mosman each Monday.

Banter and debating on the stories of the day with sport at the forefront and medical complaints being kept to a minimum.

Everyone is welcome, 10 to 12 Monday mornings and to enjoy the company of those who know everything.

David 'Luna' Park Assistant Barista



## Penguins Winter Suimming Club

#### TODD MISON

75th YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Coogee Penguins Winter Swimming Club was founded in 1947 by surf club members, many of them Returned Servicemen.



The Ross Jones Memorial Pool was built in the same year and became the Penguins home base and has been ever since.

Throughout the decades, Penguins grew rapidly to a peak membership of nearly 175 in the 1970's. Nowadays, there are normally 30 die-hard swimmers who brave the cold water every Sunday from May to September.

In late May 2022 an impressive bronze plaque was unveiled adjacent to the pool and the surf club forecourt. In addition to its 75th Year history, this plaque is also dedicated to the undisputed greatest ever Winter swimmer champion and 75-Year Member Keith 'Coo' Little, who sadly passed away several years ago.

Keith was the fastest swimmer in the world for his age in his 70's and won an unprecedented 43 State & Australian Winter Swimming Titles representing Coogee Penguins. At the time of his passing, Keith was a Life Member of Coogee Diggers, Wylies Baths and Randwick & Coogee Amateur Swimming Club.



## Penguins Winter Suimming Club

#### DENNIS MORGAN

Unfortunately, the Penguins were only able to swim 8 times in 2021 before the lockdown curtailed the rest of the season. Therefore, no annual trophies were awarded at the Presentation, but embroidered towels were presented to all swimmers to mark the 2021 season.













Before lockdown we were able to hold the Paul Overton Memorial Day in May to commemorate Paul's outstanding contribution to the Club. (He passed away in 2020.) Margaret Wilkinson and Chau Kwok recorded the same time in the 20 lap Memorial Swim and so shared the trophy which was presented by Paul's wife Julia. The season's 20 lap point score trophy has also been renamed in Paul's honour. Afterwards, we had a very enjoyable

lunch at the Coogee Beach Club –it was good to get together socially at least once in the season.

The Executive for the 2021 season was:
Emperor: Mick McMahon
Secretary: Christine Devine
Treasurer: Tim Green
Captain: Dennis Morgan
Handicapper: Stuart Cooney
Chief Judge: Mick McMahon
Delegate to WSAA: Margaret Wilkinson

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS ESPECIALLY SURF CLUB MEMBERS.

CONTACT DETAILS ARE: Michael McMahon (0405 336169); Dennis Morgan (0405420671); email: club@peguinswsc.com; website: www.penguinswsc.com

## Sponsorship Report

#### MELANIE REITER

An integral part of the Coogee Surf Life Saving Club is the support of the sponsors, local government and institution grants, in-kind donations and bequests. As a volunteer organisation, together with our members, our sponsors are an essential part of the club.

Sponsorship is an important part of the fabric of the Coogee Surf Life Saving Club. Support provided by key on going long-term sponsors enables the club to run community and club events, and provides funds for critical life-saving equipment, including boats, motors, rescue tubes and boards. Critical funds come from sponsors, local government and institution grants, in-kind donations and bequests. As a volunteer organisation, together with our members, our sponsors are an essential part of the club.

The 2021/22 season again been plagued by the impact of COVID-19 and from heavy rain and weather patterns that caused damage to the beach and club boatshed. This caused disruption to events, competitions, and beach closures through the season.

Again, we would like to thank our generous and ongoing sponsors which I am happy to say we have sustained our current sponsors and welcomed new sponsors to the club through-out the 21/22 season. We are grateful and would like to thank all our sponsors for the generosity and continued support of the club and its members, as the club continues to prosper and grow, and as we continue to keep beachgoers safe through vigilance and service. The new club house continues to be an iconic part of the Coogee Beach landscape and attracts members, guests, and events to the club.

I ask all members to familiarise themselves with the club sponsors, through the electronic board on the front of the club house, as listed on the Coogee Surf Club website and at the end of the True Blue weekly newsletter. Please consider how you can show your gratitude and support

our sponsors by engaging with them by the choices you make when purchasing and making recommendations to friends and family, as without sponsors we would not see new equipment, watercrafts, boats, boards, apparel, and the like.

A special thank you to David Park, Todd Mison, and Mark Doepel for their direction of sponsorship, Doug Hawkins for the social media support throughout the season, and Andrew Bloxsom and Glenn Duffus for the amazing photos of the Coogee Island Challenge, Run Swim Coogee and coverage of the Aussies on the Gold Coast.

On behalf of the executive, management, and members, a huge thank you to all our sponsors for another amazing year at Coogee SLSC.

Melanie Reiter Sponsorship Director

#### **COMMUNITY SPONSORS**

#### RANDWICK CITY COUNCIL

A big thank you to outgoing Mayor, Danny Said, incoming Mayor Dylan Parker, and the Councillors along with the management of RCC for their guidance and help in getting projects completed, including the Fallen Lifesaver memorial. Their support in running our various events, including the inaugural Run Swim Coogee this year, and both the senior club and junior Minnows club, is very much appreciated.

We also thank the Lifeguards for their cooperation throughout the season.

We make mention of the support of our Federal Member, Matt Thistlethwaite and State Member, Dr Marjorie O'Neill for their contribution in what has been another COVID-19 affected year.

### RANDWICK CLUB INCORPORATING THE COOGEE BEACH CLUB

We thank President Vic Smith and the directors of the club for their generous donation through the community grants scheme.

#### **THE DIGGERS**

Also, part of the community grant system are our good friends at the Diggers. We thank Steve Despea and the board of directors for their support. Both clubs are a strong part of the local community, and our association has always been a close one. Thanks to all at the Diggers.

### SOUTH SYDNEY JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE CLUB

Through community grants The Juniors have been great supporters over several decades. We thank President, Keith McCaw, CEO, Geoff Knight, and the board of directors, including Mick Fisher and strong supporter, Henry Morris. Thanks for your support of our lifesaving activities.

#### 2021/22 SPONSORS & SUPPORTERS COOGEE BAY HOTEL (CBH)

A big thank you to principal, Chris Cheung, and the Cheung Family for their support over many decades. The CBH signage is on our patrol uniforms plus other pieces of equipment throughout the club. Their support over the many years has helped the Coogee Club keep up with the latest lifesaving equipment and

training techniques. We look forward to our continued association and support that they offer to the local community through lifesaving.

#### HARVEY NORMAN COMMERCIAL

We would like to thank Al Stephenson for this ongoing support and generosity with the club and Coogee Island Challenge events. Al, you are a good mate of the club, and we appreciate your involvement immensely.

#### **AUSTRALIA MUTUAL BANK (AMB)**

Previously known as Sydney Mutual Bank (SMB), who are one of the club's oldest sponsors, dating back to the early 1980s. AMB has been providing a scholarship to one of our up-and-coming future leaders since the 1990s. They are also providing funding to buy another new surf boat in the upcoming season. We thank Mark Worthington (who is an active lifesaver), and marketing manager, and Adam Milbank for the support of the AMB.

#### **RANDWICK RUGBY FOUNDATION)**

A solid local community support from the Foundation. Throughout the history of the club, we have always been very close to Randwick Rugby. The club thanks the Chair, Jon Collins, and the board of the Foundation for their continued support.

#### WE ACKNOWLEDGE AND THANK THE ONGOING SUPPORT OF ALL OUR SPONSORS LISTED BELOW, AND YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CLUB AND THE LOCAL COMMUNITY

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2020 Fire Protection

Robert and Klarissa Broadhead

Blooms the Chemist, Coogee and Randwick

Paul Sharman

**Budgy Smugglers** 

Brenden Hartman

**Chargrill Charlies Coogee** 

Mark Silberman

Chish N Fips

Steve and Gerry Fragias

Clovelly Bendigo Community Bank

Nicola Powell

Coogee Real Estate

James Giltinan

**Danny Gibbs Photography** 

Danny Gibbs

**Dial Before You Dig** 

**Eastern Heart Clinic** 

Anthony Shubitz and Dr Gregory Cranney

**Elektric Data Comms** 

Michael Cantarella

**Facilities First** 

Ben Bayot and Janelle Dixon

**Look Design** 

Darron Lonstein and Eli Lees

Macquarie Private Wealth

Jason Nicholson

Mint360 Property

Craig Sewell

Mr AC

Mark Ronald

Select Skin

Mel Russel and Adrian Richards

SG Sports Management

Steve Gillis

Vital Dental

Andreas and Felicity Schilling

#### WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST SPONSORS

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George Koozah

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RunSwim Coogee

J Sayle Foundation

Janette Sayle

Trevor Folsom - RunSwim Coogee

Speedo Australia

RunSwim Coogee

The Runners Shop

RunSwim Coogee

The Wright Physio

RunSwim Coogee

COOGEE SLSC WISHES TO THANK THE FOLLOWING SPONSORS

**STATE** NATIONAL **BRANCH** 















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#### WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE SUPPORT AND FUNDING RECEIVED FROM THE FOLLOWING

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The Mayor and Randwick City Council

**NSW Ministry for Police and Emergency Services** 

NSW Government, the Premier and State **Members of Parliament** 

The NSW Government for the support of Resilience NSW for the ongoing funding of state-side operations

The Office of Sport for support through the Community Building Partnership program and Surf Club Facilities Grants.

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Federal Government for the Beach Safety Equipment Funding and **VET Funding** 





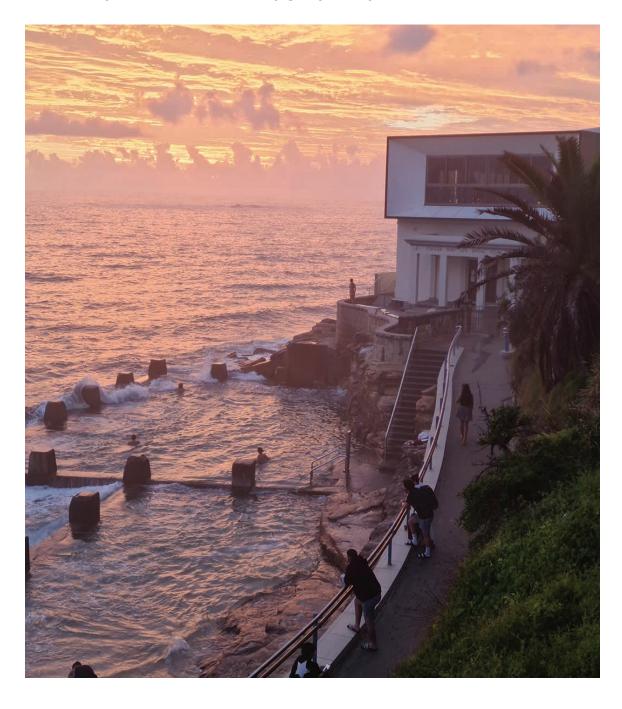




### T. OLMANCE

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Our Club manages its resources in order to support its members when patrolling, competing, learning, training or teaching. The responsible management of our Club's finances remains a key platform of our Club's success.



## Treasurer's Report

#### ROBERT ILLIDGE

The Club reported an Operating Surplus of \$243,671 — however \$225,595 of this relates to taking to account some grants held aside as a contingency pending completion of the club building (now finalised). Neglecting the revaluation above, FY22 Operating Surplus was \$18,076 (which compared to a Surplus of \$53,593 in FY21 and a Surplus of \$76,951 in FY20. This headline result was particularly welcome given the impact of Covid-19 on Functions trading and the cancellation of the April Coogee Island Challenge.

#### FY21 INCOME

Apart from the 2020/21 renovation grants, favourable revenue impacts included strong support of our sponsors, additional grants and donations, State Government COVID 19 support (Jobsaver), 'best ever' Ocean Swim (Dec 2021) and the first RunSwim Coogee event, along with reasonable trading for the Functions room when not impacted by Covid restrictions. Unfavourable revenue impacts included the cancellation of one Island Challenge Ocean swim (April 2022), extension of reduced membership subscriptions for the 2021/22 season and poor trading of the kiosk due to the poor weather.

#### MEMBER SUBSCRIPTIONS

In season 2020/21 SLSNSW Covid funding allowed CSLSC to reduce fees to our lifesavers. In season 2021/22, without this funding, the Management Committee elected to continue discounted fees to support our lifesavers through the ongoing financial impacts of Covid-19. Due to the impact of Covid-19, the Junior club once again experienced reduced member subscriptions.

#### EXTERNAL FUNDING

Donations were \$27K (FY21 \$35K) and sponsorship and grants had significant growth to \$246K (FY21 \$201K). A special mention to all Junior and Senior club sponsors – thank you once again for honouring your sponsorship commitments despite the impact of Covid-19 and the broader economic challenges – we could not do what we do without you. Jobsaver – the club is an eligible charity under this NSW government schemes received \$28K to support payment of our office staff.

#### **CLUB VENTURES**

• Total Function room income was \$378K.

Major contributions to this were room hire \$122K, functions barsales \$112K and Sunday barsales \$99K.
• A superb effort by the Events Committee delivered a spectacular Island Challenge in December that yielded a net profit of around \$71K. Unfortunately, severe weather and water quality issues forced cancellation of the event planned for April 2022.
• Another superb effort finally delivered the first RunSwim Coogee event and yielded a profit of approximately \$12K. Given the event had numbers capped at 500 entries, there is significant potential to increase the contribution of the event to the club.
• The Sportspersons Lunch delivered

a profit of \$25K. Thanks again to club stalwart Steve Gillis and his fantastic yearly commitment to fund the Australian Titles touring team. Excluding the Sportspersons Lunch, total Competition income was \$110K comprised of Competition Levy \$13K, Aussies accommodation payments \$49K, and gym fees \$20K. The Lifesaving teams supporting our various education courses and patrols at Wylies Baths continue to provide a significant contribution to the Club of \$21K (FY21 \$36K). Kiosk sales were \$30K vs expenses This was despite a wet summer with poor beach attendance. This social enterprise venture employs a significant number of Junior members. Significant thanks to the office staff and in particular Wayne Penn and Ruby Thomasyu without whom it could not work.

#### **OTHER INCOME**

Other Earnings. Interest earned on our Cash and Term Deposits was \$3.1K in a low interest rate environment.
 Home unit income was \$7.2K, and despite Covid, a moderate rent reduction allowed us to retain the tenant with an extended lease for the entire year.
 Club Sunday raffles yielded \$6.5K. Thank you to all competitors and supporters that made this happen.

#### $\underline{FY21}\;\underline{EXPENDITURE}-\underline{HIGH}\;\underline{LEVEL}$

Expenditure was well controlled. Insurances were aggregated under the SLSA insurer (Marsh) with savings in the order of \$15K per annum. New POS systems were installed to better account for bar purchases and allow bar pricing to be increased for functions.

Office and administration expenses were \$320K. Labour \$100K, cleaning \$34K, merchandise \$32K, building amortisation \$24K, R&M \$19K, grants paid out \$30K, Awards \$16K, accounting fees \$16K Insurance \$12K. Lifesaving expenses were \$125K, of which \$22K was the purchase of the ATV and capitation charges (insurance) were \$50K. Education expenses were \$18K. Competition expenses excluding Aussies, were \$58K which includes craft purchases of \$20K and boat area purchases of \$13K Aussies expenses were \$124K Event expenses were \$106K. Note that this includes expense incurred for two Coogee Island Challenge events (1 held) and the RunSwim Coogee event. Functions expenses were \$367K. Labour \$189K, stock \$90K, cleaning \$14K, catering \$23K, equipment \$12K, energy \$12K, security \$10K.

#### SUMMARY

A review of the Balance Sheet indicated our Club remains in a sound financial position, highlighted by the Net Asset and Net Cash position. Of note for the coming year:

The project to separate the club accounts into three areas (CSLSC Functions, Operations and Minnows) is largely completed

and has delivered better reporting to the Management Committee. However, there remains work to be done to finalise the project. The migration from CBA to Bendigo bank has been very time consuming and is only partially complete. POS income is flowing to the Bendigo accounts whilst expenses and direct debits are paid from CBA. Staff credit cards are with Bendigo. This project could be completed by moving direct debits and bulk payments to Bendigo, but the strategy should be endorsed by the new committee given the delay and complexity. The new Bepos system for bar accounting is installed and working well. The full benefits this system can deliver in terms of stock control, purchase monitoring and bar profitability have yet to be implemented. New timekeeping system (MYOB Teams) to improve bar and kiosk labour accounting was delayed and is a project for next year.

I would like to recognise:

 Steve
 Gibbs/James
 Campbell
 and
 the

 Minnows
 Committee
 for
 managing
 another

 successful
 Minnows
 season
 during
 a
 pandemic;

<u>Andrew Bloxsom</u> – he has led the competition committee very effectively this year and made my job easier;

<u>Emily Miers</u> – fantastic work as Club Captain when faced with real adversity;

John Ferguson, our bookkeeper and Greg Middleton, Honorary Auditor, for their contributions – they provide far more hours than they ever invoice, and I would be lost without their guidance and help;

Rob Gibellini for his massive and ongoing contribution to our club. He tirelessly seeks out and applies for numerous grants – most of which are successful and help us offset significant expenses.

Please applaud our valued employees - Debbie Zonich and Trudy Jones for their essential contributions. Trudy is leaving after sterling service commissioning the Functions operations and I would like to publicly thank her for everything she has done.

Once again this was a very tough year. I would like to thank both the Management Committee and in particular the Executive Committee for the enormous amount of effective work we managed in a period of unprecedented difficulty. Todd, Greg, Nicola and I are completing our tenures and leave Coogee SLSC in a good position to meet future challenges.

## Sndependent Auditor's Report

#### GREG MIDDLETON

#### **OPINION**

We have audited the financial report of Coogee Surf Life Saving Club Inc ("the Entity"), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 May 2021, the statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the 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 the Committee.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the Entity is 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 Entity's financial position as at 31 May 2022 and of its financial performance and cash flows for the year 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.

c) the financial report gives a true and fair view of the fincial result of fundraising appeals for the year.

d) the fincial report and associated records have been properly kept during the year in accordance with the NSW Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the regulations.

#### **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 are independent of the Entity in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants ("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.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by Division 60 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*, which has been given to the Committee, would be in the same terms if given as at the time of this auditor's report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## RESPONSIBILITIES OF MANAGEMENT AND THE COMMITTEE FOR THE FINANCIAL REPORT

Management is responsible for the preparation of the special purpose financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with the relevant Australian Accounting Standards in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not-for Profits Commission Regulations 2013 and the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 and for such internal control as management determines 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 special purpose financial report, management is responsible for assessing the Entity'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 Entity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Committee is responsible for overseeing the Entity'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 this 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.

- 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 Entity'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 Entity'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 Entity 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 Committee 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, related safeguards.

# AS AT 30 MAY 2022

	2022	2021
	\$	\$
INCOME		
Members Subscriptions	210,020	229,613
Donations	28,280	35,439
Sponsorships & Grants	472,217	200,609
Club Ventures	696,193	463,570
Other Income	32,740	40,727
Government Stimulus	28,276	77,100
Prior Year Adjustment	-	13,674
Revaluation Non Current Assets	-	90,000
Total Income	1,467,726	1,150,732
EXPENDITURE		
Office and Administration	152,977	205,295
Annual report	8,431	-
Depreciation	27,184	56,589
Electricity & Gas	4,677	-
Club Ventures	568,980	316,157
General Operating Costs	36,488	55,949
Other Costs	13,750	4,300
Insurance	14,623	80,933
Life Saving Gear & Training	143,489	73,930
Repairs & Maintenance	26,391	34,907
Surf Activities	211,514	179,079
Other Costs	15,551	-
Total Expenditure	1,224,055	1,007,139
SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR	243,671	143,593
Retained earnings at the beginning of the financial year	1,425,186	1,371,593
Revaluation of Unit	-	90,000
Retained Earnings At The End Of The Financial Year	1,668,857	1,425,186
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# AS AT 30 MAY 2022

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	2022	2021
	\$	\$
<u>ASSETS</u>		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	696,795	604,108
Trade and other receivables	13,594.00	6,707.00
Financial assets	445,718	443,805
Inventories	12,850	9,883
Total Current Assets	1,168,957	1,064,503
NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
Property, plant and equipment	803,752	822,548
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>	803,752	822,548
TOTAL ASSETS	1,972,709	1,887,051
<u>LIABILITIES</u>		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and Other Payables	105,768	243,147
Provisions	10,338	6,341
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	116,106	249,488
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Provisions & Reserves	2,746	27,377
<b>Total Non-Current Liabilities</b>	2,746	27,377
TOTAL LIABILITIES	118,852	276,865
NET ASSETS	1,853,857	1,610,186
MEMBERS' FUNDS		
Reserves	185,000	185,000
Retained earnings	1,668,857	1,425,186
Total Members' Funds	1,853,857	1,610,186





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### STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE COOGEE SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC 65 015 261 451

The committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the committee the financial report as set out on pages 1 to 9:

- 1. Presents a true and fair view of the financial position of COOGEE SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC as at 31 May 2021 and its performance for the year ended on that date.
- 2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that COOGEE SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

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

President: Tony Waller Treasurer: Robert Illidge

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Dated 22 July 2022

<sup>\*</sup> A full set of detailed accounts are available upon request.



## Members

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We are very proud of all our members.
They embody the Club's rich tradition and work
hard on many levels to ensure that the future generations
will carry on the Club's core values. Thank you to all
our members for your passion, hard work, dedication
and tremendous efforts.















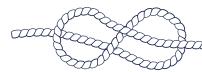












#### CLYDE 'TRUX' PARK 75-Year Long Service Member

Clyde joined the Club as a school boy and was categorised as a cadet in the 1943-44 season. The Club was very short on patrolling members as a large number of our active members had joined up to fight overseas. He did his Qualifying Certificate in season 1943 - 44 and went on and did his bronze on 29th October 1944.

He loved surf carnivals and competed in the board events up and down the coast, although his competition achievements were sparse. Surfing was his big love and,

be it on a board, body board or body surfing he was out there at any surf break he could find.

The Coogee Carnival was a special occasion as he was a regular in the 'judge in boat' sitting behind the buoys with his mates having a wee sip of the amber fluid.

Trux turned into a keen March Past member - good times was had on every carnival day.

He was also a keen Penguin member, being a mover and shaker of the Okinuees relay team and front and centre at the annual Okinuees picnic.

Trux Park was a one of the Club's great characters of that era who loved the Surf Club and was always interested in what was going.

He passed away aged 93 and leaves us with a bag full of memories, once met not forgotten.

RIP old mate, we will all miss you.



Frank Bedford & Clyde "Trux" Park c1945

"A Century of Vigilance and Service" CSLSC 100 year History book by Joe Seddon

#### FRANK BEDFORD 75-Year Long Service Member

Frank joined the Club as a cadet in season 1946-1947 at 13 years of age. He gained his Qualifying Certificate in 1947 and his Bronze in November 1948. His father A.T. (Lou) Bedford was a prominent member, serving the

club as President and Trustee.

Lou was also President of the local RSL and Mayor of Randwick He was responsible for the building of our Ross Jones Pool so son Frank had no option but to be part of surf club life in the 1940's. Frank was a boatie and rowed for many years being part of the Junior Boat Crew that won the State Titles in 1950.

He served as both assistant and Chief Gear Steward and was on the Club Council (Management) and Lifesaving Committees.

An active patrolling member, he was granted long service in the late 1950's. He would have been presented with his 75-year long service award this April and this will be acknowledged in our Annual Report. His career with Qantas took him all over the world along with his very good mate, Tony Farthing. Great mates who have now passed on and with them an era in both Qantas and our club.

Frank passed away in an aged care facility in the Noosa area in January at the age of 89. His surf club mates and friends from that era were saddened on hearing of this news.

Our thoughts are with Rhonda and his grandson at this time.



#### HENRY 'H' PARSONS 50-Year Long Service Member

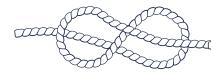
Henry joined the club in season 1953 -54 as a cadet and gained his bronze in 1956/57. He was Cadet Club Champion in 1954/55 & 1955/56, Junior Club Champion in 1957/58 and senior Club Champion in 1959/60 and 1960/61 seasons.

Named the Most Outstanding Cadet in 1954/55 season. He was the second member in the club to be awarded a 10-year patrol proficiency award. Henry was part of the strong Junior R & R side of 1957 and won the first ever SLSA board riding event at South Curl Curl in 1958. Henry was a member of the Coogee Penguins and played shuttlecock for the club. There were two sides to Henry, there was the surf club side and the surfing side.

He loved to surf and went on to form the Coogee Board Riders Club which was not connected to the surf club but many young surf club members were involved. After the boards, came body surfing and he was one of the best. He surfed through his later years until the doctors told him, no more. Henry has always been a Coogee Boy and loved the 50-year get togethers mixing with all his mates. He always had a smile on his face, with a positive and happy attitude.

He had been dealing with MND for some five years and finally succumbed at the age of 81 to the disease.

To his wife Gaye, daughter, Melanie and her husband, Mike and grandchildren Monty and Michaela along with his family and his many surf club mates, you are missed.



#### MICHAEL 'MICK' GEORGARIS 50-Year Long Service Member

Mick joined Coogee Surf Club, doing his bronze as a junior in 1965 gaining his Instructors Certificate in 1971-72. Mick served as an active and reserve

active patrolling member for 20 years. Mick was a fierce competitor from his early days in the club.

Club competition was very important to Mick who excelled in Surf, Iron Man, Malibu, Ski and Wave Ski which were all competitive areas in the 1970s and 80s. He won and placed in numerous club

championships over various disciplines along with club point scores. Michael was also very much involved in inter-club surf carnivals flying the Coogee colours by winning and placing at carnivals up and down the coast.

He served on both the Club Council (Management) and Lifesaving Committees as Board and Craft Captain. Mick also served on the Minnows Committee as Vice-Captain. Mick moved to the shire and transferred to the Wanda Club where he continued his competitive life as a master.

Our thoughts were with his family and friends at the time of his passing.



COOGEE'S FIRST ANNUAL PROFICIENCY TEST c1970 John Sorrell, Mick Georgaris, Jack Bransby, Chris Gately, Peter Carney & Gary Daly.

"A Century of Vigilance and Service" CSLSC 100 year History book by Joe Seddon

#### TERRENCE IBBOTT

Terry did his lifesaving at South Maroubra Club as a patrolling member.

He became a dual member of both South Maroubra and the Coogee Club in season 2011-12. A long service member of the association he was part of the Coogee morning swim group. Also, Terry was a regular at our Monday morning Coffee Club. He was well known as managing affairs at Wylies Baths and popular with regulars.

Terry is missed by his family and many friends.



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#### KEN WINTER 50-Year Long Service Member

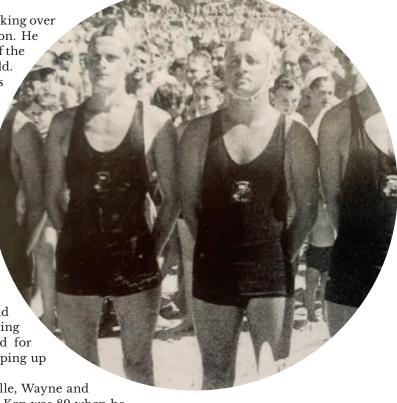
Ken obtained his bronze medallion in 1949 and his Instructors Certificate in 1951-52 season. He patrolled as an active and reserve active member for 14 seasons, then in 1964 - 65 he became a long service member.

In season 1952-53 he was Vice Captain taking over the role of Club Captain during that season. He was Club Captain in 1953-54 and manager of the touring team to the Aussies at Southport Qld. He ran the reel for Brian 'Brusher' Browne's Aussie Championship win in the belt race at Southport.

In that season Ken was part of 'Brushers' belt team that won the Branch, Metropolitan, State and Aussie Championships. Ken was an R & R man, along with being a very good swimmer he competed in surf and belt races up and down the coast. He served on the lifesaving committee, and was club registrar for 7 years. Ken involved himself in the Club's water polo team and was a keen member of the Penguins winter swimming.

Ken served in the NSW Police Force and moved to the western suburbs before retiring to Burleigh Waters in 1999. He competed for North Burleigh SLSC in masters while keeping up his Coogee Surf Club membership.

The club sent their condolences to Jenelle, Wayne and Fran along with all his family and friends, Ken was 89 when he passed away.



THE CLUB'S R&R TEAM COMPETING
AT COOGEE IN 1948/49
(featured) Ken winter & Barrie Cribb.

"A Century of Vigilance and Service"

CSLSC 100 year History book
by Joe Seddon

#### LIONEL POTTER Associate Member

Lionel joined as an associate in season 2005 - 06. He was a regular in our gym and well known to many members that use our gym. Lionel was a life member of South Sydney Rugby League Club and so respected that Souths wore black arm bands on his passing.



CAUSER Gregory J



Life Members

Ahearn WJ \* Aucher AL \* Baker HW \* Beaurepaire F\* Bensley B \* Buchanan SH \* Calnan WT Cannot J \* Chalmers J \* Clarken I \* Cohen GS \* Colman R Cooper DM \* Cribb, ASM (75) B\* Cypher H \* Daly C\* Daly GR Davidson CR \* Dickson HR \* Doepel MT Dunn JJ Everingham (50) W Figures, SJ Furness DC \* Garcia, PR Gately, ASM CJ Gates (50) K \* Henderson TW \* Johnson GH \* Johnson HI \* Johnstone RL\* Jones RS \* Keenan JJ \* Kelly TD \* Leary PJ LeMarseny (50) J \* Lindsell CA \* Lloyd VC \* Manning H\* McGann H\* McGuiggan (50) PA McRorie (75) J \* Miller R\* Mison BI Oxborrow (50) M Park (50) DJ Parker AB \* Peters FA\* Richards C \* Rose HA\* Ryan JCJ \* Scanlon MC Scott C 3 Scott J \* Searle AJ \* Seddon, OAM (50) J \* Sorrell (50) JW Telford (50) B \* Thompson HH \* Waller OAM A Windon SJ Wride G \* Yeldon RJ

#### MEMBERS

SLSA75 YEAR
MEMBERSHIP
BEDFORD Frank\*
EMERSON Bruce\*
HILL Norman\*
KILGOUR Keith\*
LITTLE Keith\*
MILLER Jack\*
OUTTERSIDE Robert
(AO)
PARK Clyde\*

PENFOLD Albert\*

TURNER Kevin S

SLSA 50 YEAR **MEMBERS** ABBISS John H ALLEN Warwick D. AMUNDSEN Paul \* ASHTON William G BAKER Paul (Ginger) L BAMPTON Darrell M (OAM) **BARDEN Anthony P** BEITSCH Darryl J BERGHOUSE Mark A BERGHOUSE Paul A BEVAN George E BLOMBERG Bruce R BOOTH Harold T BRANSBY John B **BROADBENT James F BROWNE Brian** BUSH Malcolm J (AM) CARNEY Peter E CASSIMATIS George N CLEARY Denis (AM) COLEMAN Noel M COSTELLO Phillip A CROW Ian K CROW Stewart M **CRUMBLIN** Warwick DAVIS Lessel G DAY Ronald J DE LUCA Michael H DOAB Patrick DONNISON John D **DUFFY Paul J** FARTHING Thomas \* GAFFNEY Alan A. GEORGARIS Michael \* **GODDEN** Arthur **GRANTHAM Barry GREENFIELD Victor** HABLER David P HARRIS Leonard M (OAM) **HARRIS** Peter HAYES William C **HICKEY Thomas \* HOLDEN** Les **JULIAN Greg M** JULIAN Phillip A A KEARNEY John M KENNEDY Ian M KEY Ken \* KIMBER William D KING Robert G KOFOD Paul G

LEMARSENY Anthony J

LIEBESKIND Steven J

**LOWE Robert** 

LYNCH Peter E MAREE Damien J MCEACHERN Lindsay M MCGRATH Kerry F MIDDLEDORP Robert H MIDDLETON Gregory J MILLER John L NEAL Andrew \* NEAL William G NORLEY Allan O'CONNOR Thomas J PARKINSON Terence A PARSONS Henry \* PATTERSON Brian K. PRIMO Peter J PRINGLE Robert A\* RIGBY Robert \* **RUSSELL** Brian **SAUNDERS** David SAYLE Jeffrey L (OAM) \* SEATON Robert W SHORTLAND Reg G SINCLAIR Geoffrey B SING Alan J SWEENY William SYKES Brian TONDI Graeme M VANNY Phillip J (AM) WARD John W WATSON David A WEBER John \* WELSTEAD Murray R WHITE Frank I WINTER Kenneth C \* WINTERSAndrew(OAM)\* WRIGHT Kenneth J

SLSA 50 YEAR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP RAMSAY David H

LONG SERVICE ANDREATTA Mark ASHLEY Jann C ASHTON Phillip J ASKHAM Craig G ATKINSON Rhys E BALL Michael T BALL Michelle M BARRATT Harvey E **BAYOT Ben BEALE Paul F BENNETT Craig S** BISHOP Peter M BISHOP William H BLOXSOM Andrew D **BLOXSOM Tracey M BREADNER Mark BROWN Kieren BURDETT Benjamin D** BURST Richard G CALLAGHAN Stephen CAMPBELL Ross A CANTARELLA Michael J CARROLL Tom E CARTERJT CARTER Paul F **CASSIMATIS James** 

CAUSER Timothy J CHILCOTT Paul COSTELLO Damien P **COTIS Andrew** COURT Peter K (OAM) COVELL Brett T CUNNINGHAM Maurice P D'AGOSTINO Nino **DAVIES Leigh** DEANS Sharon L DEAS Helen M DUNN Bradley J FAHEY Matthew J FEATHERSTONE Mark C FERNANDEZ Matthew FERNANDEZ Robert FINEGAN Michelle M FITZSIMONS Charles V FLEMING David M FOGARTY Matthew T FOLSOM Jacquie L FOLSOM Trevor R FREIHEIT Wolfgang GAFFNEY Lorraine H. GATELY Anthony L (ASM) **GATELY Paul G** GIBBS Daniel E **GILLESPIE Emma** GILLIS Stephen J GILTINAN James M **GREEN Tim** GREGOR Nick HABLER Cameron J **HADLEY Martin HAES Paul** HAGGETT David R HAWKINGS Craig A HAYES Drew M HAYES Grant V HEDDERMAN Virginia L **HODSDON Michael P HOGAN Mitchell I** HUME Lee M ILLIDGE Robert JENKIN Shannon L JENKINS David W JOSEPH Michael A JULIAN Bruce G JULIAN Paul R **JURD Kevin A** KAROZIS Tass KEENA Vaughn KEEVERS John F KEMP Philip J LA ROSA Julian LAWRENCE James A LEARY Matthew C LEARY Michael P LEONG Geoffrey A LOGAN Nicola K LYNCH Tanya A **MACNIVEN Rona** MARTIN Carolyn M MCCARTHY Bryan W MCCLEERY Leigh C MCDONALD John A MCDONALD Terence J MCDOWALL David A MCGUIGGAN Nicholas D MCMAHON Michael

MIDDLETON Stephen P MISON Kylie J MISON Matthew S MISON Todd K MISON Trent S MORGAN Simon P MORROW Stuart **MOURANT** Ian OXBORROW Jason OXBORROW Sean M PARK Kirsten L PARKER Scott A PATERSON Simon A PAUL Christopher J PEPPER Wendy PETTIT Philomena PHIBBS Patrick K PHILLIPS Michelle D POLLARD Gregory J PUEBLA Jaime P REYNOLDS Desmond N RICH Kurt M ROBLEDO Alicia ROONEY John R RUSSELL-SMITH Robert I RYAN James C RYAN Scott T SAUNDERS Marissa B SCERRI Michael J SCOTT Matthew SEDDON Anthony J SHALES George H (OAM) SHARPE Daniel SHUBITZ Anthony SKENE Leigh SMART Cameron J SMART Gregory S SMITH David G SMITH Elisha SUMMERS Paul T TATE Robert M **TERRY Michael VISCH Hans** VOCHTELOO Jerry D WALKER Andrew J WALKER John E WALLACE Rod J WALLER Steven WALSH Linda WAUGH Rebecca WHEELER Warwick A WILLIAMSON Darren W WILLIAMSON Joanna L WOOD Justin S WOOLDRIDGE Chris P WOOLDRIDGE Vaughan A WRIGHT John A

RESERVE ACTIVE
BENNETT Angus M
BENNETT Campbell L
BENNETT Thomas C
BOWLES Gary B
BUNAJ Altin
CALLAGHAN Cameron M
CONOMOS Tim G
CUMMINGS Elizabeth M
CUMMINGS Michael T

DADY Julian APPEL Jeffrey CHARLES Leah C FERRI DE BARROS Felipe HETZEL Joshua E
DOBRY Siegman ASHCROFT Nicole CHARLES William B FINAN Michelle HEYDON Paul

**DOBRY Siegmar EMERSON Marie EVANS Philip V** FREIHEIT Aisling **GENTIN Sara** GIBBS Steven S GILL Emma L GREY Andrew B GREY Elizabeth N HARRISON Mark A HARVIE Peter J HEWETT Elinor G HINDS Paul A **HOWIE Craig R** JOHNSON Adrian R **JONES Diana C** KOLSTER Terrena R LARDI Paul LAVERY Daniel LENNON Justin M MALONE Michael L MCCARTHY David S MIERS Alicia C MILLIST Chris MILLIST Leslie J MOLOMBY Tom MORESI Roger W MORRIS Heather M MUIR Scott L **MURRAY** Aonghus MURRAY Patrick J NILSSON Henrik A NOLAN Aaron P OZSDOLAY Nikki A PARTRIDGE Rebecca K PAUL Susan PELLAGREEN Kylie A POWER Kathy R RYAN Louise A SCROOP Michael D SHANKAR Ravi S SHEPPARD Anthony D SLEVIN Ken STIFF Clive STIFF Elisabeth M STIFF Paul J STURNIEKS Daina L TODD Joey TURNER Brie UPTON Cameron J **VESPER Matt** VINCENT Julien O WILLIAMS Warren WINKLE David

## SENIOR ACTIVE MEMBERS ARACI Maximus

ABAGI Maximus
ABDO Alan
ABRUZZESE Daniel
ADAMS Gabrielle
ALLEN Bradley P
ALLEN Kevin B
ALP Kyle A
ANAGNOSTOU Georgios
ANDERSON Andrew
ANDREWS Daniel J
ANDREWS Liam M
ANICIC Sophia

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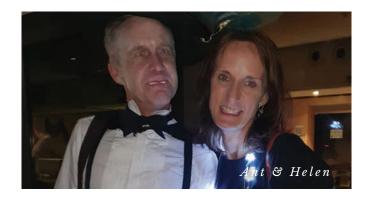
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It is with great pleasure that we acknowledge two members of our Club awarded a Medal of the Order of Australia in the season just ended.

Mr Anthony (Tony) Waller OAM was awarded his OAM as part of the Queen's Birthday 2021 Honours List for his service to surf lifesaving, and to the community, that includes his involvement with the Scouting movement and Fire and Rescue New South Wales.

Mrs Sophie Alice Smith OAM was awarded her OAM as part of the Australia Day 2022 Honours List for her service to the community through charitable organisations, specifically for her charity work "Running for Premature Babies Foundation".

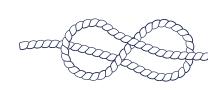
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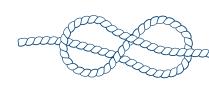
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