# TOOWOON BAY SLSC



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2020-2021 SEASON





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# Toowoon Bay SLSC 66th Annual General Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the 66<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Toowoon Bay Surf Life Saving Club will be held on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2021 at 1pm, upstairs in the Clubhouse (COVID restrictions may apply). Due to the COVID outbreak in June 2021 and lockdowns, this AGM needed to be postponed to Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2021, 1pm.

# **AGENDA**

- Welcome
- Apologies
- Appointment of Life Membership (if any)
- Minutes of 65<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2020, Season 2019/2020
- Business arising from previous Annual General Meeting
- Presentation, consideration, and adoption of 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Report and Financial Report of the Board and auditors 2020/2021
- Appointment and fixing of the remuneration of the auditors
- Election of Directors for the 2021/2022 Season
- Election of further office bearers for the 2021/2022 season
- Motion of affiliation with SLS Central Coast and SLSNSW
- Any other business of which notice is given in accordance with the constitution
- Meeting Close

# Vale

It was with much sadness that we learned of the passing of former members of Toowoon Bay SLSC

Jim Starkey – Foundation member

Jeff Rolls - Foundation Member

Some words on Jeff Rolls from long-time friend and TBSLSC Life Member Peter Cox:

#### **Toowoon Bay SLSC Early Days with Jeff Rolls**

When Bob Roberts began to push to form a surf club at Toowoon Bay he talked to all the young locals who swam at

the beach so he had an enthusiastic group ready to go when the inaugural meeting was held and Jeff was among that group. The six-week Christmas holidays saw the beach packed with holiday makers and plenty of locals for the rest of the season. Bronze squads were formed and Jeff and those early members soon became fully qualified patrol members. Surf Club became a way of life for club duties, socialising, surfing, fund raising and everything else. Jeff used his mentoring skills to train bronze squads and later as a member of the Board of Examiners continuing this right across the coast. He was a keen long boarder, and a strong body surfer and we spent much time out surfing the point, over the reef and at North Shelly honing the skills that helped keep people safe in the water. Old habits die hard and Jeff was able to make a very important rescue as an octogenarian. Of course, there were girls at the beach and many long marriages came from this. Jeff met Lyn somewhere around the Club and they made a lifetime together. At first, we were all shocked to think that Jeff had



passed away in the water, but on reflection it seems to have been a peaceful and easy passing which many of us would hope for. Farewell old friend.



And in June we lost Kevin Bootle. Kevin was a great competitor for Toowoon Bay on boards and in surfboats until he transferred to Avoca SLSC. Kevin remained very active in the Surf Boat Series (Peters and Streets) until illness prevented him from attending his beloved boat carnivals. Kevin was highly regarded and respected in the movement.

# Life Members

#### (\*Deceased)

Robert Roberts \* John Horn Snr \* Raymond Hatfield\* Dean Griffin Harry Shean \* Graeme Slade Snr Robert Hill \* Denis Hannigan Roy Swadling \* Mark Bradly \* **Darren Lewis** Helen Clifton Bill Pawson\* Angelo Deluca \* Beth Bradly \* Mick Cook Ron Calman OAM ESM Brian Ford \* Mark Shearan **Chris Manning** Gordon Matthews \* Margaret Ford John Murphy \* **Graham Sherer** Peter Cox Thelma Laird \* Lyn Waters Dennis Coelli **Dennis Moir Denise Austin Ross Blowers Geoff Grice** Keith Salmon \* Margaret Moore Bil Kensey Kenneth Strickland Norma Murphy \* **Chris Jones** 



# Office Bearers for 2020/2021

#### **Executive Committee:**

President Phillip Raymont

Director of Administration **Denise Ryals** 

Director of Finance Karen Hickmott

Vice President Rescue Services/Club Captain Simon Hicks (resigned)/Mick Cook

Lyn Waters Vice President Youth Services/JAC

#### **Management Committee:**

**Chief Training Officer** Sue Hale Vacant Manager – Rookies

Manager - Masters Christiana and Rod Mergan

Board and Ski Captain Simon Hicks First Aid Officer **Ruth Cook** Manager – Gear and Equipment Mick Cook **IRB** Captain **Graham Sherer** Manager - Radios **Graham Sherer** Registrar Jacqui Donadel Cultural/Historical Officer Lyn Waters

Fundraising/Grants/Sponsorship Karen Hickmott and Mick Cook

**Building Committee** Mark Shearan, Chris Manning, Karen Hickmott, Wendy

McNamara, Julie Dawson, Robbie MacDougall, Phillip

Raymont

**Uniform Shop** Kristen Meikle and Karen Hickmott

**Function Room** Jacqui Donadel

Social Media (Insta/Facebook) Insta – Chris Fillingham, Facebook – Jacqui Donadel

Licensee Christiana Mergan Bar Manager Karen Hickmott Club Liaison Officer Denis Hannigan Community Liaison Officer Mick Cook

MPIO Karen Hickmott, Nicole Locker

**COVID Co-Ordinator** Jacqui Donadel (Club), Kylie King (Café)

Water Safety Supervisor **Geoff Cresswell** 

> Live In Caretaker Josh Higgins Administration Support (Paid) Jacqui Donadel Café Manager (Paid) Tina Steele Café 2IC (Paid) **Kylie King**

Accountants/Auditor **Fortunity Chartered Accountants** 

# President's Report - 2020/2021

It is with pleasure that I submit this report. All members should be enormously proud of their efforts this year and it just shows what a great community club we are.

If we thought the previous year was different, well what about this one? Torrential rain, floods, 40 plus degree days, hordes of tourists and of course the ever-present COVID 19.

The 2020/2021 season started with us not knowing if we would be able to patrol the beach and, if we could, what restrictions would be placed on members or patrols. Then there were the constant issues and changes on how, or if, our Nippers programs could go ahead. The whole scenario was changing weekly, frustratingly, and planning a program was becoming increasingly difficult. COVID restrictions also had a massive impact on our social events including our Awards of Excellence (senior presentation), Sunday SIPS, The Captain's Shout, and the management of our Café.

With all the uncertainty caused by the pandemic, member and community safety, it was expected that our member numbers would be decimated at the start of the season. Fortunately, around 88% of our active patrolling members returned to patrolling duties. Our Nippers numbers exceeded expectations and we ended up with over 85% of the previous year's numbers. In total, TBSLSC had 649 members in 2020/2021.

The Club's <u>CORE BUSINESS</u> of <u>SURF LIFE SAVING</u> thrived during the season. Thank you to all our patrolling members for your hard work and dedication in providing 6,977.51 hours volunteering your time to keeping the beach going public safe at Toowoon Bay. In that time, 11 rescues were successfully performed – 9 by IRB and 2 board rescues.

Our Trainers, Assessors and Facilitators managed to deliver COVID safe courses and candidates competently completed these COVID modified courses:

Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (AID): 9 candidates
Bronze Medallion: 25 candidates
Silver Medallion IRB Driver: 1 candidate
Surf Rescue Certificate: 12 candidates

We welcomed the new bronze members to patrols, increasing the strength of our patrolling teams. Credit must go to our Chief Training Officer Sue Hale for all her efforts in her administration and organisation of these COVID safe courses and ensuring the needs of SLSNSW, SLSCC, TAF's and candidates were met. Thanks must also go to our Trainers, Assessors and Facilitators and Special Material Experts and it is with your dedication in delivering outstanding training, assessing and facilitating that TBSLSC continues to produce qualified, confident and adept lifesavers.

The Board decided to recognise three rescues carried out by members, off duty and out of hours. One was by a foundation member of the club who Surf Life Saving was unable to recognise due to him not being a current member of a surf club. Two other rescues were carried out by current members in cold weather, huge seas and in extremely treacherous conditions. These members were awarded Certificates of Recognition from our Federal Member Emma McBride and State Member David Mehan. Details of these rescues are available from the club and all these members are to be commended on their efforts.

Karen Hickmott, our Director of Finance, was very proactive sourcing and securing grants. Among the grants she did secure, one was to construct a purpose-built patrol trailer and Nipper trailer and these both were designed with COVID in mind. We were also able to secure a grant to upgrade the hall. Other successful grants saw the purchase of boards, skis and 3 new defibrillators.

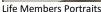






Fresh paint throughout, fans and new 'logo'







Nipper Trailer

We are thrilled that Karen's commitment to the Club was recognised at the SLSCC Awards of Excellence in June 2021, where she won Administrator of the Year after also being a finalist in the 2020 NSW Rotary Emergency Services Community Awards.

SIPS was able to continue with several COVID 19 interruptions. I thank everyone who volunteered behind the bar and hopefully this will go from strength to strength with the addition of live music once a month.

The Club was unable to hold its major annual fundraisers including the annual Toowoon Bay SLSC Charity Golf Day, Toowoon Bay Ocean Swim and hiring out of the hall was severely curtailed. The Board, with some astute financial management, has however been able to ensure the Club's financial future and has recently created an investment portfolio with the advice of club member and sponsor Stuart Mangion of Fawkes Financial Services Pty Ltd

TBSLSC must acknowledge our club sponsors and supporters who continue to provide on-going support which allows us to continue to free up funds to purchase quality lifesaving equipment and provide education to our lifesavers and our Nippers – our emerging lifesavers. Magic Mums Cleaning Central Coast continue to provide a fantastic service in keeping our member's change areas and first aid rooms clean and COVID safe, Central Coast Council for providing its Beach Safety Operations Fund to all Central Coast Clubs, Narellan Pools Central Coast, Robbo's Automotive and Tyrepower for continued support. We are very fortunate to have the pro bono support of Fortunity Chartered Accountants, Fawkes Financial Services Pty Ltd, and Aubrey Brown Lawyers. The newest addition to the hall area at TBSLSC is the mural which was provided by Zest Events International. And thanks to Jeff Hornby of Hornby Project Signage for annually updating our honour boards. Along with the considerable support we receive from OUR incredible sponsors, we must also thank the sponsors of Surf Life Saving Central Coast, Surf Life Saving NSW and Australia. Thanks also to the NSW and Federal Government and NSW Ministry for Police and Emergency Services for their significant support.



New Mural

Our two nipper programs were a huge success and I thank Lyn Waters (mainstream) and Karen Hickmott (Stingrays – for children with additional needs) for coordinating these. Lyn in particular had no idea at the start of the season how or even if we were going to be able to run a successful nipper program in a global pandemic. The Board decided not to actively promote external competition this year and the programs Lyn has been able to deliver are a credit to her and her team. Stingrays had another great year and all reports from participants and volunteers were extremely positive.





Stingrays parachute activity

Flags training

Our Masters competitors were not actively engaged in external competition until late in the season. We did commence the season with a virtual Coolangatta Gold and the club was able to field 8 teams and several individuals comprising of 40 athletes. This was amazing for our club. A group of 15 travelled to SLSNSW Championships at Swansea Belmont in March 2021 and achieved outstanding results. A small team travelled to the QLD Sunshine Coast for the Australian Titles in April 2021 where they achieved an outstanding result - 12<sup>th</sup> in Australia, 6<sup>th</sup> in NSW and 1<sup>st</sup> on the Central Coast. We should all be enormously proud.



Coolangatta Gold 2020 (virtual)







Aussies team 2021

The Board has been working on several projects over the last two years and these should come to fruition in the next few months, this will see some positive changes to the club.

The Building Committee suffered a lot of frustrations during the year due to the disruptions at Council, however with Council now stable the Committee is active and sourcing a meeting with the new relevant director to move the renovations/extensions forward. Members will have noticed the remedial works done to the roof, eaves and the repainting that has been carried out on the clubhouse.

Over 160 members of SLS, including TBSLSC members Lyn Waters, Suzanne Gerrish and Ross Blowers, answered the call for assistance with the floods in the Taree area in March 2021, putting themselves in uncomfortable and sometimes hazardous circumstances over a seven-day period. In that time, they helped with everything from doorknocking, delivering fuel and rescuing residents trapped in rising floodwaters. Once again, the local community was overwhelmed by the efforts and thankful that those of us far away were still thinking of them.

I'd like to thank everyone who has organised the wide variety of community-based events that link directly to the Club. This is what makes us different from most other surf clubs.

Our ANZAC Day remembrance morning continues to grow and this year, with no promotion, there were over 200 attendees. Thanks to Mick Cook and his team for organising.

Thank you to the Board - Karen, Lyn, Simon, Mick, and Denise. To our Chief Training Officer Sue and of course our Administration Officer Jacqui. I would also like to thank those senior members who have directly assisted and advised me during the season with their invaluable counsel.

Hopefully, next season will be a more normal season, remember the Club's motto - Join the Fun.

Yours in Lifesaving
Phillip Raymont
President 2020/2021
Toowoon Bay SLSC
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ANZAC Day 2021

# Director of Finance Report - 2020/2021

The detailed financial reports are included in the attached audited financial report however key points to note are:

Overall surplus for the year was \$109,483 up from a deficit of \$21,189 in the previous year.

We were fortunate to receive \$176k in financial support due to COVID-19. This took the form of \$126k in JobKeeper, \$30k in ATO cash flow boosts, \$14k in COVID grants and \$9k from SLSNSW.

In addition, we had a great year in the Café with revenue up nearly \$86k due to much improved weather conditions on the previous year along with increased tourist visitors due to lack of overseas options during the pandemic.

We also received a number of successful insurance claims during the year enabling us to repaint various areas of the club and renew vital rescue equipment.

Sponsorships and grants have also enabled us to further renew equipment and premises and still leave us with a healthy cash balance. Since year end, we have opened a very conservative investment portfolio with the advice and expertise of one of our patrolling members and Club sponsor, Stuart Mangion of <u>Fawkes Financial Services Pty Ltd</u> to maximize the return we can make on this asset.

One point to note in the financial result however was that during the year following the Council's laying of a permanent beach matting solution at Toowoon Bay we were no longer using the more cumbersome beach matting that we purchased a couple of years ago with grant funding from the Ability Links Beaches for Every Body program and it was taking up valuable space in our overcrowded gear shed. Through our involvement in the Toowoon Bay Stingray Nippers program, we collaborate with other surf lifesaving clubs in NSW providing inclusive practices and we offered the matting to another beach who might be able to use this valuable resource. After the dreadful summer of bushfires on the South Coast we were delighted to be able to donate our now excess matting to Bermagui and Pambula Surf

Life Saving Clubs with the assistance of North Cronulla SLSC for providing the transport. This has been a terrific outcome for the reallocation of scarce resources within the lifesaving movement, but it has resulted in a cost to our profit and loss of just over \$16k this year as we write the asset off out of our books.

Karen Hickmott Director of Finance 2020/2021



Karen Hickmott - SLSCC Administrator of the Year 2021



# Sponsorships, Fundraising, Donations and Grants - 2020/2021

#### Sponsorships

This year we continued our tiered sponsorship program which clearly outlines the range of sponsorship opportunities and benefits to our existing and future sponsors who are generously supplying much needed cash or products/services or both to assist us in efficiently running the club.:

Platinum – over \$5,000



<u>Central Coast Council</u> provided us with \$7,150 to cover costs of life saving equipment and supplies required to support and deliver our life saving service on the weekends and public holidays throughout the season.



We continued to be very fortunate again this season to have the support of the team at Magic Mum's Cleaning to keep our member's change area and first aid rooms spick and span and COVID safe. Many thanks to our nipper mum Kim Burns, Tara Meurant and the team!

Gold - \$2,000 - \$5,000



<u>Narellan Pools Central Coast</u> continue their three-year sponsorship of our patrol trailer and the Toowoon Bay Stingray Nippers program.



<u>Robbo's Automotive & Tyrepower</u> – 2019 NSW Tyrepower Store of the Year continue as a three-year sponsor of our IRB trailer.



We are lucky to have the continuing support of <u>Fortunity</u> in the preparation and audit of our financial statements and general financial advice throughout the year.

# ZEST EVENTS INTERNATIONAL

Club member Andi Mether and her organization Zest Events International helped us with our hall renovation with the discounted installation of our stunning Stingray artwork on the bar



Patrolling member and Director of <u>Fawkes Financial Services Pty Ltd</u> Stuart Mangion recently assisted us with the creation and ongoing management of an investment portfolio for the Club.

Silver - \$500 - \$2,000



We have been fortunate to call on the pro bono advice of <u>Aubrey Brown Lawyers</u> throughout the season.

## Bronze - below \$500



Many thanks to Jeff Hornby at Project Signage for continuing to keep our sponsor's and honour boards up to date.

#### Sponsors of Surf Life Saving Australia

Ampol
DHL
Isuzu
Westpac
BRP
Dulux

# Sponsors of Surf Life Saving NSW

Your Local Club Deputy Envirobank Sharkskin Midford Dolphin

Team Building with Purpose

**Energy Locals** 

#### Sponsors of Surf Life Saving Central Coast Branch

Central Coast Council Central Coast Leagues

Fortunity Freemasons Good Gear

Mingara Recreation Club

NBN

Newcastle Permanent

Southern Cross Austereo (HIT101.3 and

2MMM) Streets Unilever

#### **Fundraising**

Fundraising has been severely hampered by the restrictions imposed by the COVID-19 pandemic and the only fundraising event which has been run during the season was our Sunday Sips which netted \$8,173 – many thanks to the Club members for volunteering their time to make this happen.

Surf Life Saving NSW and the Surf Life Saving Foundation must be acknowledged for conducting fundraising on behalf of Clubs and Branches, and this year we received \$6,100.00 from their efforts. Conducting fundraising efforts centrally frees up our members' time to focus their energy and resources on lifesaving activities — their number one mission. We acknowledge and thank all the members of the general public and donors for their generous support. Thanks for taking the call from Surf Lifesaving and buying raffle tickets. With these funds we purchased vital lifesaving equipment, First Aid Equipment, PPE and training equipment.

#### Distributions and Donations

We gratefully received the following distributions from events and donors:

Event/Donor	Net income
SLSNSW COVID-19 Surf Club Support Package	9,118
Fundraising from Surf Lifesaving NSW	6,100
Christine & Frank Cook for purchase of juicer for café	2,000
Envirobank bottle and can recycling	652

Due to the impacts of COVID-19, SLSNSW provided a support package for all clubs. These funds were to be used to directly benefit members and we decided to use our funding to provide a discounted membership to all adult members of the club.

#### Grants

We were lucky to receive a further \$10,170 from Wyong Rugby Leagues Club Group for the purchase of replacement rescue boards and water safety craft.



We received a \$10,000 COVID-19 small business grant and a \$3,000 COVID-19 recovery grant from the NSW Government which enabled us to cover ongoing business expenses like insurance and additional costs incurred with cleaning and infection control.

\$1,000 Office of Sport COVID-19 Return to Sport Grant secured by SLSNSW enabled us to equip our nipper programme with appropriate equipment to manage the minimization of possible infection.

We were thrilled to receive a grant for \$14,000 from the NSW State Government

Community Building Partnership Program. We were able to put this toward the refurbishment of the hall including painting, remodelling of vestibule, and reprinting, reframing and relocation of life member's photos, installation of the stingray mural on the bar and the 3D logo on the balcony wall. Our thanks to NSW Premier Gladys Berejiklian and Member for The Entrance David Mehan MP for providing this funding.

We completed the development of our replacement patrol trailer from funding received in the previous season as part of the Federal Government's Stronger

Communities Program. In fact, we were able to also fund a nipper trailer to assist with the COVID-19 restrictions imposed on us this season from this grant.

During the year we received \$3,000 from our Central Coast Council Community Support Grant application which enabled us to reactivate our rainwater collection tanks.

We also received \$4,000 from the Federal Government's Volunteers Grant Program which enabled us to purchase and install new fans, a fridge and portable speaker for the hall to assist with improving the hall for member functions.

NSW Surf Life Saving Clubs are grateful for the continued support of these Government agencies:

- ✓ NSW Ministry for Police and Emergency Services for the ongoing funding of state-wide operations, which benefit all members through our co-operative agreement.
- ✓ NSW Government for the support through Office of Sport.
- ✓ Federal Government for the Beach Safety Equipment Funding which directs \$5,000.00 to every SLSC for the purchase of vital rescue equipment, PPE, first aid and medical supplies.
- ✓ Federal Government for the VET Funding which enabled hundreds of assessors to update their training

qualifications and provided clubs with updated training equipment including QCPR manikins and tablets.



#### Fees for the 2020/2021 Season:

Active Youth (U6-U8)	\$80.00
Junior Active (U9-U14)	\$100.00
Cadet (Inc 15yrs not holding BM)	\$80.00
Active 15-18yrs (holding BM)	\$80.00
Active 18+ (BM/Award)	\$80.00
Stingray Nipper	\$55.00
Stingray Associate	\$55.00
Associate (including Parent Associate)	\$75.00
Family Membership (2 adults and up to 3 children)	\$270.00
Family Membership additional family member	\$55.00

SLSNSW COVID-19 Support Package allowed TBSLSC to offer a discount of \$20.00 on all adult membership renewals (Active 18+ and Associates, incl Stingray Associates) if renewal was received by 30 November 2020.

# Vice President Rescue Services/Club Captain's Report - 2020/2021

This season has been a year like no other in the history of Surf Lifesaving! So, a big thank you to all patrols for doing a magnificent job in trying circumstances.

I'd like to say a special thanks to Jacqui in the Office for all her help, and Karen Hickmott for her wise counsel. Sue Hale for her outstanding job as Chief Training Officer. Chris Manning, Denis Hannigan, Greg Owen, Graham Jackson and Chris Fillingham for their special contributions and certainly not forgetting Simon Hicks for getting the season off to a good start.

I will be calling upon all you people during the 2021/2022 season if and when that happens!

#### Statistics for this season:

Hours patrolled: 6,977.51
Preventative Actions: 721
Rescues: 11
First Aids: 54
Attendance: 112,214

A special thank you also to Patrols 3 (PC Chris Fillingham) and Patrol 5 (PC Mick Cook) for doing extra patrols at The Entrance.

You will all have noticed that the first aid room is fully stocked with PPE for your safety. Please continue to be vigilant in your approach to COVID issues.

Finally, if I've forgotten anyone, like you Cuddles, I apologise. Send me a note!

Hers's to a successful, healthy, and uninterrupted 2021/2022 season.

Yours in Lifesaving Mick Cook VP Rescue Services/Club Captain 2020/2021

### Patrol Service Awards 2020/2021

National Medal Clasp – 25 Years 25 Year Long Service Award 20 Year National Patrol Service Award

15 Year National Patrol Service Award

10 Year National Patrol Service Award

5 Year National Patrol Service Award

Mark Shearan Lynette Waters

Dennis Coelli

Jacqui Donadel, Suzanne Gerrish, Andrew Porter and Mei Ling Venning

Julie Dawson, Lesley DuBery, Geoff Cresswell, Diana Lennox, Rodney Mergan and Nicole Stephenson

Jonty Tipton-Akers, Simone Dunn, Karen Hickmott, Christine Laing, Nicole Locker, Robbie MacDougall, Stuart Mangion, Kristen Meikle, Georgia-Leigh Meikle, Vincent O'Keeffe and Denise Ryals

Saturday Patrols		Sunday Patrols	
Patrol 1	PC Sue Hale	Patrol 2	PC Andrew Porter
Patrol 3	PC Chris Fillingham	Patrol 4	PC John Vergara
Patrol 5	PC Mick Cook (LM)	Patrol 6	PC Bil Kensey LM
Patrol 7	PC Dean Griffin (LM)	Patrol 8	PC Tracie Cole

LM = Life Member



Thank you to the following for giving up part or all of your **Christmas Day** with your family to keep the beach going community safe whilst visiting Toowoon Bay:

Nicole Cameron	Ros Chugg	Tracey Clifton	Mick Cook	Ruth Cook
Kerry Davenport	Jacs Donadel	Jacs Dunkerley	Chris Fillingham	Julie-Ann Fillingham
Jazzmyn Fillingham	Ethan Fillingham	Denis Hannigan	Simon Hicks	Blanka Jackson
Graham Jackson	Michelle Jackson	Bil Kensey	Darryl Lennox	Diana Lennox
Wendy McNamara	Jennifer McNamee	John McNamee	Christiana Mergan	Joseph Mergan
Rod Mergan	Phillip Murphy	Greg Owen	Michael Roberts	Garry Chappell
Denise Ryals	Graham Sherer	Mei-Ling Venning	Estelle Wicks	Austin Williams

# **100% Patrol**:

Anthony Akers	Stephen Angel	Barbara Attard	Garry Chappell	Tracie Clifton
Craig Cole	Tracie Cole	Mick Cook	Ruth Cook	Geoff Cresswell
Julie Dawson	Geoff Grice	Karen Hickmott	Karen Igoe	Bil Kensey
Stuart Mangion	Wendy McNamara	Vince O'Keeffe	Greg Owen	Andrew Porter
Peter Pracy	Denise Ryals	Graham Sherer	Mei-Ling Venning	John Vergara

#### Active 15-18+ (inc Award) Members

Anthony Akers	Daniel Cusack	Christopher Herring	David McKay	Tahlia Penfold
Matthew Allen	Kerry Davenport	Tamie-Jean Hersom	Maya McMullen	Jenny Perram
Stephen Angel	Julie Dawson	Ben Hickmott	Troy McMullen	Andrew Porter
David Ashton	Nelson DBras	Karen Hickmott	Wendy McNamara	Jeffrey Powell
Barbara Attard	Jacqueline Donadel	Simon Hicks	Jennifer McNamee	Peter Pracy
Isabella Attenborough	Lesley DuBery	Jay Hinde	John McNamee	Lara Pratt
Jack Attenborough	Jacqueline Dunkerley	Katie Hinshelwood	Bailey Meikle	Sue Projceski
Sean Blackadder	Anastazia Dunn	Andrew Hoffman	Georgia-Leigh Meikle	Phillip Raymont
Joseph Bonham	Simone Dunn	Kerry Hoffman	Kristen Meikle	Michael Roberts
Timothy Boyd	Mark Everingham	Craig Horton	Christiana Mergan	Denise Ryals
Justin BURGERS	Amber Fantoni	Karen Igoe	Joseph Mergan	Tom Scardifield
Dixon Callender	Edward Fantoni	Blanka Jackson	Rodney Mergan	Belinda Schippers
Nicole Cameron	Nathan Fantoni	Graham Jackson	Andi Mether	Wendy Sheppard
Garry Chappell	Christopher Fillingham	Michelle Jackson	Andrew Michelini	Tim Snelling
Rosalind Chugg	Ethan Fillingham	Darcy Keys	Douglas Millard	Nicole Stephenson
Joshua Clarkson	Jazzmyn Fillingham	Christine Laing	Phillip Murphy	Noah Stewart
Tracey Clifton	Julie-Ann Fillingham	Darryl Lennox	Callum Nash	Aaron Suprain
Ainsley Cole	Suzanne Gerrish	Diana Lennox	Holly Nash	Nicole Syphers
Craig Cole	Michael Grace	Sarah Lennox	Ashley OBrien	Sapphire Taylor
Rhyan Cole	Susanne Hale	Nicole Locker	Vincent O'Keeffe	Glenn Thew
Tracie Cole	Siobhan Hallinan-Clarkson	Bruce MacDougall	Susan O'Malley	John Thomson
Ruth Cook	Lianne Halpin	Robert MacDougall	Tim OSullivan	Jonty Tipton-Akers
Millie Copetti-Perrett	Lakia-Dea Hanly	Stuart Mangion	Gregory Owen	Corban Trim
Paul Cosgrave	Teegan Harrison	Matthew Maris	Lauren Owen	Mei-Ling Venning
David Coucke	Daniel Hayes	Emma McBride	Susan Paliskis	John Vergara
Bradley Coxon	Joanne Hayes	Gayle McCann	Alison Peacock	Robert Walker
Aidan Cresswell	Michael Hayes	Lisette McGrath	John Pearson	Darren Wall
Geoffrey Cresswell	Michael Hayhurst	Paul Mcgrath	Harry Penfold	Shane Warbrick

Estelle Wicks Paul Witney Emma Young

<u>Patrolling Life Members:</u> Ross Blowers Helen Clifton Dennis Coelli Mick Cook

Geoff Grice Dean Griffin Denis Hannigan Bil Kensey
Chris Manning Mark Shearan Graham Sherer Lyn Waters

# Chief Training Officer's Report - 2020/2021

This season was my first year as the Chief Training Officer (CTO) for Toowoon Bay Surf Club and I would like to thank everyone who welcomed and assisted me in this role.

I have a great appreciation for all the trainers and facilitators within the Club. Their knowledge and experience is profound and our community is very lucky to have such a passionate group of people who are not only willing to pass on their skills but also to step out of their comfort zones and learn new skills. This was made obvious at the beginning of the season when all our trainers had to learn how to ZOOM, KAHOOT and turn mute off/on with on-line learning due to very strict COVID 19 restrictions.

Such is the quality of our team that Bil Kensey, Life Member of TBSLSC and exceptional trainer, was sent over to help and give guidance with the Lord Howe Island Nippers Program in the later part of 2020.

Welcome this season to John and Jenny McNamee, who have come with a wealth of experience from Clovelly SLSC. They have both taught with the Surf Life Saving Academy and this season requalified members of TBSLSC on their Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (AID) (ART (AID)) Certificate as well as trained new members in ART (AID) award. Their knowledge and support has been very much appreciated not only by the Club but, me personally. John has also sought out and acquired new training and patrol defibrillators. These will be set up for next season and are far less cumbersome to train with, as well as to use in an emergency.

This year we will be saying congratulations and farewell for now to Nicci Stephenson who has been part of the Club for many years as one of our most capable trainers and facilitators. She worked for the SLS Academy and SLSCC and will be greatly missed as a role model and inspiration for women in the movement.

I would also like to extend my appreciation to Greg Owen who has returned to the beach as a trainer for the Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) this season. He has earnt the respect of trainers and students alike and is a great asset to our team. Thank you also to Graham Jackson and Simon Hicks who have assisted alongside our trainers this season and shared with the students their great skills and knowledge. TBSLSC would be very lucky to have them as future trainers.

#### Bronze Medallion/Certificate II Public Safety - Aquatic Rescue

David Ashton, Joseph Bonham, Nicole Cameron, Paul Cosgrave, Noah Flower, Michael Grace, Daniel Hayes, Tamie Hersom, Katie Hinshelwood, Blanka Jackson, Darcy Keys, Emma McBride, Gayle McCann, Lisa McGrath, Paul McGrath, Holly Nash, Isaac O'Sullivan, Wendy Sheppard, Tim Snelling, Nicole Syphers, John Thomson, Paul Witney and Emma Young

#### **Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (AID) Certificate**

Garry Chappell, Rhyan Cole, Tracie Cole, Kerry Davenport, Blanka Jackson, Emma McBride, Alison Peacock, Susan Paliskis and Denise Ryals

Silver Medallion IRB Driver Justin Burgers

#### **SLSCC Facilitated Courses**

First Aid (AID) – Greg Owen and Vincent O'Keeffe Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue – Blanka Jackson and Susan Paliskis Silver Medallion Beach Management – Corban Trim

2020/2021 was a season of restrictions which trainers took on with flexibility and patience. Training was adapted to COVID 19 regulations, and it is due to the positivity of our team that so many members of our community completed their Bronze Medallion. The enthusiasm was also buoyed by so many new members moving onto other courses such as ART (AID) and First Aid (AID). Most Patrols received new members this season and the smaller patrols were uplifted in numbers. I had the privilege of training a wonderful group of adults, completing their Bronze Medallion course, and from this group it is with great pleasure that TBSLSC welcomes our local member for Dobell Emma McBride to our patrols.

This season we introduced an intensive Bronze Medallion program run over two weeks in the Christmas break. This was a small group trained by Denis Hannigan with the support of Mick Cook and me. It was so successful we will look to do it again in 2021/22.

COVID 19 has played a great part in why we could not run certain sessions this season but, that has not stopped our recruiting program. The next BM group is already practising through the winter to be ready for spring.

Surf lifesaving offers many options for upskilling, and I notice this season many members and trainers taking up these options. This is what makes a great club and I hope many more take up these options when available. My sincere appreciation to Jacqui Donadel and John Vergara for their support this season.

Lastly, thank you to the SLSCC Board of Education members and the SLSCC Education Support Officer Michael Hyslop who shared their vast range of knowledge with me this season.

Sue Hale Chief Training Officer 2020/2021







# Toowoon Bay SLSC Annual Awards of Excellence - 2020/2021

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2021 Bateau Bay Bowling Club

(Due to COVID lockdown in June 2021, the Senior Presentation needed to be rescheduled to this date)

Due to a lengthening of the lockdown and COVID restrictions, this event had to be postponed again to a date to be advised.

# Vice President Youth Services/JAC Report - 2020/2021

Well, what an unusual season we experienced this 2020/2021 year!!

From the very strong possibility of Nippers not existing at Toowoon Bay to finishing with a very successful season, we rode the roller coaster ride that was COVID 19. Starting the season under these new COVID restrictions meant the Cadets, Under 14's and Under 13's started at 8am which allowed all the other age groups to commence at the normal time of 9am. Nipper numbers were down early in the season, but once word went round that we were back up and running, our numbers swelled to 225. This, of course, meant we needed more Age Managers and the amazing response from experienced and brand-new Age Managers was PHENOMENAL. A very special mention to ALL the "blue shirts" who gave up their time to educate and *HAVE FUN* with their age groups. Extra special mentions to:

- © Lauren Owen, who travelled down from Newcastle each week. Lauren has been the Under 6 Age Manager for 10 years.
- © Matt Allen, (best right-hand man, ever!) for starting the day at 6am for beach set up, taking his Under 14's at 8am and then, literally, running down to start the Under 8's at 9am.
- © Bil and Karen Kensey, who came out of retirement, for the Under 10's.

#### Age Managers for the 2020/2021 season:

**Under 6's:** Lauren Owen - nipper, then Age Manager since 2005.

Georgia-Leigh Meikle - reliable, young lady.

**Under 7's**: Nicole Syphers - busy mum, keen leader.

Lakia Hanly and Amber Fantoni - full of enthusiasm, young.

Luke Deger - parent, new Age Manager, good photographer too.

**Under 8's**: Sam Puckett - previous nipper, played till Jan 2021.

Matt Allen - big kid.



**Under 9's**: Tim Boyd - parent and returning Age Manager.

Amanda Emerson - retired due to surgery, Jan 2021.

**Under 10's**: Karen and Bil Kensey - previous Age Managers, Patrol

Captain and Life Member.

**Under 11's**: Nicole Locker - powerhouse of energy.

**Under 12's**: Chris Baldwin - new Age Manager, enthusiastic

supporter for carnivals.

**Under 13's**: Pete Harrison - stalwart, quiet achiever and valuable

supporter.

**Under 14's**: Matt Allen - started as a nipper and then straight into

Age Managing.

Anastazia Dunn - my locum, filled in for nearly every age group when needed.

Cadets: Geoff Creswell - setter of water courses and hard task master.

Our beach set up was conducted in the very early hours of the morning by Bob Johnson, who was acknowledged for all his hard work as our 2020/2021 Nipper Volunteer of the Year. Bob doesn't have any family participating at Nippers, but loves being involved. Matt, myself, and Bob greeted the sunrise and got busy setting up the sprint and flag areas regardless of the weather. Water set up was conducted by Geoff, Pete and a very enthusiastic IRB crewie Gemma Harrison. Thank you to all our water safety volunteers too.

A decision was made pre-season by the Board that our club would not partake in carnivals due to COVID and the uncertainty around whether carnivals would be held and would review the situation after Christmas, HOWEVER, the determination and enthusiasm of our small group of eager competitors was not taken into consideration. With some valuable training tips provided by John and Jenny McNamee, these nippers enjoyed their carnivals with some great results. Zaid Holland came away with a clutch of medals and he is one to keep an eye on next season in his last year as a nipper. Toowoon Bay also had two keen Under 14 girls who wanted to represent their club at the Rookie Challenge held on Terrigal Beach in January. Elyana Keys and Jemima Bonham joined forces with some fill ins from Umina and Shelly Beach to finish a very respectable 8<sup>th</sup> place, having fun and making new friends along the way. They competed in the true spirit of the Challenge.

Congratulations to our Junior Lifesavers of the Year – Shayla Walker and Oliver Coucke, who not only represented themselves and the club, with pride, but also showcased their knowledge and skills in a very competitive environment.

All of the Under 14's studied, trained and gained their SRC award, with guidance from Matt Allen. Maintain those lifesaving skills, you never know when they will come in very handy! Hopefully, all our nippers benefited from the education program that was delivered through the season, both on the beach, in the water and up in the hall.

Parents, carers, grandparents, neighbours, and family of our nippers, don't think that I'd forget to mention and **THANK YOU** for believing in our nipper program and bringing the young ones down each Sunday. Your commitment and participation were very much appreciated. Same again next season!

Behind the scenes, our season was moving along with assistance from Jacqui - our Sunday Covid Marshall; Karen Hickmott - for looking after the finances; Kristen Meikle - for outfitting the nippers; Karen Suprain - for capturing the "Smile for the Camera" age shots and Joe Bond - for the impromptu Sunday action pics. To all the Sunday patrols, a heartfelt depth of gratitude for supporting the nippers and providing assistance whenever we needed it.

#### **Competitors** for 2020/2021 were as follows:

Under 9's Lucinda Parezanovic, Harper Bennett and Aria Boyd.

Under 10's: Georgia Baldwin, Leiona Holland.

Under 12's: Monique Cook, Amelie Rowland, Zoe Peat and Matilda Baldwin.

Under 13's: Zaid Holland.

Thanks to the parents for stepping up as Covid Marshall, unofficial Official and Team Managers.

SEE YOU ON THE BEACH IN 2021/2022. Cheers from your JAC Lyn Waters.



#### Age Manager's Report - Under 6's - Pink Flamingos

Age Managers: Lauren Owen and Georgia-Leigh Meikle

During the first few weeks of Nippers for the Under 6's, Lauren and I focussed on dipping their toes into the various physical activities we had planned for the season. These activities acted as the basics for what you would see the older kids do at competitions. At the start of the season, a lot of the kids were shy and scared to do the activities, especially the water, without their parents with them but as the season went on, we slowly encouraged them to break away from their parents and become more and more confident in the water and on the sand each week.

Lauren and I informed the kids with essential surf awareness skills necessary for them to enjoy being at the beach while still being aware of the dangers present in the surf. An example of this would be, to stay between the red and yellow flags while swimming, always be with an adult or much older sibling while in the water etc.

The kids thoroughly enjoyed racing each other with the beach sprints, the relay races and the obstacle courses each week, these activities really pushed them. Each week we tried to change up the routine to keep the kids engaged and having fun. One week we would focus on wading and then the next week we would enhance on those skills and practice our dolphin dives along with the wade. By the end of the season, their confidence had grown, and you could really see they were enjoying themselves and had really changed and grown as a person.

#### Georgia-Leigh Meikle

Rising Stars:

© Consistent:

Overall Performance:

Age Manager's Award:

Illyanna Le Page and Jax Fogden Audrey Andrews and Ben Griffiths Ava Moody and Reid Keogh

Zara Hudson, Isla Ford, Noah Boyden-Lister and

Aedan Dezsery

#### Surf Play One Certificate:

Audrey Andrews, Cormac Ashton, Lexi Barker, Coco Bennett, Frankie Bennett, Charlie Boyd, Noah Boyden-Lister, Hitch Cassell, Teddy Daley, Aedan Dezsery, Ivy Douglass, Lucy Douglass, Henry Dring, Jax Fogden, Isla Ford, Django Freeman, Benjamin Griffiths, Harrison Witney, William Hinde, Hunter Hobbs, Zara Hudson, Abigail Irons, Arlo Kent, Reid Keogh,

Willow Keogh, Illyanna Le Page, Kiara McGrath, Ava Moody, Cosette Page, Andie-Grace Rana and Stevie Steele.

#### Age Manager's Report - Under 7'S - Blue Bubbles

Age Managers: Nicole Syphers, Luke Deger, Amber Fantoni, and Lakia Hanly

The U7's had a fantastic year in Surf Play 2. The U7's Age Managers Luke, Amber, Kia and I would like to thank all the parents for bringing the kids down each week and for being such an involved group, always willing to jump in and help in the sand or in the water, with such a large group it really did make a difference.

The kids had a lot of fun participating in relays, treasure hunts, sprints, swimming, float mats, tug of war, stuck in the mud, noodle races, obstacle courses, boards, surf safety lessons and much more. There were many new friendships made and the kids really did look out for and help each other as well. We look forward to another really fun season in 2021/2022.

**Nicole Syphers** 



rising Stars: Phoebe Boyden-Lister, Faith Allwood, Jesse McDonald,

and Lucas Albuquerque

Most Consistent: Elizabeth Syphers and Charlee Deger

Most Enthusiastic: Charlotte-Sophia Winterton and Sebastian Gois

© Encouragement Awards: Evie Tame, Levi Carter and Finlay Murphy

© Overall Performance: Matilda Tisdell, Archie Petrie and Ethan Burgers

© Overall Achievement: Emma Barry

#### **Surf Play Two Certificate:**



Nixon Adams, Lucas Albuquerque, Faith Allwood, Emma Barry, Mason Bell, Arihan Bennet, Phoebe Boyden-Lister, Ethan Burgers, Willow Butler, Levi Carter, Ava Davis-Guyatt, Charlee Deger, Hayden Dring, Roman Fitzsimmons, Madeleine Fleming, Sebastian Gois, Oliver Hamill, Ruby Heinjus, Aleaha Hersom, Havana Holland, Penelope Holland, Daniele Kinikini, Jahan Lual, Ivy McConnell, Oscar McGladdery, Jesse MacDonald, Finlay Murphy, Tyson Nimmo, Saskia Parezanovic, Archie Petrie, Eden Pinkerton, Harriet Porter, Harrison Powell, Jonah Roach, Oliver Roger, Annalise Shanahan, Oliver Sinclair, Amedee Staker, Elizabeth Syphers, Evie Tame, Matilda Tisdell, Peyton Turner, Savanah Turner, Andy Vargas, Phoenix Walsh, Charlotte-Sophia Winterton

#### Age Manager's Report - Under 8's - Navy Seals

Age Managers: Matt Allen and Sam Pickett (until January 2021)

The under 8's were a fantastic bunch this year. My first year having them as I was unexpectedly managing two age groups. A lovely bunch of parents made it so much easier for a difficult year with the current situation to run so smoothly. The kids achieved goals, overcame obstacles, learnt new things and most of all, had fun. Every morning ended with a smile on everyone's face and individuals realising their potential.

It was an absolute pleasure to manage this group and I would love to do it all again. A huge thank you to all the volunteers and the parents who stepped up to help me age manage as well, I really appreciate the help and support.

#### Matt Allen

Encouragement Awards: Milla Steele and Charlie Gardner
 Age Manager's Award: Grace Snelling and Zane Berge

#### **Club Championships**

Beach:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Kyah Farnham Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Taj Parker

Equal 2<sup>nd</sup>: Georgina Trampnau and Izabelle Mabey 2<sup>nd</sup>: Kane Jales

3<sup>rd</sup>: Zane Berge

Water:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Georgina Trampnau

2<sup>nd</sup>: Izabelle Mabey
3<sup>rd</sup>: Grace Snelling

1<sup>st</sup>: Taj Parker 2<sup>nd</sup>: Joshua Bond 3<sup>rd</sup>: Kane Jales

Bil Kensey U8 Sports Girl Kyah Farnham
Ross Blowers U8 Sports Boy Taj Parker





Boys

#### Surf Aware One Certificate:

Charlotte Ashton, Logan Atkinson, Zane Berge, Joshua Bond, Harry Carter, Tomas Dlesk, Amelia D'Ugo, Kyah Farnham, Charlie Gardner, Kane Jales, Orson Kent, Georgina Lual, Izabelle Mabey, Odete Marques, Anja McDougall, Amber McHugh, Taj Parker, Kobi Fletcher-Roberts, Tiara Schalkwyk, Archie Sharples, Marley Sife, Grace Snelling, Milla Steele, Blythe Stuckey, Georgina Trampnau, Abel Wells, Ella Williamson and Isabella Winterton.

#### Age Manager's Report - Under 9's - Great White Sharks

Age Managers: Tim Boyd and Amanda Emerson (until January 2021)

Under 9's 20/21 season had some good results with most kids being able to swim the 150m by the end of the season with confidence.

The introduction to the longer swims and board went fairly well although confidence was down at the beginning of the season with the swim. By the end of the season they were doing this with little to no support from parents and/or water safety. They loved the board and wanted to keep doing laps most weekends and on occasion, some of the kids picked up some great waves, that's right... waves at Toowoon Bay! This was a great effort by all the kids.

Several of the girls attended most carnivals including Branch, and with a big shore dump at Branch, the girls did the swim all qualifying for the final, but then decided that they would not compete in board and do the sand events instead, with some good results.

Numbers were down from last season, notably the boy's and on a number of occasions numbers were so low we were able to combine Under 9's and 10's.

A big thanks to the many parents who got in the water with their kids and was there to help at the carnivals.

Massive thanks to Emma and water safety that were there every weekend to help with the kids.

Big thanks to Kaz and Bil for their advice and guidance this season, having those two on the beach is a massive advantage for the Club and the season wouldn't have been the same without them.

Thanks to Lyn for a great season, she kept the season running smooth even with all the social distancing/COVID dramas.

Also, thanks to the early morning volunteers who get down to the beach early and set up ready to go for 9am start. Overall, great season with the kids becoming more and more confident each week. I hope for a great season next year for all the new and returning nippers.

#### Good luck

#### Tim Boyd

© Encouragement Awards:

Age Manager's Award:

Tori Hyland and Wolfe Freeman Isla Slattery and Jaxson Caldwell





#### **Club Championships**

Beach	•

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Harper Bennett Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Zachary Timbrell

2<sup>nd</sup>: Abbey Dempsey 2<sup>nd</sup>: Oliver Carter

3<sup>rd</sup>: Claudette Austin-Nichols 3<sup>rd</sup>: Oliver Albuquerque

Water:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Aria Boyd Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Zachary Timbrell

2nd: Harper Bennett2nd: Oliver Carter3rd: Lucinda Parezanovic3rd: Benjamin Barry

#### Surf Aware Two Certificate:

Oliver Albuquerque, Hayley Aldridge, Claudette Austin-Nichols, Benjamin Barry, Harper Bennett, Aria Boyd, Jaxson Caldwell, Anna Cambourn, Oliver Carter, Gabrielle Carter, Abbey Dempsey, Samantha Dunn, Isabella Fitzsimmons, Skye Fraser, Wolfe Freeman, Ella Hamill, Eamon Huisman, Ariya-Rose Holland, Tori Hyland, Harriet Page, Lucinda Parezanovic, Brianna Reid, Isla Slattery, Zachery Timbrell

#### Age Manager's Report - Under 10's - Diving Dolfins

Age Managers: Bil and Karen Kensey

The Under 10's this year was a fabulous time for all involved. When Karen and I decided to undertake this role after a 15 year break, we were unsure of how we would approach it. We decided to undertake a "let's have fun" approach incorporating correct surf practices and skill development. Getting the boys and girls to start flag events correctly and give them personal skill development on various components of each activity. This approach struck a chord with our little group and both children and parents alike enjoyed a creative learning experience. The incorporation of doing traditional activities in a different way and still promoting their individual skills allowed us to have fun along the way. By the end of the season improvements in beach activities could be seen with individuals using better diving and starting techniques in the flags, whilst in the water all children improved in their confidence in swimming and board work. Karen and I thoroughly enjoyed our experience.

© Encouragement Awards: Georgia Simpson and Levi Stewart

© Age Manager's Award: Sophie McGrath, Olivia Parker and Jack Tame

Most Improved: Leiona Holland and Conor Ashton

#### **Club Championships**

Beach:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Isabelle Bond Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Cooper O'Sullivan

2nd: Georgia Baldwin2nd: Max Miller3rd: Sophie McGrath3rd: Levi Stewart

Water:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Georgia Baldwin Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Cooper O'Sullivan

2nd: Olivia Parker2nd: Max Miller3rd: Leiona Holland3rd: Jack Tame

#### Surf Safe One Certificate:

Conor Ashton, Siara Austin-Nichols, Georgia Baldwin, Isabelle Bond, Isla Carver-Wright, Leiona Holland, Charlotte Kelly, Ruby Keogh, Jhy Kimpton, Sophie McGrath, Max Miller, Cooper O'Sullivan, Olivia Parker, Levi Stewart, Jack Tame, Talia Vargas, Haylo Wells and Leigh Wright



#### Age Manager's Report - Under 11's - Purple Sea Creatures

Age Manager: Nicole Locker. Assisted by Callum Nash. Water Safety: Simone Dunn

This season we saw a massive drop in numbers, approximately 35 on the roll last season to approximately 15 on the roll this season.

My competition nippers and many others did not return opting to join other clubs.

The biggest concern this season with many new nippers starting at this older age group, was the level of their swimming ability. At least a quarter only <u>just</u> achieved proficiency in the water. To address this, we always provided a modified swim option for those nippers. Only four of my nippers were capable of swimming the course for this age group.

With a smaller group we were able to concentrate on surf/water/board skills more frequently.

At the end of the season, I was very pleased with how proficient the U11's became with their board skills. It was also very satisfying to observe them studying the waves and waiting for the break before rushing in.

We also had some nippers treated for blue bottle stings on one occasion.

Overall, the season was successful, and I look forward to returning in 2021/2022 as the U12's Age Manager.

Nicole Locker

© Encouragement Awards: Cohen McHugh

Most Improved: Christopher Dunn Most Consistent: Connor Brown

#### **Club Championships**

Beach:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Erin Aldridge Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Cohen McHugh

2<sup>nd</sup>: Lily Hicks 2<sup>nd</sup>: Daniel Dempsey 3<sup>rd</sup>: Chloe McGrath Equal 3<sup>rd</sup>: Josh Allum and

**Connor Brown** 

Water:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Lily Hicks Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Connor Brown

 $2^{nd}$ : Chloe McGrath  $2^{nd}$ : Josh Allum  $3^{rd}$ : Erin Aldridge  $3^{rd}$ : Cohen McHugh

#### **Surf Safe Two Certificate:**

Erin Aldridge, Josh Allum, Antoinette Bilson-Clements, Connor Brown, Daniel Dempsey, Christopher Dunn, Sonny Fraser, Zara Hersom, Lily Hicks, Eden McDougall, Chloe McGrath, Cohen McHugh, Phoenix Reynolds and Hayden Timbrell

#### Age Manager's Report - Under 12's - Green Sea Turtles

Age Manager: Chris Baldwin

© Encouragement Awards: Monique Cook and Elliot Kelly

© Age Manager's Award: Ealasaidh Petrie and Harry Cambourn

© Most Improved: Lucia Gois and Taj Kimpton

#### **Club Championships**

<u>Beach:</u>

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Zoe Peat Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Khalil Quinn

2nd: Eadie O'Sullivan2nd: Elliot Kelly3rd: Amelie Rowland3rd: Taj Kimpton

Water:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Eadie O'Sullivan Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Khalil Quinn

2<sup>nd</sup>: Matilda Baldwin 2<sup>nd</sup>: Taj Kimpton and 3<sup>rd</sup>: Amelie Rowland Elliot Kelly

#### **Surf Smart One Certificate:**

Matilda Baldwin, Harry Cambourn, Monique Cook, Ethan Fraser, Lucia Gois, Maya Hicks, Cohen Hyland, Elliot Kelly, Taj Kimpton, Jared McHugh, Eadie O'Sullivan, Zoe Peat, Ealasaidh Petrie, Khalil Quinn, Amelie Rowland, Callum Sloan, Chloe Tame and Sophie Wrightson





#### Age Manager's Report - Under 13's - Seahorses

Age Manager: Peter Harrison

© Encouragement Awards: Achol Lual, Aleesha O'Sullivan, Hayley Douglass and Edward

Kelly

Most Improved in Water: Tara McGettigan and Edward Kelly

#### **Club Championships**

Beach:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Gemma Harrison Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Zaid Holland

2nd: Tara McGettigan2nd: Cameron Simm3rd: Aleesha O'Sullivan3rd: Edward Kelly

Water:

Girls 1st: Keira Elvin Boys 1st: Zaid Holland

2nd: Gemma Harrison2nd: Phillip Barry3rd: Tara McGettigan3rd: Edward Kelly

#### Surf Smart Two Certificate:

Phillip Barry, Hayley Douglass, Keira Elvin, Gemma Harrison, Zaid Holland, Edward Kelly, Achol Lual, Tara McGettigan, Aleesha O'Sullivan, and Cameron Simm

#### Age Manager's Report - Under 14's - STARfish

Age Manager: Matt Allen

The Under 14s are a group of individuals who I have had the pleasure of watching grow into well-mannered and lovely young men and women. These kids have made my time at Toowoon Bay such an enjoyable experience. Watching them each year overcome different challenges and seeing tears turn to smiles after realising they were stronger than they thought, really makes me proud of every single one of them.

I would not have been able to have run such an age group without the help and support from the parents. A massive thank you to all of the parents who have stepped up and helped out over the years. I am truly grateful for all of you and I honestly could not have done it without you. It was such a pleasure managing this group and seeing them off on their last year of nippers is a blessing. I thank each and every one of you.

In conclusion, the two age groups were so much fun to manage and I'm so glad I had the privilege of meeting new faces and teaching new skills to a lovely bunch of kids.

Encouragement Awards: Isabella Penfold and Riley Miller
 Age Manager's Award: Amelie McKay and Quinn Flower

#### **Club Championships**

#### Beach:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Amelie McKay Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Quinn Flower

2nd: Jemima Bonham2nd: Oliver Coucke3rd: Emily O'Sullivan3rd: Riley Miller

Water:

Girls 1<sup>st</sup>: Jemima Bonham Boys 1<sup>st</sup>: Oliver Coucke

2nd: Elyana Keys2nd: Quinn Flower3rd: Amelie McKay3rd: Riley Miller

#### **Surf Rescue Certificate:**

Jemima Bonham, Oliver Coucke, Quinn Flower, Elyana Keys, Riley Miller, Emily O'Sullivan, Isabella Penfold, Shayla Walker and Austin Williams.

Adult SRC's (to fulfil water safety requirements) – David Coucke, Lisa and Paul McGrath

#### Continuous Nippers from Under 8's through to Under 14's

Jemima Bonham, Oliver Coucke, Quinn Flower, Elyana Keys and Shayla Walker

















#### Junior Perpetual Awards - 2020/2021

#### **JUNIOR SPORTS GIRL**

Nominees: U9 - Lucinda Parezanovic

U10 - Leiona Holland U11 - Lily Hicks

☐ Encouragement - Leiona Holland☐ Runner Up - Lily Hicks

Winner - Lucinda Parezanovic

#### JUNIOR SPORTS BOY

Nominees: U9 - -

U10 - Cooper O'Sullivan

U11 - Josh Allum

🧸 Runner Up - Josh Allum

Winner - Cooper O'Sullivan

#### **SENIOR SPORTS GIRL**

Nominees: U12 - Eadie O'Sullivan

U13 - Gemma Harrison U14 - Jemima Bonham

Encouragement - Eadie O'Sullivan
Runner Up - Jemima Bonham
Winner - Gemma Harrison

#### **SENIOR SPORTS BOY**

Nominees: U12 - Khalil Quinn

U13 - Zaid Holland U14 - Quinn Flower

☐ Encouragement - Quinn Flower
 ☐ Runner Up - Khalil Quinn
 ☐ Winner - Zaid Holland

#### **SENIOR IRONPERSON**

#### **FEMALE**

Under 12 Under 13 Under 14

Runner up – Matilda Baldwin Remma Harrison Amelie McKay
Winner – Eadie O'Sullivan Keira Elvin Jemima Bonham

#### MALE

Under 12 Under 13 Under 14

Runner up – Elliot Kelly Phillip Barry Quinn Flower
Winner – Khalil Quinn Zaid Holland Oliver Coucke

Family of the Year – O'Sullivan Family
Nippers Volunteer of the Year – Bob Johnson
Thelma Laird Club (Junior) Person of the Year – Gemma Harrison
Clem Liddy Memorial Shield Runner Up Club Person of the Year – Callum Nash
M and M Moore Adult Club Person of the Year – Geoff Cresswell

# Toowoon Bay Stingray Nippers - 2020-2021

(Modified Nippers Program)

We had a record number of participants this year and due to the uncertainty of COVID, restrictions moved the program to Saturday mornings to avoid the busy nipper Sunday mornings. This seemed to be popular with both participants and volunteers and something we will look to continue in future seasons – possibly moving the start time to a little later in the day to avoid congestion during patrol set up.



We had a number of returning Stingrays but also a handful of new participants both young and older and as always we had a wonderful influx of new and amazing volunteers as well as our incredibly dedicated returning volunteers.

We were also lucky to have an extra co-ordinator this year. Sally Aurisch, who has a vision impairment, and had volunteered in the past but didn't feel comfortable having responsibility for a child on the beach but really wanted to contribute so she was a whizz with the admin and organisation – many thanks Sally!

Once again a fabulous time was had by all and we all, well nearly all of us, got sandy and wet each session and that's

the hallmark of a great day at the beach!

Karen Hickmott and Sally Aurisch Toowoon Bay Stingray Nipper Co-ordinators 2020/2021



# Junior Active 5-14 Membership (inc Rookies and Stingrays)

Nixon Adams	Willow Butler	Skye Fraser	Willow Keogh
Billy Aitken	Jaxson Caldwell	Sonny Fraser	Elyana Keys
Lucas Albuquerque	Anna Cambourn	Django Freeman	Cayden Khaw
Oliver Albuquerque	Harry Cambourn	Wolfe Freeman	Jhy Kimpton
Erin Aldridge	Gabrielle Carter	Sebastien Friedrich-Roche	Taj Kimpton
Hayley Aldridge	Harry Carter	Charlie Gardner	Faith Kimpton
Eric Allen	Levi Carter	Sienna Gibbons	Daniele Kinikini
Jean Allen	Oliver Carter	Ava Gois	Illyanna Le Page
Joshua Allum	Isla Carver-Wright	Lucia Gois	Ashlyn Le Roy
Faith Allwood	Hitch Cassell	Sebastian Gois	Ayden Littlechild
Audrey Andrews	Matthew Clarkson	Benjamin Griffiths	Achol Lual
Brendan Angus	Tyson Condon	Ella Hamill	Georgina Lual
Alison Arthur	Monique Cook	Oliver Hamill	Jahan Lual
Louise Arthur	Curtis Cottee	Jonah Harmsen	Izabelle Mabey
Charlotte Ashton	Oliver Coucke	Gemma Harrison	Jesse Macdonald
Conor Ashton	Kai Curran	Paul Harrison	Aida MacDougall
Cormac Ashton	Teddy Daley	Ruby Heinjus	Odete Marques
Logan Atkinson	Ava Davis-Guyatt	Aleaha Hersom	Luke Martin
Billy Attenborough	Charlee Deger	Zara Hersom	Ivy McConnell
Claudette Austin-Nichols	Abbey Dempsey	Lily Hicks	Samuel McConnell
Siara Austin-Nichols	Daniel Dempsey	Maya Hicks	Anja Mcdougall
Georgia Baldwin	Aedan Dezsery	, William Hinde	Eden McDougall
Matilda Baldwin	Tomas Dlesk	Hunter Hobbs	Tara McGettigan
Lexi Barker	Hayley Douglass	Ariya-Rose Holland	Oscar McGladdery
Benjamin Barry	Ivy Douglass	, Havana Holland	Chloe McGrath
Emma Barry	Lucy Douglass	Leiona Holland	Kiara McGrath
Phillip Barry	Hayden Dring	Penelope Holland	Sophie McGrath
Mason Bell	Henry Dring	Zaid Holland	Amber McHugh
Arihan Bennet	Jaxon Drury	Azy Holland	Cohen McHugh
Coco Bennett	Amelia D'Ugo	Nathan Holmes	Jared McHugh
Frankie Bennett	Christopher Dunn	Zara Hudson	Amelie McKay
Harper Bennett	Samantha Dunn	Eamon Huisman	Max Miller
Zane Berge	Elizabeth Dunn	Cohen Hyland	Riley Miller
Antoinette Bilson-Clements	Grace Dwyer	Max Hyland	Ava Moody
Broc Bloomfield	Keira Elvin	Tori Hyland	Finlay Murphy
Isabelle Bond	Patrick Elvin	Abigail Irons	Onyx Nimmo
Joshua Bond	Kyah Farnham	Kane Jales	Tyson Nimmo
Jemima Bonham	Isabella Fitzsimmons	XUBO JIN	Aleesha OSullivan
Aria Boyd	Roman Fitzsimmons	Ava Kane-Irons	Cooper OSullivan
Charlie Boyd	Madeleine Fleming	Charlotte Kelly	Eadie OSullivan
Violet Boyd	Lennox Fletcher	Edward Kelly	Emily OSullivan
Noah Boyden-Lister	Quinn Flower	Elliot Kelly	Isaac OSullivan
Phoebe Boyden-Lister	Noah Flower	Arlo Kent	Cosette Page
Leilahni Brandso	Jax Fogden	Orson Kent	Harriet Page
Connor Brown	Isla Ford	Reid Keogh	Oliver Pallot
Ethan Burgers	Ethan Fraser	Ruby Keogh	Lucinda Parezanovic

Khalil Quinn	Kobi Roberts	Kira Stephenson	Andy Vargas
Saskia Parezanovic	Oliver Roger	Levi Stewart	Talia Vargas
Olivia Parker	Amelie Rowland	Blythe Stuckey	Shayla Walker
Taj Parker	Tiara Schalkwyk	Madison Suprain	Charlotte Wall
Bailey Peat	Annalise Shanahan	Elizabeth Syphers	Phoenix Walsh
Zoe Peat	Archie Sharples	Chloe Tame	Thomas-Jacob Walsh
Isabella Penfold	Freya Sife	Evie Tame	Cayden Ward
Zayne Penfold	Marley Sife	Jack Tame	Abel Wells
Archie Petrie	Cameron Simm	Priyana Taylor	Haylo Wells
Ealasaidh Petrie	Victoria Simm	Finlay Taylor	Austin Williams
Eden Pinkerton	Georgia Simpson	Hayden Timbrell	Ella Williamson
Harriet Porter	Oliver Sinclair	Zachary Timbrell	Charlotte-Sophia Winterton
Harrison Powell	Isla Slattery	Elodie Tipton-Akers	Isabella Winterton
Andie-Grace Rana	Callum Sloan	Matilda Tisdell	Harrison Witney
Harper Reed	Grace Snelling	Georgina Trampnau	Krystal Woods
Brianna Reid	Amedee Stacker	Kai Turner	Leah Wright
Phoenix Reynolds	Milla Steele	Peyton Turner	Lenny Wright
Jonah Roach	Stevie Steele	Savanah Turner	

# Cadets and Seniors Report – 2020/2021

This last season went really well, and whilst we had quite a number signed up this year, apart from some regulars, we tended to have different faces from week to week. At this age, numbers are affected by part time work, sleep deprivation and whether the phone calls have gone out early enough between friends to ensure they are going to turn up or not ③.

Pleasingly, we actually increased on the numbers this year and even picked up a few more as the season got under way, where interest and motivation were the enticement.

Quite pleasingly, we set a goal that we were going to swim the bay this year, and most regular cadets were able to achieve this. In fact, we actually completed a swim around the two bays of Toowoon and Blue Bay – Great work by everyone, including those parents that joined in.

There were a few Cadets that could be identified for their achievements in and out of the water, but as a whole, they should all be applauded for their different personalities and attitudes, which made a rewarding experience for myself and other parents / adults that also turn up every week and help out.

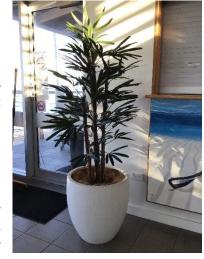
Parents of these Cadets should be very proud of these young people, they are all GREAT young Australians.

Geoff Cresswell
Team Leader – Cadets - Opens

# Function Room Report - 2020/2021

Well, what a year that was......

I was beginning to see a little light at the end of the tunnel, restrictions were easing, there was lots of interest in holding weddings and birthday parties in our freshly painted and revamped hall. SIPS was proving very popular with locals and tourists. The reported new trend for weddings was to keep the guest list to close family and 50-60 guests was the favoured number of guests; this is the perfect number of guests for an event at TBSLSC. Probus, Yoga by Blake were extremely happy when they could start up again. Central Coast Council carried out remedial works on our roof, which neatened up the outside appearance included painting, louvre/window cleaning and some new lights on the veranda.





With the help of NSW State Government Community Building Partnership Program grant funding, The Men's Shed Bateau Bay, insurance claims and our new sponsor Zest Events International the following was achieved:

- Freshly painted throughout (inc toilets, kitchen and stairwell)
- New motif on northern wall, including mounting of a march past reel, harness and tree, to reflect the TBSLSC logo
- Remodelling of the entryway to display our framed life member portraits
- Stingray mural on the bar

New dining height tables and armchairs have been purchased and installed, along with artificial plants to improve the overall appeal of the area. There are still some projects

in the works which will embrace history of the Club. Sourcing a grant to refurbish the wood floor is being sought. Overall, the hall is looking fantastic!

TBSLSC's event area remains in a niche in the market in that we offer a blank canvas, an uninterrupted view of the

ocean, and value for money!

Fingers crossed that all the events that have had to be postponed due to the current lockdown (June 2021) will all take place, and more!

Jacqui Donadel Function Room Manager



## Toowoon Bay Ocean Swim 2020

Unfortunately, COVID prevented the Toowoon Bay Ocean Swim from going ahead in 2020. The event is scheduled to take place on November 20<sup>th</sup> 2021.

## Surf Sports Results - 2020/2021

Surf Sports competition was uncertain at the beginning of the 2020/2021 season due to COVID. Competition for Juniors was not actively promoted.

The season kicked off with a virtual Coolangatta Gold which saw eight Masters teams and some individuals enter from TBSLSC. The competition consisted of an 11k ski paddle, 3k board paddle, 2k swim and a 5.5k run. The event was conducted at Toowoon Bay on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October in miserable conditions and a howling north easterly. Thanks to Patrol 5 for helping with water safety.



Local carnivals, SLSCC Branch Championships, SLSNSW Championships and Aussies all went ahead as planned, with strict COVID measures in place.

### NP Under 8 - Under 15 Junior Carnival held at Umina Beach on 10th January 2021

U13 Male Beach Flags	6 <sup>th</sup>	Zaid Holland
U13 Male Beach Sprint	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Zaid Holland

#### SLSCC Under 8 – Under 14 Junior Branch Championships held at Copacabana Beach on 31st January 2021

U12 Female Beach Flags	4 <sup>th</sup>	Zoe Peat
U13 Male Beach Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Zaid Holland

U13 Male Beach Sprint	4 <sup>th</sup>	Zaid Holland

### SLSCC U17-Opens and Masters Carnival held at Killcare Beach on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2021

40-49yrs Female 2k Beach Run	1 <sup>st</sup>	Susan Paliskis
40-49yrs Female Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Susan Pasiskis
40-49yrs Female Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Susan Paliskis
70yrs and over Male 1k Beach Run	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
70yrs and over Male Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
70yrs and over Male Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee

### SLSCC Masters Branch Championships held at Shelly Beach on 7th February 2021

40-44yrs Female Board Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Nicole Cameron
40-44yrs Female Board Rescue	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Toowoon Team A – Nicole Cameron and Karen Igoe
45-49yrs Female 2k Beach Run	1 <sup>st</sup>	Nicole Cameron
45-49yrs Female Surf Race	4 <sup>th</sup>	Nicole Cameron
50-54yrs Male 2k Beach Run	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Rod Mergan
50-54yrs Male Board Race	6 <sup>th</sup>	Rod Mergan
50-54yrs Male Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Rod Mergan
50-54yrs Male Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Rod Mergan
50-54yrs Male Board Rescue	4 <sup>th</sup>	Toowoon Team A – Rod Mergan and Graham Jackson
55-59yrs Male 2k Beach Run	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Graham Jackson
55-59yrs Male Beach Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jeffrey Powell
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mike Hayhurst
55-59yrs Male Beach Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jeffrey Powell
60-64yrs Female Surf Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Denise Ryals
60-64yrs Female Beach Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Denise Ryals
60-64yrs Female Beach Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Denise Ryals
60-64yrs Female Rescue Tube Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Denise Ryals
65-69yrs Female Surf Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Gayle McCann
65-69Yrs Female Board Race	1 <sup>st</sup>	Gayle McCann
65-69yrs Female Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Gayle McCann
70-74yrs Female Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Wendy McNamara
70-74yrs Male 1k Beach Run	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Peter Pracy
70-74yrs Male Beach Flags	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Peter Pracy
70-74yrs Male Beach Sprint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Peter Pracy
75yrs and over Male 1k Beach Run	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
75yrs and over Male Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
75yrs and over Male Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
170yrs Female Surf Team	1 <sup>st</sup>	Toowoon Team A Swim – Denise Ryals and Gayle McCann
170yrs Female Board Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Toowoon Team A – Tracie Clifton, Gayle McCann and Denise
		Ryals
170yrs Male Surf Team	4 <sup>th</sup>	Toowoon Team A – Peter Pracy, Graham Jackson and
		Mike Hayhurst
230yrs Male Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Toowoon Team A Lightning – Graham Jackson, John
		McNamee, Rod Mergan and Jeffrey Powell

## SLSNSW Masters Championships held at Blacksmiths Beach on 13<sup>th</sup> March 2021

40-44yrs Female 2K Beach Run	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Nicole Cameron
50-54yrs Male Beach Flags	6 <sup>th</sup>	Rod Mergan

50-54yrs Male 2K Beach Run	7 <sup>th</sup>	Rod Mergan
55-59yrs Male 2K Beach Run	5 <sup>th</sup>	Graham Jackson
60-64yrs Female Beach Sprint	5 <sup>th</sup>	Estelle Wicks
60-64yrs Female 1k Beach Run	8 <sup>th</sup>	Estelle Wicks
65-69yrs Female Surf Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Barbara Attard
65-69yrs Female Rescue Tube Race	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Barbara Attard
70-74yrs Female Beach Sprint	<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	Julie Dawson
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wendy McNamara
70-74yrs Female Beach Flags	<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	Julie Dawson
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wendy McNamara
75yrs and over Male Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
75yrs and over Male Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
75yrs and over 1K Beach Run	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
230yrs min Male Beach Relay	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Team A – Mike Hayhurst, Simon Hicks, John McNamee and
		Rod Mergan
230yrs min Female Beach Relay	1 <sup>st</sup>	Team A – Julie Dawson, Christiana Mergan, Jenny Perram, And Estelle Wicks

#### <u>Australian Masters Championships held on the Queensland Sunshine Coast 18<sup>th</sup> April 2021</u>

45-49yrs Female Beach Sprint	6 <sup>th</sup>	Christiana Mergan
55-59yrs Male 2K Run	6 <sup>th</sup>	Graham Jackson
55-59yrs Male Beach Sprint	4 <sup>th</sup>	Craig Horton
65-69yrs Female Surf Race	4 <sup>th</sup>	Gayle McCann
65-69yrs Female Board Race	5 <sup>th</sup>	Gayle McCann
65-69yrs Female 1k Beach Run	5 <sup>th</sup>	Gayle McCann
65-69yrs Female Beach Flags	5 <sup>th</sup>	Gayle McCann
60-64yrs Female Beach Flags	5 <sup>th</sup>	Jenny Perram
70-74yrs Female Surf Race	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Julie Dawson
,	4 <sup>th</sup>	Wendy McNamara
70-74yrs Female 1K Beach Run	<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	Julie Dawson
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wendy McNamara
70-74yrs Female Beach Flags	1 <sup>st</sup>	Julie Dawson
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Wendy McNamara
70-74yrs Female Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	Julie Dawson
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wendy McNamara
75yrs and over Male 1K Beach Run	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
75yrs and over Male Beach Flags	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John McNamee
75yrs and over Male Beach Sprint	1 <sup>st</sup>	John McNamee
230yrs Male Beach Relay	5 <sup>th</sup>	Team A – Rod Mergan, Graham Jackson, John McNamee and
		Craig Horton
230yrs Female Beach Relay	4 <sup>th</sup>	Team A – Julie Dawson, Christiana Mergan, Jenny Perram
		And Gayle McCann

#### **Toowoon Bay Masters Club Championships**

<u>Women's Club Champions</u> Junior Masters Champion 2020/2021 – Christiana Mergan

Masters Champion 2020/2021 – Jenny Perram Grand Champion 2020/2021 – Wendy McNamara

<u>Men's Club Champions</u> Junior Masters Champion 2020/2021 – Rod Mergan

Masters Champion 2020/2021 – Phillip Raymont

#### Grand Champion 2020/2021 – Peter Pracy



# Annual TBSLSC Awards of Excellence - 2019/2020

Due to COVID-19 this event had to be cancelled in May 2020 and the awards/certificates were not published in the 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Report. The TBSLSC Awards of Excellence 2019/2020 COVID Style was held over a number of weekends

starting in November 2020. Perpetual Award winners and all awards/certificates associated with the Senior Presentation for 2019/20 are listed below:

#### National Medal (15 years continuous service):

Craig Cole Tracie Cole Wendy McNamara John Vergara

Presented by Emma McBride, MP



**20 Years National Patrol Service:** Ruth Cook Chris Manning

Graham Sherer Lyn Waters

10 Years National Patrol Servcie: Rachel Field Daniel Hellams Graham Jackson

Michelle Jackson Doug Millard Susan Paliskis Sue Projceski

<u>5 Year National Patrol Service:</u>
Anthony Akers
Ros Chugg
Joshua Clarkson
Aiden Cresswell
Jacqueline Dunkerley
Anastazia Dunn

Ethan Fillingham Jazzmyn Fillingham Rhonda Mamarella Jenny Perram Jed Richardson Michael Roberts

Darren Wall

Thank you to the following for giving up part or all of your <u>Christmas Day</u> with your family to keep the beach going community safe whilst visiting Toowoon Bay:

Barbara Attard Billy Attenborough Isabella Attenborough Jack Attenborough Garry Chappell Joshua Clarkson Matthew Clarkson Siobhan Clarkson **Tracey Clifton** Mick Cook **Ruth Cook** Jacqueline Dunkerley Chris Fillingham Ethan Fillingham Jazzmyn Fillingham Julie-Ann Fillingham

Erin Hale Sue Hale Simon Hicks Craig Horton

Graham Jackson Michelle Jackson Bil Kensey Wendy McNamara
Christiana Mergan Rod Mergan Chris Owen Greg Owen
Jenny Perram Michael Roberts Denise Ryals Graham Sherer

Glenn Thew Corban Trim Estelle Wicks.

#### **100% Patrol**

Barbara Attard Anthony Akers Stephen Angel Bella Attenborough Jack Attenborough Billy Attenborough **Ross Blowers** Tim Boyd **Brad Coxon Geoff Cresswell** Leslie DuBery Amber Fantoni Chris Fillingham Ethan Fillingham Suzanne Gerrish **Geoff Grice** Dean Griffin Mike Hayhurst Simon Hicks Karen Igoe Michelle Jackson **Graham Jackson** Nicole Locker Bruce MacDougall Robbie MacDougall **Bil Kensey Chris Manning** Wendy McNamara

Robbie MacDougall Bil Kensey Chris Manning Wendy McNamara
Rod Mergan Doug Millard Andrew Porter Phillip Raymont
Graham Sherer Corban Trim Mei-Ling Venning John Vergara
Robert Walker

### **Perpetual Awards:**

Contribution to Education within Surf Life Saving

Sue Hale

<u>Competitors of the Year</u> <u>Female</u> Christiana Mergan

Karen Igoe Michelle Jackson Estelle Wicks

Male Robbie MacDougall

Graham Jackson Rod Mergan Mike Hayhurst Youth Patrol Person of the Year

Lakia Hanly

**Patrol Person of the Year** 

Wendy McNamara

Patrol of the Year

Patrol 1 – Patrol Captain Simon Hicks

Vice Captain – Sue Hale

Team Members: Isabella Attenborough, Billy Attenborough, Jack Attenborough, Joshua Clarkson, Siobhan Clarkson, Graham Jackson, Michelle Jackson Bruce MacDougall, Robbie MacDougall, David McKay, Ashley O'Brien, Susan Paliskis, Jeff Powell,

Lara Pratt, Phillip Raymont

**Senior Encouragement Award** 

Vince O'Keeffe

**Volunteer of the Year** 

Mick Cook

**Club Person of the Year** 

Mark Shearan

**Club Captain's Award** 

**Darryl Lennox** 

**Masters Outstanding Club Person of the Year** 

Di and Darryl Lennox

**Presidents Cup** 

Graham Jackson

**Overall Club Person of the Year** 

Karen Hickmott















# Uniform Shop - 2020/2021

Season 2020/21 was a very busy and productive year for the Uniform Shop. The focus remained on shifting the older Catfish stock and aged uniforms from previous seasons whilst maintaining current stock to satisfy the needs of members for training and competition.

Many thanks to Karen Suprain, Karen Hickmott and Jacqui Donadel for your assistance throughout the season. Your help is very much appreciated.

I am pleased to report that there is now only a small number of older stock items left, which I am confident will be shifted during the next registration period. The success of the sale in items has been achieved through a continued presence on the beach and extended operating hours each week throughout the season and where possible operating from outside the gear shed on Sunday morning to capture passing traffic.

It is hoped the following season will continue to see a decline in the amount of goods stored on site to allow the introduction of newer items to be purchased for our member's benefit. Silicone swim caps being one such example. Stocktake and management of goods sold, and in-stock has been made much easier thanks to the ease of the Square system which continues to be a fabulous tool in enabling members to purchase goods without the need of carrying cash to the beach.

Due to the current climate with COVID-19 and the unknown factors which will determine operating guidelines for the following season I have chosen to only order coloured nipper caps at this stage and will look to ordering more stock as the season progresses based on member's needs.

Please don't be shy, an extra pair of hands will be very much appreciated and is a fantastic way of meeting all the wonderful members of Toowoon Bay Surf Club.

See you on the beach Kristen Uniform Shop Manager 2020/2021



# Associates and probationary Members (inc Stingray Associates, Parent Associates)

Kylie Adams Andre Albuquerque	Blake Cassell David Cassell	Carolyn Harkness Peter Harrison	Luke Mabey Emily MacDougall
Cassandra	David Cassell	reter Harrison	Donna Maree
Albuquerque	Elizabeth Chapman	Lesley Hartge	Mackintosh
Adam Aldridge	Sally Clark	Racquel Hassett	Kim Maddaford
Andrew Allum	John Collis	Cameron Heinjus	Monique Maddalena
Jared Allwood	Myree Condon	Kenneth Hey	William Mahony
Daniel Andrews	Christine Cook	Claudia Hickmott	Leeanne Makepeace
Lauren Angus	Francis Cook	Peter Hickmott	Alex Marques
Cass Arthur	Joanne Cregan	Wayne Hicks	William Marques
Paul Arthur	Tayla Crouch	Bernard Higgins	Jean Martin
Lisa Atkinson	Martyn Daley	Susan Higgins	Kelly Mcdougall
Glenn Attenborough	Kristel Davis	Anna Holland	Rebecca McGladdery
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Attenborough	John Dawson	Cassandra Holland	Daniel McHugh
Chris Baird	Luke Deger	Lee Holland	kirsty McHugh
Carly Baldwin	Tanya Deger	Phil Holland	Tamlyn McHugh
Chris Baldwin	Michael Dezsery	Sharon Holmes	Elyssa Meader
Clay Barker	Michelle Douglass	Paul Hoyland	Helen Meader
Tricia Barnard	Stuart Douglass	Charmaine Huisman	Steve Medcalf
Jenny Barnes	Daniel Dring	Hayley Hyland	Jill Merrett
Katherine Barry	Nathaniel D'Ugo	Benjamin Irons	Lisa Miller
Tammie Bell	Terry Dwyer	Danielle Jackson	Matthew Moffatt
Warwick Berge	Elizabeth Elvin	Katie Jales	Bruce Mohr
Gregory Berry	Amanda Emerson	Maureen Jenkin	Cory Moody
Carole Bickley	Kylee Even Emily Ferguson	Lauren Jenson	Carmen Morgan
Jacqueline Bilson	Sprod	Marguerite Jones	Gary Nash
Rebecca Black	Louise Fitzsimmons	Cherie Kelly	Tracey Nash
Joseph Bond	Jody Fletcher	Martin Kelly	Julie-Anne Nichols
Vanessa Bonham	Tina Fletcher	Peta Kelly	Wendy Nobbs
Heath Bonnefin	Susan Flisar	Karen Kensey	Thomas ONeill
Nicky Bonnefin	Scott Fogden	Joel Kent	Alicia O'Neill
Robyn Bourke	Stephen Ford	Nathan Keogh	Ai Keng Ong
Hannah Boyd	Jennifer Fraser	Melanie Keys	Bryn Owen
Sarah Boyd	Irene Freeman	Belinda Kimpton	Glenn Page
Kate Boyden	Linda Freeman	Diane Kirby	Carisa Parker
Wahid Brandso	Cherie Gardner	Maria Kristl	Julie Parsons
Tanya Bright	Estevo Gois	Christine Lane	Steven Parsons
Alice Butler Jennifer Calkin	Sophie Gois	Danielle Le Page	Gabrielle Payne
Nathan Cambourn	Huw Griffiths Sarah Griffiths	Shannon Le Roy	Nola Pearce
Deborah Carlsson	Danielle Habib	Craig Levy	Sonya Peat Teneille Penfold
William Carlsson	Danielle Habib Dean Hamill	Lynette Lewis James Liddle	Andrew Petrie
Anna Carter	Rebecca Hamill	Christopher Lister	Kirsten Petrie
Daniel Carter	Alanna Hardman	Roderick Little	Amanda Pinkerton
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Richard Pinkerton	Benjamin Shanahan	Rachael Timbrell	Karen Whatson
Elizabeth Porter	Nick Sharples	Victoria Tipton	Rodney Wicks
Lorraine Poulton	Simone Simm	Josh Tisdell	Lauren Williamson
Samuel Puckett	Kate Simpson	Ben Trampnau	Genevieve Willis
Megan Quinn	Dean Sinclair	Anne Tucker	Jessica Willis
Rajalakshmi			
Raghunathan	Rebecca Slattery	Amanda Turner	Sandra Wingrave
Stephen Rana	Christopher Sloan	Vanessa Turner	Stephen Winterton
Leanne Reed	York Stacker	Naomi Vargas	Kirsty Woods
Shannon Reed	Walter Stafford	Petra Vozenilkova	Kelly Wright
Andrew Roach	Rikki-Lee Steele	Wilma Wakeley	Frances Wrightson
Niree Robinson	Warwick Stevens	Michele Wall	Jun Zhang
Anthony Roche	Vanessa Stuckey	Rod Wallis	
	Melanie Suarez-		
Chloe Roger	Wright	Darren Walsh	
Michael Rowland	Karen Suprain	Jean Walsh	
Olivia Ryan	Stuart Tame	Sandra Weeks	
Dorian Schalkwyk	Katherine Thompson	Hope Wells	

Whilst every endeavour has been made for the information contained in this report to be accurate, please accept our apologies for any incorrect spelling or omissions.

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