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NEWSLETTER

THE SEASON STARTS



A Successful first day on the beach - Welcome



Our 3 Registration days went well with over 400 children now registered.

New Registrations will continue at the beach from 08:45 am on the next 2 Sundays depending on final numbers - so get in early.

Registrations will go from 08:45 - 9.30 am with Coogee Minnows Apparel available from 08:30am to 10:00am the first two Sundays - 9th and 16th Oct.

Proficiency Swims

The next proficiency swim session for new registrations and those who need to do theirs again. will be held at **Coogee-Randwick RSL Pool from 11.30 am -12.30pm on the 16th October 2005.**

Please be there from 11.30 am and bring your cossies goggles and registration receipt with you. We are unable to start any earlier than 11.30 am.

IMPORTANT

Age Managers & Assistants Training Days

As the season starts, there's always a bit of work to be done to get things off to a good start.

And like everything else, its people being part of the team that makes the wheels turn easier.

For all those keen parents who want to get involved, please be advised that **you must attend a Nippers Training Session before you can assist on the beach.**

This includes Parents who were trained last season

Training Sessions**Oct 15th and Oct 22nd**

These sessions are on at 1.30pm - 4.30pm and are held at the Coogee Palace - Nth Coogee in the Mid Palace

The cost is \$45, which makes you a Nipper Parent Member of Coogee Surf Club, covers your insurance and gets you the coveted Blue Shirt

See you there

COOGEE NIPPERS AND THE BRISBANE BRONCOS - JORDAN WILLIAMS

Knowing that Jordan was a member of the Coogee Minnows the Broncos contacted him to see if they could organise a paddle for some of the players on the morning before their last Sydney game against the Eels. Allistar Schuback (Captain of the Coogee Senior Club) and Dave Habler (Senior Club Board Coach) helped to arrange rescue boards. Jordan took Darren Dane Carlaw, Justin Hodges, and Casey Island. Jordan led the way talking to his surfing. Lockyer was a pretty good paddler quite comfortably.. Jordan said it the island with his Brisbane heroes.



access to some of the club's yellow Lockyer and 5 other Broncos players including McGuire, for a paddle around Wedding Cake hero Lockyer the whole time about footy and dler for a novice and was able to get up on his was like he was in a dream paddling around

NEW PROGRAM FOR THIS SEASON

PROGRAM 2005-2006

This year we are implementing a new range of events on the beach based on Teams.

This initiative has developed out of our Planning day and will be delivered over 3 Sundays this season.

These new events are designed to get the kids working together as teams, giving opportunities for leadership, and enjoying a new range of activities.

Details of these new events will be presented at the Coogee Minnows Parents Training Courses on Oct 15th and 22nd

AGE GROUP MANAGEMENT

Within each Age Group this year we are seeking to have the following structure implemented

An Age Manager

**1 x Age Co-ordinator
for Boys**

**1 x Age Co-ordinator
for Girls**

Marshalers**Place Recorders**

We are hoping that within each age group these positions will be taken up by parents and then implemented on the beach each Sunday.

By achieving this we will increase the efficiency on the beach, keep waiting times down, and have more that one person managing 60+ kids.

**WATER SAFETY
& IRB**

The safety of all our Minnows is of the highest priority on the beach each Sunday.

The very keen Water Safety team, led by our own Kel Pearce, is responsible for ensuring that all goes well for all our water activities.

As always there is the opportunity to be part of the Green Team, which means holding a current Bronze Medal.

The next Bronze Course starts on the 7th November and will go for approx 6 weeks.

Also needed for the Water is our **Rubber Duck, the IRB.**

Currently we only have one Certified Driver working on the IRB, so we are now calling for those interested to put their hand up to assist with this very important aspect of our Sunday activities

Without the IRB running each Sunday our water activities will be limited

Those interested in the above and we do hope you are, please see either Kel Pearce or our IRB Driver Richard Brincat for further details

**THIS SEASONS
SPONSORS**

We are very thankful for our continued relationship with our very generous Sponsors

Major Sponsor

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N G Farah Real Estate Coogee has been with us now for over 6 years.

We are very thankful to Jason Black and his team for their level of long term commitment to Coogee Minnows



SERVICED APARTMENTS

Medina Apartments Coogee have supported us with a number of resources every year such as our Fridge Calendars and new surfboards.

Medina Coogee's support of Coogee Minnows is endorsed by the Medina Group Nationwide, by offering Minnows parents major discounts at their serviced apartments around Australia.



Boost Coogee joined us last year supplying weekly gift vouchers.

This season Heath and the team at Boost Coogee will also join us on the beach with event banners and more of those wonderful Boost Juice Vouchers

Fed Cafe and Grill at the Northern end of Coogee Beach have been with us now for two years supporting us with resources such as radios and flags.

Alfio and the team serve up some of Coogee's tastiest fare down at Fed, so be sure to drop in and grab a meal.

**Fed Cafe and Grill
at the Palace
Nth Coogee**

McDonalds Coogee will be delivering our weekly needs at the drink station this year and will also be offering weekly vouchers for those chosen by the Age Managers to put in the bet effort.



Mac your day.
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- COOGEE MINNOWS GEAR -

NEW GEAR - SWIM CAPS AND GOGGLES

Coogee Minnows gear is available each Sunday morning at the beach.

This year our range includes swim caps and goggles, t-shirts, rash vests and rash shirts and of course boys and girls costumes.

For October 16th gear will be available till 10:00am

For other weekends gear will be available from 08:45 am-9.15 am

IMPORTANT

AGE MANAGERS AND ASSISTANTS TRAINING DAY

OCT 15TH AND 22ND 1.30PM - 4.30PM

MID PALACE @ THE PALACE

NTH COOGEE

Cost: \$45

LUCKY DOOR PRIZE EACH TRAINING DAY - FREE NIGHT AT A MEDINA APARTMENTS

SUPPLIED BY MEDINA APARTMENTS COOGEE

Proficiency Swims

11:30am -1.00pm Sunday 16th Oct

Coogee- Randwick RSL. Carr St Randwick

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